

1997 Cavalier Classic
Round 5

Tossups:

1. The setting for this production, which premiered in 1956, is a country road at evening, and the entire production takes place there. The play is poignantly concluded when one of the characters says, "Yes, let's go," but neither character moves as the curtain falls. FTP, name this tragicomedy in two acts, which features as its characters Pozzo, Lucky, and Estragon, written by Samuel Beckett.

Answer: Waiting for Godot (or En Attendant Godot)

2. Legal scholars have long said that the justice who wrote this landmark opinion should have recused himself, since he was secretary of state when the incident occurred. As secretary of state, he refused to deliver a commission to one of John Adams's so-called "midnight judges" because the new president ordered him not to. FTP, name this 1803 decision which elucidated the concept of judicial review.

Answer: Marbury v. Madison

3. Types of this include diffuse, reflective, planetary, and supernova. They were originally defined as any fixed, and usually fuzzy object seen in a telescope, which makes sense because the adjective form of this word means "fuzzy." FTP, name this object, famous examples of which include the Orion, the Pleiades, and the Crab.

Answer: Nebula

4. Although he was born in London in 1903, he was raised in Ohio, and became a naturalized American citizen in 1920. After making his film debut in Going Spanish, 1939's The Cat and the Canary made him popular, and he went on to star in The Ghost Breakers, Paleface, My Favorite Blonde, and a series of road movies with Dorothy Lamour and Bing Crosby. FTP, name this aged comedian, best known for entertaining troops with the USO and for his theme song, "Thanks for the Memory."

Answer: Bob Hope

5. In economics, this quantity can be graphed as the demand curve with twice the slope; thus if demand is $3Q$, this quantity will be equal to $6Q$. It is most useful in the theory of monopoly, as monopolists can set the quantity equal to their marginal cost in pricing decisions. FTP, name this quantity, defined as income received from the last unit sold.

Answer: Marginal Revenue (Accept equivalents)

6. When this playwright died in 1955, he cut his children out of his will, including Charlie Chaplin's wife Oona. He often spent a great deal of time writing and rewriting his works, as evidenced by the twelve years he spent on A Tale of Possessors Dispossessed. FTP, name this American playwright, whose plays include Desire Under the Elms, The Iceman Cometh, and A Long Day's Journey Into Night.

Answer: Eugene O'Neill

7. The son of a carpenter, he taught elementary school in the Hague before studying physics at Leiden, where he published his doctoral dissertation on gases in 1873. His early work followed the observations of Andrews, who had shown that a critical temperature exists below which gases can be condensed to liquids only by pressure. FTP, name this Dutch physicist, who devised two new constants, one of which is related to intermolecular attraction, in the state equation he developed for real gases, for which he won the Nobel Prize in 1910.

Answer: Johannes van der Waals

8. Two Answers Required. As legend has it, they were the result of Mars raping a princess of Alba Longa in the 8th century B.C. The children miraculously survived by being fed by wolves and became leaders. Then, one killed the other during a quarrel over who would rule the city they had founded. FTP, name these legendary founders of Rome.

Answer: Romulus and Remus

9. Born in 1904, he produced a bizarre film, Andalusian Dog, in 1929, which may have predicted his interesting tendencies in the art world. Perhaps his most famous work was produced five years later, the 1934 painting "The Persistence of Memory". FTP, name this artist, famed for his mustache, whose paintings often contained watches bent in mysterious ways, a pioneering Spanish surrealist.

Answer: Salvador Dali

10. Her original name was Virginia Hensley, and she had a tarnished reputation as a young woman in her hometown of Winchester, Va. In 1957, she made her debut on Arthur Godfrey's Talent Scouts, where she sang "Walkin' After Midnight." FTP, give the stage name of this singer, the subject of the movie "Sweet Dreams," who died in a 1963 plane crash.

Answer: Patsy Cline

11. It was allegedly a response to a request made by Emperor Alexius Comnenus for help in combating the Seljuk Turks. Although the disorganized forces led by Walter Sansavoir (sahn-sah-VOIR) and Peter the Hermit were crushed at Rum, the main army won victories at Dorylaeum and Antioch before capturing Jerusalem in 1099. FTP, identify this military initiative, proclaimed by Pope Urban II in 1095.

Answer: the First Crusade

12. In this poem, first published in 1915, the main character whines of having his life measured out in coffee spoons. He goes on to proclaim that he is not Hamlet, but is only an attendant lord, and wishes that he were a pair of ragged claws scuttling across the floors of silent seas. FTP, name this poem by T. S. Eliot, in which the women come and go, talking of Michelangelo.

Answer: The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock

13. After many failed attempts at the presidency, Barry Goldwater took his anger out by naming this man in a lawsuit, saying he had unilaterally declined to enforce a treaty. As always, Goldwater lost. But this man had other problems, including the Lance Affair, named after his appointment to head the Office of Management and Budget, as well as his always annoying brother Billy. FTP, name this U.S. President, who defeated Ford in 1976.

Answer: Jimmy Carter

14. He neglected to take out patents on his work, and died in poverty in 1923. His most famous discovery was a mistake, occurring while he was experimenting with cathode rays, but it won him the Nobel Prize anyway. FTP, name this physicist, who won the very first Nobel Prize in that field for his discovery of X-Rays.

Answer: Wilhelm Roentgen

15. Besides Tennessee, this is the only state to border eight other states. It has a state university branch in Rolla, but the main branch has teams nicknamed the Tigers and is located in Columbia. FTP, name this state, namesake of a famous compromise in 1820.

Answer: Missouri

16. He made the last out of the 1969 World Series as a member of the Orioles, allowing the Miracle Mets to win the championship. He later hit forty home runs in a season, a record for a second baseman, but is better known as a

manager, having led three different teams into the playoffs and winning one World Series, ironically with the 1986 Mets. FTP, name this man, who recently quit as manager of the Orioles.

Answer: Davey _Johnson_

17. Negotiations on this treaty were begun shortly after the war started, and eventually both sides agreed to simply return to the status quo. The Newfoundland fisheries remained American, the two countries would work on the slave trade, though questions of impressment of sailors remained unanswered. FTP, name this treaty, signed long before Andrew Jackson's stirring 1815 victory at New Orleans, which ended the War of 1812.

Answer: Treaty of _Ghent_

18. After the main character of this novel is released from an Oklahoma jail, he runs into Muley Graves, who tells him about the plans of the townspeople. Tom then joins his family on the dusty trail to California, where all kinds of misfortunes befall the Joads. FTP, name this 1939 migrant worker epic, written by John Steinbeck.

Answer: The _Grapes of Wrath_

19. They are defined as radiated, sporebearing organisms devoid of chlorophyll. Most of them tend to be parasites, and some are edible, such as truffles. FTP, name this group of organisms, which also claims as members mildews, rusts, yeasts, and mushrooms.

Answer: Fungi

20. Born around 1849, his real name was Ta-Sunko-Witko. After surrendering in 1877, he was imprisoned at Fort Robinson, Nebraska, and died when he was stabbed in the back. FTP, name this leader of the Oglala Sioux, regarded as the greatest Sioux military leader, who led his forces to victory over General Custer at the Battle of Little Bighorn.

Answer: _Crazy Horse_

EX. Although she was born in West Virginia, she spent much of her life in another country, which became the subject of her books _East Wind, West Wind_, _This Proud Heart_, and _The Mother_. The author of noted biographies of her parents, _The Exile_ and _Fighting Angel_, she won the Nobel Prize in 1938, becoming the first American woman to do so. FTP, name this novelist, best known for the trilogy known as "The House of Earth," which includes _Sons_, _A House Divided_, and _The Good Earth_.

Answer: Pearl _Buck_

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Boni:

1. Answer the following questions about a classic of children's literature, Watership Down, for the stated number of points.

1. 10 points: First, who wrote Watership Down?

Answer: Richard Adams

2. 5 points: Most of the novel's main characters are what type of animal?

Answer: Rabbits

3. 15 points: Finally, this rabbit, brother of Hazel, may or may not have had psychic abilities.

Answer: Fiver

2. Given a vice president, name the president he served for the stated number of points.

1. 5 points: Spiro Agnew

Answer: Richard Nixon

2. 10 points: Alben Barkley

Answer: Harry S. Truman

3. 15 points: Levi P. Morton

Answer: Benjamin Harrison

3. Answer the following questions about an American composer for the stated number of points.

1. 15 points: He was born in Brooklyn in 1902. His first major work was Vitebsk and his first major ballet was Billy the Kid.

Answer: Aaron Copland

2. 15 points: For five points for one or fifteen for both, name Copland's other two ballets of the 1940s. One was a western whose main theme became the Beef Commercial song, the other was named after a seasonal-sounding poem by Hart Crane.

Answer: Rodeo (ro-DAY-oh), Appalachian Spring

4. Answer the following questions about the varicella-zoster virus FTP each.

1. Varicella is another name for this common childhood disease, which includes fever, malaise, and a rash of fluid-filled lesions.

Answer: Chicken pox

2. The very same virus causes herpes zoster, which afflicts about 10% of the elderly population, and can lead to chronic pain. Give the more common name of herpes zoster, which sounds like a part of a house.

Answer: Shingles

3. For a final ten, the entire course of a chickenpox infection lasts, on average, 1, 2, 3, or 4 weeks?

Answer: 2

5. Rap music has its fair share of those who are riding the coattails of others. Answer these questions about them FTP each.

1. He performed background vocals on Dr. Dre's "Nuthin But a G Thang" and "Dre Day", but has made it big on his own with such hits as "What's My Name?" and "Murder Was the Case."

Answer: Snoop Doggy Dogg

2. It is not known whether his name has anything to do with living vicariously, although he certainly did so doing background on Coolio's runaway hit "Gangsta's Paradise"

Answer: L.V.

3. Although he is the lead singer on "All About the Benjamins", he credits the song to his mentor, the Notorious B.I.G. He does currently have the #1 rap album, entitled "No Way Out".

Answer: Puff Daddy (Accept Sean "Puffy" Combs)

6. Name these Keats poems FTP each.

1. This lengthy epic poem tells the story of a shepherd from Mount Latmos who was loved by the moon goddess.

Answer: Endymion

2. This poem discusses the beauty of nature, an elusive bird, and how painful Keats will feel to leave it.

Answer: Ode to a Nightingale

3. The "leaf-fringed legends" in line 5 of this poem refer to painted figures and decorated borders.

Answer: Ode on a Grecian Urn

7. Answer these questions about Robert Hooke for ten points each.

1. Hooke was an assistant to this scientist, whose law states that volume varies inversely to pressure in gas.

Answer: Thomas Boyle

2. In his 1665 work Micrographia, Hooke formulated this term while studying cork.

Answer: Cells

3. Late in his life, Hooke served as a surveyor to this man's plans to rebuild London.

Answer: Sir Christopher Wren

8. Answer these questions about a rabblouser and his 1850s actions FTP each.

1. First, what state was deemed "Bleeding" after this man and his minions ran a reign of terror in the state starting in 1854?

Answer: Kansas

2. Next, identify this man, who was principally responsible for "Bleeding Kansas" as well as for anti-slave raids in Virginia in 1858.

Answer: John Brown

3. Finally, at what Virginia town did the conflict between Brown and his enemies come to an end, now located in West Virginia?

Answer: Harpers Ferry

9. Given a national park, name the state in which it can be found FTP each.

1. Denali

Answer: Alaska

2. Badlands

Answer: South Dakota

3. Big Bend

Answer: Texas

10. Given a description of an 1997 preseason ACC basketball first teamer, name him FTP each.

1. This Clemson small forward is his team's returning leader in scoring.

Answer: Greg Buckner

2. If you can name anyone on Georgia Tech, it should be this small forward, who is ranked as the nation's best in three magazines.

Answer: Matt Harpring

3. The preseason pick for player of the year is this power forward, who joins teammate Vince Carter on the first team.

Answer: Antawn Jamison

11. What do you know about the Punic Wars? Answer these questions for the stated number of points.

1. 5 points: Identify the two main participants in the Punic Wars, for five points all or nothing.

Answer: Rome and Carthage

2. 10 points: A man of this name was Carthage's most decorated naval commander, but you may know the name better for the general who used large animals in leading his troops across the Alps.

Answer: Hannibal

3. 15 points: The winner of the battle of Zama, he took the surname of the continent he helped subdue.

Answer: Scipio Africanus

12. Name these three eight-day feasts of the Jewish calendar from description FTP each.

1. This "Feast of the Paschal Lamb" celebrates the Exodus from Egypt.

Answer: Passover

2. This "Feast of the Harvest" is usually commemorated in June or July.

Answer: Shavuot (SHAH-voo-us)

3. This "Feast of Lights" includes a retelling of the story of Judah Maccabee.

Answer: _Chanukah_ (HAH-noo-kah)

13. Name these things that you may have seen under a microscope FTP each.

1. This is a genus of organisms with one or two flagella, and a generally elongated spindle-shaped body.

Answer: _Euglena_

2. This genus is characterized by naked, rhizopod protozoans with thin, very flexible pellicles and thick, irregular pseudopodia.

Answer: _Amoeba_

3. This is a family of ciliated protozoans of order Holotrichia, with a body bounded by a hard, elastic pellicle.

Answer: _Paramecium_

14. Name the poem from quotes by its narrator, 30-20-10.

1. "I choose never to stoop."

2. "She had a heart too soon made glad," where "she" refers to the title character.

3. "I gave commands, then all smiles stopped together."; the speaker is the Duke of Ferrara, in this Robert Browning dramatic monologue.

Answer: _My Last Duchess_

15. Identify the philosophers from works, on a 15-10 basis.

1. 15 points: _The Metaphysics of Morals_

2. 10 points: _Critique of Pure Reason_

Answer: Immanuel _Kant_

2. 15 points: _The Varieties of Religious Experience_

2. 10 points: _Pragmatism_

Answer: William _James_

16. Name these Supreme Court cases of the due process revolution of the 1960s FTP each.

1. This 1961 case first spoke of the exclusionary rule.

Answer: _Mapp_ v. _Ohio_

2. This 1962 case, filed in forma pauperis from jail, guaranteed counsel in felony cases.

Answer: _Gideon_ v. _Wainwright_

3. This 1964 case outlined the rule which requires police to read a suspect his or her rights.

Answer: _Miranda_ v. _Arizona_

17. Identify these writers from works on a 10-5 basis. Hint: they all have something in common.

1. 10 points: _Conquistador_

5 points: _J.B._

Answer: Archibald _MacLeish_

2. 10 points: _Ballad of the Sad Cafe_

5 points: _The Member of the Wedding_

Answer: Carson _McCullers_

3. 10 points: _Texasville_

5 points: _Lonesome Dove_

Answer: Larry _McMurtry_

18. Given a description of a member of the New World Order, name him for the stated number of points.

1. 5 points: Perhaps the most famous pro wrestler of all time, this man has started calling himself "Hollywood" in an attempt to make himself believe he is a great actor.

Answer: Hulk _Hogan_

2. 25 points: The three other founding members of the NWO call themselves the Wolfpack. With 10 points for getting one, or 25 for naming two, name any two of them, who went by Razor Ramon, Diesel, and the 1-2-3 Kid while in the WWF.

Answer: Scott _Hall_, Kevin _Nash_, _Syxx_

19. It is possible that a single phone call turned the black vote around and decided the 1960 presidential election.

For the stated number of points,

1. 5 points: Who made the phone call?

Answer: John F. Kennedy

2. 10 points: Name the recipient of the phone call, the wife of a jailed civil rights leader.

Answer: Coretta Scott King

3. 15 points: Where was Martin Luther King jailed at the time of the call?

Answer: Atlanta

20. Answer these questions about the circulatory system in humans FTP each.

1. How many chambers does the human heart have?

Answer: 4

2. It joins the subclavian vein at the base of the neck and returns blood from the head to the heart.

Answer: the jugular vein

3. Name the large artery in the neck which is the easiest place on the body to take a pulse.

Answer: carotid artery