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**TOSS-UPS**

1. The North had the "Stars and Stripes." FTP, what did the South have?

STARS AND BARS

- 1 2/. A pound of water, a degree of Fahrenheit, and thou. FTP, what unit of heat is defined as the energy required to raise the temperature of one pound of water by one degree Fahrenheit?

BRITISH THERMAL UNIT or BTU

- 2 3/. <sup>His</sup> ~~It was~~ series of monologues on the subject of marriage and had its London premiere at Westminster Theatre on May 25, 1982. The play, "The Jeweler's Shop" was written, FTP, by what auxiliary bishop of Krakow, Poland?

Pope JOHN PAUL II

- 4/. The quote is from Act 3, Scene 2, where Antipholus of Syracuse asks, "Where America, the Indies?" Written in 1592, it is the only Shakespearean play to contain the word "America." FTP, name this play.

The COMEDY OF ERRORS

- 3 3/. One who, on grounds of membership on a specific sect or personal ethical views, passively resists state authority, especially military service, is known --FTP --by what term abbreviated "C.O."

CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR

- 4 3/. "Women must try to do things as men have tried," she said, and she did a lot - an author, poet, painter, photographer, fashion designer, and magazine editor, all this over fifty years ago. However, ~~this most celebrated woman of her time~~ probably died of thirst according to a 1992 research group. she FTP, who was this famed aviator?

Amelia EARHART

5 ~~7~~. This type of presentation usually has a frivolous, sentimental story and features both spoken dialogue and light, pleasant music. Noted composers include Offenbach, Strauss, and Gilbert and Sullivan. FTP, name this branch of theatre.

OPERETTA

6 ~~8~~. Garibaldi was a busy guy! Not only did he fight in civil wars in Brazil and Uruguay, he led a volunteer group in a spectacular conquest of Sicily and Naples. FTP, what colorful name was given to Garibaldi's 1,000 strong volunteer unit?

RED SHIRTS

7 ~~9~~. Essential parts are prisms, mirrors, tube, lenses, and an eyepiece. An image is received in one mirror and is reflected through the tube with its lenses to a mirror visible to the viewer. FTP, what device can view objects out-of-the-line of vision?

PERISCOPE

8 ~~10~~. Religious mysticism in Hinduism and the philosophic logic of Spinoza are variations in the belief that God is in all things and all things are in God. FTP, name this age-old belief and philosophy.

PANTHEISM

9 ~~11~~. Inhabitants of this English village were reputed to do ridiculous things, like trying to drown an eel! Washington Irving, in the famous "Salmagundi Papers" used the name for New York City. FTP, what's the shared name, made famous by Batman?

GOTHAM

10 ~~12~~. It was a famous rendezvous for pirates, notably Blackbeard in the 18th century; it is now the commercial and social center of the colony and a major tourist resort. FTP, what is this port of New Providence, the capital of the Bahama Islands?

NASSAU

11 ~~13~~. From the Latin for "stuffing," the term comes from medieval France. It's a form of comedy in which characters and events are greatly exaggerated to produce broad, simple humor. FTP, name this light, comic theatrical piece.

FARCE

12 ~~14~~. In Babylonian and Assyrian religion, she's the goddess of

- 19 ~~21~~. Each player of a team of four hurls a circular stone, weighing 44 pounds, at tees or fixed goals thirty-eight yards apart. FTP, what is this winter sport played on an ice court?

CURLING

- 20 ~~22~~. It's cultivated for forage and fodder and the grain is used for livestock feed. A molasses can be obtained from a sweet form of it. FTP, name this corn-like annual grass.

SORGHUM

- 21 ~~23~~. The musicals "Jesus Christ Superstar," "Evita," "Cats," and "Phantom of the Opera" all have something in common -they were written and composed by the same man. FTP, name this ~~modern day~~ composer .

Andrew LLOYD WEBBER

- 22 ~~24~~. The most famous ones are still in Egypt, but one depicting the reign of Ramses II is in Paris and two dedicated to Cleopatra are in London and New York. FTP, what are these slender four-sided tapering monuments?

OBELISKS

- 23 ~~25~~. At the age of 35, he gave up a successful banking career and devoted himself to art. One of the last impressionists, his paintings are now highly prized, especially those he did in Tahiti. FTP, name this 19th century French painter.

Paul GAUGUIN

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## BONUSES

### 1. 30-PT BONUS

30, 20, 10: Name this city

30. Bach is buried there, Wagner was born there.

20. Site of the "Battle of Nations," it was a decisive victory over Napoleon in 1813.

10. The largest city of Saxony on thePleisse River, it was heavily damaged in WWII.

## LEIPZIG

### 2. 20-PT BONUS

Pencil and paper for this linguistic bonus. The subfamilies Celtic, Italic, Slavic, Baltic, and Indo-Iranian all contain many principal languages. You'll earn five points per answer if you can tell me which subfamily belongs to:

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|---------------|--------------|
| 1. Lithuanian | Baltic       |
| 2. Welsh      | Celtic       |
| 3. Spanish    | Italic       |
| 4. Gujarati   | Indo-Iranian |

### 3. 30-PT BONUS

30, 20, 10: ~~Name~~ Historical Name :

1. The Duke and first King of Hungary, he's the national hero of the Magyars and called the Apostle of Hungary.

2. On the death of Henry I, he was proclaimed King of England.

3. His name is Greek for "garland," this first Christian martyr was stoned to death.

## STEPHEN

### 4. 20-PT BONUS

Food! Glorious food! For ten points each, see if you can define these words from the place most food is prepared - in the kitchen.

1. In French, it means "kitchen" and now means a style of cooking or preparing food.  
CUISINE

2. Coming from the Latin, meaning "kitchen" it means "suitable for use in cooking."  
CULINARY

5. **20-PT BONUS**

Pete Rose is one of only five major league baseball players with 3,500 or more career hits. For 5 points each, name the other four.

Ty COBB, Hank AARON, Stan MUSIAL, Tris SPEAKER

6. **30-PT BONUS**

Henry Higgins bets he can pass off a Cockney flowergirl as a lady. For ten points each, name these other literary characters.

1. She and her goat, Djali, dance to earn a living.  
ESMERALDA

2. He catches the biggest marlin ever brought into Havana.  
SANTIAGO

3. He teaches the heroine to sing while she is in a trance.  
SVENGALI

7. **20-PT BONUS**

At the east end of Lake Erie, on the Niagara River, you'll find Buffalo, New York. For 10 points each, name the major American city from its location:

1. On Lake St. Claire, *across from Windsor* DETROIT

~~2. In southwestern Ohio, on the Ohio River CINCINNATI~~

3. On Maumee River at Lake Erie TOLEDO

~~4. On the North Canadian River OKLAHOMA CITY~~

8. **30-PT BONUS**

For ten points each, name these blue items.

1. It's a scenic spot in Capri Blue Grotto

2. The schooner on the Canadian dime Bluenose

3. ~~To edit~~ *Harold Melvin's group* Blue pencil *Notes*

9. **20-PT BONUS**

He received the 1932 Nobel Prize in Literature and many of his works are grouped in three trilogies: "The Forsythe Saga," "A Modern Comedy" and "The End of the Chapter." For 20 points, name this English novelist and dramatist.

John GALSWORTHY

10. **20-PT BONUS**

It was the first college to go co-ed. It was also an abolitionist center during the Civil War and one of the first colleges to admit black students. For 20 points, name this school, named for a village in Northern Ohio.

OBERLIN

11. **20-PT BONUS**

"Bovine" refers to cows or oxen, while "feline" describes members of wild and domestic cats. For 5 points each, which animal is best described by:

- |             |                                |
|-------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Lupine   | <u>WOLF</u>                    |
| 2. Ophidian | <u>SNAKE</u> or <u>SERPENT</u> |
| 3. Hirsine  | <u>GOAT</u>                    |
| 4. Saurian  | <u>LIZARD</u>                  |

12. **20-PT BONUS**

Named by George Vancouver in 1792, it connects the Pacific by the Juan de Fuca Strait and extends 100 miles to Olympia. For 20 points, name this navigable industrial-rich strait and region.

PUGET SOUND (PYOO-jet sound)

13. **20-PT BONUS**

Light, water, carbon dioxide, and a compound which captures light energy to make food are necessary for a plant's photosynthesis.

1. First, for ten points, name this compound  
CHLOROPHYLL
2. Second, for ten more points, spell chlorophyll.  
C-H-L-O-R-O-P-H-Y-L-L

14. **25-PT BONUS**

You'll need pencil and paper for this bonus. Note these five presidents: Bush, Nixon, Truman, McKinley, and Cleveland. Each of these men belong to five different religious groups. ~~aa~~ Quaker, Methodist, Episcopalian, Presbyterian, and Baptist. ~~M~~ Match the religion with the president for 5 points each.

(OVER)

Bush	=	Episcopalian
Nixon	=	Quaker
Truman	=	Baptist
McKinley	=	Methodist
Cleveland	=	Presbyterian

15. **30-PT BONUS**

30, ~~4~~, 10: name this city

1. It's a central point on routes to Tangier, Rabat, and Marrakesh and has been the capital of several dynasties.
2. ~~This French Moroccan city has over 100 mosques and an ancient Moslem university.~~
3. Noted for native industries, it gave its name to a brimless felt cap.

FEZ

16. **30-PT BONUS**

~~Geysers are hot springs that intermittently erupt steam and hot water.~~ The most famous geysers are in Yellowstone National Park, but only two island nations boast them, one in the northern hemisphere, and the other in the southern. Your score will steam-up 15 points each if you can name these two islands.

NEW ZEALAND and ICELAND

17. **20-PT BONUS**

"Pomp and Circumstance" was Edward Elgar's while "Rhapsody in Blue" was composed by George Gershwin. For five points each, I'll give a famous classic work, and you supply the composer.

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|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Rite of Spring            | Igor <u>STRAVINSKY</u>  |
| 2. La Boheme                 | Giacomo <u>PUCCHINI</u> |
| 3. The Well-Tempered Clavier | J.S. <u>BACH</u>        |
| 4. La Traviata               | Giuseppe <u>VERDI</u>   |

18. **20-PT BONUS**

It's the story of a pampered son of an American millionaire; he falls overboard and is rescued by a trawler skipper who makes him work, to his lasting benefit. The story was made into a movie which won Spencer Tracy an Oscar. For ten points each, name this tale and its British author.

CAPTAINS COURAGEOUS; Rudyard KIPLING

19. **20-PT BONUS**

Each of the trio of places named suggests a famous woman of history. You'll earn five points each if you can identify her from the clues.

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Manila, New York, Hawaii      | Imelda <u>MARCOS</u>    |
| 2. Vienna, Paris, Versailles     | Marie <u>ANTOINETTE</u> |
| 3. Samoa, Bali, Papua New Guinea | Margaret <u>MEAD</u>    |
| 4. Jerusalem, Kiev, Milwaukee    | Golda <u>MEIR</u>       |

20. **20-PT BONUS**

According to the religion of the ancient Greeks, there were twelve major Olympian gods. Zeus was the chief ruler of Gods and men. I'll describe four other Greek gods and you tell me their names for 5 points each:

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|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| 1. God of war                     | <u>ARES</u>    |
| 2. God of businessmen and thieves | <u>HERMES</u>  |
| 3. Goddess of the moon            | <u>ARTEMIS</u> |
| 4. Goddess of wisdom              | <u>ATHENA</u>  |

21. **20-PT BONUS**

What you see **is** sometimes not what you get. This is true in the case of Presidential first names. Grover Cleveland's first name was Steven. You'll earn ten points each if you can name the President who was born with these first names:

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|-----------|--------------------|
| 1. Hiram  | U.S. <u>GRANT</u>  |
| 2. Leslie | Gerald <u>FORD</u> |

22. **20-PT BONUS**

The aim of the 4-H is to improve methods of agriculture and home economics for boys and girls in rural areas. The name 4-H is derived from a four-fold purpose of self-improvement. You'll improve your team's score by five points each if you can name these 4-H's.

HEAD, HEART, HANDS, HEALTH