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Student-made quizzes # (Hing Chan #156)

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1. He spoke highly of Catholic morality, though he admitted in 1995 that he had kept a mistress for 20 years and had a daughter by her. Earlier, he was a French POW held by the Germans, then a decorated official in the Vichy regime allied with the Nazis, then a member of the Fr. Resistance and finally a trusted lieutenant in de Gaulle's postwar gov't. He even protected one of the Vichy Nazi lackeys who rounded up the Jews of Paris for transferral to the death camps. In theory, he considered socialism fair and humane. As president though, he soon scrapped his party's nationalization plans in favor of free enterprise. FTP name this longest serving French President of the 20th c. who died in 1996.

\Francois Mitterand\

2. Almost as soon as this novel appeared, the author began to compile a list of errata, and publishers have continued the process ever since. It was first published in book form by Sylvia Beach. An edition published in 1984 that supposedly corrected some 5000 errors generated controversy because of the inclusion by its editors of passages not in the original text and because it allegedly introduced hundreds of new errors. Some say, to fully understand this novel, one must be familiar with the theology of the Roman Catholic Church, history of heresy, Irish Legend, European history, myth, astronomy, Hebrew, Latin, Gaelic, and Gypsy slang. This novel records the events of June 16, 1904 in the lives of the 3 characters-Leopold Bloom, Molly Bloom, and Stephen Dedalus. FTP name this James Joyce novel.

- 3. While in high school, he constructed a rocket ship fueled by potassium and glucose and used it to safely launch a frog into the atmosphere. Later, he earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry from Georgia Tech and went on to grad. school at Berkeley, though he dropped out to become a waiter after being frustrated by all the lab work expected of him. Eventually, however, his advisor managed to convince him that waiting tables was harder than mixing chemicals, and he eventually got his Ph.D. Now a researcher at his home, the Institute for Further Study, his current project is selling celebrity DNA, enclosed in artificial gemstones called StarGene. FTP, identify this maverick Nobel-winning chemist acclaimed for his development of PCR.
- 4. This poem consists of the musings of a weary middle-aged man haunted by the feeling that he has lost both youth and happiness: "I have measured out my life with coffee and spoons." The narrator, mentioned in the title, explores a kind of death in life and the poem ends on a note of hopelessness. Some say it was the first masterpiece of modernism in English. It was the poet's first major publication and was probably written while the poet was an undergrad at Harvard. FTP name this T. S. Eliot Poem.

  \The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock\
- 5. There were 13 charges by the Union on the heights on which the Confederate artillery was mounted. Each charge was shot into near-annihilation. Earlier, the Union crossing of the Rappahannock was held up, because of a delay in shipment of the pontoon train necessary to the crossing. In the interim, Robert E. Lee moved to the Rappahannock and fortified the heights commanding the river. FTP name this Confederate victory in which Ambrose Burnside was withdrawn from command that was fought on December 13, 1862.

\Fredericksburg\

- 6. Pietro Metastasio, Philippe Quinault, Ranieri di Calzabigi, A. EugŠne Scribe, Hugo von Hofmannsthal, and Lorenzo da Ponte are all famous for writing these. FTP what is the term for the text of an opera or other staged musical work? \librettos or libretti\
- 7. Located in the Inuvik and Fort Smith regions of the Northwest Territories it is about 1705 km (about 1060 mi) long. It rises in Great Slave Lake and flows northwest before emptying through a large delta into a bay, an arm of the Beaufort Sea. FTP name this river that was explored in 1789 and named after its explorer.

  \Mackenzie River\
- 8. According to legend, he was a large and strong man, though he once staggered and nearly fell while carrying a young child across a river. After learning that the heavy baby was Jesus, heavy from the sins of the world, he devoted his life to serving Christ. He is the protecting saint against fire, floods, and earthquakes and many believe that seeing his image protects them from harm. FTP name this patron saint of travellers.

  \Saint Christopher\
- 9. Chief Justice John Marshall explained his conclusion in the following passage: Let the end be legitimate, let it be within the scope of the Constitution, and all means which are appropriate, which are plainly adapted to that end, which are not prohibited, but consist with the letter and spirit of the Constitution, are constitutional. The decision of this case formed the basis of the doctrine of implied or federal powers. This case concluded that Congress was authorized to charter a national bank. FTP name this 1819 case.

  \McCulloch v. Maryland\

10. He designed the packaging for The Rolling Stones's album Sticky Fingers. Valerie Solanas, author of the radical, feminist, S.C.U.M. Manifesto tried to assassinate him. His quotes include "Everyone Should Be Famous for 15 Minutes". FTP who called his studio The Factory?

\Andy Warhol\

11. Born in 1709, he served as a consul in Smyrna before becoming an agent for the British East India Company in Bombay. While in debtors prison, he wrote his most successful work. After its publication in 1749, he was publically reprimanded by the Privy Council and awarded a 100-pound annual pension on the condition he never publish again. FTP, identify this author of the notorious \_Fanny Hill\_.

**John Cleland**\

- 12. In 1865, it became the capital of Italy. Located at the foot of the Apennines, it is a Tuscan city. FTP name the city with the famous Duomo. \Florence, Ita\
- 13. It was invented in 1969 by physicist Kaa Compaarn, who based his creation on a then-common process for creating holograms. In 1972, he and colleague Piet Kramer demonstrated its use as a means of storing analog color video. FTP, identify this product created in Phillips Laboratories, a 120-mm diameter micro-pitted aluminum circle now most commonly used to store digital audio. \the \_compact disc\_\
- 14. Shortly after its publication in 1690, it was forbidden to be taught at Oxford. After translation, the French edition was placed on the Index, though the English version was apparently still fine to read. Concerned with the nature of knowledge, it holds that the origin of ideas is empirical. FTP, identify this treatise by John Locke that introduced the phrase tabula rasa.

  \\_An Essay Concerning Human Understanding\_\
- 15. The Belgian cytologist Edouard Joseph Louis-Marie van Beneden discovered this process. In gametogenesis, the division of chromosomes during one of the cell divisions is not preceded by a doubling. Each egg and sperm cell therefore ends up with only half the usual number of chromosomes. Consequently, when a sperm cell enters an egg cell in the process of fertilization, the chromosomes reach their normal number for the species, half of them coming from the mom and half from the dad. FTP what process, distinct from mitosis, am I describing?

  \Meiosis\
- 16. After reading Freud's The Future of an Illusion sent to him by Freud, this author told Freud that the true source of religious sentiments consists of a peculiar feeling, a feeling which he would like to call a sensation of 'eternity', a feeling as of something limitless, unbounded-as it were 'oceanic'-the OCEANIC FEELING. Thus, he evolved his own philosophy, a faith in humanity based on pantheistic religion. He wrote such works as La vie de Ramakrishna and La vie de Vivekananda. More famous works include Danton, Le Quatorze Juillet, and Robespierre. FTP who won the 1915 NP in Lit and wrote Jean Christophe? \Romain Rolland\
- 17. Born in Birmingham, Alabama sometime between 1910 and 1916, his real name was Herman Sonny Blount. In the 1940s, he made his way to Chicago, where he arranged music for striptease shows before touring as part of B.B. King's backup band. His 1977 collaboration with avant-garde composer Glenn Branca was recently released on CD for the first time. A 2-disc tribute album, \_Wavelength Infinity\_, featuring artists as varied as the Residents, NRBQ, and Sonic Youth, was also recently released; all proceeds go to aid the surviving members of his band, many of whom are penniless despite the over 200 albums he and his band, the Arkestra, released. FTP, identify this jazzman who claimed to be from Jupiter, star of the film \_Space is the Place\_.
- 19. Marianne Faithfull recently stated that her long heroin addiction was inspired by him. He appears on \_Songs in the Key of X: Music Inspired by the X-Files\_, where he sings "Star Me Kitten" with R.E.M. providing musical accompaniment. Other musical collaborations include a similar duet with Ministry on the song "Just One Fix" and the album \_"The Priest" They Call Him\_ that he recorded with Kurt Cobain. FTP, identify this sometimes-star of Nike commercials, known mainly for his novels, including \_Junky\_ and \_Naked Lunch\_.
  \William S. \_Burroughs\_\
- 20. During this war, the Treaty of Breslau was signed and 3 years later the Treaty of Dresden was signed. King George II led his troops, the last time an English King led them, at the Battle of Dettingen. The Battle of Mollwitz was also fought during this war.

FTP name this war, the latter half of which was known as King George's War in America, that was ended with the Treaty of Aix-La-Chapelle in 1748.

\War of the Austrian Succession\

21. It was published in Atlantic Monthly in August 1915, and used as the opening poem of the collection Mountain Interval. The poet himself claimed that it was a parody of the Georgian poet Edward Thomas. FTP name this poem that presents a narrator recalling a journey through a woods, when he had to choose which of 2 diverging roads to travel written by Robert Frost. \The Road Not Taken\