

ROUND 3
The Panther Bowl
October 21, 2000

Section 1
Toss Ups

1. After thirteen months of experimentation, on October 21, 1879, the final product was effective for thirteen hours. Subsequent versions would last forty hours. For ten points, what is this invention composed of carbonized cotton filaments that would forever illuminate the genius of Thomas Edison?

electric light bulb or incandescent light bulb or some equivalent

2. Once considered a contemporary of Hammurabi, king of Babylonia, this man probably lived in the period between 2000 and 1500 BC . He was born in the city of Ur of the Chaldees, where he married his half sister. Receiving a promise that God would make him a "great nation," he moved on to Canaan, where he lived as a nomad. For ten points, who is this Biblical patriarch?

ABRAHAM or ABRAM

3. Born in 1809 near Hodgenville, Kentucky, he was the son of pioneer farmers and showed great intellectual promise, although he had little formal education. During his early life he split rails, clerked in a store, and served as a captain in the Black Hawk War. For ten points, who was this self educated lawyer whose humanitarian instincts, brilliant speeches, and unusual political skill elevated him to near mythic status as "The Great Emancipator" and 16th president of the United States?

Abraham Lincoln

4. The earnings from his writings were enormous but scarcely sufficient in his later years to sustain his extravagant style of living and at his death, on Dec. 5, 1870, he was virtually bankrupt. Known as a prolific writer, almost 1200 volumes were published under his name, although many were the result of collaboration . For ten points, name this widely read French writer who created such memorable tales as The Tower of Nesle, The Alchemist, The Count of Monte-Cristo, and The Three Musketeers.

Alexander Dumas

5. Invented in Berlin in 1822, this free-reed musical instrument had ten melody buttons and two bass buttons. Wind was supplied to the reeds by a bellows, the access of air to each reed controlled by a valve that the player opened by depressing a button. During the 1850s, a piano-like keyboard was substituted for the melody buttons. For ten points, what is this instrument popular in Austria and Switzerland and usually associated with the polka?

Accordion

6. "This is my favorite book in all the world, though I have never read it." This is the first line of a book in which you scale up the Cliffs of Insanity, fight off Rodents Of Unusual Size, and own a sword made for a six fingered man. For ten points, name this novel supposedly written by S. Morgenstern , but whose "Good Parts" version was written by William Goldman.

The Princess Bride

7. He almost didn't live to receive the prize. Kidnapped and almost killed by his nation's secret police, he was later put in prison, sentenced to death, and finally exiled. When he returned to his country, he ran for president twice and was defeated, but finally won in 1997. For ten points, who is the President of South Korea who was recently awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for his "great moral strength" and contributions to "democracy and human rights?"

Kim Dae-Jung

8. This state's state flower is the Hawthorn, and its state bird is the bluebird. It is a mid-western state whose nickname is "The Show-me State." For ten points, name this state which is the home of the Gateway Arch and whose capital is Jefferson City.

Missouri

9. Alexander Pope said of him: "Nature and Nature's laws lay hid in night: God said, Let [him] be and all was light." Born December 25, 1642 in Woolsthorpe, England, this man went on to be considered the most influential scientist of all time. Until his death in 1727, this man developed theories regarding motion and universal gravitation, and, outlined calculus in his work "Principia." For ten points, name this man.

Isaac Newton

10. His last words were, "How were the circus receipts in Madison Square Gardens?" He began his career in 1835 when he purchased a very old hymn-singing slave named Joice Heth and exhibited her as the 161 year old nurse of George Washington. As an additional attraction, he added the preserved body of a FeeJee Mermaid--in reality the top half of a monkey sewn to the tail of a fish. For ten points, who was the most famous American showman of all time who once ran "The Greatest Show on Earth"?

P. T. Barnum

11. Its inventor had "been at odds" with the United States Navy since 1844 as a result of a cannon exploding on board a ship of his design that killed the Secretary of the Navy and five others. Yet, he was later given \$275,000 to design a new ship. This new vessel would be constructed entirely of flat iron plate, be 172 feet long, and feature two 12 inch guns housed in a revolving turret. For ten points, name this warship, designed by John Ericsson, and famous for engaging the Merrimack at Hampton Roads in the first conflict between ironclad warships.

Monitor

12. Two inventors created this device independently of each other in or around 1730. Its chief use is in navigation, for determining the elevation of the sun or other celestial bodies in order to reckon the latitude and longitude of the navigator. For ten points, what is this instrument, an optical instrument used to measure angular distance between any two objects?

sextant

13. The English were faced with a superior French army. However, with the help of their longbows, the English were victorious and gained control of much of France. For ten points, what famous battle of the Hundred Years' War is the central focus of William Shakespeare's Henry V?

Battle of **Agincourt**

14. This French-American author was born in Romania in 1928. Unlike his parents, he survived the Nazi concentration camps and studied at the University of Paris after World War II. His first book, published in 1958 under the title, And the World Remained Silent, is based on his experiences at Auschwitz. For ten points, identify this man, the 1986 recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize and the author of The Forgotten, The Town Beyond the Wall, and Night.

Elie **Wiesel** (vee-zell)

15. At the first performance of this ballet, the unconventional choreography and the harsh dissonances and driving, asymmetrical, shifting rhythms of the music prompted a hostile uproar so noisy that the dancers could not hear the orchestra. Later concert performances were well received. For ten points, what is this piece by Stravinsky that is featured in Disney's Fantasia as the swan song of the dinosaurs?

The Rite of Spring

SECTION II WORKSHEET ROUND

During this section you will be given a worksheet. Each question is worth ten points. You will have two minutes to complete the worksheet.

Section III

Category Bonuses

During this section of the round, you will hear five toss up questions that will count ten points each. The player who answers the question correctly will give the team the opportunity to choose from six categories of bonus questions. There are two bonus questions per category and they count ten points each. The bounce back rule is in effect. Should the team not be able to answer the question, the other team will have the opportunity to answer. Answers from the opposing team must be immediate!

(Note to Reader: Give each team a copy of the bonus categories before advancing in this round. Be sure to mark off a category as it is used.)

If neither team correctly answers the toss-up, then the bonus questions will be up for grabs on the next question.

Round Three Category Bonuses are :

Father Knows Best: First Lines about fathers

Sports Birthdays

It is Good being the Queen

Charged Up

Bye, bye, Central American guys

A River Really Runs Through It

Toss Ups:

1. If this story is not true, it should be. When missionaries were transliterating the local speech of this Pacific island into Latin, they ran out of a certain letter in their type fonts and so arbitrarily eliminated the letter from some words. For ten points, what is this island which is spelled one way, but pronounced differently because the typesetters ran out of the 14th letter of the alphabet?

Pago Pago (Pango Pango)

2. It consists of the House of Representatives and the House of Councillors. The lower house consists of 500 members, each of whom serves a four-year term, whereas the upper house consists of 252 members, each of whom serves a six-year term. For ten points, identify this bicameral body which replaced the pre-World War II House of Peers and which is the federal legislative body of Japan.

Diet

3. For identification, these may be the best. No two people have the same tissue patterns, and even the left side differs from the right. Science Fiction writers have pondered this for decades but use of this technology is fairly recent. For ten points, give the name of this sense organ whose patterns may soon replace fingerprints in identification.

eye

4. He was born in Sudbury, Suffolk on May 14, 1727 and died in London on August 2, 1788. In this time, he had painted more than five hundred paintings, two hundred of them portraits. For ten points, identify this artist, painter of Parish Clerk, Mrs. Tenant, and his most famous work, The Blue Boy.

Thomas **GAINSBOROUGH**

5. He was cut into thirteen pieces by his brother Set, and only twelve of these pieces were recovered. His son, Horus, replaced the missing part, his genitals, with a model. However, it was Isis who had put her husband's body back together. For ten points, identify this Egyptian judge of the Underworld.

Osiris

Category Bonuses: Round 3

Father Knows Best: First Lines about fathers

Given the first line of a novel and the author, name the novel.

“Everyone had always said that John would be a preacher when he grew up, just like his father.” James Baldwin

Go Tell It On the Mountain

“In my younger and more vulnerable years my father gave me some advice that I've been turning over in my mind ever since.” F. Scott Fitzgerald

The Great Gatsby

Sports Birthdays

Some very important people were born on October 21. Given a brief description of these famous athletes born on this day, name them.

He played football for the Chicago Bears and was the subject of the film, Brian's Song.

Brian Picolo

A member of the Baseball Hall of Fame, he was a pitcher for the New York Yankees. played in two world series (1950, 1960), won the Cy Young Award in 1961, and won a record 10 World Series games.

Whitey Ford

It is Good being the Queen

For ten points, identify the last British monarch from the house of Hanover, who reigned from 1837 to 1901.

Victoria

Identify, for ten points, the last Stuart monarch of Britain, who reigned from 1702 to 1714.

Anne

Charged Up

Identify the following about ions for ten points each.

a. The name for an ion with a negative charge.

Anion

b. The name for an ion with a positive charge.

Cation

Bye, bye, Central American guys

a. Identify, for ten points, the last Aztec emperor, defeated by Cortez in 1521.

Montezuma II

b, Identify, for ten points, the Aztec god Montezuma assumed Cortez was.

Quetzacoatl (Kwet-za-coat-l)

A River Really Runs Through It

Given a city, name the large river that flows through it.

1) Lisbon, Portugal

Tagus River

2) Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Mekong River

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SECTION II
WORKSHEET Round 3

For ten points, identify each of the following about Africa.

1. What is the most populous country in Africa? _____
2. What is the capital of Zimbabwe? _____
3. What is the deepest lake in Africa? _____
4. On what river is Victoria Falls located? _____
5. Kikwit, Zaire was struck with a deadly outbreak of what virus? _____
6. What disease is carried by the Tsetse Fly? _____
7. Lemurs are only found in what African country? _____
8. Because of its extremely territorial behavior, what animal kills the most Africans each year? _____
9. What is the name of the 1899- 1902 conflict between Afrikaners and the British? _____
10. What was the South African racial policy which means “separateness” known as? _____
11. What former Egyptian president ousted the monarchy, introduced nationalism, and built the Aswan High Dam? _____
12. What country was founded in the early 1800s by freed American slaves? _____
13. Who was the president of Uganda from 1971- 1979 that killed nearly 500,000 Ugandans and plunged his country into chaos and poverty? _____
14. What ethnic group makes up a small proportion of Rwanda’s population and has continually fought with the rivaling Hutus? _____
15. What is the only African country that is still ruled

by a monarchy?
