

1993 PRINCETON INVITATIONAL
FINALS
TOSSUPS

1) SECESSION! was the headline that appeared on the front page of South Carolina newspapers on December 20, 1860. But we may see this headline again soon in New York City as this Election Day, as its smallest borough passed a secession referendum by a 2 to 1 vote. FTP, name this New York City borough.

A: STATEN ISLAND

2) Principal characters in this 19th century novel include Monsieur Gillenormand (GEE-nor-mon) Bamatabois (BAM-a-ta-BWA), and the Bishop of Digne (DEEN-ya), although the recent musical based on it removes or diminishes these characters. FTP, name this long Victor Hugo work.

A: LES MISERABLES

3) FTP, what word describes the study of objects from their death to the time they are unearthed and studied?

A: TAPHONOMY

4) While the world of IBM PC-compatible computers has become very excited about Intel's Pentium microprocessor, Apple, IBM, and Motorola have been working together on an alternatives. FTP, name the family of RISC processors, jointly developed, which has already appeared in IBM workstations and which will soon be used in Apple's personal computers.

A: POWER PC

5) This movie, based on Kazuo Ishiguro's 1989 award winning novel, had its opening this weekend. FTP, name this movie, whose stars include Christopher Reeve, Emma Thompson, and Anthony Hopkins.

A: REMAINS OF THE DAY

6) Literally, it means "pronunciation." FTP, name this system of Chinese transliteration which replaced the now obsolete Wade-Giles system.

A: PIN YIN

7) He played in 2,500 baseball games, had more than 50 no-hitters, but didn't play in the major leagues until he was over 40, when he signed with Cleveland. FTP, name this pitcher, the first Negro Leaguer in the Hall of Fame.

A: Leroy "Satchel" PAIGE

8) Although he only wrote 10 operas before his death at age 40, this German composer works were so popular that his impact on 19th century opera was quite large. FTP, name this founder of the German romantic opera movement whose most famous opera, Der Freischutz, tells of a hunter who sells his soul for magic bullets.

A: Carl Maria Freidrich Ernst von WEBER

9) After Russia proceeded to dump radioactive waste in the Sea of Japan after signing an agreement to curtail such practices, one must wonder what they will do concerning their other recent agreement with Japan. FTP, this new agreement involves what much disputed Pacific Islands?

A: KURIL Islands

10) "You may fire when ready, Gridley." FTP, what famous admiral said this quote at the Battle of Manila Bay?

A: George DEWEY

11) "It's made of people, etc..."

FTP, from what movie starring Charlton Heston and based on the story "Make Room! Make Room!" is this scene taken? *by Harry Harrison*

A: SOYLENT GREEN

12) This chemistry scale is used to determine how willing an element is to accept electrons, thus describing the type of bond that will form between two elements. The scale is scaled around Flourine, which has the highest value, 4. FTP, what's the term?

A: ELECTRONEGATIVITY

13) This NBC sports anchor once beat Knicks head coach Pat Riley in an in-studio free throw contest, so Riley had to change his unique slick back style to this commenator's conservative parted style. Recently, though, he threatened to move himself and his hairstyle to another network if NBC didn't bid for a baseball TV contract. FTP, name this commenator and late night talk show host.

A: Bob COSTAS

14) This compound works by inhibiting the synthesis of the peptidoglycan structure in the murian layer of bacteria causing them to lyse and you to feel better. FTP, name this antibiotic isolated from mold by Alexander Fleming.

A: PENICILLIN

15) The second is defined as a unit of time as nine billion, one hundred ninety-two million, six hundred thirty-one thousand seven hundred and seventy periods of vibration of the radiation emitted at a certain wavelength. FTP, by an atom of what element, number 55, discovered by Bunsen and Kirchoff?

A: CESIUM

16) FQTP, which gospel, the shortest, is considered to have been written first?

A: MARK

17) This French painter was instrumental in uniting classicism and impressionism. Among his most famous works are *The Rehearsal*, and *Two Laundresses* - both in the Louvre. FTP, name this painter most famous for his depictions of ballerinas.

A: Edgar DEGAS

18) Did you watch the Republican response to President Clinton's health care speech? FTP, name one of the three Republicans who gave the response, the three Republicans with their own health care reform packages.

A: Sen. Connie MACK; Gov. Carroll CAMPBELL; Rep. Nancy JOHNSON

19) "The Maypole of Merrymount," "Young Goodman Brown," "Ethan Brand," "My Kinsman, Major Molineaux," and "Rappaccini's Daughter" are all short stories by what American author who also wrote "The House of Seven Gables"?

A: Nathaniel HAWTHORNE

20) This American biologist is best known for his massive projects studying human sexuality. His findings were published in the books "Sexual Behavior in the human Male," and "Sexual Behavior in the Human Female." FTP, name this founder of the Indiana University Institute for Sex Research.

A: Alfred KINSEY

21) These pieces of sacred music were Protestant hymns set for two or three solo voices and were the most popular form of Germanic sacred music during the Baroque Era. FTP, name them.

A: Lutheran CHORALE

22) The mother of Queen Elizabeth I, she was convicted of adultery and beheaded. FTP, name this second wife of King Henry VIII.

A: Anne BOLEYN

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BONUSES

1) (25) Fans of ESPN are familiar with the nicknames afforded to players by commentator Chris Berman. For 5 points each, I'll give you the first name and nickname of a player, and you give me his last name.

- a) Lance "You sank my"
A: BLANKENSHIP
- b) Brent "Pearly"
A: GATES
- c) Bert "Be home"
A: BLYLEVEN
- d) Andre "Bad Moon"
A: RISON
- e) Greg "Matha"
A: MADDUX

2) (20) For five points each, I'll give you a year and some last words, and you give me the speaker.

- a) "Let me die in the old uniform in which I fought my battles for freedom. May God forgive me for putting on any other." (1801)
A: Benedict ARNOLD
- b) "The South, the poor South. What will become of her?" (1850)
A: John C. CALHOUN
- c) "So little done, so much to do." (1922)
A: Alexander Graham BELL
- d) "I killed the President because he was the enemy of the good people, the working people. I am not sorry for my crime." (1901)
A: Leon CZOLGOSZ

3) (20) For 20 points, given a randomly shuffled deck, what is the probability, in lowest terms, that the top two cards will be kings? You have 15 seconds.

A: 1 over 221 (1/221)

4) (25) If you've ever travelled abroad, you know that all monetary systems are not created equal. I'll give you five currency and you rank them from strongest to weakest in terms of amount of currency per U.S. dollars. Five points each for each one in the correct position. The currencies are: French Franc, Japanese Yen, English Pound, German Mark, and the Canadian Dollar.

A: POUND, DOLLAR (Canadian), MARK, FRANC, YEN

5) (30) And now, it's time for the College Bowl Players. Name the actors who spoke these famous movie conversations, for 10 points per pair.

- 1) A: "Surely you can't be serious."
B: "I am serious, and don't call me Shirley."
Robert HAYS and Leslie NIELSEN

2) A: "What if I were runnin' around and whoops, my bosoms should pop out."
B: "You think there's a man in this country who ain't seen your bosoms."
MADONNA and Rosie O'DONNELL

3) A: "I have one question, what's a chafing dish?"
B: "It's a decorative serving piece used for keeping food warm."
A: "I thought that was a crockpot."
B: "No, no, no, that's for cooking all day."
Charlie SHEEN and Cary ELWES

6) (20) Today, it's known as the Republic of Ireland. But since gaining dominion status in the British Empire in 1922, Ireland has had two other official names. FTP each, name them.

A: IRISH FREE STATE; EIRE

7) (25) For five points each and a five point bonus for all five, name the five rivers of Hades.

A: PHLEGETHON, ACHERON, STYX, LETHE, COCYTUS

8) (20) Given the state, give the senior senator for 5 points each.

a) New York
A: Daniel Patrick MOYNIHAN
b) Connecticut
A: Christopher DODD
c) Alabama
A: Howell HEFLIN
d) Rhode Island
A: Claiborne PELL

9) (25) Answer these questions for five points each.

a) Give the full name successor of Javier Perez de Cuellar as Secretary General of the UN.

A: BOUTROS BOUTROS-GHALI

b) Movie documenting the Pearl Harbor Attack which used as its title the Japanese code signal for success.

A: TORA! TORA! TORA!

c) Give the full name of the evil doctor in the movie "Barbarella" who shares his name with a contemporary rock group.

A: DURAN DURAN

d) Give the full working name of "The Good Soldier" and "Parade's End."

A: FORD MADOX FORD

e) Give the rank and full name of the reclusive officer in Joseph Heller's "Catch-22"

A: MAJOR MAJOR MAJOR MAJOR

10) (30) 30-20-10 Name the scientist.

30: His time-independent equation states that the possible energies of a particle are the Eigenvalues of the Hamiltonian operator for that particle.

20: He shared the Nobel Prize for physics in 1933 with Paul Dirac for his work in quantum mechanics.

10: He is most famous for his gedanken experiment involving a cat in a box.

A: Erwin SCHRODINGER

11) (20) This alphabet was supposedly discovered by Odin after hanging himself for nine days. For twenty points, name this alphabet which was designed to make the letters easily carved in wood or stone.

A: RUNES or RUNIC alphabet

12) (30) Given a line of poetry, name its author for ten points each.

a) "What a world of merriment their melody foretell."

A: Edgar Allen POE

b) "Here once the embattled farmers stood / and fired the shot heard 'round the world."

A: Ralph Waldo EMERSON

c) "In the room the women come and go/ talking of Michaelangelo."

T.S. ELIOT

13) (30) 30-20-10 Name the composer.

30: His father was the principal French horn player for the Vienna orchestra and his work is some of the hardest ever written for that instrument.

20: His works include tone poems such as "Don Juan," "Don Quixote," and "An Alpine Symphony."

10: He also wrote "Also sprach Zarathustra".

A: Richard STRAUSS

14) (30) While "Weird Al" Yankovic specializes in specific song parodies, he has also written several song style parodies of groups. Given a song title, name the group he is spoofing for 10 points, of 5 points if you need a clip from the song.

a) 10: "Trigger Happy"

5: clip

A: The BEACH BOYS

b) 10: "Dog eat Dog"

5: clip

A: The TALKING HEADS

c) 10: "Mr. Popeil" (POE-peel)

5: clip

A: The B-52's

15) (20) One condition of this independent Republic's admission to the United States was that it could be split into a number of smaller states at a later date. FTP each, give the name of the state, and the maximum number of states it could be split into.

A: TEXAS; 5 States

16) (30) In a desperate attempt to garner boni, we took a famous phrase and ran it through the WordPerfect Thesaurus three times. If you can identify the

original phrase from the thrice-warped version , you'll get 30 points. If you can get it from the twice changed form, you'll get 20, and from the once-altered edition, 10.

30: It insinuated the stupendous of distances, it doomed the most contrite of lapses.

20: It connoted the immensest of stretches, it marked the most remorseful of pauses.

10: It signified the greatest of spans, it denoted the sorriest of intervals.

A: IT WAS THE BEST OF TIMES, IT WAS THE WORST OF TIMES.

17) (20) For 5 points each, given the team, name the stadium or arena where they play.

a) Tampa Bay Lightning

A: THUNDERDOME

b) Chicago Bears

A: SOLDIER FIELD

c) Atlanta Hawks

A: The OMNI

d) Cincinnati Reds

A: RIVERFRONT Stadium

18) (20) Name these "fathers" for 5 points each.

a) Father of rocketry and modern space flight

A: Robert GODDARD

b) Father of Nuclear Science

A: Ernest RUTHERFORD

c) Father of the Constitution

A: James MADISON

d) Father of geometry

A: EUCLID

19) (30) Answer these questions about the Battle of Midway for the stated number of points.

First, FTP, in what month and year was the battle fought?

A: JUNE, 1942

Second, for another 10 points, what was the only U.S. carrier sunk in the battle?

A: LEXINGTON

Third, Name the Japanese admiral responsible for the decision to go ahead with the attack.

A: YAMAMOTO

20) (30) 30-20-10 Name the author from his works.

30: The short story "The Killers"

20: Green Hills of Africa

10: The Old Man and the Sea

A: Ernest HEMINGWAY