

2015 National History Bowl High School Championships

Round 12

First Quarter

1. *A war over the electorate that ruled this region was ended by the Treaty of Teschen.* The ceding of lands held by Charles Theodore, a ruler of this region, led to this region's namesake war of succession. Three kings named Maximilian from the House of Wittelsbach ruled this region. One war named for this region is sometimes called the Potato War. In the nineteenth century, kings of this region included a king often described as "mad" named Ludwig II. For 10 points, name the largest state in Germany.

ANSWER: **Bavaria** [or Electorate of **Bavaria**; or Kingdom of **Bavaria**] <JL> {II}

2. *These people aimed to test the cases Morgan v. Virginia and Boynton v. Virginia.* Bull Connor claimed that no policeman stopped an attack on these people because it was Mother's Day. These people were led by Diane Nash and CORE founder James Farmer. JFK ensured police protection for these people after a Greyhound was bombed in Birmingham. For 10 points, name these activists who travelled on segregated buses in the summer of 1961.

ANSWER: **Freedom Riders** <JB> {II}

3. *Rudolph Virchow angered this specimen's discoverer by claiming he found gibbon remains.* This specimen consisted of few parts aside from a skull cap and a femur bone that was later determined to be from a modern human. This specimen was discovered by Eugene Dubois. It was initially named *Pithecanthropus erectus* before its later reclassification as *Homo erectus erectus*. For 10 points, name this supposed missing link between humans and apes found on an Indonesian island.

ANSWER: **Java Man** [or **Pithecanthropus erectus** before mention; prompt on **Homo erectus**] <JL> {II}

4. *This group operates under the motto "Unity, liberty, socialism."* This group led two coups in 1963 a month apart from each other, one of which occurred during Ramadan. This party's regime authorized the use of chemical weapons during the Halabja Massacre. This party, founded by Michel Aflaq, split into two opposing factions based in Iraq and Syria. For 10 points, name this pan-Arab political party whose members include the al-Assad family and Saddam Hussein.

ANSWER: **Ba'ath Party** [or **Ba'athists**] <KG> {II}

5. *This emperor is highly praised in the histories of Ammianus Marcellinus, who served in the army under him.* This emperor died on an invasion of Persia in which he failed to take the city of Ctesiphon after winning a battle just outside it. He rose to power after the sudden death of his cousin Constantius II in 361. This emperor's *Against the Galileans* was a written criticism of Christianity. For 10 points, name this last vocally pagan Roman emperor.

ANSWER: **Julian** the Apostate [or Flavius Claudius **Julianus**] <JL> {II}

6. *This man's company was rivaled by former employee G.H. Thiel's organization. This man employed the duplicitous James McParland as an operative. He founded a group whose insignia was an eye with the caption "We never sleep." This former head of the Union Intelligence Service founded an organization whose undercover agents frequently protected "scabs" during strikes. For 10 points, name this Scottish-American founder of a namesake detective agency.*

ANSWER: Allan **Pinkerton** <MC> {II}

7. *Until 1958, this country owned the port of Gwadar. A ruler of this country moved his capital to Zanzibar's Stone Town in 1840. This country's Arabian Oryx Sanctuary was the first ever place removed from UNESCO's list of World Heritage Sites. This country faced the Dhofar Rebellion. The Musandam exclaves are separated from this country by the United Arab Emirates. For 10 points, name this sultanate that dropped "Muscat" from its official name in 1970.*

ANSWER: Sultanate of **Oman** [or Saltanat '**Uman**] <KG> {II}

8. *A man who traveled to this island sought to become a scientist after playing with magnets at age six. In the creation stories of the Nation of Islam, Yakub developed the brown race from the black race on this island. A book allegedly written on this island begins by addressing seven churches of Asia and later describes a seven-headed, ten-horned beast among many apocalyptic visions. For 10 points, name this Greek island where John wrote the Book of Revelation.*

ANSWER: **Patmos** <KG> {II}

9. *The New Life Children's Refuge attempted to smuggle thirty-three children out of this country. This country's occupation was opposed by Stenio Vincent. Woodrow Wilson sent troops to this country to quell the Cacos. This country disputes U.S. ownership of Navassa Island. Operation Uphold Democracy restored Jean-Bertrand Aristide to this country's presidency. For 10 points, name this country where a January 2010 earthquake devastated Port-au-Prince.*

ANSWER: Republic of **Haiti** [or République d'**Haiti**] <KG> {II}

10. *This man's ten illegitimate children all had the surname FitzClarence. This man had an affair with the actress Dorothea Jordan. A Prime Minister under this man passed an act that resolved the problem of "rotten boroughs." This man was the last British monarch who also ruled the Kingdom of Hanover. Earl Grey served under this king, who replaced George IV following his death. For 10 points, name this British "Sailor King" who was succeeded by Queen Victoria.*

ANSWER: **William IV** [prompt on **William**] <KG> {II}

11. *This country's Bright Future party grew out of a party which promised to be openly corrupt. Comedian Jon Gnarr founded the Best Party in this country. A 2012 referendum here approved a new Constitution that was crowd-sourced in the wake of the Kitchenware Revolution. This country instituted capital controls after the failure of the Glitnir bank in the 2008 financial crisis. For 10 points, name this Nordic nation with the world's oldest parliament, the Althing.*

ANSWER: **Iceland** <CW> {II}

12. *One commander in this battle was court-martialed at Englishtown for failure to attack. After this battle, British lit decoy fires to allow them safe passage to Sandy Hook, and Charles Lee was dismissed from the Continental Army. One person in this battle manned a cannon after her husband collapsed and brought water to her fellow soldiers. For 10 points, the legend of Molly Pitcher comes from what inconclusive 1778 Revolutionary War battle in central New Jersey?*
ANSWER: **Battle of Monmouth** Courthouse <CW> {II}

Second Quarter

1. *The instigator of this conflict had earlier recognized his rival Keokuk by the Corn Treaty.* During this war, fleeing members of the British Band were bombarded by the steamboat Warrior during the Bad Axe massacre. During this war, the Battle of Stillman's Run was won by a coalition of the Sauk and Fox tribes under its namesake. For 10 points, name this Indian war in which a young Abraham Lincoln fought.

ANSWER: **Black Hawk** War

BONUS: What name was shared by the leader of the Wisconsin militia in Black Hawk's war and by a city where the Earps worked during the Wild West?

ANSWER: **Dodge** [or Henry **Dodge**; or **Dodge** City] <JB> {I}

2. *This empire captured the Armenian King Arsak II after it was ceded to them by Emperor Jovian.* A ruler of this empire was crowned before his birth in an act where the crown was placed upon his pregnant mother's belly. Another ruler of this empire defeated and captured Valerian at the Battle of Edessa. This empire was ruled by two kings named Shapur the Great. For 10 points, name this Persian empire that succeeded the Parthians and fell to the Islamic conquests.

ANSWER: **Sassanid** Empire [or the **Sassanian** Empire] (prompt on Persia / Persian)

BONUS: The Sassanid Empire fell apart soon after its defeat by the Byzantine Empire, which was then led by what ruler?

ANSWER: **Heraclius** <JL> {II}

3. *The Revolution of the Restorers took place in this city.* The Mazorca security agency was formed following an uprising in this city. Several Montoneros were massacred at this city's Ezeiza Airport in 1973. A ruler from this city was supported by the descamisados. Residents of this city formed the Mothers of the Plaza del Mayo in response to kidnappings during the Dirty War. For 10 points, name this city ruled by Juan Peron as the capital of Argentina.

ANSWER: **Buenos Aires**

BONUS: The Dirty War in Argentina was part of what larger operation, which sought to eliminate dissent against right-wing South American governments?

ANSWER: Operation **Condor** <KG> {II}

4. *Richard Rossi made a controversial film about this athlete that calls him a sport's "last hero."* This man's namesake award was won in 1974 by former teammate Willie Stargell. In this man's last regular season plate appearance, he got his 3,000th hit and the next year became the first Latin American player in the Hall of Fame. For 10 points, name this Puerto Rican outfielder for the Pittsburgh Pirates who died in a 1972 plane crash while doing charity work.

ANSWER: Roberto **Clemente** Walker

BONUS: Clemente died helping earthquake victims in what Central American country ruled by a corrupt dictatorship?

ANSWER: Republic of **Nicaragua** <MC> {II}

5. *Army officer William Buwalda was court-martialed for sympathizing with this person's oratory.* This person wrote an essay claiming that marriage is "primarily an insurance pact" paid for "in dollars and cents." This editor of the journal *Mother Earth*, a "free love" advocate, had a long relationship with Alexander Berkman, who stabbed industrialist Henry Clay Frick. For 10 points, name this radical anarchist woman who was deported from the U.S. back to Russia in 1919.

ANSWER: Emma **Goldman**

BONUS: Goldman's lover Alexander Berkman helped initiate what 1892 labor disturbance?

ANSWER: **Homestead** Strike <MJ> {II}

6. *This man fell out of favor after arrogantly constructing a temple to Artemis Aristoboule right next to his house.* After his eventual exile, this man served in the court of Artaxerxes I. Plutarch asserts that this man's love for Stesilaus of Ceos fueled his rivalry with Aristides. This man told of a prophecy of a "wall of wood" to gain support for his construction of hundreds of triremes. For 10 points, name this *strategos* who helped strengthen the Athenian navy during the Persian Wars.

ANSWER: **Themistocles**

BONUS: What mine in Athenian territory provided the silver with which Themistocles paid for the ships' construction?

ANSWER: **Laurium** [or **Laurion**] <CKM> {II}

7. *This work's third movement was originally titled "Wide Spaces Of Our Land."* A performance of this work was protected with an operation codenamed "Squall." A theme in this work quoted *The Merry Widow* and is repeated twelve times over snare drum with a long crescendo. Best known for its first movement's "invasion theme," for 10 points, what Dmitri Shostakovich symphony was dedicated to a Russian city which the Nazis besieged for over two years?

ANSWER: **Leningrad Symphony** [or Dmitri **Shostakovich's Symphony** No. **7** in C Major]

BONUS: The *Leningrad Symphony's* "invasion theme" was parodied in the "intermezzo interotto" of what 1943 Bela Bartok composition?

ANSWER: **Concerto for Orchestra** <CW> {III}

8. *An essentially unchanged version of this text was adopted by the Savoy Conference.* An early change made to this text was the addition of an "Ornaments Rule." Further changes to this text were later negotiated at the Hampton Court Conference. The first edition of this text was called by the 1559 Act of Uniformity and was primarily written by Thomas Cranmer. For 10 points, name this liturgical text of the Church of England.

ANSWER: **Book of Common Prayer**

BONUS: The first Act of Uniformity was passed by what English king, who was succeeded by Bloody Mary after dying at age 17?

ANSWER: **Edward VI** <SH> {II}

9. *The founder of this group, Robert D. Stuart Jr., later became the head of the Quaker Oats Company. A cartoon criticizing this group depicted its name on a roll of film along with "The Nazi Transmission Belt" and swastikas. Members included Senator Gerald Nye and businessman Robert Elkington Wood, although their most famous member was Charles Lindbergh. For 10 points, name this committee that attempted to keep the US out of World War II.*

ANSWER: **America First** Committee

BONUS: What policy adopted in 1939 allowed Britain and France to purchase nonmilitary goods from the U.S., as long as they transported them back across the Atlantic?

ANSWER: **cash and carry** <VP> {II}

10. *This man was sent anti-slavery rhetoric and an almanac by Benjamin Banneker. Solomon Asch studied prestige suggestion by attributing a quote to either Vladimir Lenin or this man. He signed a bill lambasted in a cartoon as "Ograbme, the Snapping-Turtle." He coined the term "wall of separation" to describe First Amendment's separation of church and state. For 10 points, name this man who sent a letter to the Danbury Baptists and signed the Embargo Act in 1807 as President.*

ANSWER: Thomas **Jefferson**

BONUS: What metaphorical plant must be watered from time to time "with the blood of tyrants," according to a controversial letter Jefferson wrote from France?

ANSWER: the **Tree of Liberty** <VP> {II}

11. *This country's independence was announced by Ismail Qemali in the Vlore Proclamation. One leader of this country used the secret police force Sigurimi. After coming to power, a king of this country swore an oath on both the Quran and the Bible. After the June Revolution, Fan Noli became regent of this country in 1924. This country's King Zog I was forced into exile following Italy's annexation of it. For 10 points, name this Balkan country once ruled by Enver Hoxha from Tirana.*

ANSWER: **Albania**

BONUS: In 1997, U.N. Forces had to step in Albania to stop a civil war caused by the pyramid type of what fraudulent financial investments?

ANSWER: **Ponzi schemes** <JL> {II}

12. *This man resigned after an armistice was signed behind his back at Villafranca. This organized a political alliance called the *connubio* to force the resignation of Massimo d'Azeglio. After this man persuaded Charles Albert to grant a liberal constitution, he co-founded the journal *Il Risorgimento*. At Teano, Giuseppe Garibaldi ceded Sicily and Naples to this man, who acted on behalf of Victor Emmanuel II. For 10 points, name this first prime minister of a united Italy.*

ANSWER: Camillo **Benso**, Count **Cavour** [accept either underlined name]

BONUS: Victor Emmanuel II was a member of what ruling house?

ANSWER: House of **Savoy** [or Casa **Savoia**] <SH> {II}

Third Quarter

Categories:

If teams are going to substitute, they must do so before categories are revealed!

NEVADA, RELIGIOUS MOVEMENTS, ROYAL AIR FORCE

NEVADA

Nevada...

1. became a state in 1864 during what conflict?

ANSWER: The **Civil War**

2. is partially the setting of what author's *Roughing It*?

ANSWER: Mark **Twain** [or Samuel **Clemens**]

3. contains what ridge home to a planned nuclear waste repository?

ANSWER: **Yucca Mountain**

4. was a destination for what action due to its lax six-week residency requirement?

ANSWER: **divorce**

5. was rapidly settled following the discovery of what largest silver deposit in America?

ANSWER: **Comstock Lode**

6. is home to what boomtown in Storey County once called the "richest place on earth"?

ANSWER: **Virginia City**

7. was the site of what mobster's pioneering hotel-casino, the Flamingo?

ANSWER: Benjamin "Bugsy" **Siegel**

8. is home to what rancher engaged in armed standoff with the BLM over grazing rights?

ANSWER: Cliven **Bundy** <CW> {II}

RELIGIOUS MOVEMENTS

Which church, sect, cult, or religious movement...

1. Perpetrated the Mountain Meadows Massacre and was founded by Joseph Smith?

ANSWER: **Mormons** [or **Latter-Day Saints**]

2. Celebrates *rumspringa* and has a large community in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania?

ANSWER: **Amish** [or **Pennsylvania Dutch**; prompt on **Mennonites**]

3. Was popularized by the Azusa Street Revival?

ANSWER: **Pentecostalism**

4. Is a Shia sect named for a son of Ja'far al-Sadiq that split from the larger Twelvers?

ANSWER: **Ismailism** [or **Seveners**]

5. Was inspired by Alice Lakwena's Holy Spirit Movement and was led by Joseph Kony?

ANSWER: **Lord's Resistance Army**

6. Had David Koresh as its last prophet and engaged in a shootout with the ATF in Waco, Texas?

ANSWER: **Branch Dravidians**

7. Suffered the Great Disappointment when Jesus did not appear on Earth in 1844?

ANSWER: **Millerites**

8. Has a name meaning "religion of the Heavenly Way" and arose from the Donghak movement?

ANSWER: **Cheondoism** [or **Cheondogyo**] <CKM> {II}

THE ROYAL AIR FORCE

The Royal Air Force...

1. Fought in the Battle of Britain during what war?

ANSWER: **World War II**

2. Used what unpowered flying vehicles to land troops during D-Day?

ANSWER: **gliders**

3. Bombed which capital of Saxony in early 1945?

ANSWER: **Dresden**

4. Damaged what ship that had earlier sank the HMS Hood?

ANSWER: **Bismarck**

5. Used what fighter plane that supplanted the Hawker Hurricane?

ANSWER: Supermarine **Spitfire**

6. Has maintained a sovereign air base at Akrotiri on which Mediterranean island?

ANSWER: **Cyprus**

7. Used what company's "Vulcan" plane in the 50s after Canada cancelled its "Arrow" jet?

ANSWER: **Avro** [or A.V. **Roe** and Company; or **Avro** Vulcan; or **Avro** Arrow]

8. Had what inspirational commander who lost both legs in a prewar accident?

ANSWER: Douglas **Bader** <VP> {II}

Fourth Quarter

1. ***Peter Buell Porter was the only opposition to an election which this man handily won after the resignation of newly-minted Vice President Daniel D. Tompkins. The Bucktails were a faction of Democratic-Republicans opposed to the policies of this man. Philadelphia lawyer (+) Jared Ingersoll ran with this man in 1812. In 1825, this man rode along the Seneca Chief to (*) Buffalo and poured two casks of water into New York Harbor to celebrate the completion of a project sometimes called his namesake "ditch" or "folly." For 10 points, name this New York governor who sponsored the Erie Canal.***

ANSWER: **DeWitt Clinton** <AG> {II}

2. ***During this war, a commander threw some sacred chickens overboard after they didn't eat the offered grain. This war was partly caused by Hiero II's conflict with a pillaging group of mercenaries, the Mamertines. A boarding tool called the corvus was first used at this war's Battle of (+) Mylae. Hanno the Great opposed this conflict, which included the massive naval Battle of (*) Cape Ecnomus and featured a guerilla campaign in Sicily led by Hamilcar Barca. For 10 point, name this first war fought between Rome and Carthage.***

ANSWER: **First Punic War** [prompt on "Punic Wars"] <JB> {II}

3. ***After this man's trial and execution, his head was mounted on the corner of a granary. This man attempted to flee to San Antonio but was betrayed by a local in the mountains of Coahuila. Along with Ignacio Allende, this man led an army that was crushed at the Battle of (+) Calderon Bridge by royalist Felix Calleja. He armed his congregation and gave a speech that ended "Long live our Lady of (*) Guadalupe!" For 10 points, name this priest whose "Grito de Dolores" kicked off the Mexican War of Independence.***

ANSWER: Miguel Gregorio Antonio Ignacio **Hidalgo** Costilla y Gallaga Mandarte Villaseñor <VP> {II}

4. ***The artist of this sculpture was criticized for his lack of pyramid structure in arranging its figures and the "defeated postures" those figures take. The artist's wish for this sculpture not to stand on a pedestal was fulfilled when it was moved in front of the Hotel (+) de Ville. Stanford University has a copy of this sculpture group, which depicts men such as Pierre de Wiessant and Eustache de Saint-Pierre all (*) dressed in rags, with nooses around their necks. For 10 points, name this sculpture by Auguste Rodin, which depicts six men of the title city about to surrender to the English.***

ANSWER: ***The Burghers of Calais*** <JL> {II}

5. ***An emperor with this name substituted mutilation for the death penalty in his reformed law code, the Ecloga, and ended the Twenty Years' Anarchy. Michael the Amorion assassinated the fifth emperor of this name, known as the Armenian. The fourth Byzantine emperor of this name married Empress (+) Irene and was known as the Khazar. The Isaurian dynasty was inaugurated by an emperor of this name who forcibly baptised Montanists and Jews and forbade worship of (*) images, in part by smashing them. For 10 points, give this Byzantine imperial name shared with the Roman popes who crowned Charlemagne "king of the Romans" and censured Martin Luther.***

ANSWER: **Leo** <AG> {II}

6. **Documents important to this event included a unique mark consisting of a red circle inside two overlapping blue circles. A prominent figure in this event used a ten-dollar gold certificate that was no longer valid. Following this event, a man known as "Jafsie" delivered \$50,000 to (+) Saint Raymond's Cemetery. Norman Schwarzkopf, Sr. was the lead investigator following this event, which led to (*) Bruno Hauptmann's death in an electric chair.** For 10 points, identify this 1932 "Crime of the Century" in which the son of an aviator was abducted.

ANSWER: the **kidnapping** of Charles **Lindbergh**, Jr. [or the **Lindbergh baby kidnapping**; accept obvious equivalents for "kidnapping"; prompt on **Crime of the Century** until it is read] <KG> {II}

7. **A forest of this name is legendarily haunted by a horseman with antlers growing from his forehead, called Herne the Hunter. In a play set in this place, an old man is trapped in a laundry basket and thrown in the river, a trick played by Mistress (+) Ford and Mistress Page. That play set in this place was allegedly written after the history play (*) Henry IV to satisfy Queen Elizabeth's request to see "Falstaff in love."** For 10 points, name this home of two Shakespearean *Merry Wives*, whose namesake palace names the current ruling house of the United Kingdom.

ANSWER: **Windsor** [or **Windsor** Forest; or *The Merry Wives of Windsor*] <MJ> {II}

8. **The U.S. Armed Forces used this city's Moton Field for flight training. George Washington Carver died in this city on former Creek Indian land, where he had taught for decades. In an (+) experiment run here by the U.S. Public Health Service, medical officials used the phrase "bad blood" while lying to about 400 men who had been deliberately (*) infected with syphilis. A university in this city helped select the first black "airmen" during World War II.** For 10 points, name this Alabama city where Booker T. Washington helped start a vocational school for blacks.

ANSWER: **Tuskegee**, Alabama [or **Tuskegee** Airmen; or **Tuskegee** University] <MJ> {II}

9. **In this country, the leaders of the Jewish Anti-Fascist Committee were killed on the Night of the Murdered Poets. This country's "diploma tax" was opposed by the Jackson-Vanik Amendment and was used to stop (+) refuseniks from leaving this country. Many Jews were arrested in this country following the revelation of the fictional Doctor's Plot. The term "rootless cosmopolitans" was used to refer to Jews in this country, which established a (*) Jewish Autonomous Oblast in 1934.** For 10 points, name this country where Zionism was opposed by leaders like Nikita Krushchev.

ANSWER: **Soviet Union** [or **USSR**; prompt on "Russia"] <JB> {II}

10. **This song recalls "a generation lost in space with no time left to start again." This song's lines "Fire is the Devil's only friend" and "Jack Flash sat on a candlestick" may allude to Mick Jagger. This song closes as the Father (+), Son, and Holy Ghost "caught the last train for the coast." This song's performer recalls crying when reading about (*) Buddy Holly's widowed bride, and drives his Chevy to the levee only to find out that the levee was dry.** For 10 points, name this song by Don McLean about the "day the music died."

ANSWER: "**American Pie**" <KG> {II}

11. ***In modern institutions, this text is often replaced by works written by Frank Netter or Keith Moore. Richard James Dunglison published several American editions of this work. Drake, Vogl, and Mitchell created a student version of this work. Its last section is devoted to (+) surface markings. Henry Vandyke Carter provided the illustrations for the 1858 first edition of this work, which was dedicated to Benjamin Collins Brodie and was mostly based on work done on subjects stolen from (*) workhouses and hospital mortuaries.*** For 10 points, name this popular medical textbook written by an English surgeon.

ANSWER: Gray's Anatomy [or Anatomy: Descriptive and Surgical or Anatomy of the Human Body] {III}

12. ***The second man to hold this position, Thomas Mckennan, resigned after eleven days. One holder of this position fired Louis Glavis for whistleblowing about his deals with Charles Cunningham. After resigning this position, another man used the analogy of a (+) milkshake to describe oil drainage. While serving in this position, Columbus Delano organized the Geological Expedition that led to the creation (*) of Yellowstone National Park.*** For 10 points, Richard Ballinger and Albert Fall served in what Cabinet position that oversees the Bureau of Land Management and National Park Service?

ANSWER: Secretary of the Interior <DW> {II}

Extra Tossup

This is a tossup provided for breaking ties or replacing a flubbed or erroneous question at any point in the packet. The power marks are provided so that it may be scored according to fourth quarter rules if it is replacing a fourth quarter question. The power marks should be ignored if this tossup is used to replace a first or second quarter question.

TB. ***People in this country have put up barricades known as guarimbas. The murder of former Miss Universe contestant Monica Spear raised awareness of this country's high murder rate and sparked protests. Violence in this country is often carried out by militant groups called (+) colectivos. This country's government was condemned for its arrest of opposition leader Leopoldo Lopez, and its failure to combat the high (*) inflation rate has led to low ratings for President Nicolas Maduro.*** For 10 points, name this country once led by Hugo Chavez.

ANSWER: Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela <JL> {II}