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1. World War I ended before he could go overseas and fight, contributing to one of his greatest regrets. His other regret was not making the football team at Princeton because he was too scrawny. He was, however, a prolific writer producing stories such as "The Rich Boy," "Winter Dreams," and "Bernice Bobs Her Hair" for various magazines like Red Book, Metropolitan, and the Saturday Evening Post. Yet, today he is most known for his novels $=46$ or 10 points, name this jazz age author, best known for The Great Gatsby Answer: F. Scott _Fitzgerald_
2. She marries an unimaginative country doctor named Charles in a marriage of convenience. An idealistic dreamer, she yearns for more than her boring, provincial existence and has multiple affairs. One is with Leon, a law clerk, while the other is with Rodolphe, a landowner. Both eventually leave her, while she runs up a huge debt by buying lavish gifts in an attempt to satisfy her own romantic ideals. In the end, with her dreams hopelessly shattered, she poisons herself with arsenic. For 10 points name this character, the protagonist of a self-titled 1857 French novel by realist Gustave Flaubert
Answer: _Madame Bovary_ or _Emma Bovary_
3. A red star above a two-headed black eagle against a red
background, describes the flag of this country. Not surprising because the country's native name means the land of the eagle, while the star is for communism. With a coastline along the Adriatic Sea, this Balkan nation's largest city is also its capital: Tirana. For 10 points, name this agriculturally-based Eastern European country, which has been in the news lately.
Answer: _Albania_
4. He was the first known European sailor to determine longitude at sea by observing the Moon, and contributed numerous maps and observations of Arctic waters. In 1615, he navigated the Hudson Strait with Captain Robert Bylot, and later named the Lancaster and Jones sounds. He was obsessed with finding a Northwest Passage to the Orient, and in doing so, he so thoroughly explored Canada, that he knew such a
route could not exist. For 10 points, name this English explorer, who has an island and bay in Canada's Northwest Territories named for him. Answer: William _Baffin_
5. They cost relatively little, resist dampness and heat, and can last longer than stone. Palestinians built with this material 9,000 years ago, while Sumerian and Babylonian builders used them to construct ziggurats,palaces, and city walls. The Romans built baths, amphitheaters and aqueducts with this material, often using marble as a covering. Its popularity continued during the Middle Ages, when stone was scarce, onwards into the Renassaince and Colonial America. For 10 points, name this versatile building material, which can be sun dried, but is more often baked in a kiln.
Answer: _Brick_ or _Bricks_
6. Early depictions portray them as giants with hairy bodies. They were part of the cult of Dionysus, while their name etymologically means "those who round up bulls." Generally, they were known as lecherous and drunk creatures. However, some like Chiron, were famous for their wisdom. For ten points, name these mythological creatures who were half man and half horse.
Answer: _Centaurs_
7. Despite being a contemporary of Freud, he didn't believe in the power of the subconcious mind. Instead, he thought people could consciously control their lives and that social factors were more important than sexual motivations in regards to personality. He felt humans strived to better
themselves, yet sometimes an inferiority or superiority complex would prohibit them from reaching their goals. For 10 points, name this psychologist who emphasized the uniqueness of every person with his individual psychology.
Answer: Alfred _Adler
8. Jakob did early work in analytic geometry. Johann also worked in analytic geometry, as well as physics and mathematical astronomy. Nicolaus studied probability theory, while Daniel analyzed the properties of vibrating strings, and examined the motion of fluids. In fact, his principle bears the family name, and explains that energy is conserved in a moving fluid. For ten points, what is the common name of this Swiss family of mathematicians.
Answer: _Bernoulli_
9. Johnny Lattner, Leon Hart,Johnny Lujack, Angelo Bertelli, John Huarte,Tim Brown, and Paul Hornung are the seven Heisman trophy winners at, for ten points, what perennial football powerhouse that is the home of the =46ighting Irish.
Answer: _Notre Dame_ (Prompt if someone answers Heisman trophy winners)
10. Developing in 16th century Italy, it was a transition between the High Renaissance and baroque styles. Characterized by slender figures in exaggerated poses, this style treated space unrealistically for dramatic effect, and included sharp contrasts in color. ..Descent from the Cross_ by Rosso Fiorentino and Parmigianino's_Madonna with the Long Neck_ are examples of this style, which thrived in Florence. $=20$ For 10 points, name thi= s
art style, of which El Greco was a leading practitioner.
Answer: _Mannerism_
11. Commericals for the beef industry, the Oldsmobile Aurora, and the U.S. Armed Services would seem to have nothing in common, if it weren't for the background music. Although he died in 1990, his Rodeo, Appalachian Spring, and Fanfare for the common Man can be heard in these commercials. For 10 points, name this increasingly ubiquitous American composer. Answer: Aaron _Copland
12. Its first performance, in 1805, was a failure. It was revised two more times, once in 1806, and later in 1814 into a simplified version seen today. It is the story of Florestan who was rumored to have died two years previous, but had been secretly imprisoned by the evil Don Pizarro.
$=461 o r e s t a n ' s$ wife, Leonora, disguises herself as a boy and becomes an assistant to Rocco, the chief jailer, so she can search the prison for her husband. In the end, husband and wife are reunited before Pizarro can kill $=4610 r e s t a n$, thwarting his evil plans. For 10 points, name this only opera by Beethoven.
Answer: _Fidelio_
13. They were flightless pigeons, larger than a turkey, with huge hooked bills. Inhabitants of the island of Mauritius, they evolved in isolation, and were harmless, unafraid creatures. When settlers arrived on the island, they hunced these birds into extinction, killing the last one around 1680 . For 10 points, name this extinct animal, the inspiration for the expression "dead as a $\qquad$ name
Answer: _Dodo_ bird
14. It was the first animal enzyme to be isolated, and takes its name from the Greek word meaning "to digest." German physiologist Theodor Ambrose Hubert Schwann found in 1836 that this substance, extracted from the stomach lining, proved useful in digesting meat. While, it can change proteins into food, it has no effect on fats or carbohydrates. For 10 points, name these digestive enzymes, found in gastric juices.
Answer: _Pepsin_
15. It resists seawater corrosion and rust as well as platinum and better than stainless steel. In 1791, it was discovered by William Gregor who was
interested in mineralogy, while Martin Klaproth named it in 1795. With an atomic number of 22, its first commercial use was as an oxide to replace lead in paints, while the military would use this metal in aircraft and jet engines. For 10 points, name this element with the chemical symbol Ti . Answer: _Titanium_
16. It was the first synthetic fiber, invented by French chemist Louis-Marie-Hilaire Bernigaud de Chardonnet in 1883. He used solutions of partly nitrated cellulose and forced it through small holes, allowing the solvent to evaporate. The resulting fiber resembled silk in texture and sheen. For 10 points, name this fabric, from the French word for "a ray of light."
Answer: _Rayon_
17. Except for the Moon, it was thought that no sizable object approached earth closer than 25 million miles and that no asteroid approached closer than 35 million miles. Yet, on August 13, 1898, both these theories were dispelled when astronomer Gustav Witt discovered asteroid number 433. At its closest orbit to the earth, it is a mere 14 million miles away. It started the tradition of giving male names to asteroids whose orbit extended outside the asteroid belt. For 10 points, what is this asteroid, named after the mythological child of Ares and Aphrodite? Answer: _-Eros_ (Do not accept Cupid)
18. In 1984, a much dimmer companion star was discovered for the red dwarf star Van Biesbroeck 8.This star was neither so massive, nor bright, but gave off infrared radiation. It also wasn't totally cold, so it couldn't be a black dwarf. For 10 points, name this other kind of dwarf star.
Answer: A _Brown Dwarf_
19. As a filmaker, he has produced many movies, three of which won Academy Awards. As an author, he has written numerous books, including The Silent World, and World Without Sun. As an inventor, he created an underwater observation vehicle called a diving saucer. More notably, as a member of the French resistance during WWII, he developed the aqualung for underwater exploration. For 10 points, name this oceanographer, who explores the sea with his ship the Calypso.
Answer: Jacques-Yves _Cousteau_
20. In 1783, an Icelandic volcano erupted, killing one-fifth of the population. Much colder weather followed on the island, causing Benjamin $=46 \mathrm{rankl}$ in to postulate that volcanic ash shot so high into the atmosphere that it would reflect much of the Sun's radiation. Anything that could create enough dust to effectively shade the earth from sunlight would lead to mass starvation. These same concerns would surface many years later, with the age of atomic weapons. For 10 points, name this fear phenomenon, the supposed outcome of nuclear war.
Answer: _Nuclear Winter_
21. Rumored to have been first sketched on the back of a cocktail napkin, it states that tax rates can become so high that the incentive to work is lessened. Therefore, any further tax increase will lower revenue rather than raise it. Supply-side economics is the opposite of this school of thought. For 10 points, what is this hypothesis named after an economist. Answer: The _Laffer Curve_
22. Take a flat strip of paper, and give it a half twist. Tape the two ends together to form a loop. Now try to color both sides of this creation with a marker. Yet that is impossible because it has only one-side instead of two. For 10 points, what is this paradoxical creation, named after a nineteenth-century German mathematician who theorized it during his studies with topology.
Answer: _Mobius_ Strip
23. Cigarettes cause cancer, nicotine is addictive, and we market directly to children. Until March of this year no tobacco company wanted to admit these statements, yet they are part of a settlement between this company,
and 22 state attorneys general, who are suing the tobacco industry over health-care costs. The case has larger cigarette manufacturers ducking for cover. For 10 points, name this smallest of the top tobacco companies. Answer: _Liggett_

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1. Identify these characters from Ernest Hemingway's _The Sun Also Rises_ for 10 points apiece
2. He is the main characterwho was wounded during the war. He tries to readjust to civilian life byworking for a newspaper in Paris, while attempting to rekindle his love affair with Brett Ashley.
Answer: Jake _Barnes_
3. He is another expatriate inParis, who has already published a novel. He is a Princeton graduate whohas a flattened nose from his years of boxing as a middleweight champion. He has an affair with Brett Ashley.
Answer: Robert _Cohn_ (do not accept Khon Lien)
4. He is a 19 year oldmatador, who is a master of bullfighting technique,
perfect in every mannerexcept for a small, triangular scar on his cheek.
He too, has a briefaffair with Brett Ashley.
Answer: Pedro _Romero
5. Name this famous, but sadly, dead English author from works, 30-20-10.

30: Comus
20: Samson Agonistes
10: Paradise Lost
Answer: John _Milton_
3. Given a pair of works, identify the philosopher for 10 points apiece

1. Phenomenology of Spirit; Lectures on the Philosophy offistory

Answer: Georg Friedrich Wilhelm _Hegel_
2. Principles of Psychology; Pragmatism

Answer: William James_
3. Fear and Trembling;Sickness Unto Death

Answer: Soren _Kierkegaard_
4. . In winning an Oscar for his role in Jerry Maquire, Cuba Gooding, Jr. became the sixth African-American actor to win an Academy Award for acting. Only 5 black actors, three men and two women, had won the gold statue previously. You'll get five points for each actoror actress you can name, with a five point bonus for all five.
Answer: Hattie _McDaniel_, Denzel _Washington_, Sidney _Poitier_, Whoopi _-Goldberg_, and Louis _Gossett_, jr.
5. How well do you know the events of the French Revolution? Given the following series of events, place them in chronological order from earliest to latest. You'll receive five points for each event that is in its correct chronological place. The events: Reign of Terror begins, Execution of the Cordeliers, Creation of the Revolutionary Tribunal, Robespierre elected tothe Committee of PublicSafety, Royalists crushed by Bonaparte, Trial and execution of MarieAntoinette.
Answer: Creation of the Revolutionary Tribunal (Mar 1793)
Robespierre elected to Committee (July 27, 1793),
Reign of Terror begins (September 5, 1793),
Trial and execution of Marie Antoinette (October 16, 1793),
Execution of the Cordeliers (April 5, 1794).
Royalists crushed by Bonaparte (October 5, 1795)
6. Now that the baseball season has just started, it's fair to have a combination baseball and mathquestion. For 15 points apiece, caculate the given scenarios.

1. Atlanta Braves ace Greg Maddux pitches 5 innings and gives up 2 earned runs. What is his ERA or earned run average for that game?
Answer: _3.60_ (Earned Runs $x$ 9/ Innings pitched =3D ERA)
2. In 35 at bats, slugger Albert Belle has 11 hits and 5 walks, while not being hit by any pitches. Calculate his on Base Percentage (OBP). Answer: _. 400 _ (Hits+walks+hit by pitch/at bats+walks+hit by pitch)
3. Hopefully, intrepid contestants, you do not have phobophobia, the fear
of fear. Therefore, you should have no problem answering these questions on phobias. Given a phobia, identify what it is the fear of for 10 points on each part.
4. Melissophobia

Answer: Fear of _Bees_
2. Astrapophobia

Answer: Fear of _Lightning_
3. Cynophobia

Answer: Fear of _Dogs_
8. How much do you know about the Federalist papers? For 10 points a part, this question will test your knowledge on this group of essays appearing in 1787 and 1788 urging the ratification ofthe U.S. Constitution

1. Within five, how many Federalist papers were there?

Answer: 85 (Accept _80-90_)
2. Of the three writers,Alexander Hamilton, James Madison, and John Jay, which one wrote the most essays?
Answer: Alexander _Hamilton_ (He wrote 51)
3. What bi-weekly New York newspaper did the essays appear in?

Answer: The _Independent Journal_
9. With Willem de Kooning's recent death in March 1997, all of the Abstract Expressionists are now dead. (Pause for wild rejoicing.) To commemorate this truly American art movement, identify these other dead Abstract Expressionists for 10 points apiece after a brief description. 1. This Wyoming-born artist was known for tacking his canvas to the floor so he could put himself in his art. He perfected a drip technique, which is clearly evident in 1950's "Autumn Rhythm."
Answer: Jackson _Pollock
2. The intellectual of the group, he had studied philosophy at Stanford and Harvard. His style, like fellow artist Mark Rothko, was in colorfield painting as the vertical bars of "The Voyage" demonstrates.
Answer: Robert _Motherwell
3. Born in Pennsylvania, hestudied in Philadelphia, Boston and London. He is known primarily for hispaintings in black and white, where he would continually paint one colorover the other.
Answer: Franz _Kline_
10. Three seems to be a magic number. It is, especially, when considering the movie career of Steven Seagal, Maryland's favorite actor to watch during mid-tournament hotel stays. The pony-tailed action hero has starred in five movies whose titles were exactly three words. You'll get five points for naming each of Seagal's films with three-word titles. (Note: Do not count Under Siege 2 whosefull title is Under Siege 2: Dark Territory Answer: Above the Law; On Deadly Ground; Hard to Kill; Out for Justice; Marked for Death; and The Glimmer Man_
11. Identify these Italian musical terms given their meanings and a brief description for five points apiece

1. Derived from an Italian word meaning "tail," it is the concluding section to a piece of music
Answer: _Coda_
2. Literally, "as in church," it is the use of vocal music
withoutaccompanying instruments.
Answer: -A Capella
3. Literally, "from the head," it denotes a repeated section of music.

Answer: _Da Capo_
4. Meaning literally, "shake," it is the rapid fluctuation of pitch.

Answer: _Vibrato_
5. Literally, "joke," it is a sped-up form of a minuet, and a common component of sonatas, and symphonies.
Answer: _Scherzo_
6. Literally, "texture," it refers to the basic range of a part, vocal, or musical.
Answer: _Tessitura_
12. . On February 27, a worldwide panic started on the Internet. A bug was
found that would allow malicious webmasters to disguise shortcuts on web pages as hyperlinks, thus allowing access to secured information. For 10 paints apiece answer these questions about theincident.

1. The web browser that the security fault was found in

Answer: Microsoft _Internet Explorer_
2. The person who detected the bug.

Answer: Paul _Greene_
3. Greene is an electrical engineering student at which Massachusetts university?
Answer: _Worcester Polytechnic Institute_ or _Worcester Polytech_
13. Identify these composers, 10 each.

1. This Italian violinist made his concert debut at the age of 9 , and could move audiences to tears with his playing. He wrote 24 caprices for the violin, 2 concertos, and _Moto Perpetuo_.
Answer: Niccolo _-Paganini_
2. This Italian composer was the forth generation of a family of musicians. He composed many operas,among them Tosca, Madame Butterfly, and the unfinished Turandot.
Answer: Giacomo _Puccini
3. This Englishman was prevented from becoming a pianist by neuritis in his hand. His works include the comic operas "The Perfect Fool" and "At the Boar's Head" as well as the seven-movement suite "The Planets." Answer: Gustav _Holst_
4. Name the part of the brain for the stated number of points. 1. This lobe lies anterior to the central sulcus and superior to the lateral sulcus. It is important in motor control and higher reasoning. Answer: _Frontal_ lobe
. This large tract of fibers allows the two hemispheres to talk to each other and can be surgically cut to help some epileptics.
Answer: _Corpus Collosum_
5. This second largeststructure of the brain lies in the most inferior and posterior part of thecranial cavity. It participates in the coordination of movement.
Answer: _Cerebellum_
6. Name these natural polymers for fifteen points apiece.
7. This polymer is obtained from many plants that are cultivated in parts f South America, Asia, andAfrica. It is heated with sulfur to change it from its soft, tacky state to a more useful form.
Answer: natural _Rubber_
8. The most abundant natural polymer in the biosphere, this polysaccharide is a chain of glucose molecules that can only be digested by a few microbes, which can be found in the guts of other animals, such as cows and termites.
Answer: _Cellulose_
9. For five points each, put these forms of electro-magnetic radiation in order from shortest to longest wavelength. Ultra-violet, microwaves, radio waves, visible light, X-rays, and infrared.
Answer: _Radio waves; microwaves; infrared; visible light; ultraviolet; x-rays_
10. Name the planet given names of its moons
11. Portia, Miranda, Belinda, and Cordelia

Answer: _Uranus
2. Callisto, Ganymede, Io, and Europa

Answer: _Jupiter_
3. Metis, Thebe, Leda, and Amalthea

Answer: also _Jupiter_
18. Answer the following three questions about the theory of the history of the earth's lithosphere forten points each.

1. First, what is the name of the primeval supercontinent that split up to form Laurasia and Gondwanaland?
Answer: _Pangaea_
2. What is the name given toWegener's theory that states that Pangaea broke up and that the pieces then moved around?
Answer: _Continental Drift
3. What is the name given to the unifying theory of modern geology developed in the 1960s which explains that the earth's lithosphere is broken into sections and illuminates the forces behind continental drift. Answer: _Plate Tectonics_
4. Identify these related sea vessels; which explored ocean depths, for 15 points apiece:
5. Used in 1934, it was invented by Charles William Beebe, and was a steel bubble with quartz windows. Attached to a ship by cable, it could descend to a depth of 3,028 feet.
Answer: _Bathysphere-
6. An improvement on the bathysphere, it did not depend on a ship-connected lifeline. Invented by Auguste Piccard in 1948, it used heavy iron pellets to descend and a gasoline-filled bladder to give it buoyancy. This device reached a depth of 4,500 feet and was used for the next 15 years.
Answer: _Bathyscaphe_
7. In a 1941 speech, President Roosevelt mentioned four kinds of freedom worth fighting for. Artist Norman Rockwell would later depict themin a series of paintings. You'll receive five points apiece for namingeach of the four freedoms Roosevelt mentioned, for a possible total of 20 points. Answer: Freedom..._of Speech_ and _Expression; of _Worship_; from _Want_; and from _Fear
8. French physicist Louis-Paul Cailletet and Swiss chemist

Raoul-PierrePictet did extensive work in liquifying elements and compounds. $=46$ or 10 points each, give the temperature in Kelvin at which each of the following becomes liquid.

1. Nitrogen

Answer: 77 K
2. Carbon monoxide

Answer: 82 K
3. Oxygen

Answer: 90 K

