

Bowl Round 5

First Quarter

(1) A defector from this country conducted the first full recording of Wagner's *Ring Cycle* and led the Chicago Symphony from 1969 to 1991. A composer from this nation mocked Shostakovich's *Leningrad* Symphony in the "Intermezzo Interrotto" of one work and collected folk songs with his countryman, Zoltán Kodály [koh-dye]. For ten points, George Solti and the composer of a *Concerto for Orchestra*, Béla Bartók, hail from what nation, the subject of 19 *Rhapsodies* by Franz Liszt?

ANSWER: Hungary

(2) Nathaniel Morton recorded the first version of this document that included a list of its signers, who agreed to "combine ourselves together into a civil body politic." John Carver probably wrote this document, which was signed by 41 "loyal subjects of our dread Sovereign Lord King James," including William Bradford, to create the legal basis for a community on Cape Cod. For ten points, name this document signed in 1620 to govern Plymouth Colony, signed on board the first ship to bring Pilgrims to the New World.

ANSWER: Mayflower Compact

(3) Michael Fay's treatment at the hands of this nation's government caused outrage in the mid-1990s. This nation abolished trial by jury in the 1970s, and it hosts the annual Shangri-La Dialogue for world security. The People's Action Party of this nation frequently sued opponents under the leadership of its recently deceased first President, Lee Kuan Yew. This smallest member of the Four Asian Tigers is notorious for its ban on chewing gum. For ten points, name this island-state on the tip of the Malay Peninsula.

ANSWER: Singapore

(4) This battle's concluding skirmishes in the Ancre valley were called off on account of the winter. Operation Alberich saw a strategic retreat from the front lines of this battle. An explosion at Hawthorne Ridge during this battle was filmed by Geoffrey Malins. Ferdinand Foch and Douglas Haig failed to make significant breakthroughs in the German line during this battle during the winter of 1916. The tank was first utilized at, for ten points, what deadly World War I battle, in which over 600,000 allied troops were killed in fighting for a French river?

ANSWER: Battle of the Somme

(5) This treaty's first version resolved claims regarding Don Jose de Garay's grant to develop a route across the Isthmus of Tehuantapec. This treaty, which tried to resolve William Lane's claim to the Mesilla Valley, was approved to obtain land for a transcontinental railroad south of the Gila River. President Pierce signed, for ten points, what 1853 treaty in which America paid 10 million dollars to Mexico for a strip of land in southern New Mexico and Arizona?

ANSWER: Gadsden Purchase

(6) This military organization was not allowed to retreat from the battlefield until all of its flags had fallen from the field. While fighting at the Battle of Ascalon, Bernard de Tremelay led 40 members of this group to their deaths while rushing into a breach in the walls. The Chinon Parchment documented Pope Clement V's attempts to protect this group from dissolution, and Jacques de Molay served as the last "Grand Master" of this organization. For ten points, name this medieval Crusading order, whose symbol was a red cross.

ANSWER: **Knights Templar**

(7) One member of this family took power after overthrowing Salah Jadid. That man's supporters violently suppressed his brother's forces in Latakia in 1999, and in 1982, that man's military carried out the Hama massacre to suppress the Muslim Brotherhood. Another member of this family is opposed by the al-Nusra front in a civil war that emerged from the Arab Spring. For ten points, give this name shared by Hafez and his son, Bashar, who have both served as President of Syria.

ANSWER: **al-Assad**

(8) A memorial to this event includes two bronze gates with three time inscriptions: 9:01, 9:02, and 9:03. That memorial to this event also contains a chair with a glass base for each victim, all of which are arranged to represent their relative locations when they died. Charles Porter's photography of this event shows Baylee Almon being carried by firefighter Chris Fields. For ten points, name this 1995 terrorist attack on the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building by Terry Nichols and Timothy McVeigh.

ANSWER: **Oklahoma City Bombing** or **OKC Bombing**

(9) Counteracting this phenomenon incurs shoeleather costs, and Robert Gordon's triangle model views demand-pull as one of its three causes. This phenomenon is plotted against unemployment in the Philips Curve. Gerald Ford pledged to "whip" this phenomenon "now." Unlimited printing of money in Zimbabwe and the Weimar Republic led to "hyper" episodes of this. The Consumer Price Index tracks, for ten points, what economic phenomenon, the rise in the cost of goods and services?

ANSWER: **inflation**

(10) Louis Freeland Post prevented many of these events, which were ordered by a man called the "Quaking Quitter" after a bomb was mailed to his home as part of the Galleanist May Day attacks. J. Edgar Hoover assisted in organizing these events, which threatened deportation of radicals and were widely criticized as illegal. For ten points, name this series of arrests and raids on anarchists during the 1919-20 Red Scare, led and named for the U.S. Attorney General who ordered them.

ANSWER: **Palmer** Raids (prompt on descriptions of "the arrest and/or deportation of anarchists" before "deportation" is read)

Second Quarter

(1) Sayyid Qutb was arrested and executed for plotting to kill this man. This man's anti-aircraft battery on Green Island was destroyed during the War of Attrition. This man, who outlined his ambitions in *Philosophy of the Revolution*, rose to power after deposing Farouk I as head of the Free Officers Movement. The Aswan High Dam was built by, for ten points, what predecessor of Anwar Sadat as President of Egypt?

ANSWER: Gamel Abdel **Nasser**

BONUS: Nasser faced an invasion by French and British paratroopers after nationalizing this waterway.

ANSWER: **Suez** Canal

(2) The last verse of the Italian national anthem refers to an eagle which "drank the blood of Italy and [this country's] blood." Louis XV backed his father in-law during a succession conflict in this country, which broke out after the death of King Augustus the Strong. This country was established by Mieszko I of the Piast Dynasty. Austria, Prussia and Russia partitioned this country three times. For ten points, name this country, once in a commonwealth with Lithuania, whose capital is Warsaw.

ANSWER: **Poland**

BONUS: The first elected King of the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth was Henry of this house. After the death of Charles IX, Henry returned to France to become Henry III, the last French king of this house.

ANSWER: House of **Valois** (accept Henry III of **Valois**)

(3) This writer described meeting Arthur Koestler in the autobiography *I Wonder As I Wander*, and said "there's never been equality for me" in "Let America Be America Again." In one poem, this man observed a singer "droning a drowsy syncopated tune," while in another he "heard the singing of the Mississippi when Abe Lincoln went down to New Orleans". For ten points, name this Harlem Renaissance poet of "The Weary Blues" and "The Negro Speaks of Rivers."

ANSWER: Langston **Hughes**

BONUS: A Lorraine Hansberry play about the Younger family's struggle with housing discrimination takes its title from this Hughes poem.

ANSWER: **Harlem** (or **A Dream Deferred**; do not accept *A Raisin in the Sun*)

(4) This civilization developed the “false position” method to solve systems of linear equations. This civilization’s YBC 7289 tablet contains a crude estimation for the square root of 2, while another tablet of 15 Pythagorean triples is this civilization’s Plimpton 322. In 2016, it was announced that this civilization understood the trapezoid method from elementary calculus. Much of this civilization’s scientific accomplishments were taken to the west after a 331 B.C. defeat at Susa by Alexander the Great. For ten points, name this ancient Mesopotamian civilization that used a base 60 counting system.

ANSWER: Babylonia or Babylonian empire (prompt on Mesopotamia before mentioned)

BONUS: An early physical representation for this mathematical concept was first conceived during the Seleucid period of Babylon. This concept was represented by spaces using Chinese counting rods.

ANSWER: zero

(5) This musician wrote an acoustic song from the point of view of serial killer Charles Starkweather, and won an Oscar for his contribution to a 1993 film in which Tom Hanks plays a lawyer dying of AIDS. “Streets of Philadelphia” and “Nebraska” were written by this musician, who sang about a “long gone daddy” Vietnam vet in a song that was misinterpreted as an optimistic anthem by Ronald Reagan’s 1984 campaign. “Glory Days” and “Dancing in the Dark” were sung by, for ten points, what front man of the E Street Band, who sang “Born In The U.S.A.”?

ANSWER: Bruce Springsteen

BONUS: This Democratic candidate, whose running mate was John Edwards, used Springsteen’s “No Surrender” as his campaign song – with Springsteen’s permission.

ANSWER: John Kerry

(6) This president ran on the slogan “Public office is a public trust.” This man granted Native Americans citizenship if they accepted an allotment of tribal land provided by the Dawes Act, which he signed. He ordered the leader of a “Petition in Boots” to be arrested after the “Army of the Commonwealth in Christ” trespassed on the White House lawn, and he sent federal troops to Illinois to guarantee mail delivery. Coxey’s Army and the Pullman strike were put down by, for ten points, what U.S. president who served two non-consecutive terms?

ANSWER: Grover Cleveland

BONUS: In 1894, Cleveland signed the Wilson-Gorman Tariff, reducing tariff rates from those set in 1890 by this Ohio representative and future President.

ANSWER: William McKinley (or McKinley tariff)

(7) This man described the process to conversion in *Religious Affections*. He quoted Deuteronomy 32:25, “their foot shall slide in due time,” as the inspiration for a work that uses the image of a spider’s web failing to hold a rock. That work by this man compared the wicked Israelites to the audience, a congregation in Connecticut. For ten points, name this Puritan revivalist preacher who noted that only the “meer pleasure of God” kept wicked men out of Hell in his sermon *Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God*.

ANSWER: Jonathan Edwards

BONUS: Edwards was a leader in this 18th century religious revival movement in New England. George Whitefield spread this movement to Britain.

ANSWER: First Great Awakening (prompt on Awakening)

(8) As a child, this ruler was attacked by Tsuda Sanzo in the Otsu incident. This ruler’s forces attacked striking gold miners in the Lena massacre. A human stampede occurred during this ruler’s coronation at the Khodynka fields. The forces of this ruler violently cracked down on a demonstration led by Father Gapon, leading to Bloody Sunday. This ruler’s son Alexei’s hemophilia was allegedly cured by the “mad” monk Grigory Rasputin. For ten points, name this last Romanov tsar who was overthrown in the Russian Revolution.

ANSWER: Nicholas II of Russia

BONUS: During the reign of Nicholas II, one of these events broke out in Kishinev in 1903. The majority of these events occurred in the Pale of Settlement.

ANSWER: pogrom (prompt on massacres, etc., of Jews)

Third Quarter

THE JFK ASSASSINATION

Name the...

(1) Texas city in which Kennedy was killed.

ANSWER: **Dallas**

(2) Former Marine officially charged by the Warren Commission with shooting Kennedy.

ANSWER: Lee Harvey **Oswald**

(3) Nightclub owner who killed that assassin.

ANSWER: Jack **Ruby**

(4) First Lady who wore her bloodstained dress at Lyndon Johnson's inauguration.

ANSWER: **Jacqueline** (or **Jackie**) Kennedy (Onassis)

(5) Clothier whose silent film of the shooting is the most complete record of the event.

ANSWER: Abraham **Zapruder** (accept **Zapruder** film)

(6) Unknown woman who may have also filmed the shooting, nicknamed for her attire.

ANSWER: **Babushka** Lady (or synonyms, like **Babushka** Woman)

(7) Texas Governor wounded in the shooting.

ANSWER: John **Connally**

(8) Police officer shot and killed 45 minutes after Kennedy by the same killer.

ANSWER: J.D. **Tippit**

EXPLORERS OF THE NEW WORLD

Which explorer of the New World...

(1) Led the Corps of Discovery with Meriwether Lewis?

ANSWER: William **Clark**

(2) Abandoned the *Santa Maria* on Christmas Day, 1492, after it ran aground during his first voyage?

ANSWER: Christopher **Columbus** (or Cristobal **Colon**)

(3) Was set adrift in 1611 by his mutinying crew in a Canadian bay now named for him?

ANSWER: Henry **Hudson**

(4) Sought the Fountain of Youth on the first European expedition to Florida?

ANSWER: Juan **Ponce de Leon** (prompt on partial last name)

(5) Discovered and claimed Brazil for Portugal in 1500, then sailed around Africa to India?

ANSWER: Pedro 'Alvares **Cabral**

(6) Landed in Newfoundland in 1497, sailing for Henry VII of England?

ANSWER: John **Cabot** (or Giovanni **Caboto**)

(7) Was the first European to cross the Mississippi River, then was buried in the river?

ANSWER: Hernando **de Soto**

(8) Was the first European to reach the Grand Canyon, while trying to find the Seven Cities of Gold?

ANSWER: Francisco V'azques de **Coronado**

THE AZTECS

In the history of the Aztec Empire, name the...

(1) Modern-day country where the Aztec empire flourished.

ANSWER: **Mexico**

(2) Aztec capital city, built on what is now that modern day country's capital city.

ANSWER: **Tenochtitlan** (do not accept Mexico City)

(3) Desert plant, on which an eagle was perched, that legendarily inspired the founding of the capital.

ANSWER: **cactus**

(4) Extinct lake in which that capital city was built.

ANSWER: Lake **Texcoco**

(5) "Feathered serpent" deity, of which Cortez was believed to be an incarnation.

ANSWER: **Quetzalcoatl**

(6) Glassy volcanic rock used by the Aztecs for bladed tools.

ANSWER: **obsidian**

(7) Term for a "floating" artificial island built into the lake for Aztec farming.

ANSWER: **chinampas**

(8) Military empire centered at Tula that was destroyed in the 1100s, centuries before the Aztecs rose to power in the area.

ANSWER: **Toltecs**

Fourth Quarter

(1) Ancel Keys studied this condition at the University of Minnesota near the end of World War II. Claudio's sister Livilla died of this condition after being immured in her bedroom. This condition can lead to (+) kwashiorkor, which presents with a distended torso and whose name translates as "the sickness the baby gets when the (*) new baby comes." Relieving this condition must be done carefully to avoid electrolyte disorders. For ten points, name this condition of extreme malnutrition that affects nearly one billion people worldwide.

ANSWER: starvation (accept protein deficiency; accept descriptions of not eating enough food, including malnutrition before mentioned)

(2) One of these people had an affair with Hippolyte Charles that was widely publicized in Europe. The Souvenir de la Malmaison rose is named after the house that that person stayed in after she lost this title. The 1814 Treaty of (+) Fontainebleau allowed one holder of this title to inherit power after the War of the Sixth Coalition. The phrase "I married a womb" was used to describe the second of these people, (*) Marie Louise. For ten points, name these two women, including Josephine de Beauharnais, who were well-connected with a certain French emperor.

ANSWER: wives of Napoleon (prompt on Empresses of France)

(3) The first supplementary act to this legislation removed an exception for individuals possessing a letter of marque, as well as whaling vessels. One response to this law features the saying "Darn it, how he (+) nicks 'em." This legislation, passed in response to the *Chesapeake-Leopard* Affair, was replaced two years later by the Non-Intercourse Act in the final days of (*) Thomas Jefferson's presidency. A political cartoon of the snapping turtle Ograbme lampooned, for ten points, what unpopular 1807 law attempted to prevent any American exports?

ANSWER: Embargo Act of 1807

(4) This man controversially claimed that all dry cleaners were closed when Japan and South Korea played in the 2006 World Baseball Classic. One of Bill Simmons' first columns for ESPN asked if this man was the Antichrist. In the (+) 2000 World Series, he threw a shattered bat in the direction of Mike Piazza. This player contradicted his former trainer, Brian McNamee, after having been implicated by the (*) Mitchell Report. For ten points, name this retired pitcher who won seven Cy Young Awards with the Red Sox, Blue Jays, Yankees, and Astros, but only received 45% of Hall of Fame votes in 2016 amid claims of steroid use.

ANSWER: (William) Roger Clemens

(5) A city in this modern-day nation was the capital of the Idrisid Dynasty and is home to al-Karaouine, the world's oldest university. This country surrounds and claims the port city of (+) Melilla. In 1987, this nation completed construction of a namesake "wall" in an arid territory that it calls the Southern Provinces and which is also claimed the (*) Polisario Front, a Sahrawi rebel group. The Rif Republic was founded in, for ten points, what North African country that administers most of the Western Sahara and whose capital is Rabat?

ANSWER: Kingdom of Morocco

(6) This figure is thought to be depicted by a silver figurine found in 2009 in the Danish town of Lejre. Tacitus equated this god with the Roman Mercury in his *Germania*. This deity revealed the cruelty of King Geirrōth by visiting him in disguise, and this god's hall (+) Valaskjálf [vah-luhsk-yulf] contains his throne, Hlidskjalf [h'lid-sk'yulf]. Animals that serve this god include the (*) eight-legged horse Sleipnir and the ravens Huginn and Muninn. For ten points, name this father of Baldr and Thor, the one-eyed chief god of Norse mythology.

ANSWER: Odin (accept Othin, Woden, Wotan, or Wotanaz)

(7) David Josiah Brewer did not participate in this case's decision on account of his daughter's death. The majority opinion in this case denied the existence of a "badge of inferiority." *Lum v. Rice* applied this case to decide that a Mississippi public school was justified in denying a (+) Chinese-American student. The petitioner in this case, who was represented by Albion Tourgee, was refused seating in a (*) "whites-only" railway car despite being only one-eighth black. For ten points, name this 1896 Supreme Court that established the doctrine of "separate but equal" and was overturned by *Brown v. Board*.

ANSWER: Plessy v. Ferguson (accept either)

(8) The Blanketeers were the first organized group to perform this action for the purpose of political reform in England. One of these events was called by the TUC in 1926 and defused by George V. The "Winter of (+) Discontent" was named for James Callaghan's inability to control these events. William Benbow popularized this concept as a "Grand National Holiday" in 1832. Arthur Scargill led one of these events that was shut down by (*) Margaret Thatcher, who planned for that event by stockpiling coal. For ten points, name these events, a refusal of workers to work.

ANSWER: strikes (accept general strike)

Extra Question

Only read if you need a backup or tiebreaker!

(1) This ruler signed the Treaty of Montpelier with Henri, the Duke of Rohan. This ruler collaborated with Charles de Luynes to assassinate (+) Concino Concini. This ruler came to power after his father was assassinated by Francois Ravaillac, and his mother, (*) Marie de Medici served as regent during his childhood. This ruler's father was Henry IV, and his First Minister was Cardinal Richelieu. For ten points, name this king of France and father of the “Sun King.”

ANSWER: Louis XIII of France

BONUS: What empire ruled modern-day Cambodia from 802 to 1431 AD and gave its name to a Communist party led by Pol Pot?

ANSWER: Khmer Empire (accept Khmer Rouge)