1 Name these Hemingway characters, 10 points each.
[10] He is the protagonist of The Old Man and the Sea.
ANSWER: Santiago
[10] The protagonist of many Hemingway short stories, including "The Killers," he is often seen as Hemingway's alter ego.
ANSWER: Nick Adams [prompt on "Nick"]
[10] The main character of To Have and Have Not, he was played by Humphrey Bogart in a 1944 movie.
ANSWER: Harry or Harry Morgan

2 Name these operas from lovers, 10 points each.
[10] Leonore and Florestan
ANSWER: Fidelio [accept Leonore]
[10] Violetta and Alfredo
ANSWER: La Traviata
[1o] Erik and Senta
ANSWER: The Flying Dutchman or Der Fliegende Holländer

3 Today, it contains a total of 33 characters. 10 points each.
[10] Name this official alphabet of the Russian language.
ANSWER: Cyrillic
[10] Like St. Cyril, this saint was sent to Moravia in the $9^{\text {th }}$ century AD to bring an alphabet to the Slavs.
ANSWER: St. Methodius
[10] The language and alphabet originally used by Cyril and Methodius live on in the name of a mass by Czech composer Leos Janacek. Name either.
ANSWER: Old Church Slavonic or Old Church Slavic or Glagolitic [accept Msa Glagolskava]

4 Pencil and paper ready. Place the following countries in geographical order from north to south: Belarus;
Estonia; Latvia; Lithuania; Moldova; and the Ukraine. You will receive 5 points per correct answer, provided all answers are in the correct relative order. You must give at least two answers. You have io seconds.

ANSWER: Estonia $\square$, Latvia $\square$, Lithuania $\square$, $\underline{\text { Belarus } \square \text {, Ukraine } \square \text {, Moldova } \square}$

5 Name these Canadian bodies of water, 10 points each.
[10] This bay is bordered to the east by Greenland.
ANSWER: Baffin Bay
[1o] Banks Island and the Queen Elizabeth Islands are bordered to the west by this sea.
ANSWER: Beaufort Sea
[10] This large lake lies just south of Great Bear Lake in the Northwest Territories.
ANSWER: Great Slave Lake

6 Answer these questions about Germany's "long $19^{\text {th }}$ century," 10 points each.
[10] In what year was the Second Reich proclaimed?
ANSWER: $\underline{1871}$
[1o] Who claimed that "blood and iron" would solve the issues of German unification?
ANSWER: Prince Otto Eduard Leopold von Bismarck
[10] This eldery general designed and led Prussia's victory in the Franco-Prussian War.
ANSWER: Graf Helmuth Karl Bernhard von Moltke the Elder

7 30-20-10. Name the organization.
[30] Oliver Hudson Kelley, a Department of Agriculture worker, shocked by a tour of the South during Reconstruction, returned to Minnesota to found it.
[20] The most prominent court case resulting from its activities was 1877 's Munn v. Illinois.
[10] Also called the Patrons of Husbandry, it opposed the monopolistic practices of railroad magnates. ANSWER: National Grange [accept Patrons of Husbandry for 20 or 30 ]

8 He first postulated that elements' atomic weights might be multiples of the weight of hydrogen. 10 points each.
[1o] Name this English biochemist.
ANSWER: William Prout
[10] Prout's proposal was important enough that this scientist, who discovered the proton, named it after him.
ANSWER: Baron Ernest Rutherford of Nelson, of Cambridge
[10] Prout also discovered that this acid was a crucial component of gastric secretions.
ANSWER: $\underline{\mathrm{HCl}}$ or hydrochloric acid

9 Name the winning English generals at the following battles, 10 points each.
[10] Waterloo, 1815
[10] Blenheim, 1704
[10] Megiddo, 1918
ANSWER: Arthur Wellesley, $1^{\text {st }}$ Duke of Wellington
ANSWER: John Churchill, ${ }^{\text {st }}$ Duke of Marlborough
ANSWER: Edmund Henry Hynman Allenby

10 Conjoin the following people, 10 points each.
[10] The actor who played George on Seinfeld and a $13^{\text {th }}$ century Russian prince.
ANSWER: Jason Alexander Nevsky
[10] A Republican Senator from Colorado and the actor who played a Yale grad in Dying Young.
ANSWER: Ben(jamin) Nighthorse Campbell Scott [prompt on partial answer]
[10] David "Jill" Jilefsky on Jack \& Jill with the first pole vaulter to clear 20 feet.
ANSWER: Ivan Sergei Bubka

11 Name these Ibsen plays, 10 points each.
[10] Dr. Stockman finds an entire town set against him when insists the town's famed Baths are unsanitary and must be shut down for repairs.

## ANSWER: An Enemy of the People or En folkefiende

[10] Elida Wangel gives her soul to a traveling sailor. She has a happy marriage until the sailor returns.
ANSWER: The Lady from the Sea or Fruen fra havet
[10] In love with Manders, Helen marries Captain Alving instead. When her son comes home with syphilis, she must confront her past.
ANSWER: Ghosts or Gengangere

12 How well do you remember the Hardy Boys? 10 points per part.
[10] Five points each-what were the first names of the Hardy Boys?
ANSWER: Frank and Joe
[1o] Leslie McFarlane, among others, wrote the Hardy Boys series under this pseudonym.
ANSWER: Franklin W. Dixon
[10] This 1927 novel was the first Hardy Boys mystery.
ANSWER: The Tower Treasure

13 Dmitri Shostakovich, unlike many composers, lived to complete more than nine symphonies. 10 points each.
[10] How many symphonies did Shostakovich write?
ANSWER: 15
[1o] This popular symphony written in 1937 features a triumphant march in a minor key, a jab at Stalin.
ANSWER: Symphony No. 5 in D minor, Op. 47 [accept equivalents]
[10] Shostakovich's Symphony No. II is named after this year, the year the Treaty of Porstmouth was signed.
ANSWER: "The Year 1905"

14 Name these Thomas Hardy novels, 10 points each.
[1o] After a troubled marriage to Sergeant Troy and a love affair with Boldwood, an insane farmer, Bathsheba Everdene sees the purity of Gabriel Oak's love and marries him.
ANSWER: Far from the Madding Crowd
[10] During the Napoleonic Wars, Anne Garland is courted by Festus Derriman, Bob Loveday, and Bob's brother, John, the title character.

ANSWER: The Trumpet Major
[1o] Dick Dewey and Vicar Maybold both propose to young schoolmistress Fancy Day, but her newfound maturity compels her to marry Dick.
ANSWER: Under the Greenwood Tree

15 Name these measures of inflation, 10 points each.
[10] The most common measure, it uses the prices of a "basket" of consumer goods to gauge inflation.
ANSWER: CPI or Consumer Price Index or cost of living index
[10] Published with the GDP, this index measures the nominal part of GDP growth; it accounts for all national purchases, not just household purchases.
ANSWER: GDP deflator
[10] Most recently, Alan Greenspan has paid greater attention to this index which measures changes in labor costs.
ANSWER: ECI or employment cost index
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Answer these questions on the Peloponnesian Wars, 10 points each.
[10] The largest land battle of the war was fought in 418 BC near this city in Arcadia.
ANSWER: Mantinea
[10] The turning point of the war was Athens's disastrous expedition to this island in 415 BC .
ANSWER: Sicily
[10] This Athenian general, a friend of Socrates and relative of Pericles, suggested the expedition to Sicily; accused of blasphemy, he fled to Sparta.
ANSWER: Alcibiades

17 Name these international directors from a pair of films, for the stated number of points.
[5] The Monster, Life is Beautiful
ANSWER: Roberto Benigni
[10] Ride with the Devil, Sense and Sensibility
ANSWER: Ang Lee
[15] The Princess and the Warrior, Run Lola Run
ANSWER: Tom Tykwer [TIK-ver]

18 Name these sinners from Dante's Inferno, 10 points per part.
[10] For 5 points each-these two lovers are in the ring of lust for committing adultery after reading an Arthurian romance.

ANSWER: Paolo and Francesca
[1o] This great Florentine politician in the circle of heretics is still so proud "he holds all hell in his scorn." He delivers a prophecy on Dante's forthcoming exile.

ANSWER: Farinata
[10] Boniface VIII convinced this friar to help in the siege of Palestrina. As a reward, he was turned into a talking flame. His words open "The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock."

ANSWER: Guido da Montefeltro

19 They are the only surviving members of the subclass Prototheria. 10 points each.
[10] Name this order, with just three extant species, one of which is the platypus.
ANSWER: monotremes or Monotremata
[10] Monotremes belong to what taxonomic class?
ANSWER: $\underline{\text { Mammalia or mammals }}$
[1o] The other two species of monotremes are the short-beaked and long-beaked varieties of what animal?
ANSWER: echidna or spiny anteater
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$2030-20-10$, name the baseball team given some of its players.
[30] Rogers Hornsby, Pepper Martin, Marty Marion
[20] Dizzy Dean, Curt Flood, Bob Gibson
[10] Stan Musial, Lou Brock, Mark McGwire
ANSWER: St. Louis Cardinals [prompt on "St. Louis"]

21 Name these two- or three-dimensional conic sections, io points each.
[1o] Intersect a plane with the base of a cone at some angle so that it does not intersect the tip of the cone.
ANSWER: parabola
[1o] Intersect a plane with the cone without intersecting the base or passing through the tip of the cone.
ANSWER: ellipse [do not accept "circle"]
[10] Slice off the top of a cone parallel to the base.
ANSWER: frustum [prompt on "truncated cone"; do not accept "frustrum"]

22 Are squirrels sinister agents of darkness? 10 points each.
[10] This ill-mannered protagonist of a Beatrix Potter story loses part of his tail when he foolishly recites annoying riddles to an owl.
ANSWER: Squirrel Nutkin
[1o] When Dilbert wrote a computer program to predict the future, it told him squirrels will soon stage a coup, forcing all humans to work here.

ANSWER: in their nut mine(s) [accept equivalents]
[1o] In this 1963 Disney film based on a T.H. White Novel, young Wart's lessons are disrupted when he attracts the attention of a persistent, amorous female squirrel.
ANSWER: The Sword in the Stone

23 Name these men from the legend of the Seven Against Thebes, 10 points each.
[10] This son of Oedipus gathered the Seven to take Thebes back from his brother Eteocles. ANSWER: Polynices
[10] The Seven were primarily from this Greek city.
ANSWER: Argos
[10] This king of Argos, the leader of the expedition, was the only one of the Seven to survive.
ANSWER: Adrastus

24 30-20-10. Name the mythological figure.
[30] Born from nine virgins who raised him on a diet of the strength of the Earth, the moisture of the sea, and the heat of the sun, he grew to full size in just a few days.
[20] He sleeps lighter than a bird and can see one hundred travel days in all directions.
[10] He will blow the Gjallerhorn to call the Aesir to Ragnarok, where he will kill and be killed by Loki.
ANSWER: Heimdall(r)

25 Name these movies in which Christian Slater acts all crazy-like, 10 points each.
[1o] In this 1989 movie, Slater and Winona Ryder find love as they kill off a popular high school clique.
ANSWER: Heathers
[1o] Slater had a good reason for killing that pimp-Elvis's ghost told him to! Little surprise that Dennis Hopper plays Slater's father in this 1993 film with Patricia Arquette.
ANSWER: True Romance
[10] In this 1998 flop, Slater puts his own inimitable stamp on a Las Vegas bachelor party by murdering a security guard to conceal a stripper's death.
ANSWER: Very Bad Things

26 Name these early Christian heresies, 10 points each.
[10] This heresy, adopted by many Germanic barbarians, held that the Son was a created being, less than the Father.
ANSWER: Arianism
[1o] Emphasizing Christ's dual nature, and denying Mary the title "Mother of God," this heresy, denounced by the Council of Ephesus, was popular in Central and East Asia.
ANSWER: Nestorianism
[10] Started by Eutychius [yoo-TIH-kee-us], this quasi-heresy held that Christ had only one nature, divine. The Coptic Church is an outgrowth of it.

ANSWER: Monophysite or Monophysitism [do not accept "Aphthartodocetism"-Ed.]

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They include mosses and liverworts. 15 points each.
[15] Name this primitive division of green, seedless plants.
ANSWER: Bryophyta or bryophyte(s)
[15] All bryophytes use this system of reproduction involving a haploid, sexually reproducing gametophyte, and a diploid, asexual sporophyte.
ANSWER: alternation of generations [accept equivalents]

28 Name the countries in which you'll find these archaeological sites, 10 points each.
[1o] Newgrange
[10] Leptis Magna
[1o] Biskupin [bis-KOO-pin]

ANSWER: Ireland
ANSWER: Libya
ANSWER: Poland

