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1 To the east, Turkmenistan and Kazakstan; to the west Russia and Azerbaijan; and to the South, Iran. For 5 points identify this body of water into which the Ural and Volga rivers flow.

A. Caspian Sea

2 Food stored in a chicken's crop eventually moves into this organ where strong muscular contractions grind it to a gritty pulp. For 5 points, what is this organ that sometimes finds its way into Thanksgiving Day stuffing ?

A. the gizzard

3 He modeled himself after Charles II , complete with lace, flowing curls and a feathered cap, and was recently played by actor Dustin Hoffman. For 5 points who was this dastardly sea captain and nemesis of Peter Pan ?

A. Captain Hook.

4 The Sherman Antitrust Act is passed. Wyoming is admitted as a state. Yosemite National Park is created, and the Battle of Wounded Knee is fought. These events all occurred in the first year of the "gay" decade. For 5 points, what was this year?

A. 1890

5 The word derives from the Portugese for "race" or "breed" and according to some estimates there are more than 3000 of them on the Indian subcontinent. First referred to in the Rig Veda, there were originally only 4. For 5 points, what are these heirarchical social divisions common to all religious groups in India.

A. castes

6 Born into a princely family in Nepal he began having visions and left his family at age 29. One day, while sitting under a bo tree in a village, Siddhartha Gautama finally gained enlightenment. For 5

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points, by what name do we better know this man, founder of one of the great world's great religions.

A. Buddha

7 Born in Kingsland, Arkansas in 1932 he went to Memphis in 1955 and recorded hits like "I Walk the Line". He soon emerged as one of the greatest country/western singers of all time and now has a daughter, Roseanne, following in his footsteps. For 5 points name this country great, forever clad in black.

A. Johnny Cash

8 This African nation borders 9 other countries, more than any other on the continent. It became independent from Belgium in 1960, and is currently headed by Mobutu Sese Seko. For 5 points, identify this nation whose cities include Kisangani, Kananga and Kinshasa.

A. Zaire

9 A well known chemist during WW1, he used his fame to push for a Jewish state in Palestine, which ultimately led to the Balfour declaration. For 5 points, who was this chemist and Zionist?

A. Chiam Weizman

10 The word is derived from the Arabic for "metropolis" or "capital" and refers to an agglomeration of urban dwellings generally found in North Africa. Usually constructed of sun-dried bricks, they may be several stories high and house hundreds of inhabitants. For 5 points, name this type of building popularized in a song by The Clash.

A. casbah

11 Though born in Pennsylvania in 1844, she spent most of her life in Europe and her artistic style maintains a distinct French influence. A leading member of the impressionist movement, her works

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generally focus on women and children in scenes of daily life. For 10 points, name this artist whose works include Portrait of Ida, The Cup of Tea, and the Bath.

A. Mary Cassatt

12 Its made from the fleshy root of the Cassava plant and comes in granular, flake and flour form. In industry it's sometimes used as an adhesive, but most people know it from its use in pudding. For 10 points, what is this unusual starch?

A. tapioca

13 The hero of this ballad is supposedly based on an Illinois Central engineer, who died in a train wreck in 1900. It was popularize in vaudville and inspired Robert Ardrey's 1938 play. For 10 points name this American folk hero and train conductor who died trying to deliver the mail on time.

A. Casey Jones

14 Langston Hughes won it in 1959. Medgar Evars in 1962. Andrew Young took one home in 1977, and Colin Powell received the distinction in 1990. For 10 points, what is this award, given annually by the NAACP for the highest achievement of a black American?

A. Spingarn Metal

15 The Portugese built this city in 1515 on the site of a once pirate infested medieval town. Rebuilt by Sultan Sidi Mohammad in the 18th century and occupied by France in 1907, it is known today by its Spanish spelling. For 10 points, name this city, the meeting place for Churchill and Roosevelt in January, 1943.

A. Casablanca

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16 A "tigon" is the hybrid cross of a male tiger and a female lion. But for 10 points, what is a hybrid cross of a male lion and a female tiger?

A. liger

17 Born in Venice in 1725, he attended a Seminary but was expelled for bad conduct. He travelled throughout the capitals of Europe winning fame and influence through gambling and intrigue. His memoirs portray a man devoid of moral principles and boastful of his numerous seductions. For 10 points who was this Italian adventurer whose name has become synonymous with sexual conquest.

A. Giovanni Casanova

18 The Congress has decided to conduct an investigation with much of the impetus coming from this man. In his most recent book, October Surprise, this advisor to Carter claims that a deal was struck between Iran and the Reagan campaign to delay the release of the hostages. For 10 points, who was this presidential advisor?

A. Gary Sick

19. She was the daughter of Priam and Hecuba and the object of Apollo's affection. As a sign of his love, he granted her the power of prophecy, but condemned her to never be believed after she resisted his advances. For 10 points, who was this princess of foretold the downfall of Troy and later became a slave of Agamemnon.

A. Cassandra

20 The United States maintains military bases all around the world. Perhaps the most surprising, however, is the naval base located in Communist Cuba. For 10 points, what is the name of this American facility?

A. Guantanamo Bay

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21. Called "the Restorer", he ruled Poland from 1034 to 1058 and reunited Polish lands under the hegemony of the Holy Roman Empire. He worked to rebuild the nation after its tumultuous civil war and successfully strengthened its administrative machinery. For 15 name this leader, who shares his name with three later prominent Polish rulers.

A. Casimir I

22. Chief Justice Marshall served the longest, from 1801 to 1835. But for 15 points, which chief justice served the smallest amount of time, maintaining his post for only a portion of 1795?

A. Rutledge

23. While researching medicinal plants in the southwest, he met a Yaqui Indian and medicine-man named Don Juan. The Indian took him on as an apprentice and introduced him to a variety of hallucinogenic plants and unusual philosophies. A Separate Reality, Journey to Ixtlan and the Teachings of Don Juan all outline this anthropologist's experiences. For 15 points name him .

A. Carlos Castaneda

24. Situated on the North Platte River, this city is surrounded by large oil fields including Teapot dome and Salt Creek. A major center for oil refining it was once a post on the Oregon trail and served as a Pony Express Depot. For 15 points name this Wyoming city that may be friendly but certainly isn't a ghost town. (he he he he he)

A. Casper

25. This romantic French artist made careful studies of dying men and dead bodies, in order to give work, Raft of the Medusa, a greater realism. For 15 points, who was this artist who departed from classicism in favor of dramatic depictions of events?

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A. Gericault

26 After experimenting with wheat strains in rural Mexico, he won the 1970 Nobel Prize for Peace. The "green revolution" of the 1970's owes a great deal to this American scientist, whose high-yield grains were an amazing success. For 15 points, name this figure credited with relieving much of the world's starvation.

A. Norman Borlaug

27 Lila, his most recent novel, retained the philosophical protagonist, Phaedrus, but was a bit of a disappointment when compared to his most famous work. For 15 points name this author of the 70's cult hit, Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance.

A. Robert Pirsig

28 An unfinished metaphysical novel, it was published posthumously in 1926. It depicts the loneliness and isolation of man and the uselessness of trying to overcome bureaucracy. For 15 points, identify this important novel by Franz Kafka.

A. The Castle

29 This state capital was claimed by Spain at the time of the Louisiana Purchase and controlled by Union troops for most of the civil war. Located along the Mississippi River, it today boasts a population of about 220,000. For 15 points what is this southern town, whose name is derived from the French for "red stick".

A. Baton Rouge

30 This Franco-Italian family of astronomers dominated the Paris Observatory for 4 generations. The earliest and most famous member, Giovanni, proved that Jupiter rotates and that Saturn has more than one ring. Successive members studied Venus extensively. For 15 points give the name of this scientific family.

A. Cassini