

# Round 10

## Regulation Tossups

(1) This dynasty was weakened after losing a series of wars against Korea's Goguryeo during the reign of Wen and Yang. Though this dynasty managed to end the Northern and Southern period to unify China, it only reigned for 37 years. This dynasty's capital of Luoyang was connected to Chang'an by the Grand Canal that this dynasty created. For the point, name this dynasty that was supplanted by the Tang.

ANSWER: Sui dynasty

(2) This man confirmed his rule over the Billung March by defeating the rebellious Obotrite federation at the Battle of the Recknitz. In 962, this man was crowned in St. Peter's Basilica by Pope John XII. He became known as "the great" after his victory at the Battle of Lechfeld, which ended Magyar raids into Western Europe. For the point, name this first Germanic Holy Roman Emperor.

ANSWER: Otto I (or Otto the Great)

(3) This man was aided by Julius Rosenwald in the funding of new schools across the South to help educate blacks. In his most famous oration, this man declared "cast down your bucket where you are" in the Atlanta Address. This man's policy of obtaining status through higher education brought him into conflict with W.E.B. DuBois. For the point, name this African leader of the Tuskegee Institute.

ANSWER: Booker Taliaferro Washington

(4) This conference's attendants overwhelmingly moved in support of Portugal's attempts to create the Pink Map. This conference was necessitated after Henry Morton Stanley was employed by Leopold II to create a new state in the Congo, which prompted rival European nations to scramble for land. For the point, the colonisation of Africa was laid out in what 1884 conference in a German city?

ANSWER: Berlin Conference

(5) This man created a Babylonian philosopher whose love, Sémire abandons him after his rival strikes him in the eye in his work *Zadig*. This man argued "If God did not exist, it would be necessary to invent him" in his *Philosophical Dictionary*. In a work by this author, the title character is mentored by the optimist Professor Pangloss. For the point, name this enlightened French writer who created *Candide*.

ANSWER: Voltaire (accept Francois-Marie Arouet)

(6) This document was rejected because of the difficulty obtaining weapons from the ABC nations and Venustiano Carranza's preoccupation with a civil war. Intercepted by British intelligence, this document offered Texas to one country in exchange for military support. For the point, identify this document where Germany proposed an alliance with Mexico during World War I, prompting the United States to enter the war.

ANSWER: Zimmerman Telegram (or Note, etc.)

(7) This politician's entire tenure as president saw Joseph Boakai serve as vice president. This politician was given the 2011 Nobel Peace Prize alongside Leymah Gbowee. While running on the Unity Party this politician lost a 1997 presidential election to Charles Taylor. This politician was recently succeeded in her highest post by George Weah. For the point, name this woman who served as President of Liberia.

ANSWER: Ellen Johnson Sirleaf

(8) This president's supporter Charles Ogle delivered the "Gold Spoon Oration," which accused this man's rival of being too extravagant. This man won election after using symbols of log cabins and hard cider to appeal to the common man. The longest inaugural address in history was delivered by this man, who died of a cold just one month after taking office. For the point, name this president succeeded by John Tyler.

ANSWER: William Henry Harrison (prompt on Harrison)

(9) This legislation failed in its original omnibus form because of its unpopularity with Democrats and Whigs, but Stephen Douglas was able to usher these laws through Congress separately. Provisions of these laws included the admission of California as a free state and a harsher Fugitive Slave Law. For the point, name this compromise proposed by Henry Clay, which revised the earlier Compromise of 1820.

ANSWER: Compromise of 1850

(10) This dynasty produced the first elected monarch of the Polish-Lithuanian commonwealth, Henry III. A member of this dynasty, Charles the Beloved, did not allow people to touch him since he believed he was made of glass. Rulers from this royal house fought against the Plantagenet family during the Hundred Years' War. For the point, name this French royal house that preceded the Bourbons.

ANSWER: House of Valois

(11) These objects were said to be produced every time Siddhartha Gautama took a step. The parable of Longu and Devadatta were used to show that anybody can attain enlightenment in a sutra named for one of these flowers. These flowers are the symbols of Lakshmi and Vishnu. For the point, name this floating water flower that is sacred in Buddhism and Hinduism.

ANSWER: lotus (accept Nelumbo nucifera)

(12) This battle was codenamed Operation Detachment by a side that wished to capture the North and South fields to land aircraft. Holland Smith's men suffered heavy casualties landing on a beachhead of volcanic ash during this battle. This battle is documented by a Joe Rosenthal photo of soldiers atop Mount Suribachi. For the point, name this bloody 1945 battle in which six Marines raised the American flag.

ANSWER: Battle of Iwo Jima

(13) This treaty was opposed by Nikolai Bukharin and Karl Radek. This treaty was later annulled by the Treaty of Rapallo. Under this treaty, the Baltic States were to be conceded to the victorious army. In order to fulfill a promise of “Peace, Land, and Bread,” Leon Trotsky was sent to conclude this treaty. For the point, name this treaty that took Russia out of World War I.

ANSWER: Treaty of Brest-Litovsk

(14) This case was combined with Westover v. United States and Vignera v. New York. Its defendant had been accused of kidnapping Lois Jameson and confessed after a lengthy interrogation from police. This case’s defendant was vindicated when John Frank pointed out he was not told he could contact his lawyer. For the point, name this 1966 case that established the accused’s right to be told that they can remain silent.

ANSWER: Miranda v. Arizona

(15) This man spent his early career as governor of Ferghana, where he fought numerous battles with Muhammad Shaybani over control of Samarkand. Daulat Khan invited this man to lead his armies into the east. This man used 700 carts to protect his musketeers during a victory over Ibrahim Lodi at Panipat, which allowed him to establish a ruling dynasty. For the point, name this founder of the Mughal Empire.

ANSWER: Babur

(16) This battle took place at the same time as the Karneia festival, which prevented reinforcements from reaching the winners. Callimachus broke a tie vote in favor of attacking at this battle. This battle thwarted an attempt to avenge the Ionian Revolt. Miltiades was victorious in, for the point, what Athenian victory over Darius the Great’s Persia that was relayed by a messenger who ran 26 miles?

ANSWER: Battle of Marathon

(17) This man ordered the government to store funds in vaults rather than banks when he implemented the Independent Treasury system. This man created the Albany Regency political machine to control state government. His decision to carry out his predecessor’s Specie Circular program prompted a financial crisis. For the point, name this politician, a New York governor whose presidency was marred by the Panic of 1837.

ANSWER: Martin van Buren

(18) This man administered a vaccine to Joseph Meister, a boy mauled by a dog, in order to cure his rabies. An 1859 experiment by this man in which he boiled meat is credited with disproving the theory of Spontaneous generation. For the point, name this “father of microbiology” who developed a method of heating food in order to improve its shelf life and reduced harmful bacteria.

ANSWER: Louis Pasteur

(19) This position was held by a man who was accused of faking a disappearance at Cheviot Beach so he could escape to China, Harold Holt. An apology for the kidnapping of the Stolen Generations of Aboriginals was issued by Kevin Rudd, who held this position. Malcolm Turnbull is the current holder of this position. For the point, name this leadership position for a government at Canberra.

ANSWER: Prime Minister of Australia (prompt on partial answers, like “leader of Australia” or “Prime Minister”)

(20) This musical work’s third section begins with the aria “I know that my redeemer liveth.” Concertgoers often stand up during its most famous section because George II allegedly rose to his feet during this oratorio’s 1743 premiere in London. For the point, name this vocal work by George Frideric Handel often performed around Christmas, which contains the “Hallelujah” Chorus.

ANSWER: Messiah

(21) This man is says “Fight on my brave Soldiers” while sitting on the bowsprit of a ship in a political cartoon that labeled him the “Gunboat Candidate.” This man’s overly-cautious command style led to his defeat in the Sevens’ Days Battles and later led to his removal from command after failing to follow up at Antietam. For the point, name this original commander of Union forces in the Civil War.

ANSWER: George B. McClellan

(22) This navy pioneered the tactic of breaking the line during the Battle of the Saintes, in which it defended the colony of Jamaica from invasion. The navy was victorious at Quiberon Bay, thwarting a French fleet from invading. Admirals of this navy include George Rodney, John Jervis, and Horatio Nelson. For the point, what navy was said to “rule the waves” in the 18th century and served King George III?

ANSWER: the Royal Navy (accept the British navy; accept the English navy)

(23) This election year’s losing candidate was nominated after Gary Hart was caught in an affair. This election year featured a debate where the accusation that “you’re no Jack Kennedy” was thrown at Dan Quayle. During this election year, an ad featuring a ride in an Abrams tank was aired by Massachusetts governor Michael Dukakis. For the point, name this election year in which George H.W. Bush was elected President.

ANSWER: US Presidential election of 1988

(24) This man declared “Shoot! You are only going to kill a man!” just prior to his execution. Nazi war criminal Klaus Barbie aided Ranger Special Forces teams in capturing this man in Bolivia. This man wrote a thank you letter to president Kennedy after the Bay of Pigs invasion was repulsed thanks to the militia that this man trained. For the point, name this Marxist icon, a guerilla warrior who aided Fidel Castro.

ANSWER: Ernesto “Che” Guevara

(25) This commodity's suppliers met at the Rocky Mountain Rendezvous, a massive trading camp where they could replenish their reserves. Germain Maugeness suggested that a supplier of this commodity trade point blankets. John Jacob Astor made his fortune selling this commodity but his company went defunct after the Hudson Bay Company began to undersell him. For the point, name this commodity often taken from beavers.

ANSWER: fur (accept pelt; accept specific types of furs; accept; accept specific types of pelts)

## Extra Tossups

(1) This conflict featured the bombing of Highway 80 as the losing side retreated, leading that road to be called the Highway of Death. 700 oil wells were burnt as the losing side fell back in this conflict. Norman Schwarzkopf secured victory within 100 hours during Operation Desert Storm in this conflict. For the point, name this 1990 conflict in which an American coalition opposed Iraq's invasion of Kuwait.

ANSWER: First Persian Gulf War (accept First Iraq War but do not prompt on Iraq War alone; prompt on Operation Desert Storm until mentioned)

(2) This group's scorched earth tactics prompted a famine during the Hunger War, which was later resolved in the Treaty of Melno. This group was thwarted in their attempts to retake Pskov after a defeat on the frozen Lake Peipus to Alexander Nevsky, the battle of the Ice. Their power was broken after grandmaster Ulrich von Jungingen was killed at Grunwald. For the point, name this Germanic crusading order.

ANSWER: Teutonic Knights (accept Order of Brothers of the German House of Saint Mary in Jerusalem; accept German Order before Germanic is read)