

FIRST ANNUAL VANDERBILT REGIONALS PREP TOURNAMENT

KENTUCKY TOSSUPS

T 1. For a quick 10 points, to what African country did Theodore Roosevelt send Marines and warships in 1904 in response to the kidnapping of American citizens, an international incident fictionalized in the 1975 film The Wind and the Lion?

A: Morocco

T 2. What amendment to the United States Constitution penalized any state denying the right to vote and guaranteed the union debt, but outlawed redemption of Confederate debt and any compensation for loss of slaves? This amendment also defined citizenship to "all persons born or naturalized in the United States". It was ratified in July of 1868.

A: Fourteenth Amendment

T 3. *Brown v. Board of Education Topeka Kansas* over turned what nineteenth century Supreme Court case which extended the philosophy of separate but equal facilities to schools?

A: *Cumming v. County Board of Education*

T 4. This plane broke mach 6 in its air trials. When NATO trained its radar on the trial range, they picked up no signal due to its sophisticated anti-radar systems. A cybernetic weapons system was installed, and was about to be tested, when Mitchell Gant stole the plane. For 10 points, what was the name of this fictional aircraft which was also the name of the novel by Craig Thomas?

A: Firefox

T 5. Rick Pitino played basketball before he coached it. For a quick 10 points, he played point guard for what University, also the alma mater of Julius Irving?

A: University of Massachussetts

T 6. At the time, the British Navy considered this ship unsinkable but it took only one salvo to destroy the HMS Hood. What German terror of the North Atlantic destroyed the Hood on her one and only combat voyage?

A: The Bismarck

T 7. She was the first student to give the commencement speech at Wellesley College, after leading its College Bowl team to its only national championships. She went on to be one of America's top 100 lawyers and now heads President Clinton's task force on Health Care. Who is she?

A: Hillary Rodham Clinton

T 8. Host of the third highest rated late-night TV program, this man is the personality working for the Excellence in Broadcasting Network. For a quick 10 points, name this controversial conservative and self-proclaimed "voice of the people".

A: Rush Limbaugh

T 9. "He who can does. He who cannot teaches." We all know this, we're college students. But can you, for ten points, name the playwright who penned these lines?

A: George Bernard Shaw

T 10. This 1970's rock band was much-maligned in high school. Their gym teacher threatened to suspend them at one point because of their long hair. The boys then named their band after him as a joke. When it caught on, they changed all the vowels to y's to protect the guilty. For ten points, name the band who recorded the Southern rock classic "Free Bird".

A: Lynyrd Skynyrd

T 11. In Sanskrit his name means "auspicious one". He is normally pictured as pale white with a blue neck from holding in the cosmic ocean's poison remnants. For ten points, who is this Hindu God, the consort of the black mother Kali?

A: Siva (accept Shiva)

T 12. He was only twenty-three years old when his score of 275 earned him the green jacket at the 1980 Masters by four strokes. For a quick ten points, name this Spanish golfer, the youngest player ever to win the Master's?

A: Seve Ballesteros

T 13. If asked to play College Bowl, this literary character might simply have replied, "I prefer not to." For a whole ten points, can you name this creation of Melville's?

A: Bartleby the Scrivener

T 14. "She has heard a whisper say, a curse is on her if she stay, to look down to Camelot." These lines refer to the title character of what Tennyson poem?

A: "Lady of Shalott"

T 15. This German author was descended from the Hugonots. He wrote overdone Romantic short stories. His best known work is Undine which reconciles Germanic tradition with Christianity. Name this prolific writer of supernatural stories.

A: Friedrich de la Motte Fouque

T. 16 Although the majority of her literary efforts were devoted to editing the children's magazine, St. Nicholas, this American writer is far better known for the children's stories she herself penned. For ten points, who was this woman, the writer of Hans Brinker, or the Silver Skates?

A: Mary Mapes Dodge

T 17. He was the candidate for two parties and had two vice-presidential running mates when he first ran for president. What presidential candidate secured the Democratic nomination with the words "You shall not press down upon the brow of labor this crown of thorns, you shall not crucify mankind upon a cross of gold".

A: William Jennings Bryan

T 18. On July 4 1892, the Populist party met in Omaha to discuss their party platform. For ten points, what leader told the delegates "It is no longer a government of the people, by the people, and for the people but a government of Wall Street, by Wall Street and for Wall Street".

A: Mary E. Lease

T 19. Succeeded by Alexander Haig, this man's involvement in the Watergate break-in and cover-up caused him to resign and serve 18 months in prison. For ten points, name this man whose co-workers called him alternately "the Iron Chancellor, and "Nixon's S.O.B."?

A: Harry Robbins Haldeman

T 20. He wrote 85 mysteries, beginning with The Case of the Velvet Claws. That first story was rejected by several publishers before William Morrow and Co. decided to publish it as the first in a series, thereby establishing both the author and his lead character as bulwarks in mystery fiction. Who was this writer whose every title began with the words "The Case of ...." and whose lead character, a young defense attorney named Perry Mason only lost one case, and that one on purpose?

A: Erle Stanley Gardner

T 21. A lot of acronyms bandied about these days have as their components a lot of technical words that only engineers and quiz bowlers are likely to know or understand. However, at least one commonly used acronym has a very untechnical source. For ten points, all or nothing, for what do the letters in the word TASER stand for, referring back to its inventor's childhood fondness for fifties-era science fiction?

A: Thomas Albert Swift Electric Rifle

T 22. He served as Undersecretary of the Navy under President Carter and as George Bush's European Arms Control Negotiator. Name this Conservative Democrat whom President Clinton has chosen to head the CIA.

A: R. James Woolsey

T 23. In Stephen Hawking's book A Brief History of Time , he defines it as the energy above which it is believed that the electromagnetic force, weak force, and strong force become indistinguishable. For a quick ten points, what is this energy state?

A: Grand Unification Energy

T 24. The 1983 NCAA Men's College Basketball Championship game featured the University of Houston and North Carolina State University. What forward slammed home Derrick Whittenberg's miss to give NC State the 54-52 upset win at the buzzer?

A: Lorenzo Charles

T 25. This small city is lobbying the United Nations to move many of its New York based agencies to the banks of the Rhine in order to take advantage of a glut of office space there. For ten points, name this city and former European capitol?

A: Bonn, Germany

T 26. Few people have won even a single Nobel Prize. Even fewer have won more than one. Name the one man who has been awarded two independent Nobel Prizes in separate categories.

A: Linus Pauling

T 27. The name of a title character in a Robert Burns poem became the name for the traditional scottish cap with a wide round flat top and a center pom-pom. For ten points, what name is shared by this poem and article of clothing?

A: Tam O' Shanter

T 28. Its Catholic population has dropped by ten percent in recent years, making it only 72% Roman Catholic, but still the largest Catholic country in the world. For a big, bad ten points, name this country.

A: Brazil

T 29. In 1991, 2.42 million dollars was spent for a Dunlop Broadside, a record price for a piece of americana. A Dunlop Broadside is a print of what 217 year old American document?

A: the Declaration of Independence

T 30. "My grip was always packed, to tramp through a railroad yard in the rain, snow, or sleet half the night. To be ordered out of the roundhouse for being an agitator or to be put off a train were all in the program."

These lines were part of a speech given to the American Railway Union by what beleaguered proponent of american labor unions famous for his perseverance in the face of daunting odds and longterm imprisonment.

A: Eugene V. Debs

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B 1. Vitamins are part of a healthy diet. If not enough are taken in, certain diseases may result. I'll name a disease and for 5 points apiece you name the vitamin that cures it.

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| 1. Xerophthalmia | Answer: Vitamin <u>A</u> |
| 2. Rickets       | Answer: Vitamin <u>D</u> |
| 3. Pellagra      | Answer: <u>Niacin</u>    |
| 4. Beri-Beri     | Answer: <u>Thiamine</u>  |

B 2. College football bowl games are becoming increasingly associated with their corporate sponsors. For each of the following bowl games, name its sponsor, for 5 five points apiece.

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| 1. the Fiesta Bowl | A: <u>Sunkist</u>         |
| 2. The Cotton Bowl | A: <u>Mobil Oil</u>       |
| 3. The Sugar Bowl  | A: <u>U.S.F and G.</u>    |
| 4. The Orange Bowl | A: <u>Federal Express</u> |
| 5. The Gator Bowl  | A: <u>Mazda</u>           |

B 3. 30-20-10 Name the author ~~from~~ the works.

30 points -- The Unparalleled Adventure of One Hans Pfaall

20 points -- Ligeia (Li- GEE- uh)

10 points-- The Black Cat

A: Edgar Allen Poe

B 4. When dinosaurs ruled the land, two other orders of reptiles ruled the sea. For 15 points a piece, name these two orders whose names translate as "fish lizard" and "near lizard."

A: Ichthyosaurus, Plesiosaurus

B 5. For five points apiece and an additional five points for all four correct, name the four books of the Bible that begin with the letter H.

A: Hosea, Haggai, Habakkuk, Hebrews

B 6. For ten points each, translate these French phrases:

1. J'habite a Miami.

A: I live in Miami.

2. Ma mere travaille dans l'ecole.

A: My mother works in the school.

3. J'ai un bon auto.

A: I have a nice car. (accept obvious alternates)

B 7. For five points apiece for a total of thirty points, name the strings of Guitar in standard tuning from lowest to highest.

A: E,A,D,G,B, E

B 8. 30-20-10. Name the author.

30 points-- He popularized the idea of dating events from the Christ's birth by doing so in his works.

20 points-- His major works is a description of event is Britian from the raid of Julius Caesar until the arrival of St. Augustine.

10 points-- This works was entitleed The Ecclesiastical History of the English People.

A: The Venerable Bede

B 9. Oh Vanna!! The Wheel of Fortune is one of, if not the most popular game show in TV History. For five points each, name the show's four hosts and the hostess who Vanna replaced.

A: Pat Sajak, Chuck Woolery, Bob Goen, Rolf Benarschke, Susan Stafford

B 10. May 28,1953. Mount Everest was first conquered. The flags of three nations were set to mark this achievement. For 25 points, all or nothing, Name these three countries.

A: Great Britain, India, Nepal

B 11. Though son of the Sun God Helios, he proved that he ability to drive the chariot of the son was not hereditary by losing control of the horses and nearly burning both the earth and the heavens. Name this ancient joy

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rider struck down by one of Zeus' lightening bolts.

A: Phaethon

B 12. For thirty points, in only 6 states do two professional foot ball teams play their home games. For five points each, name the six states where 2 or more teams play their home games.

A: New Jersey, California, Texas, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Florida

B 13. Most of us remember the Rankin-Bass Holiday specials that were based on song titles, some of which are still broadcast annually. For 5 points apiece I'll give you the special, you supply the name of the entertainer who narrated it.

1. Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer
2. Frosty the Snowman
3. Santa Claus is Coming to Town
4. Here comes Peter Cottontail

A. Burl Ives  
A: Jimmy Durante  
A: Fred Astaire  
A: Danny Kaye

B 14. It celebrated its 20th birthday in March, 1992 while 5 billion miles from Earth, still heading outward at 30,000 miles per hour, sending back a million pages of data a year. For 10 points apiece-- give me the name and number of this NASA space probe, now the most distant object ever launched from earth.

A: Pioneer 10

B 15. For 20 points, five points apiece, I'll give you the songs and you give me the play where they are found.

1. Marian the librarian  
Gary, Indiana  
76 Trombones
2. I could have danced all night  
Get me to the church on time  
A little bit o' luck
3. What is the king doing tonight  
The seven deadly Virtures  
If ever I would leave you
4. Shall we dance  
Getting to Know you  
Hello Young Lovers

A: The Music Man

A: My Fair Lady

A: Camelot

A: The King and I

B 16. For ten points each, if given the name of a landmark US Supreme

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Court case, name the justice who wrote the majority opinion.

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| 1. Dred Scott Case    | A: Chief Justice <u>Roger Taney</u> |
| 2. Roe v. Wade        | A: Justice Harry <u>Blackmun</u>    |
| 3. Plessy v. Ferguson | A: Justice Henry <u>Brown</u>       |

B 17. 'Tis 1993 and time for all good students to be politically correct. According to the Handbook of Nonsexist Writing (Second Edition). What are the preferred PC terms for the following sexist terms

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| 5 points- Freshman        | A: <u>First Year Student</u>      |
| 10 points- Chairman       | A: <u>Chair</u> (not chairperson) |
| 15 points- One-Upsmanship | A: <u>The Art of One Upping</u>   |

B 18. For those of us getting Liberal Arts degrees that are virtually useless in the real world, law school is not an uncommon goal. Just as in everything else, the legal world has embraced the magic of computers. For ten points apiece with a five point bonus for both correct, what are the two primary legal databases available for today's law student?

A: WESTLAW and LEXIS

B 19. His first novel, Black Sunday, and his third, Silence of the Lambs, were adapted into successful films of the same names. His second novel was also made into a movie, but released under another title. For ten points, name the author; for an additional five points each give the novel and movie titles (in that order).

A: Thomas Harris; Red Dragon (novel); Manhunter (movie)

B 20. For ten points apiece, given a synopsis of the movie, answer the correct title of one of the thirty-three reasons we remember Elvis for his guitar, not his acting.

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1. The king plays Rusty Wells, the tough but sensitive lead singer of a rock combo who travels down to Ft. Lauderdale and falls in love with Shelly Fabares.

A: Girl Crazy

2. Elvis plays Scott Hayward, the tough but sensitive son of a multimillionaire who pretends to be poor and falls in love with Shelly Fabares.

A: Clam Bake

3. Presley plays Tulsa McClain, the tough but sensitive GI who travels to Europe, and, in a stroke of cinematic ingenuity, falls in love with someone other than Shelly Fabares.

A: GI Blues

B 21. Hey! It's time to rattle off some world capitals. Five points each.

1. Albania

A: Tirana

2. Liechtenstein

A: Vaduz

3. Mozambique

A: Maputo

4. Mauritania

A: Nouakchott

5. Malta

A: Valletta

B 22. Identify these terms dating from the days when Kentucky was a western outpost of the Union.

*Skip if possible*

1. Athens of the West

A: Lexington

2. Harvard of the West

A: Transylvania University

3. Harry of the West

A: Henry Clay

B 23. If you thought for one minute that we could get through a whole set without asking a Billy Ray Cyrus Question, well...., you're right. Instead we'll ask you about other Kentucky musicians. Ten points apiece, thirty points total.

What Muhlenburg County brothers made several hits in the 60's and the 50's such as "Bird Dog" and "Wake Up Little Susie"?

A: Everly Brothers

What group, whose current lineup hails from Metcalfe County hit the tip of the country charts with their first album "Pickin on Nashville"?

A: The Kentucky Head Hunters

This pop legend born in Lexington, Kentucky made "I Want You", "Mercy, Mercy", and the ultimate make out song of all time "Let's Get it On".

A: Marvin Gaye

B 24. The mass of the earth is approximately  $6 \times 10^{24}$  kg. The mass of the sun is approximately  $2 \times 10^{30}$  kg. These facts are irrelevant to this equation. For ten points apiece, first, name the point in a satellite's orbit when it is farthest from the sun and secondly, name the point in a satellite's orbit when it is closest to the earth.

A: Aphelion, Perigee

B 25. When Edmund McHenry returned to his Louisiana Plantation after the Civil War, he found that the Union troops, those bastards, had destroyed everything except his crop Capsicum Hot Peppers. Seeing an opportunity to recoup his losses, McHenry took his peppers and devised a popular condiment. What, for 30 points, was that condiment?

A: Tobasco Sauce