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1. A graduate of Allegheny College, he served in the Civil War under the command of Rutherford B. Hayes. Elected to Congress in 1876, he lost his seat 14 years later--probably due to the unpopularity of the Tariff Act which bore his name. His subsequent election as governor of Ohio was engineered by his powerful mentor, Mark Hanna. FOR 10 POINTS, identify this 25th President of the United States.

ANSWER: William MCKINLEY

2. It rises in the Tibetan highlands and--over 2,500 miles later--empties into the South China Sea. Its delta is an important rice-producing area. FOR 10 POINTS, name this great river of Southeast Asia which forms most of the border between Laos and Thailand.

ANSWER: MEKONG

3. He drank heavily, was frequently ill, and died of pneumonia while still in his twenties. His piano compositions, including "In a Mist," were influenced by Debussy, but it is as a cornetist that he is best remembered. FOR 10 POINTS, who was this jazz legend from Davenport, Iowa, named "Leon" by his parents, but better known to others by his nickname "Bix"?

ANSWER: Leon Bismarck "Bix" BEIDERBECKE

4. The Latin poet Horace wrote the epistle known as "Ars Poetica" in the 1st century BC. Its first English translation was published in 1598. FOR 10 POINTS, name the first translator of "Ars Poetica" into English, a person who also happened to be a reigning monarch at the time.

ANSWER: Queen ELIZABETH I

5. In the higher animals the type of tissue is classified according to its structure and function as smooth, striated, or cardiac. FOR 10 POINTS, what name is given to this contractile tissue that is attached to bones by tendons?

ANSWER: MUSCLE

6. A CD featuring him speaking over a background of Bach and Handel is currently ascending the charts in Europe. He also has a best-selling book and the world's bully-est pulpit for his moral messages. FOR 10 POINTS, who is this man recently named Time magazine's Man of the Year for 1994?

ANSWER: Pope JOHN PAUL II

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7. He led the NFL in rushing eight of his nine years in the league. The one year he didn't win he finished fourth behind Jim Taylor, John Henry Johnson, and Dick Bass. FOR 10 POINTS, name this great fullback for the Cleveland Browns.

ANSWER: Jim BROWN

8. His message was a summons to moral reform, personal and social, backed by threats of doom; his insistence on unpalatable truths eventually brought him to prison. His prophecies were collected by his secretary, Baruch. FOR 10 POINTS, name this second of the Major Prophets of the Old Testament.

ANSWER: JEREMIAH

9. He was the author of "Symbols of Transformation," "Psychological Types," and "Studies in Word Association." His works explore the ways in which meaning can be found through dreams and their symbols in the form of archetypal images arriving from the collective unconscious. FOR 10 POINTS, identify this founder of Analytical Psychology.

ANSWER: Carl Gustav JUNG

10. It is a phenomenon explainable by considering the opposing effects of adhesion and cohesion. If you put a thin hollow glass tube into water, the water will rise in the tube. FOR 10 POINTS, what is this effect which makes possible the upward flow of water in plants?

ANSWER: CAPILLARITY or CAPILLARY ACTION or CAPILLARY EFFECT

11. His wife, the former Saskia van Ulyenburgh, died after the birth of their only surviving son, Titus. This was in 1642--the same year that he completed his most famous group portrait. FOR 10 POINTS, name this painter of "The Shooting Party of Captain Frans Banning Cocq."

ANSWER: REMBRANDT van Rijn

12. He never won an Oscar, though he was nominated for "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington," "Mr. Skeffington," "Casablanca," and "Notorious." FOR 10 POINTS, name this actor whose other credits include "The Sea Hawk," "The Adventures of Robin Hood," and "The Invisible Man."

ANSWER: Claude RAINS

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13. According to Henry James, this novelist's greatness lay in his "complete appreciation of the usual." FOR 10 POINTS, identify this famously prolific author of works such as "The Prime Minister," "The Eustace Diamonds," "Phineas Finn," "The Warden," and "Barchester Towers."

ANSWER: Anthony TROLLOPE

14. It recently reached an agreement with the Justice Department to pay \$46 million in damages to claimants in 49 states--the largest settlement of its kind under the Civil Rights Act of 1964. FOR 10 POINTS, name this restaurant chain which, since the controversy erupted last year, has now hired more than 100 minority managers and announced plans to open 47 new black-owned restaurants.

ANSWER: DENNY'S

15. Thomas Ewing was the first. Others have included Carl Schurz, Walter Hickel and Harold Ickes. FOR 10 POINTS, identify this cabinet-level position heading up the federal department responsible for administering the National Park Service.

ANSWER: SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR

16. It commenced terrorist activities in 1952, but by 1956 British troops had driven most of its members into the mountain forests where its leaders were mostly killed or captured. FOR 10 POINTS, name this secret organization comprised mostly of Kikuyu tribesmen in Kenya.

ANSWER: MAU MAU

17. He has five daughters, a wife named Golde, and a business delivering milk. Theodore Bikel, Herschel Bernardi, and Topol are some of the actors noted for portraying him on stage. FOR 10 POINTS, who is this character originally created by Sholem Aleichem, whose life is sometimes as precarious as a Fiddler on the Roof?

ANSWER: TEVYE

18. A few months ago this country's parliament, under the prodding of President Nazarbayev, announced that the capital would move to Akmola by the year 2000. FOR 10 POINTS, name this country whose present capital is Alma-Ata.

ANSWER: KAZAKHSTAN

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19. Leading ones included George Mason, Ellbridge Gerry, Patrick Henry, and George Clinton. Instrumental in securing the adoption of the Bill of Rights, many members of this faction later became Jeffersonian Democrats. FOR 10 POINTS, by what name do we remember these opponents of the Federal Constitution?

ANSWER: The ANTI-FEDERALISTS

20. There are four types -- simple, aggregate, multiple, and accessory. Simple varieties may be either fleshy or dry. FOR 10 POINTS, name this botanical term for the pericarp surrounding the seed of a flower.

ANSWER: Fruit

21. Dancer Maria Tallchief studied under and eventually married this artistic director and choreographer for the New York City Ballet. His own professional education included attendance at the Imperial Ballet School in St. Petersburg. FOR 10 POINTS, identify this Russian-American labelled by the Columbia Encyclopedia as "the major figure in 20th century ballet."

ANSWER: George BALANCHINE

22. She took first honors in medieval literature at Oxford in 1915, and died in 1957. FOR 10 POINTS, name this respected author of theological essays and a major translator of Dante, who is best remembered as a master of the detective story and the creator of Lord Peter Wimsey?

ANSWER: Dorothy SAYERS

23. Tuolumne [Two-ALL-um-knee] Meadows, Bridalveil Falls, El Capitan, and Half Dome. FOR 10 POINTS, these are all features of which national park, established in 1870 as a result of the efforts of conservationist John Muir?

ANSWER: YOSEMITE National Park

24. He was a god of light who needed little sleep. Possessor of extraordinary senses and armed with a trumpet which could be heard throughout the world, he stood guard over the rainbow bridge to Asgard. FOR 10 POINTS, identify this Norse sentinel-deity.

ANSWER: HEIMDALL

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25. It was a body of philosophical doctrine developed in the late 1920s by the Vienna Circle under the leadership of Mauritz Schlick and Rudolf Carnap. FOR 10 POINTS, give the two word name for this school which asserted that propositions that are neither verifiable by empirical observation nor demonstrable as analytic are meaningless.

ANSWER: LOGICAL POSITIVISM

26. It recently spent \$45 million to refurbish its famed luxury liner, the Queen Elizabeth 2, only to suffer a public relations disaster as that ship was detained by the U.S. Coast Guard due to myriad safety violations. FOR 10 POINTS, name the British company which owns and operates the QE2.

ANSWER: CUNARD Lines

27. FOR A QUICK 10 POINTS, with what sport should you associate the names Joe Berardi, Tish Johnson, Mike Aulby, Donna Adamek, Marshall Holman, Aleta Sill, and the winningest professional in the sport's history, Earl Anthony?

ANSWER: BOWLING

28. Jacques was a physicist, the first to use hydrogen gas in balloons, while Ray is a musician. FOR 10 POINTS, what surname do they share with Suzette, who succeeded Vanessa Williams as Miss America?

ANSWER: CHARLES

29. Thomas of Aquino, Albertus Magnus, Solomon, Boethius, and others appear as brilliant points of light in its tenth canto. They circle around the protagonist and his guide, and then stop "like ladies not freed from the dance, but pausing in silence until they have caught the next strain." FOR 10 POINTS, name this section of a great poem in which the lady Beatrice serves as Dante's guide.

ANSWER: PARADISO or HEAVEN [If The Divine Comedy is given, prompt for more specificity]

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1. (20 pts) For 5 points apiece, identify the following terms taken from a glossary of basic definitions in chemistry:

A. Any molecule that accepts a proton in a chemical reaction.

ANSWER: Base

B. Any molecule formed by connecting smaller molecules together, either in a string or in some more complex shape.

ANSWER: Polymer

C. Any chemical process that adds electrons to a molecule.

ANSWER: Reduction

D. A mixture of two or more fluids in which one of the fluids exists in the form of tiny droplets or particles within the other.

ANSWER: Emulsion

2. (25 pts) Given a Native American leader from the so-called Indian Wars of the North American continent, identify, for 5 points apiece the tribe to which he belonged:

A. Cochise

ANSWER: Chiricahua Apache

B. Tecumseh

ANSWER: Shawnee

C. Osceola

ANSWER: Seminole

D. Captain Jack

ANSWER: Modoc

E. Pontiac

ANSWER: Ottawa

3. (30 pts) 30-20-10. Identify the writer from quotes appearing in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*.

30: "Home is the place where, when you have have to go there, They have to take you in."

20: "One could do worse than be a swinger of birches."

10: "The land was ours before we were the land's."

ANSWER: Robert Frost (Sources: *The Death of the Hired Man, Birches, The Gift Outright*)

4. (20 pts) "Welcome to the Nightmare" read the communique from the rebel leader as Mexico's new President took office in December. One year after it began, the rebel insurgency in the state of Chiapas was back in the news at the end of 1994. For 10 points apiece, identify both the rebel Zapatista leader and the new president of Mexico.

ANSWER: Subcommander Marcos and Ernesto Zedillo

5. (25 pts) Given the actress and the year, name the film for which she won a best supporting actress Oscar. 5 points apiece.

- A. Brenda Fricker, 1989
- B. Peggy Ashcroft, 1984
- C. Ingrid Bergman, 1974
- D. Cloris Leachman, 1971
- E. Shirley Jones, 1960

ANSWER: My Left Foot
ANSWER: A Passage to India
ANSWER: Murder on the Orient Express
ANSWER: The Last Picture Show
ANSWER: Elmer Gantry

6. (30 pts) There are exactly six cities that have hosted the modern Olympic games more than once. Name them, for 5 points apiece.

ANSWER: Innsbruck, Lake Placid, London, Los Angeles, Paris, St. Moritz

7. (25 pts) Being human, you belong to the phylum chordata. But for 5 points apiece, to what phylum would you belong if you were a:

- A. lobster
- B. starfish
- C. jellyfish
- D. sponge
- E. clam

ANSWER: Arthropoda
ANSWER: Echinodermata
ANSWER: Cnidaria (NYE-darea) (also accept: Coelenterata)
ANSWER: Porifera
ANSWER: Mollusca

8. (20 pts) Identify the 20th century composers of the following classical works, for 5 points apiece:

- A. Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini, and The Bells
- B. La Valse, and Schéhérazade
- C. Ariadne auf Naxos, and Der Rosenkavalier
- D. Fantasia on a Theme of Thomas Tallis, and A Sea Symphony

ANSWER: Sergei Rachmaninov
ANSWER: Maurice Ravel
ANSWER: Richard Strauss
ANSWER: Ralph Vaughn Williams

9. (25 pts) Answer the following questions about the Sikh [SEEK] religion for the stated number of points:

- A. (5 pts) What city, site of the Golden Temple, is sacred to Sikhs?
- B. (10 pts) What name, meaning "lion," is taken by Sikh initiates?
- C. (10 pts) Who was the founder and first guru of Sikhism?

ANSWER: Amritsar
ANSWER: Singh
ANSWER: Nanak

10. (30 pts) Given the setting and the name of a main character, name the Pulitzer prize winning novel. 10 points apiece.

- A. New York, Ellen Osenka
- B. New Orleans, Ignatius J. Reilly
- C. rural Florida, Jody Baxter

ANSWER: The Age of Innocence
ANSWER: A Confederacy of Dunces
ANSWER: The Yearling

11. (30 pts) 30-20-10. Identify the country from the clues provided.

A. Its official language is English, its monetary unit is the Dalasi, and its chief export is peanuts.

B. Tourism increased threefold there following the success of Alex Haley's Roots, which is partly set there.

C. The smallest country on the African mainland, it is surrounded on three sides by Senegal.

ANSWER: The Gambia

12. (30 pts) Identify the following scientific terms for 10 points apiece:

A. The point nearest the sun in the orbit of a body around the sun

ANSWER: perihelion

B. The field of dentistry concerned with diseases of the gums

ANSWER: periodontics

C. The term for the waves of contraction that push food through the digestive tract

ANSWER: peristalsis

13. (25 pts) You probably know that Babe Ruth's real first name was "George," but can you, for 5 points apiece, give the real first names of these other baseball Hall of Famers?

A. "Cap" Anson

ANSWER: Adrian

B. "Yogi" Berra

ANSWER: Lawrence

C. "Three-Finger" Brown

ANSWER: Mordecai

D. "Satchel" Paige

ANSWER: Leroy

E. "Dizzy" Dean

ANSWER: Jerome

14. (20 pts) When Chandrika Kumaratunga took office this summer, she continued a particularly South Asian trend of electing women prime ministers. For 10 points apiece:

A. In what country did Kumaratunga's election end 17 years of rule by the United National Party?

ANSWER: Sri Lanka

B. You probably know that Benazir Bhutto is prime minister of Pakistan, but can you name the woman who is prime minister of Bangladesh?

ANSWER: Khaleda Zia

15. (20 pts) How much do you remember about the Teapot Dome scandal? Answer the following questions about that affair for the stated number of points:

A. (5 pts) Teapot Dome was a naval oil reserve site located in what state?

ANSWER: Wyoming

B. (5 pts) In 1922 it was improperly leased to private interests by what honesty-impaired Secretary of the Interior?

ANSWER: Albert B. Fall

C. (10 pts) To what oil company, which bribed Fall with \$300,000 in government bonds and cash, was the Teapot Dome site leased?

ANSWER: Mammoth Oil

16. (30 pts) 30-20-10. Identify the person from the clues provided.

30: He invented the spiral spring in watches and the first screw-divided quadrant, and constructed the first Gregorian telescope.

20: He was appointed city surveyor of London in 1667, and devised a practicable system of telegraphy in 1684.

10: He was the first to formulate a theory of planetary movements as a mechanical problem, and coined the biological term "cell."

ANSWER: Robert Hooke

17. (20 pts) For 5 points apiece, name the European generally credited with each of the following explorations or discoveries:

A. Sailing past the Cape of Good Hope in 1488

ANSWER: Bartolomeu Dias

B. Discovering New York Harbor in 1524

ANSWER: Giovanni Verrazano

C. Discovering the Gulf of St. Lawrence in 1532

ANSWER: Jacques Cartier

D. Exploring the Gambia and Niger rivers in the 1790s

ANSWER: Mungo Park

18. (25 pts) For 5 points apiece, identify the noted philosopher who authored each of the following:

A. The World as Will and Idea (1819)

ANSWER: Arthur Schopenhauer

B. Being and Nothingness (1943)

ANSWER: Jean-Paul Sartre

C. Being and Time (1927)

ANSWER: Martin Heidegger

D. The Concept of Dread (1844)

ANSWER: Soren Kierkegaard

E. Discourse on the Origin of Inequality (1754)

ANSWER: Jean-Jacques Rousseau

19. (30 pts) Identify the historic capital city, for 10 points apiece:

A. The city in Greece that was the ancient capital of Boeotia.

ANSWER: Thebes

B. The city in Uzbekistan that was the capital of the empire of Tamerlane.

ANSWER: Samarkand

C. The city in Peru that was the capital of the Inca empire for five centuries.

ANSWER: Cuzco

20. (30 pts) 30-20-10. Name the person from the clues provided.

30: He was the first Asian to be awarded a Nobel Peace Prize

20: He was also the first person to refuse to accept the peace prize.

10: The year of the award was 1973, and his country was North Vietnam

ANSWER: Le Duc Tho

21. (25 pts) For 5 points apiece, given the title of a notable autobiographical work, identify the author.

A. Inside the Third Reich

ANSWER: Albert Speer

B. Goodbye to All That

ANSWER: Robert Graves

C. De Profundis

ANSWER: Oscar Wilde

D. Speak, Memory

ANSWER: Vladimir Nabokov

E. Grace Abounding to the Chief of Sinners

ANSWER: John Bunyan

22. (20 pts) Given the title of a classic comic strip, identify the Cartooning Art Hall of Famer who created it, 5 points apiece:

A. The Katzenjammer Kids

ANSWER: Rudolph Dirks

B. Dick Tracy

ANSWER: Chester Gould

C. Little Orphan Annie

ANSWER: Harold Gray

D. Terry and the Pirates

ANSWER: Milton Caniff

23. (25 pts) Identify the sculptor from a brief description, for the stated number of points.

A. (10 pts) In the 1920s and 30s this Swiss produced surrealist work such as "The Palace at 4 a.m." Later he developed his characteristic style featuring very tall, thin, standing figures suggesting existentialist alienation.

ANSWER: Alberto Giacometti

B. (15 pts) The most celebrated American sculptor of the 19th century, his best-known piece was the nude female figure "The Greek Slave," which was one of the sensations of the 1851 Crystal Palace exhibition.

ANSWER: Hiram Powers

24. (25 pts) The Greek muses were patron goddesses of the arts. For 5 points apiece, given the art, name the muse:

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| A. Epic poetry | ANSWER: <u>Calliope</u> |
| B. Lyric poetry, or music | ANSWER: <u>Euterpe</u> |
| C. Sacred poetry | ANSWER: <u>Polyhymnia</u> |
| D. Tragedy | ANSWER: <u>Melpomene</u> |
| E. Comedy | ANSWER: <u>Thalia</u> |

25. (25 pts) For 5 points apiece, give the number of the Constitutional Amendment which deals with each of the following:

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| A. Trial by jury | ANSWER: <u>7th</u> |
| B. Federal income tax | ANSWER: <u>16th</u> |
| C. Limited Presidents to two terms | ANSWER: <u>22nd</u> |
| D. Regulation of search and seizure | ANSWER: <u>4th</u> |
| E. Separate electoral ballots for President and Vice President | ANSWER: <u>12th</u> |

26. (20 pts) For 5 points apiece, give the familiar foreign word or phrase as directed.

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| A. Latin for "let the buyer beware" | ANSWER: <u>caveat emptor</u> |
| B. Greek for "I have found it" | ANSWER: <u>eureka</u> |
| C. Irish for "Ireland Forever" | ANSWER: <u>Erin go bragh</u> |
| D. German for "under the limes" | ANSWER: <u>Unter den Linden</u> |

27. (30 pts) A tripartite "literary edifice" bonus...

A. Franz Kafka wrote *The Castle*, but for 10 points who in 1764 wrote *The Castle of Otranto*?

ANSWER: Horace Walpole

B. Jane Austen wrote *Northanger Abbey*, but for 10 more points who in 1818 wrote the satirical *Nightmare Abbey*?

ANSWER: Thomas Love Peacock

C. Pink Floyd made it big with *The Wall*, but who authored the 1950 novel *The Wall*?

ANSWER: John Hersey

28. (20 pts) For 20 points, name the American critic of urban technological culture who had a worldwide influence on architecture and regional planning through such books as "Technics and Civilization," "The Culture of Cities," and "The City in History."

ANSWER: Lewis Mumford