

## Carleton College - Tossups

Penn Bowl V

January 27-28, 1995

1. Johnny Bench and John Berryman. Ralph Ellison and Paul Harvey. Bill Moyers and Patti Page. All these are listed in my almanac as among the famous natives or residents of the same state, which is not represented by a team at this tournament. FTP, name this state whose native sons also include Mickey Mantle and Oral Roberts.

ANSWER: Oklahoma

2. Her father's name is Ephraim. Her best friends are Tommy and Annika. She lives in Villa Villekulla with her horse and a monkey named Mr. Nilsson. FTP, who is this freckled redhead created by author Astrid Lindgren?

ANSWER: Pippi Longstocking (accept either name)

3. Physics defines it as fully ionized gas of low density, containing approximately equal numbers of positive and negative ions. It may be found, among other places, in fluorescent light bulbs and in stars, and is sometimes thought of as a fourth state of matter. FTP, give this word which also designates a fluid present in blood.

ANSWER: Plasma

4. The European Chunnel wasn't the only engineering feat of 1994. After its release last May, stores couldn't keep up with the demand for this product created by Sara Lee Foundations. FTP, name this best-selling lift and scrunch cleavage enhancer.

ANSWER: the Wonderbra

5. In 1927 he won a lawsuit against the U.S. customs authorities who attempted to value his sculpture as raw metal rather than as abstract art. He is known for such works as "The Beginning of the Word," "Sleeping Muse," and "Bird in Space." FTP, name this Romanian.

ANSWER: Constantin Brancusi

6. This country produces more than half of the world's raw jute. Its monetary unit is the Taka. After the capital, its largest city is the port of Chittagong. FTP, name this country which became an independent state following a civil war in 1971.

ANSWER: Bangladesh

7. A vocalist with several big bands and a radio favorite in the 1940s, she made her film debut in 1948's "Romance on the High Seas." Groucho Marx was once quoted as saying that he'd been around so long he could remember her before she was a virgin. FTP, name this singer/actress forever associated with the song "Que será, será."

ANSWER: Doris Day (accept Doris Kappelhoff)

8. It is the Japanese version of the Ch'an sect of Buddhism in China, noted for its simple austerity and mysticism. Many in the west were introduced to it by the writings of D.T. Suzuki, or Alan Watts. FTP, what is this practice which uses paradoxical koans to open the doors of perception?

ANSWER: Zen

9. Although he was not a systemitizer, and founded no economic school of his own, his general approach was adopted by the so-called "institutional" economists. FTP, identify this Norwegian-American iconoclast who contributed to economic discourse such terms as "instinct of workmanship," "pecuniary emulation," and "conspicuous consumption."

ANSWER: Thorstein Veblen

10. A young officer is tried for involvement in the Aaron Burr conspiracy, and sentenced to live out his life on a naval vessel and never hear news of the United States again. FTP, what short novel tells the story of the fictitious Philip Nolan?

ANSWER: The Man Without a Country, by Edward Everett Hale

11. He still holds the major league record for basehits in a rookie season--233, which he accumulated in 1911. And yet he is not enshrined in the Hall of Fame. FTP, name this outfielder erroneously portrayed as batting right-handed in the movie "Field of Dreams."

ANSWER: "Shoeless" Joe Jackson

12. When biologist J.B.S. Haldane was asked what studying nature had taught him about the mind of the Creator, he is said to have replied, "God has an inordinate love of [BLANK]." FTP, fill in the blank with the common name for insects of the order coleoptera, of which over 250,000 species have been identified.

ANSWER: Beetles

13. This Politburo member was secretary of the Soviet Communist Party when he was assassinated in 1934, probably at Stalin's order. Stalin, however, used his murder to institute the party purge and treason trials of the late 1930s. FTP, identify this Russian for whom the major ballet company of Leningrad was renamed in 1935.

ANSWER: Sergei Mironovich Kirov

14. Anton Karas provided the memorable score of background zither music for this 1949 film directed by Carol Reed and written by Graham Greene. FTP, what was this classic thriller set in post-war Vienna that starred Joseph Cotton and Orson Welles?

ANSWER: The Third Man

15. It was sacred to Apollo, Dionysus and the Muses. The fountain of Castalia was on its slopes. FTP, name this mountain of Phocis in central Greece, at the foot of which lay the oracle of Delphi.

ANSWER: Parnassus (also accept: Parnassos)

16. It contains the crypts of Lieberkühn, innumerable minute projections called villi, the ileum, and the duodenum. FTP, what is this muscular hoselike portion of the body which is about 23 feet long in humans?

ANSWER: small intestine (accept simply "intestine" but do not accept "large intestine")

17. The "Anno Domini" system of dating years was the creation of this ecclesiastical historian. Named a saint in 1899, he is the only Englishman honored as a Doctor of the Church. FTP, name this 8th century Benedictine monk.

ANSWER: Bede, or Baeda (aka the "Venerable Bede")

18. The longest mountain chain on earth extends approximately 10,000 miles from Iceland to near the Antarctic Circle. It rises to an average height of about 10,000 feet, with a few peaks emerging as islands. FTP, give the geographically-descriptive name of this underwater mountain range.

ANSWER: Mid-Atlantic Ridge

19. She says that she has been the victim of police surveillance and an attempted kidnapping. Her husband says that she is "emotionally unstable" and that her charges of corruption are false. FTP, name this woman who has now been relieved of her duties as first lady of Peru.

ANSWER: Susana Higuchi de Fujimori (also accept "Fujimori" as an answer)

20. Its birth may be attributed to the rumors of murder that arose in western New York state in 1826, after the disappearance of William Morgan, the author of a controversial exposé. FTP, what is this short-lived political party, frequently recalled by College Bowlers and trivia buffs for having held America's first partisan national nominating convention in 1831?

ANSWER: Anti-Masonic Party

21. The word derives from the Arabic for quatrain, and can refer to any collection of four-line stanzas--not only to the particular collection translated by Edmund Fitzgerald in 1859. FTP, what is this word which most of us associate with Omar Khayyam?

ANSWER: Rubáiyát

22. "Before, I was a pain in the ass. Now I'm merely eccentric," she was quoted as saying in the days before the Lillehammer Olympics. Her unusual first name dates from a family trip to Mexico, when official papers were needed--before that, her parents had simply called her "Baby Girl." FTP, identify this American silver medalist in downhill skiing.

ANSWER: Picabo Street

23. Conductor Wilhelm Furtwängler called this 11 year old a piano "phenomenon" in 1954, and invited him to play with the Berlin Philharmonic. He made his own conducting debut in Israel in 1962. In 1967 he married cellist Jacqueline du Pré. FTP, name this man who has been appointed in the 1990s as music director of both the Berlin Staatsoper and the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

ANSWER: Daniel Barenboim

24. It is a specialized agency of the United Nations, with headquarters in Paris. Its counterpart in the League of Nations was the International Committee for Intellectual Cooperation. FTP, name this sometimes controversial agency from which the United States withdrew in 1984, citing alleged budgetary extravagance and hostility to free press and free markets.

ANSWER: UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization)

25. It is an astringent vegetable product found in a variety of plants including the bark of oak and hemlock, and in the leaves of certain sumacs. It is also present in tea, coffee, and walnuts. FTP, name this substance used in medicine, in the manufacture of ink, and in leathermaking.

ANSWER: tannin (also accept: tannic acid)

26. Daniel J. Tobin, Ferrell Beck, Frank E. Fitzsimmons, Roy Williams, and Ron Carey. FTP, these men have all been presidents of what largest American labor union, whose other presidents have included Jackie Presser and Jimmy Hoffa?

ANSWER: Teamsters Union, or International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen, and Helpers of America

27. After his first marriage, to the daughter of novelist Thomas Love Peacock, ended in divorce he published "Modern Love," a series of 50 connected poems reflecting the experience. He is, however, best remembered as a novelist rather than as a poet. FTP, identify this author of "The Egoist," "Diana of the Crossways," and "The Ordeal of Richard Feverel."

ANSWER: George Meredith

28. Born near Durham in 1865, this industrialist and philanthropist went from rags to riches by building up a local tobacco processing business into the hugely successful American Tobacco Company. FTP identify this North Carolina businessman whose support of Trinity College was so substantial that the institution was renamed in his honor.

ANSWER: James Buchanan Duke

29. Richard Morris was the American architect who designed the pedestal for the Statue of Liberty. William Holman was an English painter, one of the founders of the pre-Raphaelite brotherhood. Leigh was a critic and poet, remembered for his lyrics "Jenny Kissed Me" and "Abou Ben Adhem." FTP, what was their common surname?

ANSWER: Hunt

30. The central idea of his major work is that the rule/s of a group are fair to the extent that a person would agree to be bound by them when ignorant of his own possession of characteristics which the rules of the system reward or penalize. FTP, identify this longtime Harvard philosopher and author of "A Theory of Justice."

ANSWER: John Rawls

## Carleton College - Bonuses

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1. (20 pts) "Nobody wants a savage, unpredictable and drunken Russian dog in front of his house," said the separatist president of the rebellious Chechnya republic. For 10 points apiece:

A. name this defiant leader.

ANSWER: Dzhokhar Dudayev

B. name the capital of Chechnya, which was attacked by Russian forces at the end of 1994.

ANSWER: Grozny

2. (25 pts) The Western has been one of the most enduring of film genres. For 5 points apiece, name the directors of the following:

A. Red River

ANSWER: Howard Hawks

B. High Noon

ANSWER: Fred Zinnemann

C. Fistful of Dollars

ANSWER: Sergio Leone

D. Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid

ANSWER: George Roy Hill

E. The Wild Bunch

ANSWER: Sam Peckinpah

3. (30 pts) Identify the following artists from a brief description:

A. An American who was appointed historical painter to King George III, in 1792 he succeeded Joshua Reynolds as president of the Royal Academy. Among his best-known canvasses are "Death of General Wolfe" and "Penn's Treaty with the Indians."

ANSWER: Benjamin West

B. A leader of the Hudson River school, in 1832 he was commissioned to paint his famous five allegorical scenes known as "The Course of Empire."

ANSWER: Thomas Cole

C. An American who lived most of his life in Europe, he is most celebrated for his portraits, such as "Madame X." In 1916 he completed a series of murals for the Boston Public Library, titled "The History of Religion."

ANSWER: John Singer Sargent

4. (20 pts) You don't find many folks these days who list their occupation as "cupbearer," but in the world of Greek mythology things were different. For 10 points apiece, identify:

A. the daughter of Zeus and Hera who was sometimes identified as a cupbearer and attendant of the gods before she was married off to Hercules.

ANSWER: Hebe [Hee-bee]

B. the beautiful youth abducted by Zeus to succeed Hebe as his cupbearer.

ANSWER: Ganymede

5. (25 pts) Philadelphia lies on the Delaware and Schuylkill [School-kill] Rivers. For 5 points apiece, name the largest river on which each of the following U.S. cities lies:

A. Dallas, TX

ANSWER: Trinity

B. Cleveland, OH

ANSWER: Cuyahoga

C. Phoenix, AZ

ANSWER: Salt

D. Salt Lake City, UT

ANSWER: Jordan

E. Jacksonville, FL

ANSWER: St. Johns

6. (30 pts) The works of Shakespeare are an almost endless source of famous quotes. For 10 points apiece, identify the characters which speak each of the following lines:

A. "Life's but a walking shadow, a poor player that struts and frets his hour upon the stage, and then is heard no more."

ANSWER: Macbeth, in "MacBeth"

B. "Ask for me tomorrow, and you shall find me a grave man."

ANSWER: Mercutio, in "Romeo and Juliet"

C. "Men must endure their going hence, even as their coming hither: Ripeness is all."

ANSWER: Edgar, in "King Lear"

7. (20 pts) For 5 points apiece, identify the following terms taken from a glossary of basic definitions in chemistry:

A. Any molecule that donates a proton to other molecules.

ANSWER: Acid

B. A polymer that is made by stringing amino acids together.

ANSWER: Polypeptide or protein

C. Any chemical process that removes electrons from a molecule.

ANSWER: Oxidation

D. Small bits of material suspended in a liquid.

ANSWER: Colloid

8. (25 pts) Tennis, anyone? In the decade of the 1970s, six men won men's singles titles at Wimbledon. One, of course, was Bjorn Borg. For 5 points apiece, name the other five, a list which includes three Americans, one Australian, and a Czech.

ANSWER: John Newcombe, Stan Smith, Jan Kodes [KODE-ish], Jimmy Connors, Arthur Ashe

9. (30 pts) 30-20-10. Identify the person.

30: Characters in his most famous work include Salviati, Sagredo, and Simplicio.

20: That work resulted in several years of house-arrest, during which period he was visited by such luminaries as Thomas Hobbes and a young John Milton.

10: In 1992 the Roman Catholic Church made a formal recognition of error as regards his trial and persecution.

ANSWER: Galileo Galilei

10. (20 pts) One of the paramount business news stories of 1994 was the purchase of Paramount Communications for \$9.5 billion. Answer the following questions about the deal, for 10 points apiece:

A. First, what company acquired Paramount?

ANSWER: Viacom

B. Second, what Barry Diller-led company failed in its attempt to buy Paramount, and is now itself being bought by Comcast and TCI?

ANSWER: QVC

11. (25 pts) For 5 points apiece, by what name do we better know the following persons:

A. musician Ferdinand Joseph La Menthe

ANSWER: Jelly Roll Morton

B. actress Gladys Smith

ANSWER: Mary Pickford

C. statesman Karl Herbert Frahm

ANSWER: Willy Brandt

D. author Henri Marie Beyle

ANSWER: Stendahl

E. statesman Armand Jean Duplessis

ANSWER: Cardinal Richelieu

12. (30 pts) For 10 points apiece, answer the following questions about albums which made a splash on the Billboard Magazine charts in 1994:

A. What was the name of the album released by Courtney Love's band, Hole, four days after the discovery of Kurt Cobain's body?

ANSWER: Live Through This

B. "Common Thread." named album of the year by the Country Music Association, was a tribute to the songs of what group?

ANSWER: the Eagles

C. What collection of plainsongs by the Benedictine Monks of Santo Domingo de Silos surprised everyone by selling more than 2 million copies?

ANSWER: Chant

13. (20 pts) Given the title of a funny book, for 5 points name the American humorist who wrote it.

A. "My Ten Years in a Quandry"

ANSWER: Robert Benchley

B. "Without Feathers"

ANSWER: Woody Allen

C. "My World and Welcome To It"

ANSWER: James Thurber

D. "One Fell Soup: Or, I'm Just a Bug on the Windshield of Life"

ANSWER: Roy Blount, Jr.

14. (25 pts) Charles Lindbergh was the most prominent spokesperson for a committee formed in July 1940 to oppose American intervention in World War II. Answer the following questions about that isolationist committee for the stated number of points:

A. First, for 5 points, what was the committee's name?

ANSWER: America First Committee

B. Two prominent America Firsters were Senators Gerald P. Nye and Burton K. Wheeler. For 5 points apiece, what states, respectively, did Nye and Wheeler represent?

ANSWER: North Dakota and Montana

C. For 10 points, what head of the Sears, Roebuck company was the national chairman of the America First Committee?

ANSWER: Gen. Robert E. Wood

15. (30 pts) Given the title of a Gilbert & Sullivan song, identify for 10 points apiece the name of the opera from which it comes.

A. "I'm called little Buttercup"

ANSWER: H.M.S. Pinafore

B. "A wandering minstrel I"

ANSWER: The Mikado

C. "I am the very model of a modern Major-General"

ANSWER: The Pirates of Penzance

16. (25 pts) For 5 points apiece, classify the following fruits as either aggregate, multiple, accessory, drupe, or berry:

A. Pear

ANSWER: Accessory

B. Peach

ANSWER: Drupe

C. Pineapple

ANSWER: Multiple

D. Grape

ANSWER: Berry

E. Tomato

ANSWER: Berry

17. (20 pts) For 5 points apiece, give the familiar foreign word or phrase as directed.

A. Latin for "holy of holies"

ANSWER: sanctum sanctorum

B. An Australian word meaning branch of a river

ANSWER: billabong

C. Italian for "so do they all"

ANSWER: Così fan tutti

D. French for bottom of a bag

ANSWER: cul-de-sac

18. (30 pts) Haul out your mental maps of Africa and identify, for 10 points apiece, the only country that shares a border with each of two countries given. Caution--if no country shares a border with the two given, your answer should be "none."

- A. Angola and The Sudan
- B. Gabon and Chad
- C. Burkina Faso and Libya

ANSWER: Zaire  
ANSWER: Cameroon  
ANSWER: Niger

19. (25 pts) Given the year and the college played for, identify the number one NBA draft pick.

- A. 1970, St. Bonaventure
- B. 1974, UCLA
- C. 1978, Minnesota
- D. 1982, North Carolina
- E. 1986, North Carolina

ANSWER: Bob Lanier  
ANSWER: Bill Walton  
ANSWER: Mychal Thompson  
ANSWER: James Worthy  
ANSWER: Brad Daugherty

20. (30 pts) This bonus tests your knowledge of enzymes important in the process of digestion. For 10 points apiece, identify:

- A. the enzyme which begins the conversion of starch into simple sugars in the mouth.

ANSWER: salivary amylase (also accept: ptyalin)

- B. the stomach secretion that acts with trypsin and chymotrypsin to degrade protein.

ANSWER: pepsin

- C. the enzyme present in the gastric juices of young children, which acts on milk.

ANSWER: rennin (also accept rennet, though technically this is not the enzyme, but a substance containing the enzyme rennin)

21. (20 pts) Anthropologist Ruth Benedict borrowed two terms from Friedrich Nietzsche's discussion of Greek drama to distinguish cultures valuing emotional abandonment in social responses from those encouraging order and control.

- A. For 5 points apiece, name these two opposing "patterns of culture."

ANSWER: Dionysian and Apollonian

- B. For 10 points, name the 1872 work in which Nietzsche stressed the distinction between Dionysian ecstasy and Apollonian reason.

ANSWER: The Birth of Tragedy

22. (30 pts) 30-20-10. Name the person.

30: In 1808 he was one of the judges at the court martial of James Barron. In 1820 Barron mortally wounded him in a duel.

20: He first rose to fame as a young naval officer for his daring exploits during the Tripolitan War.

10: He is remembered for the toast, "Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong!"

ANSWER: Stephen Decatur

23. (30 pts) Score 10 points apiece for naming the 19th century poem from its opening; 5 points if you also need the poet's name.

A. 10 pts. The sea is calm tonight  
5 pts. (Matthew Arnold)

ANSWER: Dover Beach

B. 10 pts. Glory be to God for dappled things  
5 pts. (Gerard Manley Hopkins)

ANSWER: Pied Beauty

C. 10 pts. Sunset and evening star, / And one clear call for me!  
5 pts. (Alfred, Lord Tennyson)

ANSWER: Crossing the Bar

24. (20 pts) For 10 points apiece, identify the following persons who have been influential in the area of management studies:

A. The advocate of time and motion studies who authored the pioneering 1911 book "The Principles of Scientific Management."

ANSWER: Frederick Winslow Taylor

B. The Austrian-American author of "The Effective Executive" and numerous other works on managerial effectiveness, responsible for the concept of "management by objectives."

ANSWER: Peter F. Drucker

25. (25 pts) For 5 points apiece, identify the U.S. Cabinet departments which currently administer the following bureaus or agencies:

A. Bureau of the Census

ANSWER: Commerce

B. Coast Guard

ANSWER: Transportation

C. Forestry Service

ANSWER: Agriculture

D. National Bureau of Standards

ANSWER: Commerce

E. Secret Service

ANSWER: Treasury

26. (25 pts) Eight decades later, the carnage of the First World War remains one of the central horrors of our century. For 5 points apiece, given the name of a major battle from that war, identify the year in which it took place:

- A. the Allied landing at Gallipoli
- B. the First Battle of the Marne
- C. Jutland
- D. Tannenberg
- E. Verdun

ANSWER: 1915

ANSWER: 1914

ANSWER: 1916

ANSWER: 1914

ANSWER: 1916

27. (25 pts) There have been numerous saints named John, and they are conventionally distinguished by the addition of distinctive and descriptive nicknames--hence "St. John the Evangelist," or "St. John of Beverley." For 5 points apiece, and a bonus of 5 for all four correct, which St. John:

- A. is typically represented in wearing a coat of sheepskin, in allusion to his life in the desert?

ANSWER: St. John the Baptist

- B. was a "golden tongued" Bishop of Constantinople and Church Doctor?

ANSWER: St. John Chrysostom (n.b., Chrysostom means "golden tongued")

- C. was a founder of the Discalced Carmelites and author of "The Ascent of Mount Carmel"?

ANSWER: St. John of the Cross

- D. is the patron saint of Bohemia?

ANSWER: St. John of Nepomuk

28. (30 pts) 30-20-10. Identify the writer from titles of works.

30: "Virginibus Puerisque" and "The Silverado Squatters"

20: "An Inland Voyage" and "Travels With a Donkey in the Cevennes"

10: "The Weir of Hermiston" and "David Balfour"

ANSWER: Robert Louis Stevenson

29. (20 pts) In 1864 Charles Kingsley remarked in a review that the Catholic clergy was not interested in the truth for its own sake. This sparked an exchange with a prominent English convert to Catholicism which resulted in the latter's publication of one of the great masterpieces of religious autobiography. For 10 points apiece:

- A. First, name the author of this work, who had earlier been a founder of the Oxford Movement.

ANSWER: John Henry Newman

- B. Second, give the Latin title of John Henry Newman's great work.

ANSWER: Apologia Pro Vita Sua

30. (20 pts) Quite a number of years ago--longer even than the last time the Cubs won the World Series--the land mass of Pangaea split into two smaller masses. For 10 points apiece, spell the names given by geologists to these twin super-continent.

ANSWER: G-O-N-D-W-A-N-A-L-A-N-D and L-A-U-R-A-S-I-A