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REACHING +8: Remove student from round. In "Final score" column, place student's total score (refer to the bottom row for the question on which +8 was SCORING: For correct answers, place new running total in student's row for the corresponding question. For -1's (3rd incorrect interrupt), place running

reached). Cross out remainder of student's row.

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Regulation Questions

(1) While Z. Alexander Looby was representing a group of people taking this action, his house was bombed. The "Friendship Nine" performed this action, for which they were sent to prison after adopting the mantra of "jail, no bail." This action constituted a massive campaign in Nashville in 1960, and four people who performed this action in Greensboro led to the desegregation of Woolworth's stores. For the point, name this type of protest in which people occupied lunch counters without ordering food.

ANSWER: sit-ins (accept additional information related to lunch counters)

(2) Ballots in Arizona listed this man as part of the anti-war "New Party." In 1952, this man parodied Joseph McCarthy's argument that Douglas McArthur was a communist pawn. In the 1960 Presidential Election, this man claimed he was "twice as Catholic as Jack Kennedy" and voiced support for Adlai Stevenson II. This Democratic-Farmer-Labor party politician led a group called his "marauders." Allard Lowenstein's Dump Johnson movement recruited this Minnesota Senator, who finished second in the 1968 New Hampshire primary. "Go Clean for Gene" was the slogan of, for the point, what senator who challenged LBJ in 1968?

ANSWER: Eugene McCarthy

(3) Joseph-Francois Lafitau claimed that these structures were divided into a "lobby" area and a "vestibule" area. The name Haudenosaunee literally means "people of" these structures. Many European missionaries found spending time in these structures difficult, as they often had only a single, tiny smoke hole for ventilation. A matrilineal clan resided in each one of these structures, which were formed from hickory or basswood bark stretched over a massive wooden frame. For the point, name these Iroquois residences used for communal living.

ANSWER: longhouses (prompt on descriptive answers related to housing used by Native Americans)

(4) This man succeeded George Crist as head of United States Central Command, where he ordered the development of the prophetic Internal Look '90. This man, with Secretary of Defense Dick Cheney, sought permission from King Fahd to deploy troops in Saudi Arabia. In his autobiography, this man responded to criticism of his leadership by saying his mandate was to defend Kuwait, not invade Iraq. For the point, name this American general who led coalition forces in the Gulf War.

ANSWER: (Herbert) Norman Schwarzkopf, Jr.

(5) This man was Elizabeth Jennings Graham's lead attorney in a case that led to desegregation of streetcars in New York City. This man was inaugurated by John Brady after spending 80 days secluded in his New York apartment. This man's presidency saw prosecutions for the Star Route Scandals and the passage of the Chinese Exclusion Act. Though he once benefited from the spoils system, this president reformed patronage in his most important act. For the point, name this president who signed the Pendleton Civil Service Act in 1883.

ANSWER: Chester Alan Arthur

(6) A member of this family replied bluntly to HUAC [hew-ack] that "the communists" won the Korean War. Cartha "Deke" DeLoach connected a phone call from another member of this family to Spiro Agnew. A member of this family told Bui Diem, "hold on, we are gonna win;" that incident was described as "throwing a monkey wrench" by Richard Nixon. The Paris Peace Accords were disrupted by a member of this family with a self-described "certain exotic Asian aura" who led the China Lobby. For the point, name this family that included Anna and the leader of the "Flying Tigers," her husband Claire.

ANSWER: Chennault family (accept Claire Lee Chennault; accept Anna Chennault)

(7) This work contrasts fair traders with smugglers, who can either undersell or "defraud every man who buys of him." A central argument of this document championed "redemption," which rejected the claims of people who had sold war bonds at reduced prices to speculators. This document was followed the same year by a "second" edition that called for the establishment of the First Bank of the United States. The national assumption of state debt was proposed by, for the point, what report by Alexander Hamilton titled for government borrowing?

ANSWER: First Report on Public Credit

(8) Local businessman Ansel Bascom refused to sign a document produced during this event because he was contemplating running for office later in the year. Participants in this event were surprised to discover that they were locked out of a Wesleyan chapel at the start of its first day. This event passed 11 of its 12 resolutions unanimously and drew up a list of grievances in the Declaration of Sentiments. Lucretia Mott and Elizabeth Cady Stanton organized, for the point, what 1848 women's rights convention held in upstate New York?

ANSWER: Seneca Falls Convention

(9) Michael McNulty refuted a documentary's claim that a flamethrower was used in this event. Linda Thompson claims that three men died of friendly fire during this event, which resulted in 76 deaths. Jeff Jamar was the commander during this event, which took place at the Mount Carmel Center. Janet Reno approved the use of tear gas attacks against a group led by David Koresh in this event, which occurred about a year after a similar event in Idaho at Ruby Ridge. For the point, name this 1993 siege against a Branch Davidian compound in Texas.

ANSWER: Waco siege (accept descriptions of the Branch Davidian siege before mentioned)

(10) This man is shown holding a gun and a paper in front of a massive tornado and a raging fire in John Stuart Curry's mural *Tragic Prelude*. This man negotiated the release of two of his sons in a prisoner exchange with Henry Pate after he won the Battle of Black Jack. This man led a band in search of "Dutch Henry" Sherman who hacked several settlers to death with swords in the Pottawatomie Massacre during the "Bleeding Kansas" era. For the point, name this militant abolitionist who, several years later, was executed for leading a raid on Harper's Ferry.

ANSWER: John Brown

(11) Hiram Hiller studied epidemics of this disease, which John Enders cultivated in a Boston lab. Thomas Francis led a field trial of a vaccine for this disease that included nearly 2 million children. Modern scholars believe that Guillain-Barré [ghee-yahn bar-ay] syndrome, not this disease, was contracted at Campobello Island in 1921 by a man who built a rehabilitation center in Warm Springs, Georgia. Basil O'Connor helped found the March of Dimes to fight this disease. Jonas Salk developed a vaccine for, for the point, what paralytic disease that Franklin Roosevelt famously suffered from?

ANSWER: poliomyelitis

(12) This person claimed that God bestowed upon all people a "Love of Freedom" in a letter to Samson Occum that equates the Israelites' time in Egypt to slavery in the Americas. This person responded to the death of George Whitefield with a work that begins "Hail, happy Saint, on thy immortal throne!" This writer imagined a "Celestial choir, enthron'd in realms of light" in a poem that extols the greatness of Columbia, "To His Excellency General Washington." For the point, name this first published African-American poet.

ANSWER: Phyllis Wheatley

(13) The supposedly escalationist policies of Lyndon Johnson were the subject of this author's book Vietnam: The Logic of Withdrawal. This one-time Spelman College history chairman wanted to create "a quiet revolution" with a work whose chapters include "The Intimately Oppressed" and "The Robber Barons and Rebels;" that work by this author claims that the Founding Fathers used the Revolutionary War to distract from popular movements. For the point, name this author of A People's History of the United States.

ANSWER: Howard Zinn

(14) Jon Wiant began a CIA initiative of using goods from this company to pay Vietnam War spies. The Chester Valentine House was one of this company's popular kit homes built during the 1930s. A bundled tube structure designed by Fazlur Khan was first employed in a building commissioned by this company; the architectural firm Skidmore, Owings & Merrill was hired to construct that building to consolidate this company's employees in what was then tallest building in the world. The Willis Tower in Chicago was originally named for, for the point, what department store chain?

ANSWER: Sears, Roebuck, and Co.

(15) This woman was put on trial after her delivery and disposal of Mary Dyer's stillborn baby, which contemporary leaders denounced as the "Monstrous Birth;" in that trial, she was punished for claiming to have received an immediate revelation. This woman died in a massacre by Siwanoy Native Americans near Split Rock that was only survived by her daughter Susanna. This woman was banished from the Massachusetts Bay Colony during the Free Grace Controversy. For the point, name this woman whose followers settled in Rhode Island.

ANSWER: Anne Hutchinson

(16) The victors of this event were imprisoned after Wells Spicer was swayed by false testimony. In the prelude to this event, a miscommunication with Johnny Behan led to the belief that one side had been disarmed. A Stuart Lake biography brought this event to light in popular history. Ike Clanton fled from this event despite his earlier threats against law enforcement. The US Marshall for Pima County participated in this event after deputizing Doc Holliday. Wyatt Earp and his brothers fought in, for the point, what shootout in Tombstone, Arizona?

ANSWER: Gunfight at the O.K. Corral

(17) Thomas Nast analogized this man's political agenda to pursuing a fox in the cartoon "Still Hunting." This man's assistant William Pelton was a party to some of the telegrams that Whitelaw Reid published as the Cipher Dispatches. As Governor of New York, this man broke up the Canal Ring. A 15-member committee voted against this man in awarding disputed electoral votes, leading to a compromise in which he lost the presidency but the Republicans agreed to end Reconstruction. For the point, name this Democrat who lost the 1876 election to Rutherford B. Hayes.

ANSWER: Samuel **Tilden**

(18) The rights provided in this constitutional amendment were held not to extend to the states in the cases of *Hurtado v. California* and *Twining v. New Jersey*. A right provided in this amendment is often judged via the *Blockburger* standard. This amendment's reference to "infamous crimes" effectively applies to felonies. This amendment requires an indictment by a grand jury for federal, capital crimes. For the point, name this amendment that contains the double jeopardy and self-incrimination clauses.

ANSWER: 5th Amendment to the US Constitution

(19) This president authorized the Smith-Lever Act, which improved funding to state agricultural colleges. This man's Postmaster General, Albert S. Burleson, spearheaded the segregation of federal offices. A special session of Congress was called by this president to revise the Payne-Aldrich tariff, eventually replacing it with one sponsored by Oscar Underwood. The Federal Reserve was created under the administration of, for the point, what President whose domestic policies were overshadowed by America's entry into World War I?

ANSWER: Woodrow Wilson

(20) Milton Joseph Cunningham prepared a legal brief for this case, which arose after Chris Cain arrested the plaintiff. Lum v. Rice affirmed principles developed in this case, in which Henry Billings Brown delivered a majority opinion that the 14th Amendment was not meant to "abolish distinctions based on color." Samuel Phillips and Albion Tourgée [tour-zhay] submitted briefs in this case, in which a Citizens' Committee urged a 7/8ths white man to break a law. Justice Harlan dissented in, for the point, what 1896 Supreme Court case that was overturned by Brown v. Board?

ANSWER: **Plessy** v. **Ferguson** (accept either or both names)

(21) Some negotiations over land grants in this treaty were conducted by John Forsyth in his first overseas position. One of the parties to this treaty gave up all of its claims to lands north of the 42nd Parallel and agreed to a border that followed the Arkansas River to its then unknown source. Many of the provisions of this treaty were altered two years later by the Treaty of Cordoba, which officially recognized the independence of Mexico. The U.S. acquired Florida by the terms of, for the point, what 1819 treaty between the U.S. and Spain?

ANSWER: Adams-Onis Treaty (accept the Transcontinental Treaty)

(22) During this man's administration, Francis Henry investigated a scandal over Oregon land that resulted in the arrest of Senator John Mitchell. A political cartoon of this man shows him with his foot on a dead bear, restraining another bear with a leash. This man ordered a lawsuit that dissolved the Northern Securities Company and signed the Pure Food and Drug Act after being horrified at Upton Sinclair's *The Jungle*. For the point, name this US President whose administration began after the assassination of William McKinley.

ANSWER: Theodore "Teddy" Roosevelt

(23) At a battle in this state, a general told Daniel Govan "if we are to die, let us die like men." The "Stonewall of the West," Patrick Cleburne, died in this state. In an 1864 battle in this state, George Thomas defeated his former pupil, John Bell Hood, after which Hood was relieved of command. In this state, William Tecumseh Sherman led a flank attack on Missionary Ridge against Braxton Bragg. The Battle of Franklin took place in, for the point, what state where Union forces won the Battles of Chattanooga and Nashville?

ANSWER: Tennessee

(24) Five members of this body, including William Strong and Stephen Johnson Field, sat on the 15-member committee that decided the Election of 1876. The highest post held by Ward Hunt was in this body, despite his previous involvement in fining Susan B. Anthony 100 dollars for voting. Roscoe Conkling is the last person to have received approval to serve in this body but declined to do so. Morrison Waite led this body for fourteen years. An 1869 act fixed the size of this body at nine members. For the point, name this governmental body that heads the Judicial Branch.

ANSWER: Supreme Court of the U.S.

(25) During this battle, Mathias Langer attempted to hide 11 black soldiers but was unable to prevent the Wereth Massacre. In this battle, Friedrich von der Heydte failed to secure the Baraque Michel crossroads, partly due to the 12th Panzer division's failure at Elsenborn Ridge. Omar Bradley was detained during this battle after correctly identifying the capital of Illinois as Springfield. Anthony McAuliffe responded "NUTS!" in response to a demand to surrender at this battle's Siege of Bastogne. For the point, name this 1944 battle where American lines bent in response to a sudden German attack.

ANSWER: Battle of the <u>Bulge</u> (accept <u>Ardennes</u> Counteroffensive; accept <u>Watch on the Rhine</u>; accept <u>Watch am Rhein</u>)

(26) The Granite Railway was constructed to transport granite to this battle from Quincy. Andrew McClary was killed in this battle while trying to bring medical supplies to wounded soldiers. A major general who re-enlisted as a private to fight in this battle is the subject of John Trumbull's painting *The Death of General Warren*. Israel Putnam supposedly ordered his soldiers "Don't fire until you see the whites of their eyes" in, for the point, what Revolutionary War battle fought during the Siege of Boston, which was actually fought on Breed's Hill?

ANSWER: Battle of **Bunker Hill** (accept Battle of **Breed's Hill** before mentioned)

(27) The case Berman v. Parker upheld this city's decision to completely redevelop its Southwestern area and remove over 99% of its existing houses. This city's Swampoodle Neighborhood was cut in half after the construction of its Union Station. The 1871 Organic Act reformed the municipal government of this city, where in 1932, Douglas MacArthur was ordered to remove people from Anacostia Flats. Georgetown, Maryland was absorbed by, for the point, what city where the Bonus Army gathered to petition the US government?

ANSWER: Washington D.C. (accept Washington; accept District of Columbia)

(28) The leader of one of these events fixated on the biblical passage "Seek ye the kingdom of Heaven and all things shall be added unto you." An abortive one of these events ended when mayor James Hamilton arrested a carpenter who had won 1500 dollars in the lottery. The eruption of Mount Saint Helens and a partial solar eclipse in 1831 were taken as signs to start one of these events. Denmark Vesey planned to lead one of these events in Charleston. For the point, name these events, one of which involved Nat Turner and his followers overthrowing their masters.

ANSWER: <u>slave revolts</u> (accept equivalents, like <u>slave rebellion</u>s, <u>slave uprising</u>s, etc.; prompt on partial answers, like "revolt" or "slave unrest")

(29) During this film, a shocking announcement is made during a performance of Aladdin and the Wonderful Lamp. The Tony Kushner-written screenplay of this film was partly inspired by Doris Kearns Goodwin's biography of the central figure titled Team of Rivals. At the end of this film, Edwin Stanton claims that the title character "belongs to the ages" before cutting to a famous speech he delivered. Federal jobs are offered by William Seward to Democrats for assistance in passing the Thirteenth Amendment in, for the point, what 2012 biopic starring Daniel Day-Lewis as an American president?

ANSWER: Lincoln

(30) The primary means of classifying this resource in the U.S. was first implemented in the Seven Ranges. The Dawes Act provided for apportioning this resource to individual natives rather than on a tribal level. The 1862 Morrill Act provided for the creation of "grant" colleges named for this resource. The state of Missouri acquired this resource from Native Americans in the Platte Purchase. For the point, name this resource provided to settlers via the Homestead Act, who often obtained 160 acres per family.

ANSWER: land

(31) A 2011 book by Jay Sexton argues that this policy was ironically most often invoked against Americans. This policy was formulated in response to the Russian Ukase of 1821, and it was used by Richard Olney to insist on mediation in a border dispute between Great Britain and Venezuela in 1895. In the early 20th century, the Roosevelt Corollary expanded this policy. European attempts to further colonize the New World were seen as an affront to the U.S. via, for the point, what "doctrine" named for the fifth president?

ANSWER: Monroe Doctrine

(32) Arthur Schlesinger Jr. claimed that the winning candidate in this election year wanted Stuart Symington as his running mate, while Robert Caro argued that the running mate was chosen for the Texas vote. Harry Byrd got 14 southern faithless votes in this election year, whose winner was plagued by allegations of voter fraud in Chicago. One candidate's bear stubble was clearly visible during the first presidential debate on television, a landmark event during, for the point, what election year in which Richard Nixon lost to John F. Kennedy?

ANSWER: U.S. Presidential election of 1960

(33) On the 50th anniversary of this speech, the President stated "we would do well to recall that day itself also belonged to those ordinary people whose names never appeared in the history books." This speech compares the Constitution to a promissory note of freedom that has been returned with an "insufficient funds" stamp. The final section of this speech proclaims "Let freedom ring" in places all across the country, and concludes "Great God a-mighty, We are free at last." For the point, name this speech delivered during a 1963 March on Washington by Martin Luther King, Jr.

ANSWER: I Have a Dream speech

(34) An image created by this man was almost certainly copied from a similar artwork created by Henry Pelham. This man commanded an artillery division in the disastrous Penobscot Expedition. In his later years, this man operated a copper, brass, and iron foundry that grew into America's leading manufacturer of bells. Upon seeing two lanterns in the steeple of the Old North Church, this man traveled from Boston to Charlestown by boat and then to Lexington on horseback. For the point, name this silversmith whose "Midnight Ride" warned colonists of incoming British troops.

ANSWER: Paul Revere

(35) This agreement was called a "stab in the back" by Hafez Assad who, with King Hussein, called for it to be re-examined. The United Nations rejected this agreement's second framework due to the lack of PLO participation. Three years after receiving a Nobel Prize for this agreement, one of its signatories was assassinated by a group led by Khalid Islambouli. Jimmy Carter organized, for the point, what agreement between Anwar Sadat and Menachem Begin at a presidential retreat?

ANSWER: Camp David Accords

Extra Question

Only read if moderator botches a question.

(1) A boycott of this company was ordered after the 2000 revelation that it had issued life insurance policies on slaves for the benefit of their owners. In 2016, the CEO of this company, Mark Bertolini described participation in the Affordable Care Act as "a good investment;" despite that claim, this company pulled out of all Obamacare exchanges in 2017. This company's attempt to merge with Humana was blocked by federal judges due to issues with Medicare coverage. CVS recently announced plans to buy, for the point, what third-largest health insurance company in the US?

ANSWER: Aetna Incorporated