

1. A ONCE-PROMISING VACCINE FOR IT CALLED SPF66 DOESN'T WORK EITHER, AND IT HAD BEEN WRONGLY BELIEVED TO BE ELIMINATED THROUGH SUCH CHEMICALS AS DDT AND CHLOROQUINE. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS SEEMINGLY INVINCIBLE DISEASE, SPREAD BY MOSQUITOES

ANSWER: MALARIA

2. DESPITE THE EFFORTS OF EARLY EXPLORERS SUCH AS AMERICAN WHALING CAPTAIN NATHANIEL PALMER AND RUSSIAN ADMIRAL VON BELLINGSHAUSEN, IT DIDN'T RECEIVE A PLACE ON THE MAP UNTIL 1821. FOR TEN POINTS, NAME THIS CONTINENT.

ANSWER: ANTARCTICA

3. DNA TESTS CONDUCTED BY THE ARMED FORCES INSTITUTE OF PATHOLOGY IN WASHINGTON IN 1995 PROVE THAT BONES OF HIS DUG FROM THE YEKATERINBURG FOREST DID INDEED BELONG TO--FOR 10 POINTS--WHAT LAST ROMANOV CZAR?

ANSWER: NICHOLAS II

4. LUDEK ZAKEL IS A 63-YEAR-OLD PHYSICIST, WHOSE PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS INCLUDE GRAVITATIONAL WAVES IN SPACE, AND WHOSE PERSONAL INTERESTS INCLUDE ART AND SCULPTURE. BECAUSE OF THE OVERLAPPING SIMILARITIES IN INTERESTS AND IN APPEARANCE, LUDEK MADE THE CLAIM IN 1995 THAT HE WAS THE SON OF--FOR 10 POINTS--WHAT THEORIST OF RELATIVITY?

ANSWER: ALBERT EINSTEIN

5. PENCIL AND PAPER READY. FOR 10 POINTS, HOW MANY DEGREES ARE THERE IN AN ANGLE MEASURING  $\pi/5$  RADIANS?

ANSWER: 72 DEGREES

6. BORN IN NAISHÁPÚR, WHERE HE SPENT HIS WHOLE LIFE, HE WAS PART OF THE COMMISSION APPOINTED BY MALIK SHAH TO REVISE PART OF THE CALENDAR. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS ASTRONOMER, WHO DIED IN 1123, BETTER KNOWN FOR HIS RUBÁIYÁT.

ANSWER: OMAR KHAYYAM

7. SEATED AT THE MOUTH OF THE LIFFEY RIVER, IT'S THE HOME OF THE DÁIL ÉIREANN, AND HAS SUCH SUBURBS AS RATHMINES AND RATHGAR. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS CITY, THE CAPITAL OF IRELAND.

ANSWER: DUBLIN

8. NEWSPAPER COLUMNIST MOLLY IVINS SAID REGARDING THIS BOOK: "THERE ARE EPISODES OF GILLIGAN'S ISLAND WITH MORE PROBABLE PLOT LINES." FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS 1992 WORK BY ALEXANDRA RIPLEY, AND SEQUEL TO THE ~~1936~~ PULITZER-PRIZE WINNER FOR FICTION, GONE WITH THE WIND. 1937

ANSWER: SCARLETT

9. PENCIL AND PAPER READY. FOR 10 POINTS, IN BASE 2, HOW WOULD YOU WRITE THE NUMBER 43?

ANSWER: 101011

10. IN 1377, IN ORDER TO PREVENT FURTHER OUTBREAKS OF THE BLACK DEATH, THE REPUBLIC OF RAGUSA FORCED ALL SAILORS AND CARGOES TO STAY ON A NEARBY ISLAND FOR 40 DAYS, THUS GIVING RISE TO--FOR 10 POINTS--WHAT TERM DENOTING A DISEASE-MANDATED ISOLATION?

ANSWER: QUARANTINE

11. HAWAIIAN FOR "JUMPING FLEA," IT DEVELOPED FROM THE 1870'S PORTUGUESE MACHADA. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS 4-STRINGED MUSICAL INSTRUMENT.

ANSWER: UKELELE

12. THE FRONTRUNNER IN THIS COUNTRY IN 1995 IS ALI AKBAR NATIQ-NOORI, AND THE OTHER MAIN CANDIDATE--GHOLAM HUSSEIN KARBASCHI--IS A LONG SHOT AT BEST FOR THE PRESIDENCY OF--FOR 10 POINTS--WHAT COUNTRY, WHOSE CURRENT PRESIDENT IS HASHEMI RAFSANJANI?

ANSWER: IRAN

13. HE EULOGIZED CROMWELL IN HEROICK STANZAS, CELEBRATED CHARLES II IN ASTRAEA REDUX, AND DEFENDED ANGLICANISM IN RELIGIO LAICI. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS BRITISH AUTHOR OF THE MEDAL, ANNUS MIRABILUS, AND ALL FOR LOVE.

ANSWER: JOHN DRYDEN

14. PENCIL AND PAPER READY. FOR 10 POINTS, ON A CARTESIAN PLANE, WHAT IS THE DISTANCE FROM THE POINT 3 COMMA FIVE TO THE POINT 15 COMMA 10?

ANSWER: 13

15. HE HATED LAW, FLUNKING THE BAR THREE TIMES, SO HE TOOK UP POLITICS INSTEAD, RUNNING FOR STATE ASSEMBLY IN 1966 AND WINNING A SENATE SEAT IN 1982. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS POLITICIAN WHO, SINCE 1990, HAS BEEN GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

ANSWER: PETE WILSON

16. ACCORDING TO PLUTARCH'S LIVES, THIS 7TH CENTURY B.C. ATHENIAN DEMANDED DEATH FOR NEARLY ALL CRIMES, AND REPUTEDLY WROTE HIS LAWS IN BLOOD. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS LAWGIVER, NOW SYNONYMOUS WITH HARSH PUNISHMENT.

ANSWER: DRACO (ACCEPT: DRACONIAN)

17. PENCIL AND PAPER READY. SUPPOSE YOU HAVE A 4-BY-4 MATRIX WHICH DOES NOT HAVE AN INVERSE. FOR 10 POINTS, WHAT THEN IS ITS DETERMINANT?

ANSWER: ZERO OR EQUIVALENTS

18. HER DEBUT CAME IN THE 1975 FILM SHAMPOO, WHERE SHE SEDUCED WARREN BEATTY, AND SHE LATER STARRED IN SUCH BOMBS AS HOLLYWOOD VICE SQUAD AND AMAZON WOMEN ON THE MOON. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS ACTRESS, BEST KNOWN FOR HER ROLE IN THE STAR WARS TRILOGY AS PRINCESS LEIA.

ANSWER: CARRIE FISHER

19. BORN TEODOR KORZENIOWSKI, HE PUBLISHED HIS FIRST NOVEL AT AGE 38, AND DIDN'T EVEN SPEAK ANY ENGLISH UNTIL AGE 19. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS WRITER OF NOSTROMO, LORD JIM, AND HEART OF DARKNESS.

ANSWER: JOSEPH CONRAD

20. DANAUS PLEXIPPUS, BECAUSE OF THE PRESECE OF CARDENOLIDE (A HEART POISON), IT IS POISONOUS TO BIRDS. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS WINGED INSECT WITH A ROYAL NAME.

ANSWER: MONARCH BUTTERFLY

21. EVERYBODY, INCLUDING ALL THE GODS, WILL DIE. THE HEAVENS WILL VANISH, AND THE SEA WILL CONSUME THE EARTH, YET LIF AND LIFTHRASIR WILL REPOPULATE THE WORLD AFTER--FOR 10 POINTS--WHAT NORSE DAY OF DOOM?

ANSWER: RAGNAROK OR TWILIGHT OF THE GODS OR GÖTTERDAMERUNG  
(DO NOT ACCEPT: APOCALYPSE)

22. ARTHRITIS PREVENTED THIS MOTHER OF 10 FROM PURSUING THE NEEDLECRAFT WITH WHICH SHE COULD SUPPORT HER FAMILY. SO THIS 79-YEAR-OLD WOMAN TOOK UP PAINTING INSTEAD. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS AMERICAN FOLK PAINTER, WHO PAINTED OUT FOR THE CHRISTMAS TREES.

ANSWER: GRANDMA MOSES OR ANNA MARY ROBERTSON

23. THE HISPANIC COUNCIL OF BENSENVILLE, ILLINOIS, SENT A 13-PIECE MARIACHI BAND TO A JUNE 3, 1995, RALLY AT THE DUPAGE COURTHOUSE HELD BY--FOR 10 POINTS--WHAT ORGANIZATION FOUNDED IN PULASKI, TENNESSEE, IN 1866?

ANSWER: KU KLUX KLAN OR KKK

24. NAMED BY LANDOWNER JACOB DAVIS, IT WAS THE CAPITAL OF ITS STATE SINCE 1805, AND WAS FORMED AT THE CONFLUENCE OF THE WINOOSKI AND NORTH BRANCH RIVERS. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS CITY, FRENCH FOR "BARE HILL," AND THE CAPITAL OF VERMONT.

ANSWER: MONTPELIER

25. BORN IN SWITZERLAND, HE WAS PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL PSYCHOLOGICAL ANALYTICAL SOCIETY, AND AFTER TRAVELLING AROUND THE WORLD, NOTED THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN INTROVERT AND EXTROVERT. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS PSYCHOLOGIST, WHO ALSO DEVISED "COLLECTIVE UNCONSCIOUS" AND "ARCHETYPE."

ANSWER: CARL JUNG

26. HIS LEG WAS AMPUTATED AFTER A DECEMBER 1838 BATTLE. THE LEG WAS PARADED, WITH BAND AND ORCHESTRAL ACCOMPANIMENT, AND WAS PLACED IN THE PANTHEON OF SAINT PAULA. SUCH WAS THE FAME--FOR 10 POINTS--OF WHICH ~~SPANISH~~ GENERAL?

ANSWER: ANTONIO DE SANTA ANNA

MEXICAN

27. THE CANDIDATE OF THE LAVALAS CAMPAIGN, HE WAS IN EXILE FOR 1,111 DAYS, AFTER BEING IN OFFICE FOR SEVEN MONTHS. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS COUP VICTIM, WHO HAS BEEN REINSTATED AS PRESIDENT OF HAITI.

ANSWER: JEAN-BERTRAND ARISTIDE

28. BANNED FOR 30 YEARS IN THE U.S. AND ENGLAND, THIS 1928 BOOK ABOUT THE LOVE AFFAIR OF MELLORS AND CONSTANCE WAS ORIGINALLY NAMED TENDERNESS. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS BOOK BY D.H. LAWRENCE, ALSO NAMED JOHN THOMAS AND LADY JANE.

ANSWER: LADY CHATTERLEY'S LOVER

29. AN ATTORNEY, A PSYCHOLOGIST, AND A LETTER SHE WROTE, REPRESENTED HER IN THE HAMBURG, GERMANY, RETRIAL OF GÜNTHER PARCHE, THE PERSON WHO STABBED--FOR 10 POINTS--WHAT HIGH-RANKED TENNIS PLAYER?

ANSWER: MONICA SELES

30. BORN GEORGIOS KYRIACOS PAWAYIOTOU, THE SON OF A CYPRIOT SHOPOWNER, HE WAS RELEASED IN 1995 FROM A CONTRACT WITH SONY. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS SINGER, WHO TEAMED UP WITH ANDREW RIDGELY IN WHAM!

ANSWER: GEORGE MICHAEL

31. BESIDES MARY, FATIMA, AND ASLA, THE KORAN LISTS HER AS ONE OF THE FOUR PERFECT WOMEN. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS 6TH CENTURY WOMAN, WHO, AFTER BEING WIDOWED, BECAME THE FIRST WIFE OF MOHAMMED.

ANSWER: KHADIJAH

32. PENCIL AND PAPER READY. SUPPOSE A HIKER MOVES 3 MILES NORTH, THEN 2 MILES EAST, THEN ANOTHER MILE NORTH, AND FINALLY 5 MILES WEST. FOR 10 POINTS, AFTER ALL THIS WALKING, HOW FAR IS THE HIKER FROM THE STARTING POINT?

ANSWER: FIVE MILES

33. SPANISH FOR "COTTONWOOD," IT WAS BUILT IN 1722 AS A FRANCISCAN MISSION. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS CHAPEL, FORT, AND HISTORICAL LANDMARK, LOCATED IN SAN ANTONIO.

ANSWER: THE ALAMO

34. HE DIED WITH FOUR FAMILY MEMBERS: HIS HALF-BROTHERS TOM AND BOSTON; HIS NEPHEW, HARRY REED; AND HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW JAMES CALHOUN, ALL OF WHOM PERISHED IN MONTANA, IN 1876, WITH--FOR 10 POINTS--WHAT ILL-FATED LEADER AT THE BATTLE OF LITTLE BIG HORN?

ANSWER: LIEUTENANT COLONEL (NOT GENERAL) GEORGE ARMSTRONG CUSTER

35. HE RAN UNOPPOSED FOR THE POSITION OF SENIOR CLASS VICE PRESIDENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, AND, DESPITE A B-MINUS AVERAGE, WON A RHODES SCHOLARSHIP. FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS ASTRONOMER WHO THEORIZED THE UNIVERSE'S EXPANSION, THE NAMESAKE OF A SPACE TELESCOPE.

ANSWER: EDWIN HUBBLE

36. THE FULL TRANSLATION OF THIS ACRONYM IS "DEATH TO THE FRENCH IS ITALY'S CRY," WHICH WERE RENDERED INTO ITALIAN IS "MORTE ALLA FRANCIA ITALIA ANELA." FOR 10 POINTS, NAME THIS SICILY-BASED ORGANIZATION OF TERROR.

ANSWER: MAFIA