

University of Maryland I Bonuses

1. (30 points) You probably heard numerous questions about New Deal agencies. This question, however, will test your knowledge of other events during the New Deal era. FTP each, identify the following.

a. The 1938 act, often called the "minimum wage" law, which established a minimum wage of \$.40/hour.

A: Fair Labor Standards Act

b. The American gunboat which was sunk along with 3 Standard Oil tankers in the Yangtze river by the Japanese in 1937.

A: Panay

c. The chief justice and former presidential candidate during Roosevelt's "court packing" scheme.

A: Charles Evans Hughes

2. (25 points) Hyperion was a god of the sun. For 5 points each, identify the following relatives.

a. His sister and wife

A: Theia

b. His daughter who visited the Endymion in his sleep

A: Selene

c. His daughter who was the goddess of the dawn

A: Eos

d. His parents

A: Uranus and Ge

e. His grandson, whose burning chariot caused the Ethiopians to have dark

A: Phaethon

3. (20 points) For 5 points each, identify the following human ailments.

a. The more common name of allergic rhinitis

A: Hay Fever

b. The more common name of tinea pedis

A: Athlete's Foot

c. Severely painful spasms along the longest nerve in the human body

A: Sciatica

d. The condition in which the lens of the eye becomes clouded.

A: Cataracts

4. (25 points) For 5 points each and a 5 point bonus for all 4, identify the following biblical characters from the Old Testament.

a. The older sister of Rachel whom Jacob was tricked into marrying
A: Leah

b. The Persian king who married Esther
A: Xerxes or Ahasuerus

c. David sent him "to the forefront of the hottest battle" in order to marry Bathsheba
A: Uriah the Hittite

d. He was anointed as the prophet to succeed Elijah
A: Elisha

5. 30-20-10. Identify the composer.

a. He composed Songs Without Words and Melusine

b. In 1829, he conducted Bach's St. Matthew Passion which renewed interest in Bach

c. Other compositions include St. Paul, Fingal's Cave, and Scotch Symphony

A: Felix Mendelssohn

6. (20 points) For 5 points each, identify the following literary characters.

7. (25 points) For 5 points each, identify the inventors of the following.

- a. He started a dynasty which lasted about 160 years around 2500 B.C. after uniting the city-state of Mesopotamia.

A: Sargon I

b. In 1901 a team of French archaeologists at Susa discovered 3 pieces of stone with writings from his laws. His capital became known as Babylon.

A: Hammurabi

c. He united the two kingdoms of Egypt around 3100 B.C. and made Memphis the capital city.

A: Menes

12. (20 points) The Vice Presidential debate included many references about Albert Gore's book on the environment. However, this question asks you about books related to Ross Perot.

a. Ross Perot's recent book has become a Non-fiction bestseller. For 10 points, identify it.

A: United We Stand

b. On Wings of Eagles describes Ross Perot's attempts to rescue employees in Iran. FTP, name the author.

A: Ken Follet

13. (30 points) For 10 points each, identify the following 20th century Asian leaders.

a. This Indonesian leader became absolute ruler for life in 1963

A: Sukarno

b. Serving from 1959 to 1990, this Singapore Prime Minister was the longest serving prime minister in the world at the time of his retirement.

A: Lee Kwan Yew

c. This Phillipines leader defeated the Hukbalahap rebellion and became President in 1953.

A: Ramon Magsaysay

14. (25 points) For 5 points each, identify the following treaties from U.S. history.

a. The 1819 treaty with Spain in which Florida was purchased

A: Adams-Onis

b. The 1795 treaty by which opened the Mississippi to U.S. traffic

A: Pinckney's Treaty

c. The 1817 treaty with Great Britain disarming the Great Lakes

A: Rush-Bagot

d. The 1842 treaty with Great Britain settling the Maine/Canada boundary.

A: Webster-Ashburton

e. The 1901 treaty allowing the U.S. to unilaterally construct the Panama canal

A: Hay-Pauncefote

15. (30 points) For 10 points each, identify the following sites.

a. The shrine in Jerusalem which stands above the place from which Muslims believe that Mohammed rose to heaven.

A: The Dome of the Rock

b. Located near ancient Thebes on the west bank of the Nile, over 60 tombs were discovered there. FTP name this rocky area where King Tut's tomb was discovered.

A: Valley of the Kings

c. This Gothic cathedral was built from 1194 to 1225. Located in northern France, it has the widest nave and the tallest spires in France.

A: Chartes

16. 30-20-10. Identify the author.

a. He won Pulitzer prizes in 1966 and 1975. He also wrote The Sandbox.

b. He wrote The Death of Bessie Smith.

c. He wrote Tiny Alice and Quotations from Chairman Mao Tse-Tung

A: Edward Albee

17. (30 points) Robert Hooke first reported that cells exist in 1665. This question asks about other cell-theory scientists.

a. Between 1838 and 1839, a botanist and zoologist originated cell theory stating that cells are the fundamental units of life and all organisms are made up of at least one cell. FTP each, identify them.

A: Matthias Schleiden and Theodor Schwann

b. In 1855, another scientist stated that cells arise only by division of other cells. FTP, name him.

A: Rudolf Virchow

18. (20 points) For 10 points each, identify the following compositions.

a. The 1911 Stravinsky work in which The Moor kills the title character who is a life-size puppet at the St. Petersburg Carnival.

A: Petrushka

b. In this 1925 Alban Berg work, the title character is a private in the Austrian Army who kills the unfaithful Marie. FTP name it.

A: Wozzeck

19. (30 points) Given an Oscar winning song and year, identify the film in which the song appeared.

1. "Moon River", 1961

A: Breakfast at Tiffany's

2. "White Christmas", 1942

A: Holiday Inn

3. "Evergreen", 1976

A: A Star is Born

4. "Que Sera, Sera", 1956

A: The Man Who Knew Too Much

5. "Zip-A-Dee-Do-Do-Dah", 1947

A: Song of the South

6. "Over the Rainbow", 1939

A: The Wizard of Oz

20. (20 points) For 5 points each, identify the following Honore de Balzac works.

a. The title character, Lisbeth Fisher is a bitter spinster

A: Cousin Bette

b. Dr. Benassis, the title character, is loved by his villagers

A: The Country Doctor

c. Felix destroys the romance of his daughter, the title character

A: Eugenie Grandet

d. The title character sacrifices everything for his daughters
Madame de Nucingen and Madame de Restaud

A: Le Pere Goriot

21. (20 points) Bill Clinton might be elected as the 42nd President next Tuesday. However, in January many felt he would drop out after the alleged affair with Jennifer Flowers became public knowledge. After the Super Bowl, Bill and Hillary Clinton appeared on national television for a critical interview with a 60 minutes correspondent. For 20 points name him.

A: Steve Croft

22. (25 points) For 5 points each, expand the following computer acronyms.

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| a. BIT | A: Binary Digit |
| b. VLSI | A: Very Large Scale Integration |
| c. DOS | A: Disk Operating System |
| d. DRAM | A: Dynamic Random Access Memory |
| e. IC | A: Integrated Circuit |

23. (25 points) Identify the area studied by each of the following for 5 points each:

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| a. dendrochronology | A: Tree ring dating |
| b. mycology | A: Fungi |
| c. otology | A: Ears |
| d. zymology | A: Fermentation |
| e. vermiology | A: Worms |

24. (20 points) Identify the following animal terms for 5 points each:

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| a. A group of viper | A: Nest |
| b. A female whale | A: Cow |
| c. A group of kangaroos | A: Troop |
| d. A male peafowl | A: Peacock |

25. (20 points) For 20 points, all or nothing, arrange the following male singing ranges from lowest to highest:

Tenor, Bass, Counter-tenor, baritone.

A: Bass, baritone, tenor, counter-tenor