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ILLINOIS C- TOSSUPS

This is a round  
from Hell!

1. When an artist becomes known for a particular work, the other works of that artist may or may not become well known also. For ten points, name the series of cartoon panels that features such creations as Sheba, Bongo, Jeff, Binky and Akbar and is drawn by the same man who, every Thursday, brings you Maggie, Lisa, Marge, Homer and Bart.

Life in Hell

2. Besides its various gods and goddesses, Greek mythology included twelve Titans, sons and daughters of Gaia and Uranus. Each Titan is known for different things; for example, Atlas was charged with supporting the weight of the world. For ten points, <sup>name three of the</sup> ~~which~~ two Titans were responsible for creating all the rivers, streams, and springs in the world?

Oceanus and Tethys

3. A symphony orchestra includes various sections, including strings, brass and woodwinds. For a quick ten points, in what section would you find the historical musical instrument known as the virginal?

Percussion

4. He wrote The Tempest in 1670; he wrote Troilus and Cressida in 1679; and he wrote Amphitryon in 1690 -- all plays. Who was this seventeenth century English playwright who also produced Aureng-Zebe, The Conquest of Granada and Marriage a la Mode, and who is recognized as England's first Poet Laureate?

John Dryden

5. This architectural style originated on the Iberian peninsula in the late fifteenth and early sixteenth centuries and was eventually spread to the Latin American colonies. Foreign architects imposed certain elements of the Italian Renaissance onto the already prevalent Gothic style, but added much adornment in a foreshadowing of the Baroque. It is reflected largely in the University of Salamanca. For ten points, name this style that takes its name from the resemblance of the decoration carved in stone to the work of gold and silversmiths.

Plateresque

6. Any disorganized person, like the writer of this question, can tell you that neatness is overrated. This military man was known for his organizational skills, but in the end that didn't help his career. Name this man who, because he never got around to actually fighting an offensive war, was replaced as Commander of the Army of the Potomac during the Civil War.

George

B. McClellan

7. For hundreds of years, people have been idealistically establishing courts of law to settle disputes. For ten points, what is the official name of the judicial organ of the United Nations, known as the World Court?

International Court of Justice

8. This science fiction and fantasy author has been accused of being too prolific for his own good. His predilection for writing in series leads him to write two or three novels every year. Anyone who has read his longest series, currently at 10 books, knows that he is an environmentalist who lives in Florida and is fond of puns. Name this man, whose series include Biography of a Space Tyrant, Incarnations of Immortality, and Xanth.

Piers Anthony

9. Writers sometimes make titles for their novels from other people's quotations, hence Of Mice and Men or For Whom the Bell Tolls. For a quick ten points, give the sentence quoted from Shakespeare's Macbeth which provides titles for an Agatha Christie novel and a Ray Bradbury novel.

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"By the pricking of my thumbs, something  
wicked this way comes."

10. This man, at 5'4" and 100 pounds, was our shortest president and, though too frail to fight in the Revolution, was the first, (and probably only), president to engage in combat while in office when he briefly took command of an artillery battery during the War of 1812. Name him, our fourth president.

James Madison

11. By being able to explore more and more remote parts of the planet, scientists are often discovering new life forms. For example, in 1939, marine biologists discovered a fish, thought to have become extinct 70 million years ago, called the coelacanth (SEE-la-canth). For ten points, spell "coelacanth".

COELACANTH

12. This poet was born in 1881, and studied law for a year in Seville, Spain. In 1900, he moved to Madrid and published his first poems. He moved to the United States when the Spanish Civil War began, and taught at Duke University and the University of Maryland. His most important early work, Platero and I, is a sensitive account of his travels with his donkey, and his Diary of a Newly Married Poet tell of his experiences in the U.S. and the sea. His last important poetic work, 1949's Animal of Depth represents the summit of his spiritual union with the natural world. Name this Spanish poet, the last survivor of the Generation of 1898, who was unable to accept his 1956 Nobel Prize in Literature because his wife was ill in Puerto Rico.

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13. Madonna was in the news a while back, being her usual provocative self. Of course you know that her oh-so-controversial song was "Justify My Love" but, for a quick ten points, name her most recent album the song was taken from.

Immaculate Collection

14. Careers in professional football have been made and destroyed during the Super Bowl. For example, there is a man who now owns a nightclub in Dallas named Champagne whose only NFL reception in his career was a catch for a touchdown for the Dallas Cowboys in Super Bowl X. Name this man who had his fifteen minutes of fame fifteen years ago.

Percy Howard

15. This body of water, the world's highest lake navigable to large vessels, lies at 12,500 feet above sea level. It covers 3200 square miles and runs in a northwest-to-southeast direction for 120 miles. It is fed by more than 25 rivers, and drained by one small one, plus evaporation. Name this lake, home to the navy of a land-locked country, buried in the Andes Mountains.

Lake Titicaca

16. Although Jack London is very well known for his adventure novels, such as Call of the Wild and White Fang, he also wrote some socially conscious Socialistic science fiction. Name the book by Jack London that concerns a violent socialist uprising against capitalist oppressors.

The Iron Heel

17. Nobel prizes have been given out since 1901, and I'm positive you could remember that Gorbachev won this year's peace prize, and probably even that Oscar Arias won last year's, but, for ten points, can you tell me who won the first Nobel Peace Prize?

Jean H. Dunant or Founder,  
International Red Cross

18. Pencils ready. If your hand consists of the four of spades, five of hearts, six of hearts, Jack of clubs, and the starter card is the five of clubs, how many points is your hand worth in cribbage? You have 15 seconds.

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19. Puberty, divorce, scoliosis, and obesity are just some of the topics dealt with by this author of teenage fiction. While not all of these books have been critical successes, their popularity among adolescents stems from this woman's ability to accurately portray common stressful situations and how they can be overcome. She received more acclaim for her humorous novels about a young boy's relationship with his younger brother. Name this author of Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing and Are You There, God? It's Me, Margaret.

Judy Blume

~~20.~~ Jeremy Bentham, the philosopher has not been forgotten, for his body still sits preserved at Oxford University, but do you remember the name of the philosophical movement he founded, which dictated that the goal of life was to bring the greatest good to the greatest number?

Utilitarianism

~~21.~~ This man, born in 1796, was known as the Father of American Public Education. As a legislator in the Massachusetts House of Representatives and Senate, he was instrumental in the creation of the state board of education. His most significant writings are the twelve annual reports that were issued during his tenure as secretary of the Massachusetts state board. Name this man who, along with his supporters, pioneered the organization of teacher's institutes and the establishment of state-supported normal schools.

Horace Mann

~~22.~~ This city has a population of close to 10 million people. It is located on the Arabian Sea, and occupies a group of former islands united by landfills and breakwaters. Its traditional prosperity is founded on the cotton-textile industry. Its educational and cultural resources include the Haffkine Institute for bacteriological research, the Tata Institute, and the Prince of Wales Museum. Name this city which is the financial and commercial center of India.

Bombay

~~23.~~ We all know that the Greeks, the Egyptians and the Mayans were probably the first cultures to gather a great deal of knowledge about astronomy. For a quick ten points, which Greek mathematician was the first man to attempt to create a star map?

Eudoxus

24. It is not uncommon for prisoners on death row to appeal their cases over and over again in an attempt to prolong their lives. But the state of Illinois has been offered an awkward deal; one man will admit to killing some 20 other people in exchange for life without parole. Name this man who recently admitted to killing an Indiana man with the help of an Indiana State University professor.

Larry Eyler

25. This singer/songwriter was born in Peoria, Illinois in 1951. He spent two years at the University of Illinois studying painting before he got a contract with Columbia Records. While he never had many hit singles, his relaxed, introspective version of folk/country-rock has earned him 2 gold records and at least four platinum albums, including

Twin Sons of Different Mothers and The Innocent Age. Name this artist, whose singles include "The Leader of the Band" and "Longer".

Dan Fogelberg

26. Often we try to quote things from literature, but err egregiously and mangle the passage. The oft-quoted "Alas, poor Yorick, I knew him well" is pretty close to what Hamlet actually said, but, for ten points, what word should be in the place of "well"?

"Horatio"

27. Opera composers are not known for the autobiographical quality of their works. Most fans of Gilbert and Sullivan's comic operettas know quite a bit about the works themselves, but much less about the men who wrote them. For ten points, give the first and middle names of W.S. Gilbert.

William Schwenck

28. Paul Dirac was a brilliant theorist of the early 20th century, and made many important contributions to the field of quantum physics. For his work on electron theory, he was awarded the 1933 Nobel Prize in Physics. For ten points, with whom did he share this honor?

Schrodinger

28. The psychologists Wertheimer, Koffka, Kohler, and Lewin would be most closely associated with, for ten points, what form of psychology which claims that individuals perceive organized patterns, not simply individual parts added together?

Gestalt

29. The Fantastiks is one of the longest running musicals ever off-Broadway. For a quick ten points, what are the names of the romantic leads, known as "the boy" and "the girl" in The Fantastiks

Luisa and Matt



ILLINOIS C- BONUSES

(25) 1. Here's a query for inquisitive minds. Identify these words which begin with the letter "q"

- 5 a) the British slang for a pound sterling quid
- 5 b) a period of the Cenozoic Era Quaternary
- 5 c) the first anti-malaria drug quinine
- 5 d) 24 or 25 sheets of paper quire
- 5 e) a French Physiocrat minister Quesnay

2. If there is anything constant in the names of countries it is that they will always change. I will say the former official names of countries and you tell me their current official names. (20)

- a) Upper Volta Burkina Faso
- b) ~~Republic of the Ivory Coast~~ Republic of Cote d'Ivoire
- c) Socialist Republic of Burma Union of Myanmar
- d) People's Republic of Kampuchea State of Cambodia
- e) Czechoslovak Socialist Republic Czech and Slovak Federal Republic

3. Often it seems as though only men have made any significant advances in science, but this is not so. Many women have also made scientific advances. I'll give you the contribution and you give me the woman's name. (30)

- a) She produced a catalog of 1249 galaxies in collaboration with Harlow Shapely.  
Adelaide Ames
- b) This woman made important contributions to mathematics by generalizing Cauchy's work on partial differential equations.  
Sonya Kovalevsky
- c) She was the first woman to become a professor in France.  
Marie Curie

4. The all time leader in home runs in the major leagues is, as every sports fan should know, Henry "Hank" Aaron, a right-handed hitter who played the majority of his career in the National League. Your mission, should you decide to accept it, is to name the other five leaders in home runs for both current major leagues in all three batting styles.

(25)

- 5 a) Left-handed, American George "Babe" Ruth

- b) Right-handed, American     Harmon Killebrew
- 5 c) Switch-hitter, American     Mickey Mantle
- d) Left-handed, National     Willie McCovey
- e) Switch-hitter, National     Pete Rose

5. Identify this inventor for 30 points on the first clue, 20 on the second, and 10 on the third.

(30)a) He was born in Croatia, then part of Austria-Hungary, in 1856, came to the U.S. in 1884, where he worked closely with Thomas Edison for a time, and he is credited with discovering the rotating magnetic field, the basis of most alternating current machinery.

(20)b) Among the things named for him is a coil used today in radio and television sets and other electronic equipment, and also there is a unit of magnetic induction or magnetic flux density equal to one Weber per meter squared, that is named for him.

(10)c) If the first two clues haven't helped, maybe it would help to know that a heavy metal band also bears his name.

Nicola Tesla

6. Everyone knows that Zeus was a very promiscuous god in Greek mythology. Also everyone knows that he was married to Hera. But it is not so well known that he had six other wives before Hera. So the question is, who were these other six women? You'll get 5 points for every correct answer. (25 points)

Metis, Themis, Eurynome, Demeter, Mnemosyne, Leto (not Leda)

7. Yes, the moment you've waited for is almost here. The epic literature of India is coming to public television! Given the following descriptions of Indian epic literature, you will receive 10 points for naming one title, or 25 points for both.

a) Mostly the creation of one single poet, this poem, probably from the third or fourth century B.C., recounts the life of its inherently pure hero, from his birth as the son of a great king, to his banishment, to his fights with the demon Ravana, to his eventual entrance into heaven to become Vishnu.

Ramayana

b) This epic, believed to be composed somewhat later than the Ramayana, is basically the story of the Kauravas and the Pandavas and

the wars between them, often interrupted by fables, legends, genealogies and philosophical narratives.

Mahabharata

8. April 15 is coming up. As you prepare to do your taxes, you'd better know your tax terminology. For 5 points each, given a definition of a tax term, you give me the word.
- 5 A. An amount which may be subtracted from the computed tax (credit)
  - 5 B. An amount which may be subtracted from income before the tax is computed. (deduction)
  - 5 C. A write-off for tax purposes of the cost of a tangible asset over its estimated life (depreciation)
  - D. The writeoff of the cost of an intangible asset over time (amortization)
  - 5 E. A writeoff of natural resources, such as oil or coal, as they are used up. (depletion)

9. Many well-known people had not-so-well-known former occupations. For instance, few people would know that Howard Cosell used to be a lawyer, or that Desi Arnaz was a bird-cage cleaner before teaming up with Lucy. (20)

1/4 a) For ten points, which 33rd president of the United States used to be a haberdasher?  
Harry Truman

1/4 b) For another ten points, what is a haberdasher?

A dealer in men's clothing: shirts, ties, gloves, hats, etc. (Accept any similar answer.)

10. If you can read my mind, you should do pretty well with this question. I'll describe four general types of extra-sensory perception and, for five points apiece, you see if you can give me the parapsychological term for the phenomenon. (20 points)

- 5 a) The sending of thoughts, feelings, or knowledge from one person to another. telepathy
- b) An awareness of objects, events or persons, without the aid of the known senses or telepathic help from another person. clairvoyance
- c) Knowledge of a future event. precognition
- 5 d) Psychological control of physical objects. Psychokinesis or Telekinesis



11. Classical music bonuses often consist of "who composed what". Let's see what you know about the music itself.

Match the following musical terms to their definitions.

(25) col legno, episode, inversion, pitch, syncopation.

(Answers given at the end only).

5 a) the intermediate or secondary sections of a fugue or rondo. episode

5 b) the string player bounces the wood of the bow on the string instead of the hair. col legno

5 c) the elimination of an accent or the displacement of a strong beat. syncopation

5 d) an interval when the lower note is placed an octave above or the upper note is placed an octave below. inversion

5 e) the relative position of a note in a series. pitch

12. Let's see how well you know your economic history. I will name a theory of economics, and you give the name, for ten points, of the famous economist or philosopher associated with it. (30)

10 a) "the invisible hand" Adam Smith

b) the labor theory of value Karl Marx

10 c) the theory that all mankind would sooner or later starve because the earth's population was increasing geometrically while the food supply would remain constant.

Thomas Malthus

13. This bonus is just a simple list. You will receive 20 points for naming four of Jupiter's moons, 25 points for naming five, or 30 points if you can name six.

Io, Europa, Ganymede, Callisto, Amalthea, Himalia, Elara, Pasiphae, Sinope, Lysithea, Carme, Ananke, Leda, Thebe, Adrastea, Metis

14. God only knows how some countries came up with their names, but here are some that you should be able to figure out, for ten points apiece. (20)

a) What is the only country named for Jesus Christ? El Salvador (the savior)

- b) What is the only country named for a royal family? Saudi Arabia (the Saud family)

15. We already talked about the sections of a symphony orchestra. For 5 points each, tell which sections the following instruments belong in. (20)

- a) the bombard woodwinds  
b) the medieval sackbut brass  
c) the rebec strings  
d) the lute strings

16. Every state has several major cities. For five points each, give the one of the eight major compass points (north, northeast, east, southeast, etc.) you would go to travel from the first of these cities to the second. (30)

- a) Nashville, TN to Chattanooga, TN southeast  
b) Oklahoma City, OK to Dallas, TX south  
c) Montgomery, AL to Jackson, MS west  
d) Charleston, WV to Cleveland, OH north  
e) Amarillo, TX to El Paso, TX southwest  
f) Bismarck, ND to Duluth, MN east

17. I'll give you the short story or novel a famous science fiction writer has written, and you give me the author. (25)

- a) "'Repent, Harlequin!'" Said the Ticktockman" Harlan Ellison  
b) The Sirens of Titan Kurt Vonnegut, Jr.  
c) Slan A.E. van Vogt  
d) Jesus on Mars Philip Jose Farmer  
e) Have Space Suit- Will Travel Robert Heinlein

18. I'll name a rap song and you tell me the name of the rapper or group who sings it. (20)

- a) "The Boomin' System" L.L. Cool J.  
b) "33% God" The Beastie Boys  
c) "The Steve Martin" E.P.M.D.

d) "I Ain't Trippin'"      Too Short

19. Do you remember anything from high school English lit?  
For five points apiece, see if you can recognize these four  
metric feet used in poetry from their descriptions. (20)

(Answers given at the end only)

a) Two unstressed syllables followed by one  
stressed syllable, as in "contravene".  
Anapestic or Anapest

b) An unstressed syllable followed by a  
stressed syllable, as in "return".  
Iambic or Iamb

c) One stressed syllable followed by two  
unstressed syllables, as in "merrily".  
Dactylic or Dactyl

d) One stressed syllable followed by an  
unstressed syllable, as in "double".  
Trochaic or Trochee

20. Many famous Frenchmen have had an impact on American  
history. Let's see if you can recognize these two from  
their descriptions for ten points each. (20)

a) His book De la Democratie en l'Amerique  
published in 1835, was one of the first  
penetrating analyses of American politics.  
Alexis de Tocqueville

b) This admiral served the cause of the  
American Revolution by holding the  
entrance to Chesapeake Bay and  
defeating the British naval force  
under the command of Admiral Thomas  
Graves.  
Comte de Grasse

21. I'll give you a song from a musical, and you have to  
give me the musical it came from. (25)

a) "When I Went to the Bar as a Very Young Man"  
Iolanthe

b) "Nobody on Nobody's Side"  
Chess

c) "Red Wine and a Wench"  
Lock Up Your Daughters

d) "Sincere"  
The Music Man

e) "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue"  
On Your Toes

22. For ten points each, name the three players who were voted into the Baseball Hall of Fame in 1991. (30)

Gaylord Perry, Ferguson Jenkins, Rod Carew

23. I'll name some fundamental constants of nature and you tell me what they are. For example, if I said  $3.0 \times 10^8$  meters/second you would say the speed of light. (30)

a)  $6.67 \times 10^{-11}$  Newton meters<sup>2</sup>/kilograms<sup>2</sup>  
G or the Gravitational Const

b)  $1.60 \times 10^{-19}$  Coulombs  
e or the elementary charge

c)  $1.67 \times 10^{-27}$  kilograms  
Rest mass of a proton

24. It would be silly to ask who painted "The Birth of Venus" or "Guernica", but it might not be so silly to ask where they can be found. For five points each, match these works of art to the following American museums: National Gallery of Art (Washington, D.C.), Philadelphia Museum of Art, Metropolitan Museum of Art (NYC), Phillips Collection (Washington, D.C.), Museum of Modern Art (NYC). (25)

a) Leutze's "Washington Crossing the Delaware"  
Metropolitan

b) Velazquez's head of "Pope Innocent X"  
National Gallery

c) Picasso's "Les Demoiselles d'Avignon"  
Museum of Modern Art

d) Duchamp's "Nude Descending a Staircase"  
Philadelphia Museum

e) Renoir's "Luncheon of the Boating Party"  
Phillips Collection

25. The Greeks and Romans had a similar religious structure but different names for the deities. I'll name you the Greek god and you give me the name of the equivalent god in Rome. (20)

a) Hestia  
Vesta

b) Apollo  
Apollo

c) Dionysus  
Bacchus

d) Eros  
Cupid or Amor