

1. The opening scene of this novel takes place in a Chicago slum apartment as the title character kills a rat by throwing a frying pan at it. He later meets Mary, the Communist daughter of his white employers, and when he accidentally kills her he panics and burns her remains in the furnace. For 10 points—name this novel by Richard Wright, whose main character is Bigger Thomas.

answer: Native Son

2. Conditions in which it may be necessary include pelvic tumors, narrow pelvis, hemorrhage resulting from an accident, abnormal position of the fetus in the uterus, fetal distress, or an unusually large child. For ten points, what do we call delivery of a baby using abdominal incision?

answer: CESAREAN Section or C Section

3. In 1995, she finished a disappointing 12th at the World Championships, hurt by a sore ankle and a slip on the uneven bars, after she had won the world individual all-around gymnastics championship the previous two years. For 10 points—name this 18 year old American gymnast.

answer: Shannon Miller

4. He earned his B.A. from St. Mary's College and his Ph.D. from Stanford. His collections of poetry include "Field Guide," "Praise," and "Human Wishes." In May 1995 he was named by James H. Billington, Librarian of Congress, to succeed Rita Dove. For 10 points—name the newest Poet Laureate of the U.S.

answer: Robert Hass (rhymes with "Grass")

5. In September 1927, she asked to test drive a red Bugatti from automotive proprietor Benoit Falchetto. The next day, Falchetto brought her the car, and offered her a leather jacket for the cold, but she instead tossed on a silk red shawl twice around her neck. For 10 points—what San-Francisco-born founder of modern dance was subsequently strangled to death?

answer: Isadora Duncan

6. In July 1995, the FBI subpoenaed the subscriber list of the far-left academic journal "Critical Sociology," believing that this man was a subscriber. For 10 points—name this individual who since 1978 has killed 3 and wounded 23 in 16 mail bombings.

answer: Unabomber

7. The 16th New York Cavalry tracked him to Richard Garrett's farm in Bowling Green, Virginia on April 26, 1865, where he was shot and killed, though some conspiracy theorists argue that he lived until 1903 when he committed suicide in Oklahoma. For 10 points—name this assassin of President Lincoln.

answer: John Wilkes Booth

8. This dormant volcano stands 33,476 feet tall, yet only the top 13,680 feet which stand above the ocean surface actually count. For 20 points, name this home of the United Kingdom Infrared telescope, the highest point in the Hawaiian islands.

answer: Mauna Kea

9. Oceanic fossils found in the Prince Charles Mountains glacial deposits, a Sirius formation site, suggest that the ice here melted at least once before and froze again—for 10 points—on which dry continent.

answer: Antarctica do not accept "duh"

10. Trained as a chemical engineer, he worked as a fire prevention expert by the Hartford Fire Insurance Company who, as a hobby, studied comparative linguistics. For 10 points—name this author of "Language, Thought, and Reality," who devised a namesake linguistic relativity principle with his mentor, Edward Sapir.

answer: Benjamin Lee Whorf

11. Air Force General George S. Brown, Navy Admiral Arthur W. Radford, Army General Eale G. Wheller, Air force general David C. Jones, and Army general Maxwell D. Taylor have all held—for 10 points--what position held also by John Shalikashvili and Colin Powell?

answer: Chair or Chairman or Chairmen of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (prompt on partial answer)

12. Here, 22-year-old American Matthew Tassio in July 1995 was the first person gored to death in 15 years. For 10 points—name this annual event in which bulls are run along a 900 yard 16th century route from the corral to the bull ring.

answer: Pamplona prompt on "Running of the bulls"

13. After serving as MP for Huntington, he led the Ironside Cavalry at Marston Moore, defeated the Cavaliers at Naisby, and crushed the Scots at Worcester (worst-er). For ten points, name this usurper of England's Charles I, and the first Lord Protector.

answer: Oliver Cromwell

14. He is the author of the 1976 poetry book "Night in Tunisia," as well as the books "The Dream of a Beast," "The Past," and 1995's "Nightlines." For 10 points, name this director of such films as "Mona Lisa," "Interview with the Vampire," and "The Crying Game."

answer: Neil Jordan

15. First studied in 1612 by Simon Marious, it was the subject of a heated debate between Heber Curtis and Harlow Shapley, until the Hooker telescope at Mount Wilson discovered that--for 10 points--what entity in constellation M31 was actually a galaxy, the closest to us?

answer: Andromeda Galaxy

16. His body was found to be undecayed after two months of burial, whereupon it was moved to Goa, India, where he had done a great deal of missionary work. For 10 points—name this Basque missionary, who, while in Italy, helped Ignatius Loyala found the Jesuit order, and is the namesake for a Cincinnati university.

answer: St. Francis Xavier

17. With 4.2 million people, it boasts the world's fourth largest reserve of natural gas, while some 90% is occupied by the Kara Kum desert. It borders the Caspian Sea, between Iran and Uzbekistan. For 10 points—name this country, whose president is Saparmurad Niyazov, and whose capital is Ashgabat.

answer: Turkmenistan

18. Turkish president Kemal Ataturk said that this article of clothing "sat as an emblem of ignorance, negligence, fanaticism, and hatred of progress and civilization." It takes its name from a city northeast of Casablanca in Morocco. For 10 points—name this felt, flat-topped, tasseled cap.

answer: fez

19. First published by physician Elias Lonnrot in 1835, it contained 12,000 lines. The second version, containing 23,000 lines, was published in 1849, and may have inspired Longfellow's "Song of Hiawatha." For 10 points—name this Epic of the Finnish People.

answer: The Kalevala

20. One kind is the D'Arsonval, in which a coil of wire pivots between the poles of a magnet. A pointer attached to the coil moves over a scale when the coil rotates as its magnetic field changes. The best-known kind is the moving-magnet variety, in which a pointer attached to a small magnet rotates when the field changes in a coil around the magnet, as current flows through it. For 10 points—give the name for these devices used to measure electric current.

answer: AMMETER

21. In this novel featuring Ras the Exhorter and Mister Norton, the prologue begins "I am a man of substance, of flesh and bone, fiber and liquids...and I might even be said to possess a mind." For 10 points—name this 1952 novel by Ralph Ellison?

answer: Invisible Man

22. His 1890 memoir was entitled "The Gentle Art of Making Enemies." Oddly enough, his father invented the whistle for the railroad train. For 10 points—name this American artist, famous for the 1872 portrait "Arrangement in Grey and Black Number One: The Artist's Mother."

answer: James Abbot McNeill Whistler

23. This family played a prominent role in colonial American history. John Jr. as Governor of Connecticut obtained the annexation of New Haven. John Sr. was elected Governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony 12 times. For ten points identify the family name.

Answer: Winthrop

24. Spurred on the by completion of the tunnel under the English Channel, test shafts were drilled in 1995 for A tunnel under this other body of water, between Point Paloma in Spain and Point Malabata in Morocco. For 10 points—name this body of water, by legend created when Heracles pushed open the passage between the Atlantic and the Mediterranean.

answer: Strait of Gibraltar

25. This East Orange, New Jersey native joined her sister Dee Dee and her aunt Cissy Houston to form the Gospelaire, before going on her own to record the albums: "The Windows of The World" and "Heartbreaker." For 10 points—name this co-host of Solid Gold, known to late-night TV viewers as the spokesperson of the Psychic Friends Network.

answer: Marie Dionne Warwick or Warwicke

26. William Bennett accused this presidential candidate of "flirting" with fascism in his vision of America's future. The candidate's spokesperson responded that Bennett should stop writing about virtue and begin practicing it. For 10 points—name this Washington, D.C. native and conservative columnist who gave up his seat on "Crossfire" to run.

answer: Patrick Buchanan

27. This term refers actually to 6 skull caps, 157 teeth, and other bones believed to belong to 40 individuals who lived... Because of the 1920s discovery at Dragon Bone Hill of these fossils, Zhoukoudian was declared a World Heritage Site in 1987, but scientists still lack the money to preserve the site. For 10 points—name the homo erectus remains discovered.

answer: Peking Human or Homo erectus pekinensis

accept: Beijing Human, but scowl at anyone who gives this answer.

28. Baseball players Frankie “the Fordham Flash” Frisch, Pepper Martin, Joe “Ducky” Medwick, Leo “the Lip” Durocher, and Jerome and Paul Dean, comprised—for 10 points—which wacky group which won the 1934 National League pennant for the Cardinals?

answer: Gashouse Gang (Prompt if early on any part of: 1934 St. Louis Cardinals)

29. Cuauhtemoc became ruler of these people in 1521, during the siege of Tenochtitlan, and led their final resistance against Spanish conquistadors. His surrender to Herman Cortes led to the end of, for ten points, what empire?

answer: AZTEC

30. On a tour of Antwerp, Peter Giles introduces sailor Raphael Hythloday, who criticized Henry VIII and British society generally, and told of—for 10 points—what imaginary island and idyllic society in a namesake 1516 two book work by Sir Thomas More?

answer: Utopia

31. In July 1995 he checked into a sanitarium at the Barvikha resort to recuperate from what he insists is unstable angina—not, insists his vice-president, Victor Chernomyrdin—from heavy drinking. For 10 points—name this President of Russia.

answer: Boris Yeltsin

32. His surname suggests that he belonged to a radical political group known as the Sicaraii, and Aceldama (ah kel' da ma'), or Field of Blood, was the name given to the field in which he died. For 10 points—identify this apostle who bought that field with the 30 pieces of silver he received for betraying Jesus.

answer: Judas Iscariot (prompt on half answers)



**30 POINT BONUS**

1. For ten points each, identify the following figures prominent in game theory.
  - A. This Princeton economist received the Nobel prize in economics two years ago for the equilibrium concept he devised over 40 years earlier.

answer: John F. NASH

- B. These two men are credited with developing game theory as a coherent discipline in their 1944 work "Theory of Games and Economic Behavior."

answer: John VON NEUMANN and Oskar MORGENSTERN

**30 POINT BONUS**

2. Name the TV show from the first line of its theme song for 10 points each:

- A. "Come and knock on our door." answer: Three's Company
  - B. "Look at what's happened to me." answer: Greatest American Hero
  - C. "Now the world don't just move to the beat of just one drum."

answer: Different Strokes

**30 POINT BONUS**

3. In the early 1930s, two young assistants and a senior scientist at the Institute for Advanced Research wrote an article in The Physical Review advancing a thought experiment to show the wrongness of Quantum Theory. For 10 points each—name these three scientists responsible for the EPR paradox.

answer: Albert Einstein, Boris Podolsky, Nathan Rosen  
[host: Rosen died in December 1995]



**30 POINT BONUS**

4. For 10 points each—answer these questions about Clarence Thomas:

- A. The law school from which he graduated.      answer: Yale
- B. During the Reagan Administration, he was chair of this civil rights office responsible for the administrative enforcement of Title VII.

answer: EEOC or Equal Employment Opportunity Commission

C. He was a federal court of appeals judge on this circuit.

answer: District of Columbia do not accept "Washington" or "Federal"

**25 POINT BONUS**

5. Although the Legion of Doom once just referred to a collective of villains sworn to conquer the world and defeat the Superfriends, the Legion of Doom also refers to a feared line of hockey players on a certain NHL team.

A. For 10 points—name that team.

answer: Philadelphia or Flyers

B. For 5 points per member, name the three Flyers which comprise the Legion of Doom line.

answer: Eric Lindros, John LeClair, Mikael Renberg

**30 POINT BONUS**

6. "American Planes Hit North Vietnam After Second Attack on Our Destroyers; Move Taken to Halt New Aggression", announced a Washington Post headline on Aug. 5, 1964. " For 10 points each:

A. These incidents occurred (or, as most now believe did not occur) in which body of water.

answer: Gulf of Tonkin

B The Gulf of Tonkin Resolution wasn't passed unanimously through the U.S. Senate. Two Senators—one from Oregon, the other from Alaska—were the lone dissenters. For 15 points each—name these liberal senators, who each lost their seats, in part some say because of their stand on Vietnam.

answer: Wayne Morse of Oregon and Ernest Gruening of Alaska

**30 POINT BONUS**

7. Name this composer 30-20-10:

- A. In May 1995, to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the liberation of the Netherlands, the Concertgebouw Orchestra played this composer's Symphony No. 2, the "Resurrection."
- B. In the same week, the Berlin Philharmonic played this Austrian composer's 6th Symphony, the "Tragic."
- C. He wrote "Lied von der Erde" and died in 1911.

answer:     Gustav Mahler

**30 POINT BONUS**

8. Name these men who helped rule England after the death of Henry VIII for 10 points each.

- 1) The son for which Henry VIII longed, he ruled England for seven years, making the kingdom more Protestant.

answer:     Edward VI

- 2) The Duke of Northumberland, he was Edward VI's chief minister toward the end of his reign and had competing nobleman executed as he strove for the throne after the king's death.

answer:     John Dudley

- 3) A great-granddaughter of Henry VII and a first cousin of Edward VI, she was declared queen, against her will, by Dudley, her father-in-law.

answer:     Lady Jane Grey

**30 POINT BONUS**

9. For 10 points each, what journalist-turned-author wrote these 1995 books:

A. The People's Choice                      answer:     Jeff Greenfield

B. Sleeper Spy                                answer:     William Safire

C. The Last Debate                          answer:     Jim Lehrer

**30 POINT BONUS**

10. For 10 points each, give the name of the surface defined by each of the following equations:

A)  $z^2 = x^2 + y^2$  ( z squared equals x squared plus y squared).

answer: CONE

B)  $2x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$  (two x squared plus y squared plus z squared equals four).

answer: ELLIPSOID

C)  $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 1$  (x squared plus y squared minus z squared equals one).

answer: HYPERBOLOID OF ONE SHEET

**30 POINT BONUS**

11. For 10 points, give the name of a book of poems by William Blake given the names of poems in it.

A. To Spring, Mad Song, To The Evening Star, To Autumn

answer: Poetical Sketches

B. Earth's Answer, London, The Clod and the Pebble, Ah Sun-Flower

answer: Songs of Experience

C. The Echoing Green, The Lamb, Infant Joy, The Divine Image

answer: Songs of Innocence

**30 POINT BONUS**

12. For ten points each, in which state would one find each the following hotbeds of computer technology and research:

A. Silicon Gulch                      answer: Texas or TX

B. Silicon Forest                      answer: Oregon

C. Silicon Valley                      answer: California

**30 POINT BONUS**

13. 1995 did see two governors races take place. For 10 points each, which state saw:

A. Kirk Fordice defeat Dick Molpus?

answer: Mississippi or MS

B. Paul Patton defeat Larry Forgy?

answer: Kentucky or KY

**30 POINT BONUS**

14. 30-20-10, name the mythical figure.

30) According to the "Iliad" he was the son of Glaucus and the grandson of Sisyphus.

20) His doings form the subject of Sophocles's "Iobates."

10) His most renowned feat was the taming of Pegasus.

answer: BELLEROPHON

**30 POINT BONUS**

15. They include Morotai, Tidore, Obi, Buiru, Aru, and Tanimbar. They are the original source of cloves and nutmeg. For 20 points, identify this province and island group, found between Celebes and New Guinea.

answer: Moluccas or Spice Islands

**30 POINT BONUS**

16. Leibnitz had a profound effect on the philosophy of the 17th and 18th centuries. For 10 points each:

A. Leibnitz suggested that the universe was composed of countless numbers of what centers of energy and spiritual force?

answer: monads

B. These monads reputedly compose a universe that is the "best of all possible worlds," a view supposedly satirized by what author of "Candide"?

answer: Voltaire or Francois Marie Arouet

C. Name the tutor of Candide whose philosophy supposedly embodies the monadian universe.

answer: Doctor Pangloss

**30 POINT BONUS**

17. For 5 points per bone, identify the scientific names of the bones which intersect at:

A. The knee, other than the patella.

answer: Tibia, Fibula, Femur

B. The elbow.

answer: Humerus, Radius, Ulna

**20 POINT BONUS**

18. In May 1995, Clinton appointed this man archivist of the United States, which angered many historians. For 20 points—name this 1992 Clinton supporter and former democratic governor who lacks any professional qualifications as a historian. For 10 points each:

A. Name this archivist.

answer: John W. Carlin

B. Carlin is the former governor of what state.

answer: Kansas

**30 POINT BONUS**

19. Given the actors in the Oliver Stone film, "Nixon"—for 10 points each—name the person they portray:

- A. James Woods                      answer:      Bob Haldeman  
B. E.G. Marshall                      answer:      John Mitchell  
C. Anthony Hopkins                      answer:      Richard Nixon

**25 POINT BONUS**

20. This book, set in Raveloe, is "intended to set in a strong light the remedial influences of pure, natural, human relations," especially by means of the title character's care of the character Eppie.

A. For 15 points, name this 1861 work.

answer:      Silas Marner or Weaver of Raveloe

B. For 10 points—name the author.

answer:      George Eliot or Mary Ann or Marian Evans

**30 POINT BONUS**

21. For 15 points each—name these parts of a flower:

A. Each carpel is connected by a slender style to this, which usually resembles a pinhead and which receives the pollen.

answer:      stigma

B. Together, the style and stigma are termed this.

answer:      pistil

**30 POINT BONUS**

22. In October 1995, he was tried in a Manhattan Federal Court for wire and insurance fraud, following his scheme to recover \$350,000 from an insurance company or a canceled fight by one of his boxers in 1991. For 10 points each—name this 64-year-old boxing promoter whose hair attracted more press attention than the charges, the defrauded insurance company, and the boxer who didn't box when he was supposed to.

answer: Don King, Lloyd's of London, Julio César Chávez

**30 POINT BONUS**

23. Name this character 30-20-10"

- A. This character, based on an unnamed 14th century French murderer, first appeared in the 1840 serialized novel, "The String of Pearls."
- B. This demented maker of meat pies from the bodies of his customers has been the subject of novels, serials, and a Broadway production.
- C. He's the "Demon Barber of Fleet Street."

answer: Sweeney Todd

**20 POINT BONUS**

24. Given the structures, name the major architect for ten points each.

- a. , East Wing of the National Gallery of Art

answer: I. M. Pei

- b. Tokyo's Imperial Hotel

answer: Frank Lloyd Wright

**30 POINT BONUS**

25. The 1850 treaty had barred either the United States or Britain from having exclusive rights to any canal built across the isthmus of Panama. The 1901 treaty allowed the U.S. to negotiate with Columbia for control of the proposed Panama Canal. Identify these treaties for fifteen points each.

answer: CLAYTON-BULWER Treaty and HAY-PAUNCEFOTE Treaty



**25 POINT BONUS**

26. The Jefferson, Madison, and Gallatin rivers join in a certain Montana town to form the main stream.

A. For 10 points—identify this river, the longest river of the U.S.

answer: Missouri River

B. For 15 points, the Jefferson, Madison, and Gallatin rivers join at which aptly named Montana town?

answer: Three Forks, Montana

**20 POINT BONUS**

27. In this bonus, you're going to be living the life of Riley, James Whitcomb Riley, that is. For 10 points each, answer these questions about him.

A. First, name the U.S. state where he was born and did most of his work.

answer: Indiana

B. Riley wrote an 1885 poem that later inspired a comic strip character. Who is this character, heroine of the comic strip drawn by Leonard Starr?

answer: Little Orphan(t) Annie (prompt on "Annie")

**20 POINT BONUS**

28. Being deposed in 1920 didn't stop Faisal I from continuing to serve as king. For 10 points each:

A. Faisal had served from March 1920 until July 1920 as the king of what Mideast nation?

answer: Syria

B. Faisal served from 1921 until dying in 1933 as the first king of what neighboring nation?

answer: Iraq

**20 POINT BONUS**

29. She's become a minor celebrity, using her family name to boost her activist causes. For 10 points each:

A. Give the first name of this openly gay sister of the Speaker of the House

answer: Candace Gingrich

B. Candace will make an appearance on this show to perform an lesbian marriage ceremony.

answer: Friends

**20 POINT BONUS**

30. The 1995 collapse of the Houston Post continues a trend in the dying of Texas newspapers. For 10 points each, what Texas city saw its newspaper:

A. The Times-Herald, die in 1991?

answer: Dallas

B. The Light, die in 1993?

answer: San Antonio