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## Toss Ups

1. (Two pieces of information needed.) He is a social climbing Muscovite. She is an indecisive girl who, at some point or another, is in love with him and every other male character in "War and Peace". FTP teams, give the First names of these two Tolstoy characters, whose namesakes are better known for trying to "Keel Moose and Squirrel". (note to reader, use your best Boris Badinov accent)
A: BORIS Dubretskoy and NATASHA Rostova
2. It may sound like its calling into question the manhood of a hairpiece, but the word WYSIWYG (pronounced Wissy wig) has an entirely different meaning as an acronym in word processing software. FTP teams, what does W-Y-S-I-W-Y-G stand for?

## A: WHAT YOU SEE IS WHAT YOU GET

3. Although Paul Samuelson coined the term, Milton Friedman gained fame by predicting it in his 1968 renuriciation of the Philips Curve. Friedman predicted that any attempt to use the Philips curve to pick an acceptable level of inflation would cause both high unemployment AND high inflation.
This is exactly what happened during the 1970's. FTP teams, give the common name for this combination of high unemployment and high inflation.

## A: STAGFLATION

4. "From my Grandfather Versus I learned good morals and the government of my temper. From the reputation and remembrance of my father, virtue and a manly character." These are two opening lines of one of Bill Clinton's favorite books, which he tries to read once a year. FTP teams, name this book which is a collection of stoic thoughts by a Roman emperor who lived from 120-181 A.D.
A: The MEDITATIONS OF MARCUS AURELIUS (prompt if "meditations" or "Marcus Aurelius" is given)
5. This vitally important physiological process is divided into several steps, with the net result being the exchange of gases between capillaries and tissue cells, but is most frequently associated with its first step, ventilation of the lungs. FTP, name this process, which literally means "to breathe again."
A: RESPIRATION (accept other forms of word)
6. Among the addictions of this jazz genius were Life Savers, which rotted his teeth, causing him extreme irritation whenever he played. FTP, name this brilliant, obsessive tenor and alto saxophonist, known for his "sheets of sound" delivery and the classic albums "Giant Steps" and "A Love Supreme." A: John COLTRANE
7. Common causes of this organic psychological condition include brain tumors, multiple brain infarcts, Down syndrome, Parkinson's disease, and Alzheimer's disease. FTP, give the 8 -letter term for a generalized, pathological loss of intellectual functioning, frequently characterized by severe memory loss.
A: DEMENTIA
8. Despite the fact that her reputation rests almost solely on the strength of one novel, she is reportedly the most widely translated author in all American literary history. Critics consider her biographies of her parents to be her other great works. FTP, name the winner of the 1938 Nobel Prize in Literature, best known for "The Good Earth."
A: Pearl S. BUCK
9. It is estimated that between 100,000 to 300,000 members of the Acholi, Lango, and other tribes were tortured and murdered during this man's 8 -year regime. FTP, name this brutal Muslim dictator, who took power of his country in a 1971 military coup and was finally forced to flee Uganda in 1979. A: Idi AMIN
10. Tragically killed in a 1956 automobile accident on Long Island, this radical artist ironically failed to profit financially from his fame, and never sold a work for more than $\$ 10,000$ in his life. FTP, name this "action painter," known for his unique "drip" technique and considered one of the leading figures of abstract expressionism.
A: Jackson POLLOCK
11. The Yoyodyne corporation may be more familiar to you from Buckaroo Banzai, but it actually first appeared 20 years earlier in "The Crying of Lot 49 ", the first novel by an author who later went on to write "Gravity's Rainbow" and "Vineland". FTP teams, name the author.
A: Thomas PYNCHON
12. 1.9872 calories per mole Kelvin, 82.058 cubic centimeters per mole Kelvin, 8.3145 times 10 to the 7th power ergs per mole Kelvin, 8.314 Joules
per mole Kelvin and .0821 Liter atmospheres per mole Kelvin are all equivalent, for ten points, to what physical constant?
A: R or GAS CONSTANT
13. Total Baseball said he "did for fielding what Esther Williams did for swimsuits." Johnny Bench said in 1970 "I will become a left-handed hitter to keep the ball away from that guy." He holds the records for highest fielding percentage, putouts, assists, and double plays at his position. FTP, name this Oriole third baseman.
A: BROOKS ROBINSON (If Robinson is given, prompt)
14. This test is the villain among villains in all introductory statistics classes. It involves comparing observed frequencies with expected frequencies in a cross tabulation matrix. You then calculate the test statistic and cross reference it with the degrees of freedom and figure out if the difference between the observed and expected frequencies is statistically significant. For ten points teams, name the test.
A: CHI SQUARE
15. The movie "The Big Red One" followed a company in the First Infantry Division throughout 1942 to 1945. If the movie was continued to show the group in 1946, you would have seen them stateside at Fort Riley, near Junction City. FTP, name the US State in which Fort Riley is located. A: KANSAS (Prompt if "Fort Riley" is Given)
16. Ellis Island Opens; the first execution by electrocution in the US occurs; Jacob Riis publishes "How the Other Half Lives"; the last major conflict between US troops and American Indians occurs at Wounded Knee, South Dakota; and the Sherman Anti-Trust Act begins curbing monopolies. FTP, name the year.
A: 1890
17. Although, with the word variable after their name, they may sound more like a term from Mathematics, as it it is actually a general type of high mass pulsating variable star with a regular relationship between period of pulsation and luminosity. FTP teams, identify these stars which are important in determining interstellar distances.
A: CEPHIAD Variables
18. Averaging over 570 total yards a game, Steve McNair has a chance to become the first Heisman Trophy winner from a Division I-AA school. FTP, name the Lorman, Mississippi, SWAC school to which McNair is bringing such press.

## A: ALCORN STATE

19. Within his biography, you would be able to read about this actor's childhood in Nebraska, about how his alcoholic mother founded the Omaha Community Playhouse and about how his alcoholic father was a grain salesman.
Name this actor FTP, whose first broadway performance was in 1947 in "A Streetcar Named Desire", and whose 1100 page biography was published earlier this year.
A: Marlon BRANDO
20. An environmental communist conspiracy? You be the judge. April 22, Earth Day, is also the birthday of this famous Russian Communist, who precipitated the October Revolution and now lies, vacuum sealed, in hispublic tomb in Red Square. FTP, name him

## A: LENIN

21. FTP teams, The lines "On the shore, dimly seen through the mists of the deep, Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes," are the opening two lines of the second verse to what song whose most notorious butchers are Leslie Nielsen and Rosanne?

## A: The STAR SPANGLED BANNER

22. For a Quick ten points teams, Rita Dove, Mona Van Duyn, Joseph Brodsky, Mark Strand, Howard Nemerov, Richard Wilbur, and Robert Penn Warren were all holders of what official literary position?
A: POET LAUREATE of the UNITED STATES (prompt if Poet Laureate is given)
23. It is from this person that we get the story of Diogenes asking Alexander to get out of his sunlight. This ancient Greek biographer was also the source of many of Shakespeare's stories set in classical times. For ten points teams, name this author of "Lives".
A: PLUTARCH
24. George Frances Marion was known in the American Revolution as the "Swamp Fox". For ten points teams, what German general was known as the "Desert Fox"?

## Erwin ROMMEL

25. This process occurs when disulfide cross-links are formed between long chain cis-isoprene units. It makes the resulting compound less tacky and much firmer. FTP, Name this process that Charles Goodyear discovered by adding sulfur to rubber and heating it on his home frying pan.
A: VULCANIZATION

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## Bonuses

1. (30) If I gave you the name Martin Scorsese and asked you to name the first actor who came to mind, you would probably mention Robert DeNiro or Harvey Keitel. Other actors and directors are similarly always linked together. For five points per correct answer, I will give you three sets of films, and you name the actor and director associated with them.
A): "The Quiet Man", "The Informer", "The Searchers" and "Stagecoach"

A: John FORD' (director) John WAYNE (actor)
B) "City of Women", "La Dolce Vita", and "8 1/2"

A: Fredrico FELLINI (director) Marcello MASTROIANNI (actor)
C) "The Bad Sleep Well", "High and Low", "The Throne of Blood", "The Lower Depths", and "The Hidden Fortress"

A: Akira KUROSAWA (director) Toshiro MIFUNE (actor) (also Seven Samurai, Rashoman, and Yojimbo)
2. (25) Its time to show how tough you are and play Flex Bowl!! I will give you the name of a muscle and the designated member of your team must flex (or attempt to flex) the muscle. Some teams may choose to hang their heads in shame and refuse to answer this question, and if so, we will understand. But if you do answer, you may wish to point to where you are flexing for clarification. For five points apiece, identify the ......
I. Trapezius

A: the triangular muscles on the sides of the neck
II. Gastrocnemious (pronounced Gast-rock-neemius)

A: the calf muscle on the back of the lower leg.
III. Quadriceps

A: the muscle on the front of the thigh
IV. the Latissimus Dorsi

A: upper back, underneath and behind shoulders (tough to flex, so be lenient) (V on next page)
V. and finally, of course, the Gluteus Maximus

A: The Butt muscles (anyone who "drops trou" loses any points gained thus far in this question)
3. (30) It appears John Major may have a major contest waiting for him when he calls the next election. Answer the following questions about the resurgent Labour Party.
A) Labour's leadership changed after the death last spring of a popular, yet ineffectual, leader. For five points, name this leader, who himself succeeded Neil Kinnock in 1992.

## A: John SMITH

B) Mr. Smith's successor is a younger and more moderate leader who recently shook things up at the annual Labour Conference in October. For ten points, name him.
A: Tony BLAIR
C) Mr. Blair's chief symbolic move was the proposed removal from the Labour Constitution, of a section calling for the "common ownership of the means of production, distribution, and exchange", an ode to Labour's Marxist roots.
For 15 points teams, give the common name of this albatross around Labour's neck, which may soon be removed.

## A: CLAUSE 4

4. (25) Although its author was a one hit wonder, the novel was one of the most influential in Russia's "Silver Age" of literature. The title character is the archetypal "superfluous man", who is fat, indolent, and prone to lounging around the house in his nightgown. His name became synonymous in Russia with that of a useless individual. For ten points, identify this 1859 work.

## A: OBLOMOV

For fifteen points, identify the author

## A: Ivan GONCHAROV

5. (25) 5 points apiece; for each living organism given, give the correct name for the specific taxonomic rank also given. For example, if you were asked to name the Kingdom for humans, you would say Animalia.
A. Phylum for starfish and sea urchins

A: ECHINODERMata
B. Class for an orchid

A: ANGIOSPERMae
C. Phylum for flat worms

A: PLATYHEMINTHES
D. Kingdom for bacteria

A: MONERA
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## E. Order for beetles

A: COLEOPTERA
6. (20) 5 points apiece; given an American National Park, name the state in which it is located.
A. Grand Tetor

A: WYOMING
B. Shenandoah

A: VIRGINIA
C. Theodore Roosevèt

A: NORTH DAKOTA
D. Big Bend

A: TEXAS
7. (30-20-10) Name the American author from a list of works.
A. "The Moon is Down" and "The Wayward Bus"
B. "In Dubious Battle" and "Tortilla Flat"
C. "Cannery Row" and "Sweet Thursday"

A: John STEINBECK
8. (20) Identify the missing word from quotes containing it. 20 points if you get in the first clue, ten on the second.
A) "Man's capacity for justice makes ___ possible, but man's inclination to injustice makes ___ necessary" --- Reinhold Niebuhr
B) "___ is the worst form of government, except for all those other forms that have been tried from time to time" --- Winston Churchill A: DEMOCRACY
9. (30) Quite unfortunately for the other members, many rock bands are recognized almost exclusively through their so-called "frontman." You will receive 10 points for naming the following bands from a list of all members other than the "frontmán," and 5 if you also need the "frontman."
A. a) Sterling Morrison, Maureen Tucker, and John Cale
b) Lou Reed

A: the VELVET UNDERGROUND
B. a) Elliot Easton, Greg Hawkes, David Robinson, and Benjamin Orr
b) Ric Ocasek

A: the CARS
C. a) Jimmy Chamberlin, James Iha, D'Arey
b) Billy Corgan

A: the SMASHING PUMPKINS-
10. 30) Given a Shakespearean quote, name the character who speaks it and the play from which it comes, for five points apiece.
A). "It was Greek to me",

A: CASCA in JULIUS CAESAR
B) "O brave new world, that has such people in't"

A: MIRANDA in The TEMPEST
C). "the beast with two backs"

A: IAGO in OTHELLO
11. (30) Did you catch World Cup fever? If so, this question should be an easy goal for you. Given a player on the 1994 World Cup All-Star team, name the national team for which played, 5 points each.
A. Roberto Baggio (Row-bear-to Bah-zhee-o)

A: ITALY
B. Romario (Row-mar-ee-o)

A: BRAZIL
C. Hristo Stoichkov (Ree-stow Stoytch-kov)

A: BULGARIA
D. Gheorge Hagi (Yore-zhee Hah-zhee)

## A: ROMANIA

E. Tomas Brolin (Toe-mahs Bro-leen)

## A: SWEDEN $\chi$

F. Michel Prud'homme (Mee-shell Prude-home)

A: BELGIUM
12. (30) Hollywood was recently taken by storm when three of its most creative minds announced plans to form a new entertainment company. 5 points for one, 15 points for two, and 30 points for all three; name these men, one a hugely successful movie director, one a billionaire music mogul, and one a recently ousted Disney movie chief.
A: Steven SPIELBERG, David GEFFEN, Jeffrey KATZENBERG
13. (30) Identify the city from its landmarks, $30-20-10$
A. The Royal Mile
B.. Its castle, with the same name as the city itself, sitting atop an extinct volcano
C. The grave of Robert Burns

A: EDINBURGH, Scotland
14. (25) This psychologist is credited with laying the basic framework for theories concerning moral development. His research consisted of presenting people with hypothetical stories which posed ethical dilemmas, and from their responses he conceived his six stages of moral development. For 25 points, name this psychologist, who strongly emphasized that a person's stage of moral development is determined by how that person reasons morally, rather than the specific moral conclusions reached by that person.
A: Lawrence KOHLBERG
15. (20) The success of Nelson Mandela's African National Congress in 1994 decreased the power of FW DeKlerk's National Party and other predominantly white political movements. For 20 points, give the acronym of South Africa's white separatist movement founded in 1973 by former policeman Eugene TerreBlanche whose three pronged symbol, which vaguely resembles a twisted swastika, prompted Dennis Miller to refer to them as "the dyslexic Nazis". A: AWB
16. (25) You've almost certainly seen it, but how much do you know about it? It is a 1950 photograph of a couple kissing on a street in Paris. For ten points, give the name of the photograph.
A: The KISS BY THE HOTEL DE VILLE (accept Kiss AT. no one should lose ten points because of a preposition)
Now, for 15 points, name the photographer.
A: Robert DOISNEAU (no clue on pronounciation)
17. (30) Given the grand slam tournament in golf, give the common name for the trophy that is awarded for 15 points each.
A) the British Open

A: the CLARET JUG
2) the PGA Championship

A: the WANNAMAKER TROPHY
18. (25) Flooding in East Texas in October of 1994 was some of the worst that region has seen in 54 years, with 35 counties being designated Federal Disaster Areas. For 10 points for one or 25 for both, give the names of the 2 major rivers that caused a great deal of this flooding--both of which empty into Galveston Bay.
A: the SAN JACINTO and TRINITY rivers
19. (25) A memo that was being circulated at the White House and among top Cabinet officials caused a bit of a stir recently. Entitled "Big Choices", it outlined unpleasant ways to balance the federal budget, including raising taxes and cutting such sacred cows as Medicare and Social Security. The memo was written --for 25 points--by what recently appointed Budget Director of President Clinton?
A: Alice RIVLIN
20. (25) Identify the speaker from the quote, 25-10
A) "Practical men, who believe themselves to be quite exempt from any intellectual influences, are usually the slaves of some defunct economist"
B) "In the long run, we are all dead"

A: John Maynard KEYNES
21. (20) NMR Spectroscopy has been called "the most important spectroscopic technique in chemistry". In NMR, an external magnetic field with varying frequencies is exposed to a sample. The frequencies that are absorbed by the sample can help determine the substances in the sample. For 5 points each and a 5 point bonus for all 3, give the words for which NMR is the acronym. A: NUCLEAR MAGNETIC RESONANCE
22. (25) Name the scientist $25-10$
A). Much to the happiness of everyone, he and Max Planck corrected Sadi Carnot's (KAR-NO) statement of the 2nd Law of Thermodynamics to give us the the 2nd Law that we all know, love, and obey today.
B). He created an absolute temperature scale that is predominantly used in thermodynamic calculations.
A: Lord KELVIN or William THOMSON
23. (25) English is the most common language spoken at home in the United States, and Spanish is second. For five points apiece, give the next 5 most common languages spoken at home in the United States, according to the 1990 U.S. Census.

## A: FRENCH (1.7 million) GERMAN ( 1.55 million) ITALIAN ( 1.3 million) CHINESE (accept Mandarin) ( 1.25 million) TAGALOG ( .84 million)

24. (20) Consider the poem:
"I think that I shall never see
A Billboard lovely as a tree
Indeed, unless the billboards fall
I'll never see a tree at all"
Now, for twenty points, can you tell me who wrote it?
A: Ogden NASH
