

Toss Up 13

1. A kibbutzim is to Palestine as a Kolkhoz is to this country. In a Kolkhoz, state-owned land is leased to a collective and decision are made by an elected committee and profits are shared between their members. This land might be located near rivers like the Don, Volga, Dneistr or Dneiper. For 10 points, name this country.

Answer: Russia or Former USSR

2. 4 answers required in order. Petroselinum Crispum is a biennial usually treated as an annual. Salvia Officinalis is used by the early settlers who mixed it with pork sausage, poultry and other meats. Rosmarinus Officinalis is useful in sauces and can be grown in bonsai and Thymus can be used as a ground cover or flavoring for soups, salads and dressings. For 10 points, these are what plants. made famous, in a song by Simon and Garfunkel.

Answer: Parsley, Sage, Rosemary and Thyme (Must be complete, in order and exact)

3. "There is a catcher that any big league club would like to buy for \$200,000," said Walter Johnson. "He can do everything. He hits the ball a mile. And he catches so easy he might as well be in a rocking chair. Throws like a rifle." The man Johnson described never made the majors despite a 70-homer season in 1931, but he is believed to have hit the longest home run ever in Yankee Stadium. FTP name this Hall of Famer who may have topped 1,000 career homers with the Crawford Colored Giants and Homestead Grays.

Answer: Josh Gibson

4. These peoples recorded their history and learning in a number of codices but only three are known to remain: the Codex Paris, Codex Madrid and Codex Dresden. They are named for the cities in Europe where they are located while the rest were destroyed in the 16th and 17th centuries by Spanish priests who wanted to eradicate the pagan practices that they insisted on clinging on to. For 10 points, names these peoples that have lived in Central America since 2000 B.C. and have mainly inhabited the Yucatan peninsula.

Answer: The Mayas (or Mayans)

5. He was sentenced to 2 months in prison and 800 hours of community service for tax evasion and conspiracy. What's up with that? He shouldn't have to owe any money because the posters he designed to commemorate Iowa's sesquicentennial were originally selling for a whopping \$50 a piece. For 10 points, name this artist who took psychedelic pop images to the extreme in the 1960's just as his name would suggest.

Answer: Peter Max

6. The events are seen through the eyes of Frankie, a 13-year old motherless girl who wants to accompany her brother and his wife on their honeymoon. This novel was a stage production in New York in 1950. For 10 points, name this Carson McCullers work written in 1946.

Answer: *The Member of the Wedding*

7. Eastern legend holds he was a converted pagan warrior named Reprobus who died of torture rather than deny his faith. The most famous version of this saint holds that he was a giant who carried the infant Jesus across a river. But about 30 years ago the Vatican dropped him from the canon, expressing doubts about his existence. FTP, identify this now-decommissioned but still popular patron saint of travelers.

Answer: Saint Christopher

8. He wears shin guards, as if for battle, & a warrior's helmet, which still shows his shoulder-length hair falling onto his shoulders. His Right hand is on his hip & apparently holds a stone, while his left arm holds a sword down to the head of Goliath. FTP, name this Donatello bronze.

Answer: David

9. The concept behind this act is that the heart needs to be jolted into a momentary standstill to interrupt its chaotic patterns. Then, once at rest, the cardiac muscle cells can have the chance to resume work in an orderly sequence again. So describes, for 10 points, what clinical act performed with conduction-gel coated paddles and an electric surge through a patient's chest often accompanied with the College Bowl standard "CLEAR!"

Answer: (Ventricular) Defibrillation

10. This American educator was born in Mason City, Iowa in 1884. She won the Constance Lindsay Skinner medal in 1959 and the Regina medal in 1964. FTP name the author of the Fun With Dick and Jane series American children learned to read with earlier this century.

Answer: MAY HILL ARBUTHNOT

11. It was subtitled the *Blue Book of Social Usage* and was revised 10 times in the author's lifetime. Originally published in 1922, for 10 points, what one word describes this all-purpose tome of Gracious Living by Emily Post?

Answer: Etiquette

12. It was organized after the passage of the Self-Denying Ordinance in 1645. Its hierarchy was established by Thomas Fairfax, who led it to victory at Marston Moor. Later, Cromwell became head of these Parliamentary forces. FTP, name this conglomeration of military might.

Answer: New Model Army

13. Don Featherstone has created them and in 1998, he's giving them a facelift -- making them more lifelike and more real. There haven't been too many deviations from the original 1957 design but some have been painted black for divorce parties and others have been painted blue for neighborhoods who have outlawed pink plastic yard art. For 10 points, name these one-legged lawn animals.

Answer: Pink Flamingos (or accept Plastic Flamingos or Lawn Flamingos on early buzz)

14. In 1960, poet Desmond Skirrow was able to summarize this poem written 141 years earlier with a 6-line, 12 word poem of his own. Skirrow's poem went like this: "Gods chase/round vase/What say?/What play/Don't know/Nice Though." For 10 points, name this 1819 tribute to beautiful ceramics by John Keats.

Answer: Ode on a Grecian Urn

15. Guy Altmann is a lucky guy. In 1998, doctors removed his heart out of his body and cut away a malignant tumor and replaced the heart. This procedure had never before been successful with malignant tumors. For 10 points, name this procedure which sounds more like Altmann did the surgery himself.

Answer: Heart Autotransplant Operation (Accept: Autotransplantation)

16. Any of a number of words can follow this geographic term -- such as containment, density gradient, ecology, field, or hydrology -- but is most used with such negative connotations like blight and sprawl. For 10 points, what 5-letter word fits in here, referring to the condition of living in a city or town.

Answer: Urban

17. It is the electromagnetic analog of a sonic boom; it is a shockwave from a massive particle exceeding the speed of light in its medium. For 10 points, name this form of radiation, named for its Russian born postulator.

Answer: Cherenkov Radiation

18. She was photographed over 500 times but the pictures stopped coming in 1946 when the photographer died. Her own images --at least her most famous ones -- were painted, not photographed between 1926 and 1944 and included *Pelvis with Blue, Black Iris* and *Cow's Skull*. For 10 points, name this famous American painter -- associated with New Mexico and flowers.

Answer: Georgia O'Keefe

19. One was a vice-president. One ran for president twice but lost. One was a governor. One made a bid for governor but lost. One was a senator. All were democrats. And all lived their political careers in Illinois. For 10 points, give the common name for these 3 politicians, the first being born in 1835, the last being born in 1930.

Answer: Adlai Ewing Stevenson

20. After he was elected to the assembly, his proposal to levy antiproperty tax on rent and interest was defeated, and he was imprisoned from 1849-52 for criticizing Louis Napoleon. In works like System of Economic Contradictions, or The Philosophy of Misery, he opposed utopian socialists like Fourier by envisioning what he called 'order in anarchy.' FTP, name this man who answered the titular question What Is Property? by writing it 'is theft.'

Answer: Pierre Proudhon (proo-DUN)

21. It's done for the sake of rhythm and it's the technique of removing the letter "v" in the word over, or in the word never and adding the apostrophe so that they become "o'er" and "ne'er." For 10 points, give the term for this letter dropping that makes words into contractions for literary purposes.

Answer: Syncope (Syn-Cop-EE)

22. The supporting players were Jerome Young, Antonio Pettigrew and Tyree Washington. Together, with their 4th man, they set the world record for the 4x400 meter relay at the 1998 Goodwill Games. For 10 points, name that 4th man that now holds the world record for the 4x400 and the 200 meter sprint -- the latter of which he set in his double-gold medal performance in Atlanta.

Answer: Michael Johnson

23. Earliest mentions of this goddess state that she is the mother of Mihos and that she is the bearer of vengeance of her father Amon-Re. In the sanctuary of Khafre at Giza, she is the protector of the North and is depicted with the head of a cat, sacred to her. For 10 points, name this Egyptian goddess.

Answer: Bast

24. He graduated from the University of Michigan in 1936 and later joined Bell labs. In 1948, by quantifying the information content of a message and analyzing its flow, he established the foundations of communication theory. For 10 points, name this mathematician who also coined the term 'bit' for a unit of information.

Answer: Claude Shannon

Boni 13

1. William Roentgen supposedly found X-Rays and won the 1901 Nobel prize in Physics for it. But it took some later Nobel laureates to confirm some of his results. For the points stated:

A. For 20 -- what 1914 Laureate for Physics helped to prove that Roentgen's Rays were indeed like light rays but only of a shorter wavelength?

Answer: Max von Laue

B. For 10 -- What same-surnamed 1915 Laureates used Roentgen's findings to pioneer the field of X-Ray crystallography?

Answer: The Braggs

2. Given a defining characteristic of a river of Hades, name it 10 points each:

A. A river of Fire Phlegethon

B. A river of Forgetfulness Lethe

C. A river of Woe Acheron

3. In 1982, this school was preparing to drop its basketball program altogether and it was generally agreed that their invitational tournament that year would be the team's last hurrah. When they defeated first round opponents the Virginia Cavaliers, the program was ultimately saved. For 10 points a piece:

A. Name this school, home to the Silverswords

Answer: Chaminade

B. What name is given to their annual invitational?

Answer: Maui Invitational

C. What 7'4" leading player for the Cavaliers was on the the wrong end of this stunning 1982 upset?

Answer: Ralph Sampson

4. Good poets will leave lasting impressions -- especially on grave markers. Identify the subjects of these epitaphs for 10 points a piece given information about them:

A. Alexander Pope wrote 3 epitaphs on this man and woman who were buried in the churchyard at Stanton Harcourt in 1718. Name both:

Answer: John Hewet and Sarah Drew

B. X. J. Kennedy wrote a 1961 epitaph for one named Henry Harkins who lied wrapped up tight in sod, care of God, and who -- on the day of Resurrection, may be opened for inspection.

Answer: A Postal Clerk (Do not accept equivalentents since it is a title)

C. David McCord's 1935 epitaph on this type of foodservice worker was summarized in the lines "By and by/God caught his eye."

Answer: A Waiter

5. The two most unavoidable things in this world are death and taxes. But people do their best to get around them. Identify for 10 points each:

A. This two-word term, popular among the rich and famous, refers to the failure by a party to pay taxes that are legally due.

Answer: Tax Evasion

B. This other two-word term refers to a situation where a party can arrange their affairs so that tax is not legally payable and thus leaves them safe from prosecution.

Answer: Tax Avoidance

C. The government will always get you in the end. This two word term refers to taxes levied on a dead person's estate -- and may simply serve as a convenient source of government revenue.

Answer: Death Duties

6. On May 3rd, strikebreakers at the McCormick Reaper Company were attacked by striking workers and police fired on the crowd, killing six and wounding dozens more. The next day, several thousand people gathered to protest the police action and as they were, a bomb was thrown into their midst, killing seven officers.

A. For 5 points a piece, this was what event, in what year in what city?

Answer: Haymarket Square Riot
1886
Chicago

B. For 15 -- What German born governor of Illinois pardoned three surviving anarchists in 1893 and ruined his political career by doing so?

Answer: John Altgeld

7. (Visual Bonus - Distribute the Map of Europe)

You have before you a map of Europe which identifies important cities in the history of classical music. F5P each, identify the birthplace of the following composers, all of which are included on the map. You will have 5 seconds to first look over the map and then 3 seconds to provide your answer for each artist.

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| 1. Ludwig von Beethoven | <u>Bonn</u> |
| 2. Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart | <u>Salzburg</u> |
| 3. Frederic Chopin | <u>Warsaw</u> |
| 4. Antonio Vivaldi | <u>Venice</u> |
| 5. Johann Sebastian Bach | <u>Eisenach</u> |
| 6. Claude Debussy | <u>Paris</u> (also accept the Parisian suburb,
St. Germain-en-Laye) |

8. F15P each, give the terms describing these features of glaciers.

A. This term describes the transitional material between snow and ice, and is formed from snow which lasts through a summer melt season.

Answer: firn

B. From the French for "ring", this is a deep, steep-walled recess or hollow, semi-circular in shape, situated high on the side of a mountain and at the head of a glacier valley.

Answer: cirque

9. Identify the following U.S. states from a description of their state flags 5-10-20-30.

a) Only state flag to features a president

Washington

b) Union Jack in the upper left

Hawaii

c) Gold anchor with the motto "Hope"

Rhode Island

d) a Bison

Wyoming

10. Both the American Film Institute's top 100 movies of all time and the modern library's top 100 books of the 20th century were somewhat accurate but also somewhat flawed lists of culture. But besides that, there were only 3 titles that made both lists. For 10 points a piece, name these films/ movies that made both lists -- one a mystery novel/ film noir movie, the second an ultraviolet look at the future and the third a tale of War.

Answers: The Maltese Falcon
A Clockwork Orange
From Here to Eternity

11. 30-20-10 Identify the word:

30 It is the title of a 1986 Novel by Stanislaw Lem which opens with spaceship pilot Angus Parvis getting himself killed after his attempt to rescue Pirx goes very wrong -- thus hinting at the title.

20 It can also refer to a round-bottomed wine bottle, esp. one having a basketlike covering.

10 This 6-letter word is mainly used to refer to a complete and ignominious failure.

Answer: Fiasco

12. In Trevor's opinion, there are at least two good reasons to watch Cable TV. Both reasons are named Paul. Identify for 10 points each:

A. The channel that features anchor Paul Emmick as he puts up a "front" and goes through his highs and lows right there on screen. Aw yeah.

Answer: The Weather Channel

B. The Friday night TV show that features Paul Gilmartin as he mixes humor with food and the cable network that it appears on. Aw yeah.

Answer: Dinner and a Movie
TBS

13. Identify the decade that the following happened in 30-20-10

30 Lima, Buenos Aires and Bogota are all founded.

20 First Printing Press in the New World is set up in Mexico city

10 Pizarro invades Peru and conquers Incas, DeSoto explores Florida

Answer: 1530's

14. It's time for a question on drinking! How well do you know your beer cans? Given a logo or distinctive feature from a beer container, identify it for 10 points a piece:

A. The number "33" Rolling Rock

B. The words "Slainte" and "Cheers" Killian's Red

C, The motto, "The Champagne of Beers" Miller High Life

15. We all know that William Rehnquist is the Chief Justice of the United States and that the female justices on the court are Sandra Day O'Connor and Ruth Bader Ginsberg But who -- for 5 points a piece are the other six current associate justices?

JOHN PAUL STEVENS ANTONIN SCALIA
ANTHONY KENNEDY DAVID SOUTER
CLARENCE THOMAS STEPHEN BREYER

16. Though a handful of women have won the Nobel Prize for Physiology or Medicine, there were none until she won in 1947. With her husband Carl, and a man named Houssay, she received the Nobel Prize for effecting the first synthesis of this substance in a test tube. For 15 points a piece, name her and the substance they synthesized -- an important substance found in the liver.

Answer: Gerty Cori or Radnitz
Glycogen

17. It was a 1500 foot ramp of rock, salt crystals, Earth and algae. But its distinctive feature is really its coiled shape. For 10 points a piece, name this enduringly famous 1970 environmental artwork, its creator and the state that its located in.

Answer: Spiral Jetty
Robert Smithson
Utah

18. You are all over this bonus on Hindu terms. For the points stated:

A. (5) This is the general term applied to the most sacred Hindu texts

Answer: Vedas

B. (10) Actions taken to break the cycle of karma and achieve Nirvana

Answer: Yoga or Karmayoga

C. (15) The final and most mystical of the Vedas, it proposes the theories of the Brahman or the self and the Atman or false self.

Answer: Upanishads

19. In the Nick of time -- who created the following Nicks for the points stated?

5 Nick Adams Ernest Hemingway

10 Nick Charles Dashiell Hammett

15 Dime Novel Character
Nick Carter (3 ans. poss) John R. Coryell or
Thomas Chalmers Harbaugh or
Frederick Van Rensselaer Dey

20. The Influential Roman Catholic Church in the Phillipines opposed his candidacy. But he won presidency anyway. For 10 points apiece:

A. Name this new president of the Phillipines as of May 29, 1998

Answer: Joseph Estrada

B. What marginal political figure and member of Congress since 1995 submitted a bid for the Presidency on a platform to "bring back dignity, decency and leadership to the presidency" before withdrawing ?

Answer: Imelda Marcos

C. Estrada's nickname in Tagalog is "Erap" which translates into what 5-letter English word that might endear him to Bill Clinton?

Answer: Buddy

21. Identify these Roman Rulers 10 each

A. Ruling from 14-37 C.E. he ruled wisely in his early years but met his end by being murdered in prison.

Answer: Tiberius

B. Reigning from 37-41 C.E. this ruler is best known by his nickname that translates as Little Boots.

Answer: Caligula

C. Replacing Caligula, this physically handicapped ruler was particularly interested in writing about Roman history. He ruled from 41-53 CE.

Answer: Claudius

22. Who holds the following NFL single-game records for 10 points a piece:

A. Most Receiving Yards in a Single Game (1989) Flipper Anderson

B. Most Completions in a Single Game (1994) Drew Bledsoe

C. Most rushing yards in a single Game (1977) Walter Payton

23. FTP each, identify the following term from the world of biochemistry.

A. This six letter word, a synonym for phosphorylase, refers to a protein which attaches phosphate groups to target molecules.

Answer: kinase

B. When a protein is phosphorylated by a kinase, one of these two amino acids are most often the recipients of the phosphate group. Name them for five points each.

Answer: serine and threonine

C. This amino acid is the only one besides serine and threonine to be able to be phosphorylated by means of a phosphoester bond.

Answer: tyrosine

24. Identify the state each of these U.S. National parks are located in 5-10-20-30.

A. Voyageurs

Answer: Minnesota

B. Theodore Roosevelt

Answer: North Dakota

C. Shenandoah

Answer: Virginia

D. Wind Cave

Answer: South Dakota