



1. In one of his stories, the barber Ivan Yakovlevich discovers the title body part in a loaf of bread. In a novel by this man, Chichikov exploits census lists in an attempt to purchase and mortgage deceased surfs. In another of his stories, the title garment is stolen from the clerk Akaky Akakievich. For 10 points, name this Russian author of "The Nose," *Dead Souls*, and "The Overcoat."

ANSWER: Nikolai **Gogol**

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2. Vere Gordon Childe's "oasis theory" proposed this event was set off by drier climates. The Natufian culture was unusual in that it was sedentary before this event, which was originally believed to have started solely in the Fertile Crescent. For 10 points, name this shift in the late Stone Age to sedentary communities raising domesticated plants and animals.

ANSWER: **Neolithic Revolution** [or **Agricultural Revolution**]

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3. Keet Seel, Bandelier, and Canyon de Chelly were cities of these people, and their dwellings included Chaco Canyon. These people are called Moqui, meaning "the dead," by the Hopi, instead of their more common name of "ancient enemies" in Navajo. For 10 points, name these allegedly vanished cliff-dwelling and basket-making Native Americans who built Mesa Verde.

ANSWER: **Anasazi** [or **Ancient Pueblo** people]

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4. Robin Spry's *Action* was one account of this event, after which Paul and Jacques Rose were arrested. Pierre Laporte was killed during this event, and it led to an invocation of the War Measures Act and the statement, "Just watch me." For 10 points, name this event in which the FLQ kidnapped two government officials, a crisis during the term of Pierre Trudeau (troo-DOE) named for a certain month.

ANSWER: **October** Crisis [or La **Crise d'Octobre**]

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5. The Larkhill airfield sheds are found near this monument that was excavated by Hawley. This monument is surrounded by cremation sites near the Aubrey Holes. This monument's builders lived at Durrington Walls and were likely the Beaker People. Sarsen stones from Marlborough Downs were used to build this site that includes the Heel Stone. For 10 points, name this stone circle in England that celebrated the solstice.

ANSWER: **Stonehenge**

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6. Members of this movement were kicked out of Missouri as a result of Lilburn Boggs's Executive Order 44. One member of this movement was Oliver Cowdery, who worked with a text that was written in reformed Egyptian and originally appeared on golden plates. Following an endowment ceremony, members of this group must wear special underwear. For 10 points, name this religious movement that was led by Brigham Young.

ANSWER: **Mormonism** [or Church of the **Latter Day Saints**]

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7. This opera incorporates a number of "spoken texts" by Christopher Knowles, such as "I Feel the Earth Move," as well as one by Lucinda Childs, "Prematurely Air-Conditioned Supermarket." This opera is divided into acts by "knee plays." It was succeeded in the Portrait Trilogy by *Satyagraha*. The librettist for this opera was Robert Wilson. For 10 points, identify this Philip Glass opera about a physicist.

ANSWER: *Einstein on the Beach*

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8. For 10 years, this company's exclusive agent in China was the comprador-merchant Ye Chengzhong. Through C. R. Troxel, this company was allegedly involved in financing Francisco Madero's rebellion against Porfirio Diaz. An account of the history of this company was published by Ida Tarbell. For 10 points, identify this company founded by John D. Rockefeller.

ANSWER: Standard Oil Company

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9. Along with architect Thomas Cubitt, this man designed his residence at Osborne House. As president of the Society of Arts, he championed an international exhibition that featured the Crystal Palace. This man's son, Edward VII, was the first monarch from the House of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha. For 10 points, name this husband of Queen Victoria.

ANSWER: Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha

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10. Before 1856, one type of this practice was popular in Gretna Green. These events were preceded by three consecutive weeks of "crying the banns." The economic factors determining this practice are depicted in novels like *Pride and Prejudice*. For 10 points, name this practice that made men and women husband and wife.

ANSWER: Victorian marriage [or elopements before "banns" is read]

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1. Bernard Goe was fined a dollar for unauthorized use of a bullet during this event. Dillon Myer replaced Milton Eisenhower as head of the WRA, which oversaw this event. The Heart Mountain Fair Play Committee resisted the draft during this event, whose non-compliers were sent to Tule Lake. This event was the basis for *Korematsu v. U.S.* and was authorized by Executive Order 9066. For 10 points, name this event in which people were sent to camps like Manzanar after Pearl Harbor was bombed.

ANSWER: **Japanese internment** [or equivalents like **Japanese people being sent to concentration camps**]

BONUS: On January 30, 2011, what state celebrated the first annual Fred Korematsu Day of Civil Liberties and the Constitution?

ANSWER: **California**

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2. The formulary controversy was sparked when this pope criticized five propositions of the *Augustinus*, prompting the convent of Port-Royal. This pope sent Rinucci (rih-NOO-chee) to rejuvenate the religious and revolutionary spirit of Ireland, which was crushed seven years later at the Battle of Drogheda (drah-GAY-duh). This Pamphili (pam-FIL-ee) pontiff has grotesque vertical lines running down his face in a Francis Bacon study that depicts him "screaming." That painting was inspired by a portrait of this pope sitting on a throne, executed by Diego Velazquez. For 10 points, name this 17th-century pope.

ANSWER: Pope **Innocent X** [or Giovanni Battista **Pamphili** before it is read; prompt on **Innocent**]

BONUS: Innocent X attacked Castro, which was held by this Italian city-state whose dukes included Alessandro Farnese.

ANSWER: **Parma**

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3. Canute ordered the death of his brother-in-law Ulf after a disagreement over this game. At the Paris Opera House, the Duke of Brunswick and Count Isouard played a famous match of this game against Paul Morphy. A book on this game was written by Andre Philidor, who pioneered playing it while blindfolded. In Iceland in 1972, a series of matches of this game pitted Boris Spassky against Bobby Fischer. For 10 points, name this board game in which the computer Deep Blue defeated grandmaster Garry Kasparov.

ANSWER: **chess**

BONUS: A spiritual ancestor of Deep Blue was what fraudulent chess-playing automaton exhibited by Wolfgang de Kempelen in the eighteenth century?

ANSWER: the Mechanical **Turk**

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4. One portion of this document claims that it is by securing happiness to others that a ruler is able to obtain the most durable and long-lasting monuments to their name. Its effectiveness was diminished by the discovery of a letter by John Adams that urged military preparation for the colonies. That letter meant that this document's messages, addressed to George III, were largely ignored. For 10 points, name this document, a 1775 petition whose name evokes a peaceful symbol.

ANSWER: **Olive Branch** Petition

BONUS: The Olive Branch Petition was heavily altered from its original version, penned by Thomas Jefferson, by this colonial statesman, who also authored the *Letters from a Farmer in Pennsylvania*.

ANSWER: John **Dickinson**

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5. This king took his throne after the defeat of his uncle Koppány. An assassination attempt on this king resulted in his cousin, Duke Vazul, having molten lead poured into his ears and his eyes gouged out. His mourning of the death of his son Emeric worsened his health. The crown of the kings of Hungary is commonly referred to as the crown of this man. He dedicated that crown to the Virgin Mary. For 10 points, name this saint who ruled Hungary.

ANSWER: St. **Stephen I** of Hungary [or **Vajk**; prompt on **Stephen**]

BONUS: The Peace of Bautzen forced Boleslaw I of what country to cede occupied territory to Stephen?

ANSWER: **Poland**

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6. One response to this action was the appointment of William Simon as a czar, whose policies led to a truckers' strike. It occurred after an airlift called Operation Nickel Grass and caused an irrational hoarding of toilet paper in Japan. Oregon banned Christmas lights, and the government implemented a three-color flag system and odd-even rationing during this event. It was a response to U.S. support of Israel during the Yom Kippur War. For 10 points, name this event in which OPEC nations decreased their exports.

ANSWER: 1973 **oil embargo** [or 1973 **oil crisis**]

BONUS: The oil embargo was partly masterminded by this king of Saudi Arabia, who shares his name with the king of Iraq overthrown in the 1958 revolution.

ANSWER: **Faisal** ibn 'Abd al-'Aziz ibn 'Abd ar-Rahman as-Sa'ud [or **Faisal II** of Iraq]

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7. Just to the east of this city sit the Elephanta Caves. Much of its drinking water comes from the Vihar Lake and the Tulsi Lake. This city was built over a group of seven islands including Mahim, Parel, Worli, and Colaba. The capital of the Maharashtra (MAH-huh-RAHSH-truh) state, its Taj Mahal Palace hotel was one of the many of its sites targeted in a 2008 terrorist attack. For 10 points, name this city on the Arabian Sea, the center of the Bollywood industry and largest city in India.

ANSWER: **Mumbai** [or **Bombay**]

BONUS: This other Indian city, the capital of Andhra Pradesh (AHN-druh prah-DESH), is the center of the Telugu (teh-LOO-goo) film industry, or Tollywood.

ANSWER: **Hyderabad**

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8. In March 2012, Andrew George called for a summit with affected professionals before a bill regarding this institution is passed. Liberal Democrats voted down Baroness Williams's expression of support for a bill regarding this agency. The Conservatives' 2010 election manifesto promised no "top-down" reforms to this agency, which a Labour slogan claims the Tories cannot be "trusted on." For 10 points, the Royal College of GPs opposes a plan by the U.K. government to reform what centerpiece of the British welfare state, a medical care program?

ANSWER: the **NHS** [or the **National Health Service**]

BONUS: A previous test of the Cameron government came in late 2010, when severe London riots occurred over a plan to charge more for what?

ANSWER: raising university **tuition** fees

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#### MEDIEVAL POPES

What papal name was held by the...

1. Eighth pope with this name, who issued the bull *Unam Sanctum* and feuded with Philip IV of France during his papacy from 1294 to 1303?

ANSWER: **Boniface**

2. Fourth pope with this name, who published a papal bull in 1478 that officially began the Spanish Inquisition?

ANSWER: **Sixtus**

3. First pope with the name, who met with Attila the Hun and convinced him to turn away from Rome?

ANSWER: **Leo**

4. Second pope with the name, who ended the investiture controversy through the Concordat of Worms?

ANSWER: **Callixtus**

5. Fifth pope with the name, who ended the Western Schism and began the Hussite Wars?

ANSWER: **Martin**

6. First pope with the name, who was given the Donation of Constantine, according to a forged 8th-century document?

ANSWER: **Sylvester**

7. Fifth pope with this name, who officially suppressed the Knights Templar before moving the papacy to Avignon?

ANSWER: **Clement**

8. Third pope with this name, who ordered the death of Pope Leo V and oversaw the rise of the "pornocracy"?

ANSWER: **Sergius**

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## WORLD WAR I BATTLES

At which World War I battle did...

1. A 1916 British advance on the Western Front cost them 58,000 troops on the first day of fighting alone?

ANSWER: Battle of the **Somme** River

2. ANZAC troops fail to break through Turkish lines after an ill-fated April 25, 1915 landing?

ANSWER: **Gallipoli** Campaign [or **Dardanelles** Campaign]

3. Reinforcements transported in taxicabs save Paris from a 1914 German invasion?

ANSWER: **First** Battle of the **Marne** River [prompt on Battle of the **Marne** River]

4. A.V. Samsonov shoot himself in the middle of a disastrous 1914 Russian defeat?

ANSWER: Battle of **Tannenberg**

5. Austro-German forces finally break through the Italian front in 1917?

ANSWER: Battle of **Caporetto** [or **Eleventh** Battle of the **Isonzo** River; prompt on Battle of the **Isonzo** River]

6. Edmund Allenby declare the "wars of the crusaders" complete following the capture of a holy city in 1917?

ANSWER: Battle of **Jerusalem**

7. The largest naval battle of the war end with both British and German navies claiming victory?

ANSWER: Battle of **Jutland**

8. Admiral Maximilian von Spee run into an unexpected Royal Navy buzzsaw following the Battle of Coronel?

ANSWER: Battle of the **Falkland Islands**

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## SMALL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

Which small European country changed leaders...

1. Twice in 1978, once upon the election of John Paul I, and once upon the election of John Paul II?

ANSWER: **Vatican City** [or **Holy See**; or Stato della **Citta del Vaticano**; or **Santa Sede**]

2. After a 2006 independence referendum, but kept its president, Filip Vujanovic?

ANSWER: **Montenegro** [or **Crna Gora**]

3. In a coup shortly before a 1974 Turkish invasion and continues to be divided between Greek and Turkish sides?

ANSWER: Republic of **Cyprus** [or **Kypriaki Dimokratia**; or **Kypros**; or **Kibris** Cumhuriyeti]

4. When Albert II, son of Rainier III and Grace Kelly, ascended to the throne in 2005?

ANSWER: Principality of **Monaco** [or Principaute de **Monaco**]

5. In 1964 when Grand Duchess Charlotte abdicated in favor of her son Jean?

ANSWER: Grand Duchy of **Luxembourg**

6. In 1989 when Hans-Adam II officially succeeded his father, Francis Joseph II?

ANSWER: Principality of **Liechtenstein** [or Fuerstentum **Liechtenstein**]

7. In a 1957 constitutional crisis after the breakup of a Communist-Socialist coalition government?

ANSWER: Republic of **San Marino** [or Repubblica di **San Marino**]

8. In 1933 after a Russian national attempted to crown himself King Boris I?

ANSWER: Principality of **Andorra** [or Principat d'**Andorra**]

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1. **This onetime MP from Finchley was appointed Secretary of State for Education and Science in the 1970 government, in which role this politician argued against the suspension of free libraries, but did implement a partial end to free milk for schoolchildren that led to her being taunted as (+) "milk snatcher."** After coming to power with the slogan "Labour isn't working," this target of the (\*) Brighton hotel bombing broke a coal miners' strike and prosecuted the war with Jorge Videla's government over the Falkland Islands. For 10 point, name this Prime Minister of England from 1979 to 1990, known as the "Iron Lady."

ANSWER: Margaret **Thatcher**

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2. **This man painted an old sailor comforting a girl as a ship seen through a window heads off to the title place in *The Northwest Passage*. He painted his wife Effie Gray sitting with a wounded man who reads of the end of the Crimean War in his painting (+) *Peace Concluded*. This artist painted an imprisoned Scottish soldier embracing his wife after the Jacobite uprising of 1745 in *The Order of Release*. He painted John the Baptist holding a bowl of water in his painting (\*) *Christ in the House of His Parents*.** For 10 points, name this member of the Pre-Raphaelite Brotherhood.

ANSWER: John Everett **Millais**

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3. **One of this author's works claims that "the age of chivalry is gone--that of sophisters, economists, and calculators has succeeded," and repeatedly attacks a sermon delivered by Dr. Richard Price. This man unsuccessfully attempted to impeach the Governor General of India, Warren (+) Hastings. Thomas Paine wrote the *Rights of Man* to respond to a work by this man, which advocates gradual political change rather than immediate (\*) upheaval in pursuit of abstract ideals.** For 10 points, name this conservative thinker who wrote *Reflections on the Revolution in France*.

ANSWER: Edmund **Burke**

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4. **This man's development of the "nitrous air test" for air pollution helped improve sanitation. He devised a way to create soda-water, which he thought could cure scurvy. This man emigrated to America a few years after his house was destroyed in the Birmingham Riots, due to his support for the (+) French Revolution and opposition to the Test Act. This Dissenter discovered that charcoal conducted electricity, and used mercury in a new design for a pneumatic trough. This supporter of (\*) phlogiston theory heated red mercuric oxide and called the resultant gas "dephlogisticated air."** For 10 points, name this British chemist who discovered oxygen.

ANSWER: Joseph **Priestley**

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5. **One reporter said that "the Russians seem to have met their match" in this politician. Charles Levermore won a prize from a jury appointed by this politician for suggesting cooperation with the World Court. This politician toured "alley dwellings" with Ellen Wilson and was angered that (+) African-Americans were not included in the Arthurdale housing development for coal miners. Lucy Mercer's affair was discovered by this politician, who coordinated a meeting between James Farley and Molly Dewson to unite the two factions of the DNC. This politician worked on the (\*) Universal Declaration of Human Rights. For 10 points, name this First Lady of FDR.**

ANSWER: Anna Eleanor Roosevelt [prompt on Roosevelt]

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6. **This man's half-brother died at a drinking party, after which he ascended to the throne and revoked the estates of his mother Emma. (+) Westminster Abbey was built during the reign of this monarch, who is depicted seated in brown with a staff and pointing to Harold in the Bayeux (bie-YOO) Tapestry. Leofric (LEE-uh-frick) of Mercia supported this king in an action that led to (\*) Tostig and Harold leading an army for their father Earl Godwin, who had earlier refused to punish the people of Dover for killing some Normans in a brawl. This monarch angered the Witan by appointing Norman advisors, unlike his half-brother Hardecnut (HARD-uh-cah-NOOT). For 10 points, name this religious monarch whose death led to the Battle of Hastings.**

ANSWER: Edward the Confessor [prompt on Edward]

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7. **The founder of this dynasty became shah of Azerbaijan (AH-zur-bie-ZHAHN) after defeating the Ak Koyunlu (AHK koh-YOON-loo). This dynasty employed Robert Sherley to reform its military. With that reformed military, this dynasty's ruler (+) Abbas I expelled Portuguese traders from Hormuz (OR-mooz). The rulers of this dynasty shifted from the religion of their ancestor, a Sufi sheikh. The last ruler of this dynasty was deposed by Nader Shah. This dynasty's founder Ismail I lost territory in Iraq to the (\*) Ottoman Selim I during a period of conflict that forced this dynasty to move its capital to Isfahan (ISS-fuh-hahn). For 10 points, name this dynasty that established Shi'a Islam as the dominant religion of Iran.**

ANSWER: Safavid Dynasty

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8. **One law passed during this event was the Act for the Government and Protection of Indians, which allowed whites to keep Indians as indentured servants. The Bloody Island massacre occurred during this event. A letter was penned by S. Shufelt to his cousin during it. Samuel Brannan was the first merchant to capitalize on this event. Making pants out of (+) canvas during this event made the fortune of Levi Strauss. This event was triggered when James Marshall made a discovery at a (\*) mill owned by John Sutter. For 10 points, name this event whose participants were known as "forty-niners" and who flocked to California for a certain precious metal.**

ANSWER: California gold rush [accept California gold rush after "California" is read; prompt on gold rush before "California" is read]

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**One plot against this ruler prompted the creation of the Bond of Association. That plot against this ruler was the Throckmorton Plot. Another plot against this ruler was designed by Bernardino de Mendoza and aimed for the restoration of Catholicism in this ruler's country. This ruler, the target of the Babington plot, employed the spymaster Francis Walsingham, who eventually became convinced of the need to execute (\*) Mary, Queen of Scots. For 10 points, identify this English monarch who was succeeded by James I and was known as the "Virgin Queen."**

ANSWER: **Elizabeth I** of England [prompt on **Elizabeth**]

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BONUS: What 1478 conspiracy targeting the Medici was led by a namesake rival family?

ANSWER: **Pazzi** conspiracy

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