

1. Later used as the title of a Roman Polanski movie, the String Quartet's fourth movement is a tarantella, while its second movement is based on the composer's song of the same name. In its inspiration, Matthias Claudius' poem, a young girl pleads with a "wild bone man" to "pass her by." For ten points, name this composition by Franz Schubert.

Death and the Maiden

2. A joint US/UK Satellite launched in 1962, a co-author of The Story of Civilization volumes, the companion of a Ookla the Mok and Thundarr the Barbarian, and the twelfth Satellite of Uranus share its name with for ten points what spirit from the Tempest and which Little Mermaid?

Ariel

3. The Supreme Court Case of West Virginia vs. Barnette concerned this work and its associated action. Alterations occurred in 1923, 1924, and 1954, all on June 14th. Originally published in the Youth's Companion, and written for the quadricentennial of Columbus' expedition by Francis Bellamy, FTP name this 31 word oath.

the Pledge of Allegiance

4. The largest of these, JET, operated under the European Fusion Development Agreement is 15 meters in diameter and 12 meters high. They work by the action of a polodial field, current flowing through the medium, in combination with the torodial field, current flowing in several D-shaped coils. FTP name this donut-shaped device used to contain plasma, from the Russian for "torodial magnetic chamber."

Tokamak

5. When assured that "Every thinking person is voting for you" he replied, "I'm sorry, but I need a majority," and this summed up a political career in which he only held one elected office. His lasting political legacy was his work in the creation of the UN, where he served as US ambassador from 1961-64. FTP name this former Governor of Illinois, and two-time democratic presidential candidate in 1952 and 1956.

Adlai E. Stevenson

6. On this day, five afflictions, including washing the body, wearing leather shoes, having sex, anointing the body, and eating and drinking, are not permitted. The tallitot is donned for the Tol Nidre, and after the fifth service, called Neilah, the shofar is sounded once. For ten points name this Jewish Day of Atonement, which took place last Saturday.

Yom Kippur

7. It was repealed partly in 1869, and entirely in 1887, and was declared unconstitutional in 1926. Although in debates some Radical Republicans claimed cabinet members would be exempt, its purpose was likely to keep their ally, Secretary of War Edwin Stanton in office. For ten points name this bill, which prohibited the president from removing civil officers without the senate's consent, the ignoring of which led to the impeachment of President Andrew Johnson.

Tenure of Office Act

8. The fifth only lasted two months, and was deposed and possibly murdered by Sergius III. The first, "the great", was known for his Tome, declared by the council of Chalcedon to be ultimate truth. Number ten was a Medici atheist who excommunicated Martin Luther. FTP give the first name of these pontiffs, number three a Saint who presided over the coronation of Charlemagne.

Leo

9. It could have been a diet rich in fish or licorice which caused Napoleon to be so well preserved, his death apparently caused by 3 parts per million of this substance, found also in Fowler's solution, many insecticides, and a play by Joseph Kesselring. FTP name this element number 33.

Arsenic

10. This artist most famous works were done while living in La Ruche "The Beehive", a ramshackle community of bohemians including poets Cendrars and Apollinaire. He illustrated Gogol's "Dead Souls," and did backdrops for a production of "The Firebird." FTP, name this Byelorussian best known for his paintings of Jewish life and pre-surrealist paintings like "Homage to Apollinaire" and "I and the Village."

Marc Chagall

11. Distributed by Barr Labs, and produced by Eastern Virginia Medical School, it is designed to be taken for 84 days straight, and positive side effects include preventing anemia and endometriosis. It is equivalent to two existing pills, Nordette and Alesse, both with 5:1 ratios of progestin to estrogen. For ten points name this new birth control pill designed to reduce a monthly event to a tri-monthly one.

Seasonale

12. He learned much as an accompanist for Nicola Porpora, a singing teacher, and moved on in 1758 to chamber composer for the Bohemian count Morzin, and from there to his most famous patron. His later work included the music later used as the national anthem of Germany, and as a variation in his "Emperor Quartet." For ten points name this composer of six oratorios and 108 symphonies, including the Clock, Farewell, and Surprise.

Joseph Haydn

13. Character names in this poem series influenced by Virgil and Chaucer include Hobbinol, Rosalind, and Colin Clout, referring to its author. Three of them are known as "complaints," three are cheerful, and five are known as the "moral" eclogues, including September and October. FTP name this 1579 work in 12 parts by Edmund Spenser.

The Shepherd's Calendar

14. One English sailor is said to have brought this disease to Venezuela 200 years ago, as did a group of immigrants to the US in the 17th century. This disease of the basal ganglia has been isolated to chromosome 4, and symptoms usually appear in middle age. Characterized by uncontrolled movements, dementia, and death, for ten points name this hereditary disease suffered by, among others, Woody Guthrie.

Huntington's Chorea

15. His first feature, originally known as Orgy of the Blood Parasites, was inspired by his dream of a spider living in a woman's mouth. Subsequent films, originally sponsored by the Canadian government, included "Rabid" and "Fast Company," but his first major success was the story of Darryl Revok, called "Scanners." For ten points name this king of venereal horror whose movies include "Dead Ringers" "Crash" and "The Fly."

David Cronenberg

16. The aggressive attitudes of first Viscount (VI-count) Milner and Colonial Secretary Chamberlain were blamed, but it was the presence of a gold-mining complex, which inspired this British conflict. British defeats included Spion Kop by generals such as de Wet and De la Rey, but the Brits eventually prevailed due to the scorched earth policy of Lord Kitchener. For ten points name this South African war of 1899-1902.

the Boer war

17. Its name refers to Mount Lovcen, its historical stronghold against Turkish armies, called in its native language Crna Gora. (Cerna Gora) Its president, Milo Djukanovic, (JOO-Kan-o-VICH) faces strong opposition from the liberal alliance in the capital of Podgoricia. (Pody-gore-eech-a) FTP name this country, the last Yugoslav republic politically associated with Serbia.

Montenegro

18. Its title translates as "Song Offerings" and it contains mystical poems of thanks and appreciation to a universal God. It is actually the last of three volumes of songs, and was translated into English in 1912 by the author from its original Bengali. FTP name this poetry volume by Nobel prize winner Rabindranath Tagore.

Gitenjali

19. Keene Curtis, Don Bluth, J Willard Marriot, "Super Fly" Snuka, Rick Aguilera, Harmon Killebrew, and Anne Perry are all this, more famous members of which FTP include Gladys Knight, director Neil La Bute, author Orson Scott Card, and of course, Donny and Marie Osmond.

Mormons

20. In the 1920's this man worked as a surveyor, and after obtaining his degree in 1935 he worked as an engineer and a director of a technical school. In 1931, he became a full member of the Communist Party, and by 1939 he was the secretary of a regional party committee. During World War II, he served as a Political Commissar in the Red Army, and advanced in rank to major general. In 1964, he became the second secretary of the Central Committee. FTP, name this man who in 1964, helped depose Nikita Khrushchev, and who became the dominant figure in Soviet politics.

Answer: Leonid Ilich Brezhnev

21. Six were added by Pierre Mechain in 1786, and five, including numbers 40, 47, 48, 91, and 102 are now considered doubtful. Invented as a tool for finding comets, it was eventually superseded by the New General Catalog. Most Nebulae and Galaxies are still known by their M numbers, taken, for ten points, from this list of star clusters compiled by a French Astronomer.

Messier catalog

22. Representing his country at the Olympics, he lost in straight sets to Fabrice Santoro, who later remarked his racket-breaking was a telling sign. Having lost twice to Gustavo Kuerten in clay-court finals this year, this 6'4" Russian turned in a surprise performance after five set victories over Pozzi and Grosjean at the U.S. Open. FTP name this man who beat Pete Sampras in straight sets to win the 2000 U.S. Open.

Marat Safin

23. Several legal journals have defined these as a new form of property, as rules for commodities, intellectual property, and resources don't quite apply to them. Originally created by Paul Mockapetris in 1984, the ninth version of the major software package to distribute them has just been released, and the ICANN has recently taken proposals for hundreds of new variations on top-level ones. FTP, name these things, which enable ease of use on the Internet, and that usually end in .edu, .org, or .com?

Internet Domain Names

24. This character was made popular through shows like "Ginger Blue" and burlesque versions of Othello, written and performed by Thomas Dartmouth Rice. First seen in Louisville in 1828, when Rice wiped burnt cork over his face, his first song started "Weel about and turn about and do jus' so." FTP name this infamous blackface caricature who later gave his name to a series of racist laws.

Jim Crow