## The Lyons King

Toss-Ups

1) This orchestral piece is often used to introduce children to the various instruments in the orchestra because it tells a story in which each character is represented by a different musical instrument. FTP, name this piece by Prokofiev.

Ans: PETER AND THE WOLF

2) Unlike the Nobel prize you don't have to be alive to win the Pulitzer prize for fiction. As a matter of fact one author won the award 12 years after he killed himself in 1969. His second book, The Neon Bible, didn't win the pulitzer but it was published 20 years after his death. For 10 points name this 1981 Pulitzer prize winner for A Confederacy of Dunces.

Ans: John Kennedy TOOLE

3) Liz Masakayan and Karolyn Kirby are the reigning world champions for ten points in what pro sport to be featured for the first time as a medal sport at the 1996 olympic games in Atlanta?

Ans: SAND or BEACH VOLLEYBALL Prompt if only VOLLEYBALL is answered

4) The infamous "N-rays" which were eventually attributed to experimental artifact and observer bias were the soul claim to fame for ten points of what distinguished French physicist at the University of Nancy in the early 20th century?

Ans: Renee BLONDLOT

5) Wow, not bad considering she never even saw her performance. For ten points, name the 11-year old best supporting actress winner for the Piano from Australia?

Ans: Anna PAQUIN

6) "Fuzzy Haired" was how the Dutch described the natives of this land who later incorporated this Dutch nickname into the name of the nation. For ten points, name this country which shares an island with a part of Indonesia.

Ans: PAPUA NEW GUINEA
Prompt if just PAPUA is given but not NEW GUINEA

7) This man was a legislator and educational reformer of 19th century Massachusetts. FTP, name this man often called the father of the American public school.

Ans: Horace MANN

8) "Entangling Alliances with none" was the isolationist foreign policy advocated in the inauguration speech of this president. FTP, name the Virginian who spoke these words in 1801.

Ans: Thomas JEFFERSON

9) He developed the process by which sugar is refined and invented the double-effect evaporator, a standard of industrial plants today. For ten points name this African-American from Louisiana who was rejected by the U.S. and spent most of his life living in Europe.

Ans: Norbert RILLIEUX

10) The south won the battle but lost one of its greatest leaders. FTP, name this 1863 battle in Virginia where Gen. Stonewall Jackson was fatally injured by his own men.

Ans: CHANCELLORSVILLE

11) This five syllable word refers to a system of inheritance where land passes exclusively to the oldest son. FTP, name this word which is derived form the Latin for "first begetting."

Ans: PRIMOGENITURE

12) This device spawned perhaps the first ever Internet wide uproar. That's ok though because recently the designers have discovered that the device can be fooled. For ten points give the nickname of this chip that the U.S. government is trying to have installed in all communication devices to allow the government to decode their transmissions.

Ans: CLIPPER chip

13) Time magazine called this President's cabinet "12 grey-haired guys named George" because the men were so uniformly bland. FTP, name this president.

Ans: Richard NIXON

14) The title of Joyce Carol Oates' novel "Because it is Bitter, and Because it is my Heart" comes from a poem by a writer from the late 1800's who is much better known for his novels and short stories than his poetry. For ten points, name this author whose poetic works include "War is Kind" and "Black Riders."

Ans: Stephen CRANE

15) A record label, an obscure speech or writing, a World War II German code machine, and a musical group whose hits include "Return

to Innocence" and "Sadness Part I" all share a name. For ten points, what is this six letter word?

Ans: ENIGMA

16) The Clipper, the Stratoliner, the Dash-Eighty, and the 247 were all built by one company. For ten points, name this world's largest manufacturer of commercial aircraft, whose most recent model, the 777, recently made its first flight.

Ans: BOEING

17) A rabbi's son, born April 18, 1902 in Nickoslov, Ukraine, he took the unusual step of studying engineering at the University of Berlin and the Sorbonne. However, he never became an engineer -- instead he led one of the world's most influential Hasidic sects. For ten points, name this recently deceased Rebbe of the Lubavitcher Hasidim.

Ans: Menachem SCHNEERSON

18) Will it ever stop? Despite repeated announcements that his drive to claim a place in the Guiness Book of World Records has been met, the cards keep coming! For ten points, name this now fourteen year old English boy, whose brain tumor was removed in 1991 after receiving more than 33 million get well cards.

Ans: Craig SHERGOLD

19) He was the first black police chief of Houston before he moved on to New York. For a quick ten points, name this man who now serves as the Drug Czar in the Clinton Administration.

Ans: Lee BROWN

20) Ask any mathematician and he will probably know his number. The number he will know is his mathematical link to one of the greatest mathematicians of the 20th century. Those who have written papers with this man have a number of 1, and those who have

written papers with them have a number of 2, and so on. For ten points name this Hungarian mathematician who offers cash prizes for solving any of the thousands of conjectures he has proposed.

Ans: Paul ERDOS (AIR - dush)

21) "Under the same conditions of temperature and pressure, equal volumes of gases contain the same number of molecules." FTP, this hypothesis is named after which Italian physicist, for whom the number was named?

Ans: Amadeo AVOGADRO

22) This Jewish holiday is designed to celebrate the events of the Book of Esther. On this day the Book of Esther is read in the Synagogue and Jews are commanded to get so drunk they cannot tell the difference between the names Haman and Mordecai, the hero and villain respectively. For ten points, name this early spring holiday.

Ans: PURIM

23) This city was its nations capital from 1320-1609. Today it is a tourist destination for those travelling to see Auschwitz and is famous for its Salt mines and open air markets as well. For ten points name this city in southwest Poland.

Ans: KRAKOW

24) He will take his CBA team of recovering drug addicts with him when he goes. FTP, name this reformed drug addict who will become coach and general manager of the Philadelphia 76ers next season.

Ans: John LUCAS

25) This philosophy has gotten much more popular in the U.S. after Benjamin Hoff's books comparing it to Winnie the Pooh. For ten points, name this Eastern philosophy.

Ans: TAO (DOW)

## Lyons King Boni

- 1) (30) Given the nickname or phrase associated with a person from the civil war, identify the hero for ten points a piece
  - 1) Stonewall

Ans: THOMAS JACKSON

2) "Unconditional Surrender"

Ans: Ulysses S. GRANT

3) The Rock of Chickamauga

Ans: George THOMAS

- 2) (20) As the existence of the electron gained acceptance in the early 20th century, two physicists were locked in disagreement over the magnitude of the smallest electrical charge. For ten points each:
- 1) First, name the physicist whose famous oil drop experiment won him the 1923 nobel prize.

Ans: Robert MILLIKAN

 Now, name his chief rival, a Viennese physicist who argued that there was no lower limit to the size of an electrical charge in nature.

Ans: Felix EHRENHAFT

- 3) (30) We all know that William Faulkner wrote many novels about life in Yoknapatawpha county, but what you need to do is give the name of the family in Yoknapatawpha that a given list of books chronicles for ten points a piece:
  - 1) The Town, The Mansion, The Hamlet Ans: SNOPES
  - 2) The Sound and the Fury, Absalom! Absalom! Ans: COMPSON
  - 3) As I lay Dying

Ans: BUNDREN

- 4) (30) Given the state, tell how many distinct permutations the name of the state has, FTP a piece.
  - 1) Texas

Ans: 120

2) Kansas

Ans: 180

3) Alaska

Ans: 840

- 5) (30) "I would rather be right than be president," he once said. Good thing, since both his 19th century bids for the presidency failed. For ten points each:
  - 1) Name this statesman

Ans: Henry CLAY

2) His political party

Ans: WHIG

3) His home state

Ans: KENTUCKY

6) (25) Operation Overlord, the D Day invasion of Normandy was accomplished by American, British, and Canadian forces landing 5 separate beaches. Given the name of a beach for 5 pts a piece, tell me which countries forces landed there.

1) Gold Ans: BRITISH

2) Juno Ans: CANADIAn

3) Omaha Ans: AMERICAN

4) Sword Ans: BRITISH

5) Utah Ans: AMERICAN

- 7) Name this author for 30 points after one work, 20 points after 2 works, or 10 points after all three.
  - 1) Searching For Caleb
  - 2) Dinner at the Homesick Restaurant
  - 3) Saint Maybe

Ans: Anne TYLER

- 8) (30) For ten points each I'll give you the name of a baseball stadium and you have to tell me the stadium that it replaced.
  - 1) Skydome

Ans: EXHIBITION STADIUM

2) Camden Yards

Ans: Baltimore MEMORIAL STADIUM

3) Three Rivers Stadium

Ans: FORBES FIELD

9) (30) He was by birth the son of the most decorated member of the US Marine Corps. He followed in his father's footsteps becoming a combat leader in Vietnam until a booby trap blew away both his legs and parts of his hands. Returning to the states he served as a lawyer in the Pentagon, an advocate for veteran's rights, and launched an unsuccessful bid for Congress from Virginia in 1978. For 15 pts each, name this man who committed suicide recently and his 1992 Pulitzer Prize winning autobiography.

Ans. Lewis B. PULLER Jr. FORTUNATE SON

- 10) (20) For five points apiece name the Horseman of the Apocalypse given a description:
  - He rides a white horse and carries a bow and a crown Ans: PESTILENCE
  - 2) He rides a red horse and wields the great sword Ans: WAR
  - 3) He is astride a black horse and carries balancing scales
    Ans: FAMINE
  - 4) Rides a pale horse and carries hell with him Ans: DEATH
- 11) (20) Given 3 major cities along an Interstate Highway, you tell me it's numerical designation (5 pts a piece)
  - 1) Miami, Washington DC, Boston Ans: I-95
  - 2) Denver, St. Louis, Columbus OH Ans: I-70
  - 3) Detroit, Chicago, Minneapolis Ans: I-94
  - 4) Albuquerque, Little Rock, Nashville Ans: I-40
- 12) (20) From a list of their works identify these contemporary southern writers for 5 points a piece:
  - 1) Net of Jewels and The Annunciation

Ans: Ellen GILCHRIST

2) Raney and In Memory of Junior

Ans : Clyde EDGERTON

 Jujitsu for Christ and Living in Little Rock with Miss Little Rock

Ans: Jack BUTLER

4) Wolf Whistle and Music of the Swamp

Ans: Lewis NORDAN

13) (30) World Cup mania is underway! OK, so maybe not. But, you probably know that the US is hosting the 1994 World Cup. Let's see how much you know about where the games are being played. Identify

each of the following World Cup venues for 10 pts a piece.

- The opening ceremonies, attended by foreign dignitaries including German chancellor Helmut Kohl, were held here.
   Ans: CHICAGO or SOLDIER FIELD
- 2) This stadiums's artificial turf was replaced with natural grass in order to host the first ever indoor World Cup game. Ans: Pontiac SILVERDOME
- 3) The finals will be held here, the site of the 1984 Olympic Soccer competition.

Ans: PASADENA or ROSE BOWL Do NOT accept Los Angeles

- 14) (30) It's time to play everyone's favorite game..."Name the not-so-dead-airline." For ten points a piece, name these airlines which are trying to make their way back into the skies.
- 1) The Persian Gulf War forced its first incarnation into bankruptcy and it later folded in early 1992. But this airline, named after the Chicago airport it called home, took to the skies once again in late 1993.

Ans: MIDWAY Airlines

2) This airline folded in early 1991 after being crippled by a machinists strike. Although given up for dead, its bankruptcy trustee Martin Shugrue is trying to restart it with mini-hubs in Philadelphia, Indianapolis and its old hub, Atlanta.

Ans: EASTERN Airlines

3) This airline flew into the history books in 1979 after it merged with Pan Am. The name was recently sold to Private Jet, which plans to use it on its scheduled flights, although without the old 'Smiling Sun' logo.

Ans: NATIONAL Airlines

15) (30) The term impressionism supposedly came from the title of a painting. For fifteen points a piece name the artist and painting.

Ans: Claude MONET Impression, Sunrise

16) (25) The Ring of Niebelung (NEE - buh - loong) is a series of four operas by Ricard Wagner based on Norse mythology. For five points apiece with a five point bonus for all 4, name the four operas.

Ans: THE RHINEGOLD, THE VALKYRIE, SIGFRIED, and THE TWILIGHT
OF THE GODS

- 17) (30) Party On! Keanu Reeves has worked hard to shed the stereotype of Ted. For ten points a piece, given the name of the movie, give the name of his character.
  - 1) Little Buddha

Ans: PRINCE SIDDHARTHA
Prompt if BUDDHA is given

2) Speed

Ans: Jack TRAVEN

3) Much Ado About Nothing

Ans: ANTONIO

18) (20) Given the scientist, identify his or her nationality for 5 pts a piece.

1) Niels Bohr Ans: DANISH

2) Carolus Linnaeus Ans: SWEDISH3) Gregor Mendel Ans: AUSTRIAN

4) Francis Crick Ans: BRITISH

19) (20) For five points a piece, name the top four industrial exporters in the United States, as of December 1992.

Ans: BOEING, GENERAL MOTORS or GM, IBM, GENERAL ELECTRIC or GE

- 20) (20) There are only 2 US states with two year terms for governor. Coincidentally they are neighboring. FTP each,
  - 1) Name the state led by Howard Dean.

Ans: VERMONT

2) Name the state led Stephen Merrill. Ans: NEW HAMPSHIRE

- 21) (20) Let's test your knowledge of units of measurement. FTP each
  - 1) Within 20, give the number of cubic inches in a gallon. Ans: 231 (201 to 251)
  - 2) Within 100, how many feet in a nautical mile? Ans: 6076 (5976 to 6176)
- 22) Which city is further North? FTP each
  - 1) Warsaw or Paris?

Ans: WARSAW

- 2) San Francisco and Washington DC? Ans: WASHINGTON DC
- 3) Portland, Maine or Portland, Oregon? Ans: PORTLAND, OREGON