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PACKET 1

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--- TOSSUPS ---

1. It is a machine for directly converting kinetic or thermal energy of a flowing fluid into useful rotational energy. The fluid may be air, hot gas, steam or water. This either pushes against a set of blades mounted on the drive shaft, or turns the shaft by reaction when the fluid is expelled from nozzles. Water ones were the first to be developed. They can be impulse or reaction. FTP, what is this device, the first one steam powered one of which was invented in the 1880's by Charles A. Parsons? (turbine)
2. "The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects, and against (blank) (blank) and (blank) shall not be violated." FTP, what three words are missing from this quote of the Fourth Amendment to the Constitution? (unreasonable searches and seizures)
3. In the search for benefits to company employees which don't actually cost the company anything, the Holy Grail might be said to be the ESOP (read: ee-sop), which not only doesn't cost anything, but gives the company more capital. FTP, what does ESOP stand for? (Employee Stock Ownership Plan)
4. It includes the Cabinet Mountains at its north end and the Beaverhead Mountains at the south end. FTP, what range in the Rockies is this which forms the border of Idaho and Montana and sounds like something unpleasant to the taste? (Bitterroot range)
5. The Book of Matthew in the New Testament makes much of Messianic prophecies in its telling of the Gospels. One of the central prophecies is "Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel." FTP, what Old Testament book sets forth this prophecy? (Isaiah)
6. On August 13, 1704, an English Army, with Austrian troops under Eugene of Savoy, defeated a superior French and Bavarian force in Bavaria. This battle in the War of the Spanish Succession ended Louis XIV's hopes of mastering Europe. FTP, what was this battle, won by the Duke of Marlborough? (Blenheim)

7. "As I remember, Adam, it was upon this fashion -- bequeathed me by will but poor a thousand crowns, and as thou say'st, charged my brother, on his blessing, to breed me well: and there begins my sadness." FTP, so begins what Shakespeare comedy? (As You Like It)
8. The Bells, Caprice Bohemian, Aleko, Symphonic Dances, Vespers, Elegiac Trio, Variations on a Theme by Corelli, Etudes-Tableaux and Isle of the Dead. FTP, these pieces are all by what Russian composer? (Sergei Rachmaninoff)
9. The Lady Byng Memorial, The Calder Memorial, The James Norris Memorial, The Hart Memorial, The Ross and The Vezina. FTP, if your teammates won these trophies, what sport would they be playing? (ice hockey)
10. Ever since we found out who killed Laura Palmer, Twin Peaks' viewership has been plummeting. The animalistic Bob, of course, got Leland Palmer to do his dirty work, but for a quick 10 points, what specific kind of creature was always associated with the ethereal Bob? (an owl)
11. Fred T. Goldberg, Jr., is the Commissioner. Its toll-free number is 1-800-424-1040. It is a bureau of the Treasury. FTP, what is this government agency which keeps the post offices busy in April? (Internal Revenue Service)
12. Perugino was the teacher of Raphael. FTP, was Verrocchio the art teacher of Michelangelo, Leonardo da Vinci, Titian or Rubens? (Da Vinci)
13. Only about 5,000 members of this tribe survive, mostly on reservations in Oklahoma and Wyoming. A tribe of the Algonquin family, they were nomadic buffalo hunters on the Great Plains. Fierce enemies of white settlement, they were eventually forced onto reservations. FTP, what is the 4-syllable name of this tribe? (Arapahoe)
14. A Ditty in Praise of Eliza, Queen of the Shepherds; Prothalamion; Epithalamion; Daphnaida; and Easter are all lesser works of this poet which are contained in the Oxford Book of English Verse. Nonetheless, his fame today rests primarily upon a massive unfinished and basically impenetrable verse allegory. FTP, who is this author of the Faerie Queene? (Edmund Spenser)
15. It was sold as a sedative by a small German pharmaceutical firm, Grünenthal, from 1958 to 1961. Unfortunately, it was marketed without adequate pretesting in animals, and produced an epidemic of severely deformed infants. FTP, what is this drug? (Thalidomide)

16. Nadine Strosser, a 40-year old professor of constitutional law at New York Law School was recently elected to be the first woman president of a 71-year old organization. FTP, what is this organization previously headed by Norman Dorsen of NYU since 1976? (American Civil Liberties Union or ACLU)
17. It seems like the U.S. flag is all over because of the war with Iraq, but you seldom see the Iraqi flag. FTP, what two colors are shared by the U.S. and Iraqi flags? (red and white)
18. Born in 342 B.C. of Athenian parents, he went to Asia Minor at age 18 and fell under the spell of the philosophy of Democritus. He founded a school of his own at 30, which flourished for 37 years in Athens. The central aim of his doctrine is undisturbed peacefulness. FTP, who is this philosopher who held that the prime good was pleasure and that the soul is made of atoms which are scattered from the body at death? (Epicurus)
19. There's hardly anyone in the U.S. who doesn't know the words to this song. The lyrics are by Jack Norworth. The composer, Albert von Tilzer, who introduced it to vaudeville in 1908 didn't see his first baseball game until 20 years later. FTP, what is this 7th-inning stretch song regularly butchered by Harry Carey? (Take Me Out to the Ball Game)
20. Tosca, Rienzi, Manon Lescaut, Madame Butterfly and La Boheme. FTP, which of these operas is not by Puccini? (Rienzi, by Wagner)
21. They were active from 1830-70 in the vicinity of Paris. FTP, what is the name of this group of French painters of natural and rural subjects, members of whom include Theodore Rousseau, Jean Baptiste, Camille Corot and Jean Millet? (Barbizon School)
22. It is a silvery-gray metal in Group VIB of the periodic table. Its atomic number is 74, and it was discovered in 1783. Its main uses are in steel alloys for high-temperature applications, and for filaments of incandescent lamps. FTP, what is this metal which resembles molybdenum? (tungsten)
23. The Union Army under Grant was forced back by the surprise onslaught of a 40,000 member Confederate army under General Johnson. This reinforced Union army routed the Confederates in a counterattack the next day. Casualties exceeded 10,000 on each side. FTP, what was this battle fought April 6-7, 1862 at Pittsburgh Landing, Tennessee? (Shiloh; if Pittsburgh Landing is given, ask for more information.)

24. The Trail of the Meat, the Law of the Meat, the Battle of the Fangs and Born of the Wild. FTP, these are all chapter headings from what Jack London work recently made into a film by Disney? (White Fang)
25. It has a weak but permanent magnetic field. This planet rotates over a period of 59 days, not quite equalling its orbital period of 88 days, although they were once believed to be equivalent. The daytime temperature appears to be about 800°F and the night temperature to approach -300°F. FTP, what is this planet, known largely from the visit of Mariner 10 in 1974 and 1975? (Mercury)

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--- BONI ---

(30) 1. It seems everyone asks about Washington's first Cabinet. FTP, identify these later Washington cabinet members:

- a. Washington's second Secretary of State, he was also the first Attorney General. (Edmund Randolph)
- b. Washington's second Secretary of War, he was also the third Secretary of State and later a secessionist and bitter enemy of Jefferson and Madison. (Timothy Pickering)
- c. Washington's third Secretary of War was from Maryland, and a famous Baltimore fort was named for him. (James McHenry)

(30) 2. ~~30~~20-10. Identify the American author from the following works:

- a. A Temple of the Holy Ghost, A Late Encounter with the Enemy and The Displaced Person
- b. The Life You Save May be Your Own, Everything That Rises Must Converge
- c. Good Country People, A Good Man is Hard to Find (Flannery O'Connor)

(20) 3. Two of the earliest electronic computers were the ENIAC and UNIVAC I. FTP each, what do ENIAC and UNIVAC stand for? (Electronic Numerical Integrator and Calculator; Universal Automatic Computer)

(20) 4. One of the safer investments are U.S. savings bonds.

- a. For 10 points, what series of savings bond is bought at a 50% discount, paying face value 5 years later? (Series EE)
- b. For 10 more, what series of savings bond is not sold at discount and pays interest in semi-annual checks? (Series H)

- (20) 5. We seem bombarded with airplane numbers and nicknames as a result of the Persian Gulf War. FTP each, what is the Alphanumeric designation of the following planes?
- a. The Air Force Warthog (A-10)
 - b. The Navy Intruder (A-6)
- (25) 6. For 5 points each, and a 5 point bonus for all of them, identify the four Russian Republics bordering on the Caspian Sea. (Turkmen, Turkmenistan, or Turkistan; Kazakh or Kazakhstan; Azerbaijan; Russia)
- (30) 7. Sure, you know the names of famous compositions, but do you know them to look at? (See attached sheet.) Here are the first few bars of 3 great pieces for keyboard. F5P each, give the composer and the name of the piece.
- a. Beethoven, Moonlight Sonata or Sonata op. 27 No. 2
 - b. Liszt, Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2
 - c. Johann Sebastian Bach, Toccata and Fugue in D minor
- (25) 8. The god of the Philistines, as recorded in the Book of Judges in the Old Testament, his name resembles the Hebrew word for fish. The idol is thus believed to have represented a fish god, and may have been a merman. He appears in the roster of fallen angels in Milton's "Paradise Lost". The god is also mentioned in first Samuel when the ark of the covenant was captured by the Philistines and taken into this god's temple. He was found the next morning fallen upon his face and his head and hands cut off. In more recent times, the name was adopted by H.P. Lovecraft as the name of a fish god in his Mythos. For 25 points, what is the name of this god? (Dagon)
- (30) 9. Muhammad Ali gained and lost the heavyweight boxing title more often than anyone but Howard Cosell can remember. FTP each, identify these heavyweight champs.
- a. He knocked out Archie Moore in 1956 at age 21 to become the youngest heavyweight champ to that time, lost the title to Ingemar Johansson in 1959, but regained it in 1960. (Floyd Patterson)
 - b. He defeated Jack Dempsey in 1926, then abandoned the title in 1928. (Gene Tunney)
 - c. The title was declared vacant in 1967 when this boxer refused to fulfill his military obligations. (Cassius Clay or Muhammad Ali)

(20) 10. Edward Scissorhands, directed by Tim Burton, is one of the most unlikely entries into the box office competition. For 5 points each, answer these questions about the off-beat film:

- a. Who plays the pathetic "unfinished" Edward? (Johnny Depp)
- b. Who plays the Avon lady who finds Edward and brings him home? (Dianne Wiest)
- c. Who plays the Avon lady's daughter who eventually comes to love Edward? (Winona Ryder)
- d. In what other Tim Burton film does Winona Ryder (in black hair) appear? (Beetlejuice)

(25) 11. A cygnet is a young swan, and a joey is a young kangaroo. For 5 points each, what animals have young named as follows:

- a. elver (eel)
- b. smolt (salmon)
- c. leveret (hare)
- d. squab (pigeon)
- e. farrow (pig)

12. Rembrandt painted The Night Watch. F5P each, who painted the following?

- a. Equestrian portrait of Charles I (Anthony Van Dyck)
- b. Susanna Lunden (Peter Paul Rubens)
- c. Philip IV of Spain in Brown and Silver (Diego Velasquez)
- d. Landscape With a Man Killed by a Snake (Nicolas Poussin)

(20) 13. This question will take some backbone to answer -- or at least knowledge of the backbone.

- a. For 5 points each, what are the two top neck vertebrae called? (atlas and axis)
- b. For 5 more, what are the bones between the thoracic and sacral vertebrae? (lumbar)
- c. Finally, for 5 last points, what name is given to the 3 or 4 fused vertebrae commonly called the tailbone? (coccyx)

(30) 14. For 5 points each, identify the Greek or Roman playwright of the following:

- a. The Cyclops (Euripides)
- b. Plutus (Aristophanes)
- c. Seven Against Thebes (Aeschylus)
- d. Amphitryon (Plautus)
- e. The Eunuch (Terence)
- f. The Wasps (Aristophanes)

(20) 15. Note the following principles: freedom of religion, interstate commerce, child labor, election funds. Now match them to the following Supreme Court cases. 5 points each: Gibbons v. Ogden, Buckley v. Valeo, Sherbert v. Verner, Hammer v. Degenhardt. (religion = Sherbert; commerce = Gibbons; child labor = Hammer, elections = Buckley)

(20) 16. Thomas Wolfe wrote "Of Time and the River". For 20 points, what modern composer won the 1968 Pulitzer Prize in Music for "Echoes of Time and the River"? (George Crumb)

(20) 17. Elvis regularly gets made the butt of jokes, which is probably not unreasonable considering the tabloid coverage he gets. In 1989, an avant-garde musical group from San Francisco released an album of warped versions of Elvis songs linked by a narration of a doomed and unhappy Baby King.

- a. FTP, what band is this that released "The King and Eye"? (The Residents)
- b. The Residents recently toured the world with a show covering the history of American music. The entire second half is devoted to "The King and Eye". FTP, what is the name of this show, which also includes segments called "Buckaroo Blues" and "Black Barry"? (Cube-E)

(25) 18. Can you accommodate me and reach a consensus on the mischievous and possibly sacrilegious question I'm about to embarrass you with? For 5 points each, spell:

- a. accommodate
- b. consensus
- c. mischievous
- d. sacrilegious
- e. embarrass

- (30) 19. Sure, you can put all the English kings and queens since the Norman Conquest in chronological order, but what about pre-Norman rulers? F5P each, put the following English rulers (not necessarily kings) in chronological order. Aethelstan, Aethelbert, Aethelbald, Alfred, Agricola and Vortigern. (Agricola, Vortigern, Aethelbert, Aethelbald, Alfred, Aethelstan)
- (30) 20. 30-20-10. Identify the author from works by that author.
- a. Diddling Considered as One of the Exact Sciences, The Balloon-Hoax, The Homo-Camelo Pard, Some Words with a Mummy
 - b. Von Kempelen and His Discovery, Why the Little Frenchman Wears His Hand in a Sling, Never Bet the Devil Your Head
 - c. Tale of the Rugged Mountains, Imp of the Perverse, The Oblong Box.
(Edgar Allan Poe)
- (30) 21. You all know about Gondwanaland and Laurasia. F15 points each, in what geological period did each of the following events occur?
- a. Pangaea begins to split into Gondwanaland and Laurasia (Jurassic)
 - b. Greenland splits from Asia and North America (Tertiary)
- (20) 22. A follower of Parmenides, this philosopher was born about 490 B.C. Plato reports that he met Socrates in Athens. He produced a variation on the reductio ad absurdum argument which shows that two contradictory conclusions are derivable from an assumption contrary to that being proved, so the assumption is not only false, it is impossible. He argued against the notion of a unit and infinite space. He is famous for four paradoxes of motion, the most important being the story of Achilles and the tortoise. For 20 points, who is the Eleatic philosopher? (Zeno)
- (20) 23. During the 1830's, a series of small skirmishes over the Maine-New Brunswick border was glorified with the title of a war.
- a. FTP, what was this war called? (Aroostook War)
 - b. For 10 more points, what treaty settled the boundary dispute? (Webster-Ashburton)

(30) 24. FTP each, what Shakespeare play contains the following events?

- a. Joan of Arc is burned at the stake. (Henry VI Part One)
- b. The Battle of Actium (Anthony & Cleopatra)
- c. The Battle of Agincourt (Harry V)

Der Gräfin Julio Guicciardi gewidmet.

A

Adagio sostenuto.

Si deve suonare tutto questo pezzo delicatissimamente e senza sordini.

1) *sempre pianissimo e senza sordini*

Handwritten annotations: *a 5* above the first measure, *1 2 4* above the third measure.

B

Lento a capriccio

f marcato

Handwritten annotations: *poco rit.* above the second measure, *più rit.* above the third measure.

C

Adagio

Handwritten annotations: *ff* above the first measure, *1 2 4* below the first measure, *2 4* below the second measure, *2 4* below the third measure.

A

Prestissimo

poco rit.

p cresc.

Handwritten annotations: *Dm* above the first measure, *3* above the second measure, *3* above the third measure, *3* above the fourth measure, *3* above the fifth measure, *3* above the sixth measure, *3* above the seventh measure, *3* above the eighth measure, *3* above the ninth measure, *3* above the tenth measure, *3* above the eleventh measure, *3* above the twelfth measure, *3* above the thirteenth measure, *3* above the fourteenth measure, *3* above the fifteenth measure, *3* above the sixteenth measure, *3* above the seventeenth measure, *3* above the eighteenth measure, *3* above the nineteenth measure, *3* above the twentieth measure, *3* above the twenty-first measure, *3* above the twenty-second measure, *3* above the twenty-third measure, *3* above the twenty-four measure, *3* above the twenty-fifth measure, *3* above the twenty-six measure, *3* above the twenty-seventh measure, *3* above the twenty-eighth measure, *3* above the twenty-ninth measure, *3* above the thirtieth measure, *3* above the thirty-first measure, *3* above the thirty-second measure, *3* above the thirty-third measure, *3* above the thirty-four measure, *3* above the thirty-fifth measure, *3* above the thirty-six measure, *3* above the thirty-seventh measure, *3* above the thirty-eighth measure, *3* above the thirty-ninth measure, *3* above the fortieth measure, *3* above the forty-first measure, *3* above the forty-second measure, *3* above the forty-third measure, *3* above the forty-four measure, *3* above the forty-fifth measure, *3* above the forty-six measure, *3* above the forty-seventh measure, *3* above the forty-eighth measure, *3* above the forty-ninth measure, *3* above the fiftieth measure, *3* above the fifty-first measure, *3* above the fifty-second measure, *3* above the fifty-third measure, *3* above the fifty-four measure, *3* above the fifty-fifth measure, *3* above the fifty-six measure, *3* above the fifty-seventh measure, *3* above the fifty-eighth measure, *3* above the fifty-ninth measure, *3* above the sixtieth measure, *3* above the sixty-first measure, *3* above the sixty-second measure, *3* above the sixty-third measure, *3* above the sixty-four measure, *3* above the sixty-fifth measure, *3* above the sixty-six measure, *3* above the sixty-seventh measure, *3* above the sixty-eighth measure, *3* above the sixty-ninth measure, *3* above the seventieth measure, *3* above the seventy-first measure, *3* above the seventy-second measure, *3* above the seventy-third measure, *3* above the seventy-four measure, *3* above the seventy-fifth measure, *3* above the seventy-six measure, *3* above the seventy-seventh measure, *3* above the seventy-eighth measure, *3* above the seventy-ninth measure, *3* above the eightieth measure, *3* above the eighty-first measure, *3* above the eighty-second measure, *3* above the eighty-third measure, *3* above the eighty-four measure, *3* above the eighty-fifth measure, *3* above the eighty-six measure, *3* above the eighty-seventh measure, *3* above the eighty-eighth measure, *3* above the eighty-ninth measure, *3* above the ninetieth measure, *3* above the ninety-first measure, *3* above the ninety-second measure, *3* above the ninety-third measure, *3* above the ninety-four measure, *3* above the ninety-fifth measure, *3* above the ninety-six measure, *3* above the ninety-seventh measure, *3* above the ninety-eighth measure, *3* above the ninety-ninth measure, *3* above the hundred measure.