

Playoff TOSSUPS

1. Certain radical Sikhs want to establish their own nation, the territory of which lies in India. For 10 points--what would be the name of this nation?

answer: Khalistan

2. His new album contains "This Is the Way We Roll," "Burn It Up," "Brothers, Hang On," "Count It Off," and "Gaining Momentum." For 10 points--name this rapper who just released "Too Legit to Quit."

answer: [M. C.] Hammer

3. In 1677, he peered through his "magic looking glass," discovered living sperm which he called "animacules," and proposed that each "animacule" contained a miniature man. For 10 points--name this biologist, the "Father of Microbiology."

answer: Anton van Leeuwenhoek

4. Originally a school teacher, this Massachusetts woman discovered inadequate conditions in many nearby asylums. Persuading Congress to establish St. Elizabeth's Hospital for the Insane, she traveled extensively abroad pleading for humane treatment of the mentally ill. For 10 points--name her.

answer: Dorothea Dix

5. Floral Heights, on the outskirts of Zenith, a midwestern metropolis, is the setting for this novel of Middle America. For 10 points--name this novel by Sinclair Lewis.

answer: Babbitt

6. The first black woman admitted to the University of Georgia, this journalist just completed her 15th year as one of the replacement anchors on the MacNeil-Lehrer News Hour. For 10 points--name her.

answer: Charlene Hunter-Gault

7. This Canadian province's premier, Joseph Ghiz, announced that he would retire from a career that included supporting the Charlottetown constitutional accord. For 10 points--name this province, Canada's smallest and least populous.

answer: Prince Edward Island

8. The Senate approved his Earth Day Proclamation and a resolution to encourage Antarctic Treaty negotiators--maybe he couldn't write more legislation because he spent his time writing his book, "Earth in the Balance: Ecology and the Human Spirit." For 10 points--name this former Senator.

answer: Albert Gore

9. This Venetian painter, the last of the Great High Renaissance period, was known for his use of color and completed his most famous work, "Christ Crowned With Thorns," at age 95. For 10 points--who was this artistic giant.

answer: Titian

10. It was during this period of time, some 360 to 286 million years ago, that most of the present day oil and coal reserves were formed from decaying plants. For 10 points--name this geological period, often known as the "Coal Age."

answer: the Carboniferous period

11. Born on the last day of 1880, this West Point graduate served under Pershing during WWI and become Army Chief of Staff in 1939. For 10 points--name this soldier, the only man to serve as both Secretary of State and Defense.

answer: George Marshall

12. Mafia Boss Salvatore Riina, recently captured in Palermo,

is a real person, but he shares the same birthplace and family name as a fictional character at the center of Mario Puzo's, The Godfather. For 10 points--what is the common birthplace.

answer: Corleone, Sicily

13. It's been estimated that its Grateful Dead-inspired tie-dyed team T-shirts have raised almost \$400,000 for this team's star, Sarunas Marciulionis, and his charity organization. For 10 points--name this basketball team that placed third at the Barcelona Olympics.

answer: Lithuanian Olympic team

14. Its flamboyant founder, Richard Branson, just recently won \$945,000 in damages in a lawsuit against British Airways. For 10 points--name this company that currently operates 8 planes between Tokyo, London, Miami, New York, Los Angeles and Boston.

answer: Virgin Atlantic Airlines

15. In the recent crisis between the UN and Iraq, the Iraqi ambassador to the UN played a major role. For 10 points--name him.

answer: Nizel Hamdoon

16. The names the same--the award given each year to the best advertisements and the muse of history. For 10 points--what's the name.

answer: Clio

17. Mickey Mantle's father and grandfather, Karl Nelson, and Mario Lemieux all suffered from--for 10 points--what type of cancer affecting the lymph nodes.

answer: Hodgkin's Disease

18. Although not the most successful of Alexander's generals, he did establish the longest lasting of the successor kingdoms, which ruled Egypt from 331 BC until the death of Cleopatra. For 10 points--name this Greek general.

answer: Ptolemey the Great

19. Her novel "Agnes Grey" was published along with her sister's, "The Professor," in 1847. Neither novel was a success, but her sisters attained greater literary fame anyway. For 10 points--who wrote "Agnes Grey."

answer: Anne Bronte or Acton Bell

20. As a parody of Sinead O'Connor's destruction of Pope John Paul II on Saturday Night Live, Madonna tore up a picture on the show, depicting the man with whom Amy Fisher is alleged to have had an affair. For 10 points--name him.

answer: Joey Buttefouco

21. The cities of Kuching, Johor Baharu, and Petaling Jaya Melaka; the Rajang and Pahang rivers; Mt. Kinabalu and Maxwell's hill; and the states of Salangor, Perlis, and Sarawak. These are all found--for 10 points--in which Southeast Asian nation.

answer: Maylasia

22. On November 27, 1978, then president of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors went to city hall to announce that she would not seek another term. Within hours she was standing on the steps of the rotunda as the new mayor, announcing the shooting of Moscone. For 10 points--name this woman now in the U.S. senate.

answer: Dianne Feinstein

23. At precisely 7:36 A.M. on Thursday, June 4, 1992, Anthony Franck appeared on the lawn at Graceland to announce that the "younger" one had won. For 10 points--name this entertainer

who appeared on a stamp in January 1993.

answer: Elvis or Presley

24. Martin Klaproth decided to name the element he discovered in 1789 after a planet which had been discovered 8 years earlier. For 10 points--name the element.

answer: Uranium

25. On November 1, 1950 James Rowley was head of the Secret Service detail that foiled a plan by Oscaar Collazo and Griselio Torresola, two Puerto Rican nationalist, to enter Blair House. For 10 points--name the person asleep on the second floor, target of this bungled assassination plot.

answer: Harry S Truman

26. Three of this poet's works are currently on the best seller list. "I Shall not be Moved", "Poems", and "I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings". For 10 points--name this Wake Forest professor who recited a poem at Bill Clinton's inaugural.

answer: Maya Angelou or Margaritte Johnson

27. This Dutch artist's most famous work is a triptych, part of which depicts a vision of hell whose psychological nature was centuries ahead of its time. For 10 points--name the artist of "The Garden of Earthly Delights."

answer: Hieronymus Bosch

28. Scott Albott and Chris Haney created this after an argument in 1983. Since then, it has sold 40 million units. For 10 points--what is this game, the object of a lawsuit by Fred L. Worth?

answer: Trivial Pursuit

29. The conflict between Hindus and Muslims at Aoudouya, was

caused primarily by Hindu assertions that a Muslim mosque had been built on a site sacred as the birthplace of--for 10 points--what Hindu warrior-God.

answer: Rama

30. Far below this country's previous low, only 47% of its 94 million registered voters turned out for July 1992 parliamentary elections. The Socialist Party dropped to 22 seats, but the Liberal Democratic Party captured 68 seats, keeping Prime Minister Kiichi Miyazawa in power. For 10 points--name this country.

answer: Japan or Nippon

31. Bill Clinton said that if he were alive today, he would name him Secretary of State--quite an honor for a man dead for 165 years. For 10 points--who was this man whose inaugural route Clinton traced.

answer: Thomas Jefferson

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30 point bonus

1. For 10 each--identify the leaders of these Latin American countries:

A. Bolivia Answer: Jaime Paz Zamora

B. El Salvador Answer: Alfredo Cristiani

C. Chile Answer: Patricio Aylwin

30 point bonus

2. Identify this film 30-20-10:

A. It is a remake of a 1962 film directed by J. Lee Thompson.

B. In it, Max Cady turns up after prison to settle accounts with his defense attorney, Sam Bowden, who failed to get him acquitted on rape charges.

C. This 1991 movie starred Robert DeNiro, Nick Nolte, Jessica Lange, and Juliette Lewis.

answer: Cape Fear

20 point bonus

3. Last seen during the Civil War, it was sighted again in September 1992 and is expected to pass within 110 million miles of Earth in 1993. In October, the International Astronomical Union warned there was a one in 10,000 chance that it would collide with Earth in 2126. For 20 points--name this comet.

answer: Swift-Tuttle

30 point bonus

4. Name this person 30-20-10:

A. He served as a special assistant to Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer, and helped Palmer launch the infamous red raids of 1920.

B. His greatest ambition was to become Chief Justice of the

Supreme Court, a post he was promised had Thomas Dewey won the Election in 1948.

C. As Dewey lost, he remained at his post as Director of the FBI until his death in 1972.

answer: J. Edgar Hoover

30 point bonus

5. Name this person, 30-20-10:

A. Born in 1819, he was a nurse in Washington, D.C. during the Civil War and later served as a clerk in the Indian Bureau of the Department of the Interior.

B. In 1846, he became editor of The Brooklyn Eagle from which he was later dismissed for political reasons.

C. This poet wrote such works as Leaves of Grass, Specimen Days, Drum-Taps and "O Captain! My Captain!"

Answer: Walt Whitman

25 point bonus

6. After two years of quiet, the separatist Parti Quebecois has again begun to call for an independent Quebec state. Not coincidentally, this comes two weeks after Quebec's premier was diagnosed with skin cancer. For 25 points--name Quebec's embattled Liberal premier.

Answer: Robert Bourassa

25 point bonus

7. The Mekong River, chief among the rivers of Indochina, flows through 5 countries. For 5 points each--identify these present-day countries.

answer: Myanmar, Cambodia, Laos, Thailand, Vietnam
[do NOT accept: Kampuchea or Burma]

20 point bonus

8. Bill Clinton recently spoke at the National Governors' Association, a group he headed in 1987. For 10 points each--name both the current chairman and vice-chairman of the NGA.

Answer: Roy Romer, Carroll Campbell

30 point bonus

9. For 10 points each--given an opera, name its composer:

A. La Griselda Answer: Scarlatti

B. Thus Do All Women Answer: Mozart

C. La Favola d'Orfeo Answer: Monteverdi

30 point bonus

10. Until 1990, only 3 Japanese citizens had won the Nobel Prize in Physics--one in 1949, one in 1965, and one in 1973. For 15 points each--name any 2 of them.

Answer: Hideki Yukawa, Shinichiro Tomonaga, Leo Esaki

30 point bonus

11. Name this American political figure 30-20-10:

A. He was the director of the transition for JFK in 1960.

B. He was a special assistant to President Truman in 1948, helping to plot the winning campaign strategy over Thomas Dewey.

C. His highest position was as Defense Secretary under LBJ, but he is now better known for his role in the BCCI scandal.

answer: Clark Clifford

30 point bonus

12. For 10 points each--I'll give you the author's first novel and you supply the author's name:

A. Maggie: A Girl of the Streets (1893) Answer: Stephen Crane

B. A Daughter of the Snows (1902) Answer: Jack London

C. Moods (1865) Answer: Louisa May Alcott

20 point bonus

13. Only 4 coaches have lost 3 or more Super Bowls in their career. For 5 points each--name them.

answer: Bud Grant, Don Shula, Tom Landry, Dan Reeves

30 point bonus

14. In which city--for 10 points each--are these airports located:

A. Stapleton answer: Denver

B. John Wayne answer: Santa Ana, CA

C. William P. Hobby answer: Houston

20 point bonus

15. These two territories of the former Yugoslavia, one inhabited mainly by Hungarians and the other by Albanians, could be the next flash points in the Balkans. For 10 points each--name them.

answer: Vojvodina and Kosovo

20 point bonus

16. This term was used to denote part of the Connecticut Colony's land holdings west of Pennsylvania; it was a strip of land extending west from what today is the Pennsylvania-Ohio border to south of Sandusky Bay. A college was named after it in Hudson, OH in 1826, and today a Cleveland university is named partly for it. For 20 points--name this colonial region.

Answer: Western Reserve

30 point bonus

17. For 10 points each--answer the following questions about the human brain:

A. This region of the brain coordinates muscular activities and maintaining equilibrium.

Answer: cerebellum

B. Located below and behind the cerebrum, this area acts as the main relay center between the brainstem and higher brain centers.

Answer: thalamus

C. A tightly packed mass of myelinated nerve fibers, this region serves to connect the two cerebral hemispheres.

Answer: corpus callosum

30 point bonus

18. For 15 points each--name the first 2 blacks elected to the U.S. Senate, both from Mississippi.

answer: Hiram Revels and Blanche K. Bruce

25 point bonus

19. Name the writer 25-10:

A. He was the poet who recited at Jimmy Carter's inaugural, reading the poem "The Strength of the Fields."

B. He is the author of "Deliverance."

answer: James Dickey

25 point bonus

20. He appeared in London and on Broadway in such plays as "Oscar Wilde" and "Edward, My Son," a drama that he co-wrote. His major film roles include "The African Queen," "Gilbert and Sullivan," and "Major Barbara." For 25 points--name this actor who died in June 1992, best remembered as a commercial spokesperson for British Airways in the 1970s and 1980s.

answer: Robert Morley

30 point bonus

21. For 10 points each--name the capitals of these former Soviet Central Asian republics:

- A. Kazakhstan Answer: Alma-Ata
- B. Tadzhikistan Answer: Dushanbe
- C. Uzbekistan Answer: Tashkent

20 point bonus

22. On September 17, 1992, the impeachment of this former Florida judge was overturned by US District Judge Stanley Sporkin. This judge had been convicted of accepting bribes by the Senate, although he had been acquitted at trial. For 20 points--who is this former judge, now a member of the US House of Representatives.

answer: Alcee Hastings

30 point bonus

23. For 10 points each--given an abbreviation, name the B-complex vitamin:

- A. B2 Answer: Riboflavin
- B. B1 Answer: Thiamine
- C. B6 Answer: Pyridoxine

30 point bonus

24. During his time in office, Harry Truman had 3 Secretaries of State aside from George C. Marshall. For 10 points each--name them.

answer: Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., James F. Byrnes, Dean G. Acheson

30 point bonus

25. In June 1992, the Librarian of Congress named her the sixth poet laureate of the U.S., citing her seven volumes of verse, including "Near Changes," for which she won a 1991 Pulitzer Prize. For 10 points each--name this first female laureate, the Librarian of Congress who appointed her, and the Russian whom she replaced.

answer: Mona Van Duyn, James H. Billington, Joseph Brodsky

30 point bonus

26. For 10 points each--identify the currencies of these American countries:

A. Mexico answer: peso

B. Argentina answer: peso [do NOT accept: austral]

C. Brazil answer: cruzeiro

20 point bonus

27. William Hillcourt, who wrote in Boy's Life magazine from 1932 to 1988 under the pen name "Green Bar Bill," until his death in 1992 was the main author for this book now in its ninth edition. For 20 points--identity this book that since 1910 has sold more than 33 million copies.

answer: The Official Boy Scout Handbook

20 point bonus

28. He's the Potter Stewart Professor of Constitutional Law at Yale Law School and was once a law clerk for Thurgood Marshall. Recently, he and his wife, Zo Baird, were embroiled in a controversy for hiring two undocumented Peruvians to care for their kids. For 20 points--name him.

answer: Paul Gewirtz