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1. This movement in French art was dedicated to the use of pure color & flat pattern. Instead of copying nature they translated it according to individual visions. The result led to some violent distortions of the human body. Henri Matisse was a member of the group which was accused by the critics of deliberately inaugurating a "cult of the ugly." FTP name this art movement that derived its name from a critics reference to its practitioners as "wild beasts?"

\FAUVISM\

2. In his declaration of Breda, he assured his more Puritanical countrymen that he would rule tolerantly and without religious prejudice. This was essential in regaining the throne which he had officially occupied since the 1649 death of his father, but in reality did not take until 1660. FTP who was this Restoration monarch who ruled England until his death in 1685, when he was succeeded by his Catholic brother?

\CHARLES II\

3. This legendary German scholar who lived during the Reformation, was dismissed from a schoolmasters position for practicing magic. He claimed he could perform Christ's miracles and was condemned by Martin Luther. After his death his reputation grew until he was considered an archfiend in league with Satan. Christopher Marlowe brought him to the English stage and Goethe excused his pact with the devil with the line, "As long as man strives he errs." FTP who sold his soul to Satan for supernatural wisdom and earthly power?

\DR. FAUSTUS\

4. In summer 1996, a fossil belonging to this family was discovered in Northeastern Thailand, one which appears to be 120-130 million years old. This strengthens the theory that this family of dinosaurs evolved in Asia and spread to North America over a Bering Sea land bridge perhaps as long ago as 90 million years. FTP, what is this carnivorous breed of dinosaurs whose most famous member is referred to as a king?

\TRANNOSAURS\ (DO NOT ACCEPT Tyrannosaurus Rex)

5. If North Italy secedes, it would name itself Padania from the Po River, and place its capital in this small Renaissance city. Some 45 miles south of Verona, it has a population of 53,000, hardly one of Italy's largest, but Umberto Bossi and the Northern League have installed a "shadow" Parliament here. FTP, what is this city which boasts two illustrious favorite sons: ~~Sordello~~, a pre-Renaissance poet, and Vergil?

\MANTUA\

Sordello

6. Jumbo shrimp is an example of this. It is an apparent contradiction of terms, such as when an inherent quality is deemphasized -- like a slow sprinter or an absent quality is stressed - a speedy snail. FTP, what is this term which does not mean a very stupid bull?

\OXYMORON accept LITOTES\

7. The principal use for this acid is the decomposition of silicate rocks and minerals where silica is not to be determined. After decomposition is complete, the excess of this is driven off by evaporation with sulfuric or perchloric acid. FTP, what is this acid which can be used in

conjunction with other acids to attack some of the more difficultly soluble steels?

/HYDROFLUORIC ACID/

8. Orestes is perhaps mythology's most famous matricide, but this Roman princess helped murder her father and then ran over his dead body with a chariot. The wife of Tarquin the Proud, she conspired with Tarquin to eliminate her father, the 6th king of Rome. If she had just waited around, Tarquin would have received the throne, but she was impatient. FTP, who was this power hungry and evil daughter of Servius Tullius who shared the same name with Cicero's beloved daughter?

\TULLIA\

9. By the terms of this treaty, claims by slaveowners robbed by the British and likewise loyalists to the crown were dropped; commissions were to be established for claims of illegal seizure of ships, debt, and the Northeastern boundary; trade with Britain was to be put on a reciprocal basis; and border posts of the British were to be evacuated in 2 years. Sound reasonable? Not if you were an American in 1794. This treaty barely passed the Senate by 20-10. FTP, what was this treaty referred to by the name of the former Supreme Court Chief Justice who negotiated it?

\JAY Treaty\

10. Brought to Boston as a slave, she was taught to read and write by her master who also impressed New England piety upon her. By the age of 13, she was composing verse and grew up to become a great poet in her own right. FTP, who was this early black poetess who gained considerable fame and celebrity in the 18th century and after?

\Phyllis WHEATLEY\

11. Take two numbers - one number is divided by the other, then the second by the remainder, the first remainder by the second remainder, the second by the third, etc. In algebra the same process can be applied to polynomials. It is a method of finding the greatest common divisor between two numbers. FTP, what is this method, named for the Greek mathematician who devised it?

/EUCLID'S ALGORITHM/

12. In 1781, by the terms of Catherine's Greek Scheme, the Russians were to recreate the Eastern Roman Empire for this 2 year old prince, a grandson of Catherine the Great. While the Austrians collaborated, the Russians would drive out the Turks. The scheme fell short of its original goal so he was never crowned. Never, not even after the 1825 death of his older brother apparently left him the throne of all the Russians. FTP, who was this Romanov prince, whose abdication for Nicholas sparked the Decembrist Revolt, a man named after the founder of the Byzantine capital?

\CONSTANTINE\

13. Start out at the Davis Strait. Sail up into Baffin Bay and veer to port side at the Lancaster Strait. Veer around N. Somerset Island and through the Melville Sound. Then just pass through the MacClure Strait and you are almost home. Once you make it into the Beaufort Sea, just head south at the Bering Strait. Theoretically one can this trip in warm weather, but it is not very practical. FTP, what legendary route have I just described, for which many searched in vain as an alternate route from Europe to the Far East?

\The NORTHWEST PASSAGE\

14. This is a more formal term than "villain." In literature, it refers to the character who opposes the main character, although occasionally in