11 March SRV Wolfpack Classic Round 7 -- Toss-ups

1. "Every day is alone in itself, whatever enjoyment I've had, and whatever sorrow I've had." So claims H.M., a mental patient studied by William Scoville and Brenda Milner. H.M. had the anterograde version of this affliction, which can also be found with retrograde and infantile varieties. FTP, name this psychological problem which involves a severe loss of memory.

Ans: Amnesia

2. He was imprisoned for spying, but was really an escaped P.O.W. during World War II. During the course of the book, he buys tobacco from the Lett in the next barrack, swipes an extra bowl of kasha at lunch, listens to his squad leader Tiurin reminisce, and works with Senka and Kilgas to build a wall before finally going to bed thinking about how he almost had a good day. FTP, name this fictional character, whose experiences are partially based on Alexander Solszhenitsyn's own gulag experiences.

Ans: Ivan **Denisovich** Shukov (accept. Shukov)

3. This native of Los Angeles thought about becoming a professional baseball player, but graduated with a degree in marketing. He later pursued an acting career and starred in such films as *Testament*, *Silverado*, and *No Way Out*. FTP name the star of *The Untouchables*, *JFK*, *A Perfect World*, and *Dances with Wolves*.

answer: Kevin COSTNER

4. The Oriental variety of it is a type of calcite, is often translucent with dark or colored streaks, and was used in ancient Egyptian and Roman tombs. The true variety of it is a type of gypsum with a hardness of about 1.5, a uniform, fine grain, and a snow-white color, and is carved and used in statuary. FTP, name this mineral whose smoothness and whiteness has resulted in it being used in love poems to describe women's skin.

answer: alabaster

5. She served as a Union spy in Confederate territory. After the Civil War, she helped educate freed slaves in North Carolina. Before the war, this runaway slave made 19 trips into the South, rescuing over 300 slaves, including her parents. Name this famous conductor on the Underground Railroad, who earned the title "Moses".

answer Harriet TUBMAN

7. This author's real name was Lulu Smith. Her short stories include *The Ballad of the Sad Cafe*, and her longer works include *Clock Without Hands*. However, she is perhaps best known for her novel about the deaf man Mr. Singer and his failed quest for companionship, ending in his suicide. FTP, name this author of *The Heart is a Lonely Hunter* and *The Member of the Wedding*.

Ans: Carson McCullers

8. The Fluid Mosaic Model proposed by Sanger in 1975 is considered by modern science to be the most likely possibility of their architecture and mode of action. The model reveals a lipid bilayer of hydrophobic fatty acid tails pointed towards one another with hydrophilic phosphate heads making direct contact with the watery fluid exterior and interior. FTP, name these structures, anchored by cholesterol molecules, that separate all living cells from their violent surroundings.

ans: membranes (accept plasmolemma)

9. It is told that once, while driving at Windsor, he got down and shook hands with an oak tree's branch, mistaking it for the King of Prussia. His erratic behavior, the subject of a recent film, was likely caused by the metabolic disorder porphyria. Name this 3rd Hanover King of England, who reigned from 1760 until 1820.

answer: GEORGE III or George William FREDERICK

10. "Dr. Strauss says I should rite down what I think and remembir and evrey thing that happins to me from now on. I dont no why but he says its important so they will se if they can use me. I hope they use me becaus Miss Kinnian says mabye they can make me smart. I want to be smart. My name is Charlie Gordon..." So begins the story of a retarded man made brilliant by a surgical procedure only to discover that the effect is only temporary. This happens in which 1959 Hugo award winning novel by Daniel Keyes?

FLOWERS FOR ALGERNON

11. The last name's the same. The computer columnist who writes *Inside Track* in PC Magazine. The creator of an alternative keyboard layout that puts the most frequently used keys on the home row. And the Czech composer of *Hymnus*, *Slavonic Dances*, the *Slavonic Rhapsodies*, and the *From the New World* Symphony. Identify this common name.

answer: **DVORAK**

12. It was revealed that this organization planned to assassinate Prince Charles and Princess Diana at a rock concert in July 1983. However, it was foiled when project leader Sean O'Callaghan informed police of the plot. FTP identify this organization which seeks to unify the Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland by violent means.

IRA or IRISH REPUBLICAN ARMY

13. <u>Two answers required</u>. They were the two sons of Leto, one by Tyndareus, and one by Zeus. Always together, they spent half their time in Hades and half at Olympus. FTP identify this mythological pair, for whom the two brightest stars in Gemini are named.

answer: Castor and Pollux

- 14. This species of enterrous bacteria appear under the microscope as short rod cells and, when properly stained, retain a pink color. They are covered in flagella which makes movement and entrance into a host very easy. FTP, name this common bacteria whose harmful strains are found in tainted water supplies and mammalian feces and whose friendly, symbiotic strains can be found in the human gut. [Escherichia coli or **E. coli**]
- 15. The title object is given to Rachel Verrinder for her birthday, but it disappears the same night. The suspects include Rachel, her cousin Franklin Blake, a housmaid, and a group of Indian jugglers. The story is narrated by the house steward Gabriel Betteredge, who aids Sergeant Cuff in solving the mystery. FTP, name this novel about a diamond, written by Wilkie Collins.

 Ans: The Moonstone
- 16. His love for his brother was so great that when he renovated the temple to the Castors, he put his own name and his brother's on the dedication, even though Drusus the Elder had been dead for almost 15 years. He was forced to divorce his beloved wife to marry the emperor's daughter, but by the time he got the throne in A.D. 14, he no longer wanted it. FTP who was this bitter, 2nd Roman emperor who reigned after Augustus?

 answer: **Tiberius** Julius Caesar Claudianus
- 17. He often performed with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra as a solo pianist. Though he wrote the soundtrack for the movie *On the Waterfront* and the ballet *Fancy Free*, he is better known for musicals such as *On the Town*. FTP, name this 11 year director of the Philharmonic and composer of *West Side Story* whose name appears in a famous REM song.

Ans: Leonard Bernstein

- 18. After playing as quarterback for the University of Alabama from 1962 to 1964, he signed with the New York Jets in 1965 for \$427,000. Four years later, he guaranteed that they would win the third Super Bowl. Name this spectacular quarterback, nicknamed "Broadway Joe". Joe Willie **NAMATH**
- 19. In the 1940s, Samuel Cohen first made the calculations necessary to produce one. It could be delivered by howitzers or small aircraft, and its heat and blast effects would extend only about 300 meters from the detonation point. However, this small fusion bomb would release large amounts of gamma and neutron radiation. Identify this never-produced bomb, which could kill people while causing relatively little damage to buildings.

answer: NEUTRON BOMB

20. The Alien and Sedition Acts were aimed at silencing some of his supporters. Critics claimed he had no morality and did not believe in God. His authorship of a statue on religious liberty was one of the three accomplishments he had listed on his tombstone, which made no mention of his Presidency. He was the first President to be inaugurated in Washington, D.C., and he began the Library of Congress. FTP name our 3rd President.

answer: Thomas Jefferson

21. It's the middle name of Lucie Arnaz and the first name of a Chattanoogan named Daniels who was first runner-up in the Miss America pageant a few years back. It's also the first name of the actress Armfeldt, played by Glynis Johns in *A Little Night Music*. It's the title of a Neil Diamond song and a Jean Simmons film in which Marlon Brando plays Napoleon. And it's the first name of a Miss Washington, the beauty pageant contestant that Mike Tyson was convicted of raping. FTP what's the name? [Desiree]

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- 1. Now that Clinton's impeachment, is over, let's ask about the only previous case of impeachment in U.S. presidential history. Identify the following concerning Andrew Johnson's near-removal from office FTPE.
- (a) Johnson's violation of this act of Congress provided the radicals with a pretext for beginning impeachment proceedings.

Tenure of Office Act

- (b) Johnson had intended to create a test case for the Tenure of Office Act by firing one of his cabinet secretaries. FTP name the Secretary of War he fired. Edwin **Stanton**
- (d) Article I, section 3 of the Constitution specifies that at the Senate trial of an impeached President, ". . .the Chief Justice shall preside." FTP name the Chief Justice at the time of Johnson's trial. Salmon P. Chase
- 2. Give the following book titles which are also the only name given to the main characters in the book FTPE.
- A. The title character of this 1952 Ralph Ellison novel is a young black man who leaves the South for New York City but is disgusted there as well and ends up living in a hole in the ground. Answer: *Invisible Man*
- B. The title character of this 1933 Nathanael West novel is a male newspaper columnist who tries to give advice to the lovelorn but ends up dying when he becomes too involved.

Answer: *Miss Lonelyhearts*

C. The main character in this 1850 Herman Melville novel is a sailor on the Man-of-War *Neversink*, where frequent floggings are used to maintain discipline.

Answer: White-Jacket

- 3. Name the following paintings which appeared in 1893 FTP each.
- A. This 1893 expressionist painting features two figures in the background and a figure with open mouth and hands to face in the foreground.

Answer: *The Scream* (or The Cry)

B. This 1893 Mary Cassatt painting featuring a man, woman, and young girl apparently out on holiday has a title reminiscent of an 1881 work by Renoir.

Answer: *The Boating Party* (NOT The Luncheon of the Boating Party)

- C. Some of the paintings in Claude Monet's series of twenty of this building were finished in 1893.

 Answer: *Rouen Cathedral*
- 4. Name the following nineteenth century physicists FTP each.

- (a) This discoverer of aluminum demonstrated the relationship between electricity and magnetism by showing that a compass needle would deflect in the presence of electric current. [Hans Christian **Oersted**]
- (b) This Frenchman extended Oersted's work, showing that two parallel wires carrying current in the same direction will be attracted to each other, but will repel one another if the currents go in opposite directions.

[Andre-Marie **Ampere**]

(c) This German scientist described electrical conduction in solid materials, from which he formulated his law for measuring electrical current.

[Georg Ohm]

- 5. Given the lyrics, name the Garth Brooks song.
- a.) I was feelin' the blues. I was watchin' the news when this fella came on TV. He said I'm tellin' you that science has proved that heartaches are healed by the sea.

TWO PINA COLADAS

b.) When we're free to love anyone we choose. When this world's big enough for all different views. When we all can worship from our own kind of pews.

WE SHALL BE FREE

- c.) Holding you, I held everything. For a moment, wasn't I the king? But if I'd only known how the king would fall, hey who's to say? You know I might have changed it all. THE DANCE
- d.) He was up in Wyoming a drew a bull no man could ride. He promised her he'd turn out. Well, it turned out that he lied. And all the dreams that they'd been living in the California sand died right there beside him in...

THE BEACHES OF CHEYENNE

- 6. To quote from one of the most readable reference books of all time, *An Incompleat Education*, "Melville didn't know *Moby Dick* was an allegory till somebody told him." Name these characters from that oft-required treatise on the processing of blubber for the stated number of points.
- 1. 5 points: The narrator of the novel who is mentioned in the opening line.

[Ishmael]

2. 10 points: The harpooner who becomes Ishmael's blood-brother.

[Queequeg]

3. 15 points: The pious first mate of the ship.

[Starbuck]

7. 1948 saw 4 Presidential candidates capture at least 1 million popular votes. Harry Truman won. For ten points each, name the other three men.

Thomas Dewey; Henry Wallace; Strom Thurmond

8. Ben Lea has another question about the American Film Institute's list of the 100 greatest American films of all time. Thee are 6 directors with one film each on the list and you name *those* films. Directors:

(a) Joseph L. Mankiewicz
 (b) Arthur Penn
 (c) Robert Mulligan
 [All About Eve]
 [Bonnie and Clyde]
 [To Kill a Mockingbird]

(d) Sydney Pollack [Tootsie]
(e) Ethan Coen [Fargo]

(f) Howard Hawks [Bringing Up Baby]

[Reader's Note: Robert Mulligan is the twin brother of the inexplicably more successful Richard.]

- 9. It's time to play name the eponym, a word named for a person. Give the word for 10 pts. from a description of the namesake or for 5 pts. from a definition of the word,
- (1a) The English editor of an expurgated edition of Shakespeare's plays.
- (1b) To delete or rewrite written matter considered indelicate **bowdlerize**
- (2a) Prime Minister of Great Britain from 1841 to 1846
- (2b) The nickname for London's uniformed police patrol officers. **Bobbies**; acc. Peelers [singular OK]
- (3a) James Madison's Vice President, a former governor of Massachusetts.
- (3b) To draw an election district in such a way as to favor a political party at the expense of its geographic integrity.

 gerrymander
- 10. Identify these religions which have often been accused of being cults, 10 points each.
- a. This religion was originally known as the Russellites, and one of the requirements of its members is door-to-door preaching, so that they may act as a "watch tower" of Christianity.

ANSWER: Jehovah's Witnesses

b. This religion fosters a very strict belief in the omnipotence of God, using prayer and faith in lieu of modern medical techniques.

ANSWER: <u>Church of Christ, Scientist</u> or <u>Christian Science</u> [don't accept Scientology]

c. Popular with many celebrities, this religion of self-knowledge has been the target of many anti-cult lawsuits, particularly in Germany.

ANSWER: Church of **Scientology**

- 11. Identify these individuals encountered by Odysseus in his travels for the stated number of points:
- A. These two monsters straddled the Strait of Messina. The first was a ravinous monster which ate sailors, the second was a dangerous whirlpool.

answer: Scylla, Charybdis

1.____ This nymph kept Odysseus her prisoner of love for 7 years until ordered to release him.

answer: Calypso

C. This hero in the Underworld was a victim of his wife's wrath. He tells Odysseus that women are unreliable and that wives in particular are untrustworthy.

answer: Agamemnon's ghost

- 12. Give the physics term defined by the following ratios for ten points each.
- 1. The ratio of potential difference to current.

Resistance

2. The ratio of charge to a potential difference.

Capacitance

3. The ratio of magnetic flux to current.

Inductance

- 13. Identify the composers of each of the following operas.
- 1. Rigoletto and La Traviata

Giuseppe **VERDI**

2. Salomé and Elektra

Richard STRAUSS

3. Akhnaten and Einstein on the Beach

Philip GLASS

- 14. Name this figure from early America, 30-20-10-5:
- (a) He served in the Continental artillery until a disastrous expedition to Castine, Maine; after the rout he faced charges of disobedience that, though ultimately refuted, ended his military career. Until his death in 1818 he still insisted in wearing Revolutionary-era garb long after it went out of fashion.
- (b) The artillery assignment made sense, since he also cast musket balls and cannon during the war, as well as designing and printing the first Continental currency.
- (c) Serious historians consider his contribution to American industry more significant than his role in the Revolution. The preeminent goldsmith and silversmith of his day, many of his works are now museum pieces, including even some of the dental fillings he made.
- (d) Most of us know him better for riding from Charlestown to Lexington on the night of April 18, 1775, to warn of the impending arrival of British troops.

[Paul Revere]

- 15. Given the description, name the Saturday Night Live character.
- a.) A decent man, as decent as decent can be. He has written over forty letters of encouragement to Pat Sajak and loves music, especially the triangle.

Ed Grimley, Jr.

- b.) The ghetto version of Mister Rogers, except he's somewhat less of a role model for children.

 Mister Robinson
- c.) The cat who could drive a car, just not very well.

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- d.) A correspondent for Weekend Update, he chooses to sing his news items rather than speak them. **Operaman**
- e.) Therapeutic talk show host who is "a caring nurturer, a member of several twelve step programs, but not a licensed therapist."

Stuart Smalley

- f.) Tribal leader who often discussed with his fellow warriors the subtleties of "walking with a woman."

 Lothar of the Hill People
- 16. Name these Toni Morrison works FTP each:
- a. The title character is a ghost who haunts her mother, Sethe, who slashed her throat rather than see her returned to slavery.

Beloved

b. "They shoot the white girl first." is the first sentence of this 1998 novel.

Paradise

c. This 1970 novel examines a young girl's painful awakening in a white society.

The Bluest Eye

- 17. For 10 pts. each, given a generalized abbreviation for a functional group in chemistry, name it.
- (a) RNH(2) amine(b) ROH alcohol
- (c) ROR **ether**

e.) VP under Gerald Ford

- 18. Given the President, name his Vice President.
- a.) Second VP under William McKinley THEODORE ROOSEVELT
- b.) VP under Dwight D. Eisenhower Richard **NIXON**
- c.) VP under Lyndon Baines Johnson Hubert **HUMPHREY**
- d.) VP under John Q. Adams and 1st VP under Andrew Jackson . John C. CALHOUN
- d.) VI under John C. Mains and 1st VI under Andrew Jackson. John C. Cilling

Nelson **ROCKEFELLER**

f.) VP under Andrew Johnson NONE

- 19. 30-20-10 Name the writer from clues.
- (30) Born in Newport News, Virginia, this was also the setting for his first novel which won him the Prix de Rome from the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.
- (20) In the summer of 1985, he was struck by clinical depression. His road to recovery resulted in "Darkness Visible: A Memoir of Madness."
- (10) He was awarded the Pulitzer Prize in 1968 for The Confessions of Nat Turner.

Answer: William Styron

- 20. Answer the following questions about the anatomy of nerves FTP each.
- (a) This neuron fiber carries impulses away from the cell body.

axon

- (b) The point at which a nerve impulse passes from an axon of one neuron to the dendrite of another. **synapse**
- (c) The endings of an axon, they form synapses and release neurotransmitters.

terminals