CHICAGO C TOSS-UPS

1) Q: In 1919, this film director completed the first segment of his two-part adventure serial, "Die Spinnen". While he was in the middle of directing "The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari", he was commissioned to direct the second segment, but he was replaced on this project later on. Name this premier German director best known for the classic film, "M".

A: Fritz LANG

2) Q: Born in 1709, this man was a prolific essayist. His works include "Advantages of Mediocrity: An Eastern Fable" and "Folly of Anger: Misery of a Peevish Old Age", both of which were included in his Rambler series. Name this man whose life was chronicled by Boswell.

A: Samuel JOHNSON

3) Q: In 1960, John Kennedy's religion was a major issue. Kennedy was the first president of the Roman Catholic faith, and the only one as of now. Most presidents, including George Bush, have practiced what Protestant denomination?

A: EPISCOPALIANISM

4) Q: Rumor has it that this man was the illegitimate son of Talleyrand. He travelled widely in the Middle East and many of his pictures are drawn from his memory of these adventures. His portrayal of a scene from Byron's "Sardanapalus" was considered shocking in its time for its depiction of nudity and violence. Name this French artist famous for his "Women of Algiers".

A: Eugene DELACROIX

5) Q: Sally Field, Lynn Redgrave, Gilda Radner, Ally Sheedy, and Jane Fonda have all suffered from the same disease. Name this ailment which is usually treated with antidepressant drugs and no hospital visits?

A: BULIMIA

6) Q: The authorship of this short piece of work has been in dispute for years. The Youth's Companion stated in 1917 that it was written by James B. Upham. In 1923, Francis Bellamy claimed authorship. Bellamy is credited by the Library of Congress and the United States Flag Association as its sole author. Name the one sentence which has been recited in schools across the country on a daily basis.

A: PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

7) Q: Two answers required— This geographical feature was created anywhere from 14,000 to 40,000 years ago, when an object nearly 25 meters across hit the Earth with a velocity of about 15 kilometers per second. Name the geographical feature and the southwestern state you would find it.

A: METEOR CRATER, ARIZONA

3) Q: Written by Vyasa, this tale is a major epic of India. Dating from between 1400 and 1000 BC, it is composed of over 100,000 couplets. It contains within its pages the better known text Bhagavadgita and its title is translated as "Great epic of the Bharata dynasty". Name this important work.

A: MAHABHARATA

9) Q: This country is slightly smaller than Texas, and 99% of its population is Sunni Muslim. It was established as an independent country in June 1960, and it reunited with the part of the country under Italian control. This country's flag has a blue background with a solid five point white star in the middle. But more recently, it has become famous as the center of Operation Restore Hope. Name this African nation.

A: SOMALIA

10) Q: This section of the brain can be found in the hindbrain. It lies just above the medulla and it plays a role in the control of respiratory and cardiac function. It also relays information from the cerebral cortex to the cerebellum. Therefore, its name, taken from the Latin word for "bridge", is appropriate. Name this brain structure.

A: PONS

11) Q: Despite what you think you hear, the line actually goes, "Blinded by the light/wrapped by like a deuce, /another runner in the night." Manfred Mann made this line infamous in the rock world, but they did not write it. Name the man who did, the pride and joy of Asbury Park, New Jersey.

A: Bruce SPRINGSTEEN

12) Q: Cliff Humphrey was the one who first conceived of this California landmark. It was the efforts of Michael Delacour that rallied the hippies and radicals to build this "community hope for the future". Instead, it became a battleground. 110 people were shot in the fight to preserve this landmark, and then Governor Ronald Reagan called in the National Guard to occupy Berkeley for seventeen days. Name this center of 1960's turmoil.

A: PEOPLE'S PARK

13) Q: Both Henry VIII and Fredrich Nietszche were reported to have suffered from one of the most widespread diseases in history. But if they lived to 1906, a simple test could have told them if they had the disease- which can be fatal if not treated. Name the man who developed the test for syphilis.

A: August von WASSERMANN

14) Q: This woman was born in Bennettsville, South Carolina. She was a graduate of Spelman College and Yale Law, and she became the first black woman to be admitted to the Mississippi bar. She directed the NAACP Legal Defense Fund in Jackson before she founded the Washington Research Project, which became the Children's Defense Fund. Name thisinfluential lobbyist for children's rights.

A: Marian Wright EDELMAN

15) Q: According to this man, moral law has two components: justice and legality— which he called the domain of right, and the domain of virtue. This theory is spelled out in his work Metaphysics of Morals. Name this philosopher who lived from 1724 to 1804 and is best remembered for his categorical imperative.

A: Immanuel KANT

16) Q: Robert Matsui, Henry Waxman, Dana Rohrabacher, Don Edwards, Ron Dellums, Maxine Waters, Barbara Boxer, and Dianne Feinstein are among the members of what state's congressional delegation— the largest of the 50 states?

A: CALIFORNIA

17) Q: Some of the chapters in this person's book include "Black and Blue Like Me", "Pig Virus", "Mein Kampf- My Struggle" and "If You're Not Like Me, I Hate You". The arrival of this book has led to some of the most chaotic and crowded book signings in history- proving that his great number of fans know something. Name the syndicated radio personality who has become the enemy of the FCC.

A: Howard STERN

18) Q: If you saw the blockbuster movie "Jurassic Park", you are aware that the Jurassic refers to a geological period in time. You are also probably aware that the Jurassic was part of the Mesozoic Era. But for ten points, give me the name of eon in which the Mesozoic is located; the eon we are currently living in.

A: PHANEROZOIC Eon

19) Q: Tolstoy said that this American novel was "one of the greatest productions of the human mind". But none of the author's other works would even begin to approach what Henry James called "a triumph". The author turned out such works as My Wife and I, Oldtown Folks, and We and Our Neighbors, but they would not reach the brillance found in Harriet Beecher Stowe's 1852 novel. Name this book, subtitled "Life Among the Lowly".

A: UNCLE TOM'S CABIN

20) Q: Mystery writers usually live pretty quiet lives removed from the suspense and intrigue that they describe. However, this author has led an extraordinary life. She traveled all across the world with her second husband, a renowned archeologist. She wrote romance novels under a nom de plume, and most incredibly, she shocked the world with her mysterious disapperance and eventual return only a week or so later- some believe she could have been plotting a real murder. Name this queen of mystery known for her creations Miss Jane Marple and Hercule Poirot.

A: Agatha CHRISTIE

21) Q: In 1991, the U.S. Department of Labor upgraded this profession from the "amusement and entertainment" category to the category "miscellaneous professions", making this job on par with taxidermists. More than ever, companies are employing their services to help determined who should be hired for certain positions. Name the profession that we better know as handwritting analyst.

A: GRAPHOLOGIST

22) Q: Buffalo, New York is best known today for its cold weather and its always—the—bridesmaid football team, the Buffalo Bills. But this city was an important center for the development of American philanthropy. The first office of the American Charity Organization Society was founded in Buffalo in 1878, and in 1854, the first site of this organization opened. Name the organization known for its day camps, exercise facilities, and as a target of a disco tune by the Village People.

A: YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION (YMCA)

23) Q: Arguments at the bar of the Supreme Court are not very exciting, and very few times are the justices moved to tears. But the great orator Daniel Webster did just that to Chief Justice Marshall and his colleagues in 1819, when Webster stood to defend a college that was taken over by the stae and made into a public institution. Thanks to Webster, the Court ruled that the college was to remain a private institution. Name the school from which Webster graduated located in Hanover, New Hampshire.

A: DARTMOUTH College

24) Q: Ohm's Law states that V=IR. As most everyone knows, the R in this equation stands for resistance, which is the term for the amount of difficulty that a charged particle encounters when moving through a medium. But if one wanted to measure the ease with which current flows, you would take the reciprocal of resistence. Name this property which is measured in siemens.

A: CONDUCTANCE

25) Q: Not one, not two, but three answers required. These three men are described in the Book of Daniel, Chapter 3, when King Nebuchadnezzar throws them into a furnace for not bowing down to a golden idol. They escape the fire unharmed. Name these three friends of Daniel.

A: SHADRACH, MESHACH, ABEDNEGO

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(20 points)

1) Q: Jane Austen's Pride and Prejudice is considered her greatest work, and we feel that it is required reading. Let's test your knowledge on this book. 5 points per answer.

The name of the main character, the second Repret daughter

The name of the main character, the second Bennet daughter

Her suitor and eventual husband

Darcy's aunt, the haughty mother of Anne

Darcy's best friend who marries Elizabeth's sister Jane

A: ELIZABETH

Fitzwilliam DARCY

Lady Catherine DE BOURGH

George BINGLEY

(25 points)

2) Q: Name the president given his middle name. Simpson, Birchard, Alan, Grover, Gamaliel

A: Ulysses GRANT, Rutherford HAYES, Chester ARTHUR, Steven Grover CLEVELAND, Warren HARDING

(30-20-10 points)

3) Q: Name the poet, given a part of a poem.

"There is a singer everyone has heard, Loud, a midsummer and a mid-wood bird, Who makes the solid tree trunks sound again."

"The well is dry beside the door, And so we went with pail and can Across the fields behind the house To seek the brook if still it ran"

"Two roads diverged in a yellow wood, and I-I took the one less travelled by, And that has made all the difference."

A: Robert FROST

(20 points)

4) Q: Although receiving little attention while alive, this German mathematician made numerous contributions to modern analysis. He made a very small salary as a teacher at the Pro-Gymnasium in Deustchkrone and at the Collegium Hosfanium in Braunsberg from 1841-1845. Most of his work was handed down to his students, some of which, like Sonya Kovalevkaya, became influential themselves. Name this important mathematician.

A: Karl WEIERSTRASS

(30 points)

5) Q: 1992 was called the Year of the Woman, mainly because of advancements made by women in the political arena. But what about women in the sports arena? For 15 points apiece, name the woman who played goaltender for the Tampa Bay Lightning, and also name the woman who was named the 1992 Indianapolis 500 Rookie of the Year.

A: Manon RHEAUME, Lyn ST. JAMES

(30 points)

- 6) Q: As we approach the 30th anniversary of the assassination of President Kennedy, lots of publicity has been generated over that fateful day of November 22, 1963. Answer these questions about the assassination for 10 points apiece.
 - Give the name of the Dallas neighborhood where the assassination took place.
 - Give the first name of Lee Harvey Oswald's Russian wife.
 - 3) Give the name of the recently deceased former general who the Warren Commission claims was the object of a failed assassination attempt by Oswald.

A: DEALEY PLAZA, MARINA, Edwin WALKER

(30 points)

- Q: Name the following architects. Five points for each answer.
 - 1) The Royal Pavilion, Brighton
 - 2) Houses of Parliament, London (2 answers)
 - 3) Dome of the Florence Cathedral
 - 4) The Parthenon, Athens (2 answers)
 - A: John NASH X
 Sir Charles BARRY, Augustus Welby Northmore PUGIN
 Filippo BRUNELLESCHI X
 ICTINOS, CAILLICRATES

(30 points)

8) Q: Show off your knowledge of the Academy Awards. Given the year and the award, name the actor, actress, director, or film. 5 points apiece. Here's the catch— you get to keep going after each correct answer. One mistake and you lose all points.

Best Actor, 1992 Best Actress, 1992 Best Actress, 1939 Best Film, 1976 Best Director, 1977 Best Actress, 1969

A: Al PACINO ("Scent of a Woman") X
Emma THOMPSON ("Howards End")
Vivien LEIGH ("Gone With the Wind")
ROCKY
Woody ALLEN ("Annie Hall")
Maggie SMITH ("The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie")

(20 points)

9) Q: How's your taxonomy? Make Linnaeus proud for 5 points apiece

1) phylum for earthworms, ragworms, and leeches

2) order for lemurs, tarsiers, and monkeys

3) genus for the common fruitfly

4) phylum of polyps, corals, sea anemones, and jelly fish

A: ANNELIDA, PRIMATA, DROSOPHILA, CNIDARIA

(25 points)

10) Q: It has come to the point where a question about world capitals has become too easy for some of you. This question will test your knowledge of other cities. We will give you a the second most populated city in a country, you name the country for five points.

Wahran Labe Tampere Arequipa Oporto

A: ALGERIA, GUINEA, FINLAND, PERU, PORTUGAL

(25 points)

11) Q: Hohenzollern, Hapsburg, Rothschild, Astor, Vanderbilt, Kennedy,... and Gibb? Yes, it's time for a question about everyone's favorite family of disco.

For five points apiece, name the three living Gibb brothers.

Now name the late younger brother and the year he died, five points apiece.

A: BARRY, MAURICE, ROBIN X ANDY, 1988

(30 points)

- 12) Q: Ruth Bader Ginsburg was appointed by President Clinton to the Supreme Court this summer, and she breezed through confirmation. Answer these questions about the new justice.
 - Ginsburg credited her appointment to a man she never met. This man would later serve as her sponsor in the Senate. Name him for 10 points.
 - 2) Ginsburg served on the Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia for 13 years before she was promoted. Name the two justices who once served with Ginsburg on that court. 5 points apiece.
 - 3) Ginsburg was a professor of law at what law school?
 - A: Daniel Patrick MOYNIHAN
 Antonin SCALIA and Clarence THOMAS V
 RUTGERS

(30-20-10 points)

13) Q: Name the playwright given some works.

"Yonadab" and "The Battle of Shrivings"

"Lettice & Lovage" and "Black Comedy"

"Equus" and "Amadeus"

A: Peter SHAFFER

(30 points)

14) Q: Given some songs, name the person who served as the lyricist.

"I Don't Know How to Love Him" and "Don't Cry for Me, Argentina"

"The Man I Love" and "Embraceable You"

"Ain't She Sweet" and "Happy Days Are Here Again"

A: Tim RICE, Ira GERSHWIN, Jack YELLEN

(30 points)

15) Q: Give the year of the following 17th century events in American history. You will receive 10 points if you are within 2 years and five points if you are within four.

Roger Williams founded Providence, Rhode Island

Peter Minuit buys Manhattan for trinkets.

The first House of Burgesses is elected at Jamestown.

A: 1636 (1634-1638 for 10p, 1632-1640 for 5) 1626 (0(1624-1628 for 10p, 1622-1630 for 5) 1619 (1617-1621 for 10p, 1615-1623 for 5)

(25 points)

16) Q: Given the name of a notable bridge, name the country where you would you find it. Five points apiece.

Second Narrow's Bridge

Humber Bridge

Tagus River Bridge

Gladesville Bridge

Oland Island Bridge

A: CANADA, ENGLAND, PORTUGAL, AUSTARLIA, SWEDEN

(20 points)

17) Q: This question will test your knowledge of the world of comic books. Five points apiece.

- 1) The writer of "Sandman"
- 2) The author for "Daredevil", "Batman, Year One", and "The Dark Knight Returns"
- 3) With Stan Lee, this man cofounded Marvel Comics.
- 4) Former Editor-in-Chief at Marvel, he founded the comic book companies Valiant and Defiant.
- A: Neil GAIMAN, Frank MILLER, Jack KIRBY, Jim SHOOTER

(20 points)

18) Q: We are not going to tell you the theme to this question, so you'll have to guess which way the wind is blowing.

- Motorola chairman George M. C. Fisher is about to take over what troubled company?
- 2) This man made waves recently when he criticized gubernatorial candidate Mary Sue Terry of being single, and he stated the Virginia's governor's mansion should be a place for a man, a wife, and children.
- He played Batman in the classic camp television series.
- 4) This is the home state of DuBose Heyward and John C. Calhoun.
- A: EASTMAN KODAK, Oliver NORTH, Adam WEST, SOUTH CAROLINA

(30 points)

- 19) Q: This bonus will test your knowledge of 20th century Cuban history. Ten points per answer.
 - Franklin Delano Roosevelt said of this man, "He may be a bastard, but he's our bastard."
 - 2) Batista came back to power by overthrowing the government of what man?
 - 3) Prio made separate arrangements with two men to overthrow Batista. Who were they- one a young revolutionary and the other the dictator of the Dominican Republic? 5 points for each
 - A: Fulgenico BATISTA y Zaldi'var Carlos PRIO Socarres Fidel CASTRO and Rafael TRUJILLO

(30-20-10 points)

20) Q: Name the president.

He served as a brigadier general dring the Mexican War.

His father served as governor of New Hampshire

He defeated Winfield Scott in the election of 1852.

A: Franklin PIERCE

(25 points)

21) Q: Imagine if they celebrated Father's Day in ancient Greece. Zeus would be one confused god. Given an offspring of Zeus, name the mother. Five points apiece.

Ares
Perseus
Athena
The Muses
Apollo and Artemis

A: HERA, DANAE, METIS, MNEMOSYNE, LETO

(30 points)

22) Q: England's poet laureates have been some of the most recognized men in the field. Ted Hughes is the current poet laureate. Answer these questions about the post. 10 points each.

- This man served the longest as poet laureate, from 1850-1896.
- 2) This man was the predecessor to Hughes.
- 3) This poet who served from 1967-1972 was the father of a popular actor.
- A: Alfred, Lord TENNYSON, Sir John BETJEMAN, Cecil DAY-LEWIS

(20 points)

23) Q: Name the state which the following senators represent.
Arlen Specter
Patty Murray
Richard Shelby
Judd Gregg
A: PENNSYLVANIA, WASHINGTON, ALABAMA, NEW HAMPSHIRE

(30 points)

24) Q: Given some events in the history of life, put them in the correct order. Five point bonus for all correct.

First birds appear First land plants Reptiles appear First dinosaurs Winged insects appear

A: PLANTS, REPTILES, WINGED INSECTS, DINOSAURS, BIRDS

(25 points)

25) Q: Name the parent companies of the following products for five points each.

Q-Tips Right Guard deodorent Dean Witter Financial Service Ajax Pepto-Bismol

A: UNILEVER, GILLETTE, SEARS ROEBUCK, COLGATE-PALMOLIVE, PROCTOR & GAMBLE