

1. One of the witnesses called during this event was Lorenzo Thomas, whose appointment as Secretary of War was among its primary causes. A crucial "no" vote in this proceeding was cast by Edmund Ross, who did not believe that a violation of the Tenure of Office Act warranted this event. For 10 points, name this 1868 trial in which a group of Radical Republicans tried to remove the seventeenth president from office.
ANSWER: **impeachment** of Andrew **Johnson**

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2. This US state was once home to the Cahokia culture. During the War of 1812 American soldiers were massacred at this state's Fort Dearborn. Later, settlers and Indians fought the Black Hawk War in this state. A senate race in this state led to a series of debates where the losing candidate made the "house divided" speech. For 10 points, name this Midwestern state with capital Springfield, nicknamed the "Land of Lincoln".
ANSWER: **Illinois**

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3. This man won the battles of Vercellae and Aquae Sextiae against the Cimbri and the Teutones, two German tribes that had invaded Italy. Despite clear rules against it, this man was elected as Consul in six consecutive years, and after his death he was replaced by his conservative rival, Lucius Cornelius Sulla. For 10 points, name this politician from the late Roman Republic, best known for his military reforms.
ANSWER: Gaius **Marius**

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4. One ruler of this city feuded with the Egyptian leader Shawar; that man, a sometimes rival of Nur-ad-Din, was Amalric I. Amalric's successor, who was noted for his leprosy, defeated Saladin at the Battle of Montgisard and reigned as Baldwin IV. For 10 points, name this city that existed for many years as a crusader state and had earlier been the target of many crusades as Christianity's holy city.
ANSWER: **Jerusalem**

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5. Clifford Cummings headed a project investigating this body. In the 1990s, the Clementine mission studied this body. It was the subject of Project Ranger and it was the target of the first generation of Pioneer missions. Recently the LRO was launched by NASA to study it. Jim Lovell commanded a failed mission to reach it. For 10 points, name this satellite visited by Apollo 11.
ANSWER: **Moon** [or **Luna**]

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6. An investigation into the fate of this vessel was conducted by Admiral Rickover, while an earlier inquiry had been conducted by the Sampson Board. News of this ship's destruction was transformed by "yellow journalism" into an impetus for war, and one rallying following the destruction of this ship asked that this boat be "remembered." For 10 points, name this ship whose mysterious destruction helped precipitate the Spanish-American War.
ANSWER: USS **Maine**

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7. The title character of one novel by this author goes to the University of Oxbridge and marries Laura Bell. That character is Arthur Pendennis. The central character of his most famous work befriends Amelia Sedley at Miss Pinkerton's School for Girls. This author of *The Virginians* and *Barry Lyndon* wrote a novel about the aforementioned Becky Sharp. For 10 points, name this author of *Vanity Fair*.

ANSWER: William Makepeace **Thackeray**

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8. Shortly after this man's election as president, cotton mill workers took over the Yarur factory. This man came into office as part of the newly formed Popular Unity Party, which increased its share of parliament months before this man was killed inside La Moneda Palace during a military coup. For 10 points, name this socialist president who was elected in 1970 and removed in 1973 by Augusto Pinochet as leader of Chile.

ANSWER: Salvador **Allende** Gossens

023-11-31-01108

1. **During the progressive administration of Ivan Allen, Jr. this city labeled itself as “the city too busy to hate”, although a Jewish Reform temple in this city was bombed in 1958. A speech given in this city declared, “no race that has anything to contribute to the markets of the world is long in any degree ostracized”. A prominent company in this city was founded by John (*) Pemberton. This city was a site of a bombing carried out by Eric Robert Rudolph in Centennial Park in 1996, and it’s where Booker T. Washington delivered a certain “compromise” speech. For 10 points, name this Southern city, host of the 1996 Summer Olympics and the capital of Georgia.**

ANSWER: Atlanta, Georgia

BONUS: Which civil rights leader, who was based in Atlanta, took of the leadership of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference’s Poor People’s Campaign upon the death of Martin Luther King?

ANSWER: Ralph David Abernathy

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2. **This dynasty saw two incidents in which Confucian scholars were imprisoned, the Disasters of Partisan Prohibitions. This dynasty’s Emperor Jing reduced the sizes of several principalities, sparking the Rebellion of the Seven States. The first emperor of this dynasty was a peasant named Liu Bang, who later became known as Gaozu. It was briefly interrupted by the (*) Xin Dynasty after Wang Mang took the throne. This dynasty was preceded by the Qin and followed by the Three Kingdoms period. For 10 points, name this dynasty which lends its name to the majority ethnic group of China.**

ANSWER: Han Dynasty

BONUS: What Chinese Dynasty was founded by the Mongol leader Kublai Khan?

ANSWER: Yuan Dynasty

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3. **Prior to this battle, one side opened up a key supply route called the Cracker Line and defeated an enemy force at Wauhatchie. During its beginning, General George Thomas was able to quickly take Orchard Knob. In the aftermath of this battle, Joseph Johnston replaced Braxton Bragg as the head of a large army. Lookout Mountain and (*) Missionary Ridge were two defensive structures during this battle whose aftermath saw an assault on Atlanta. For 10 points, name this November 1863 battle of the American Civil War fought several months after the Battle of Chickamauga, a Union victory in southeastern Tennessee.**

ANSWER: Battle of Chattanooga

BONUS: George Thomas was given what nickname after the battle of Chickamauga?

ANSWER: the Rock of Chickamauga

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4. In 1995, he was the target of an assassination attempt while in Ethiopia at a conference of the Organization of African Unity. In 2004, his Prime Minister, Atef Ebeid, resigned and was replaced by Ahmed Nazif. After defeating him in the 2005 election, he imprisoned Ayman Nour, who in (*) 2011 stated his intention to run for the presidency of this man's country. Omar Suleiman announced this man's resignation after a series of demonstrations in Tahrir Square. For 10 points, name this long-time President of Egypt who stepped down in 2011.

ANSWER: Hosni **Mubarak**

BONUS: Mubarak succeeded which leader of Egypt who signed the Camp David Accords?

ANSWER: Anwar al-**Sadat**

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5. The soprano in this opera sings the aria "This is Prophetic" after accepting the gift of a glass elephant. The main male and female characters interrupt the performance of a ballet in the second act when they try to rescue one of the female performers, who is being whipped. In the first scene, a military chorus sings "The Three Main Rules of Discipline and Eight Points of Attention" after the title character descends from a (*) big plane called the Spirit of '76. For 10 points, name this John Adams opera in which a US President dances a foxtrot with Chairman Mao, commemorating a real 1972 visit to the title country.

ANSWER: **Nixon in China**

BONUS: What is the name of John Adams' opera about the Manhattan Project?

ANSWER: **Doctor Atomic**

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6. At the beginning of this event, participants were directed to simultaneously snap their fingers every three seconds, with each snap representing a child's death. It was the most recent event of its type organized by Midge Ure and Bob Geldof, and it concluded in Edinburgh on July 6 with an event called "The Final Push." Raising (*) billions of dollars for the "Make Poverty History" campaign, it was represented by the image of a guitar shaped like Africa. For 10 points, name this series of concerts held on July 2, 2005, just before a G8 summit.

ANSWER: **Live 8** [do not accept or prompt on "Live Aid"]

BONUS: The original concert known as Live Aid was held to raise funds for famine relief in what African country?

ANSWER: **Ethiopia**

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7. This author wrote two novels about Uncle Alec, who takes an interest in raising his niece Rose Campbell, entitled *Eight Cousins* and *Rose in Bloom*. Often publishing under the pseudonym A.M. Barnard, this author wrote stories such as "Obtaining Supplies" in the collection *Hospital Sketches*, which was inspired by her time as a (*) nurse in the Union Army during the Civil War. She also created a German writer named Fritz Bhaer, who marries Jo, one of the March sisters. For 10 points, name this author of *Little Women*.

ANSWER: Louisa May **Alcott**

BONUS: What was the name of Louisa May Alcott's father, who was a prominent 19th century social reformer?

ANSWER: **Bronson** Alcott

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8. In one conflict, this nation captured the cities of Jijiga and Dire Dawa as it battled a neighboring country led by Mengistu for the Ogaden region. During the scramble, European forces in this nation were opposed by the Dervish State and sultanate of Hobyo. One separatist region in this nation, with capital at Hargeisa, declared independence following the 1991 overthrow of socialist dictator Mohammed Siad (*) Barre. The overthrow of Barre has led to a period of anarchy which has seen the rise of the Islamic Courts Union. For 10 points, name this African nation which in the early 1990's saw intense fighting in its capital of Mogadishu.

ANSWER: **Somalia** [or **Somali** Republic]

BONUS: What Somali region on the very tip of the horn of Africa, not to be confused with Somaliland, has also seen a separatist movement recently gain strength?

ANSWER: **Puntland**

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FRENCH MILITARY DEFEATS

At what battle were the French defeated...

A. To end Napoleon's Hundred Days?

ANSWER: **Waterloo**

B. Off the coast of Spain by Horatio Nelson?

ANSWER: **Trafalgar**

C. After a fifty-four day siege by the Viet Minh?

ANSWER: **Dien Bien Phu**

D. On Cinco de Mayo?

ANSWER: **Puebla**

E. And Napoleon III captured while trying to relieve the Siege of Metz?

ANSWER: **Sedan**

F. By George II, the last time a British monarch commanded troops during battle?

ANSWER: **Dettingen**

G. After which the Duc de Vendome and Duke of Burgundy argued over chain of command?

ANSWER: **Oudenaarde** [or **Oudenarde**; or **Oudenaerde**]

H. After which the Acadians were expelled from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia?

ANSWER: Fort **Beausejour**

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SOMEONE SET US UP THE BOMB!

What was the intended target of the following bombs?

A. City: Little Boy, the first atomic bomb used in warfare.

ANSWER: **Hiroshima**

B. City: Bombs dropped by the Condor Legion on a Basque city in 1937.

ANSWER: **Guernica**

C. Country: Bombs dropped during a World War II campaign known as "the Blitz."

ANSWER: Great **Britain** [or **United Kingdom**; or **UK**; or **England**]

D. Person: Bombs thrown at a czar's carriage by members of the People's Will.

ANSWER: **Alexander II** [prompt on **Alexander**]

E. Person: A grenade thrown by Nedjelko Cabrinovic, a member of the Black Hand.

ANSWER: Archduke **Franz Ferdinand** [do not accept or prompt on partial answer]

F. Building: A truck bomb planned by Ramzi Yousef and detonated in 1993.

ANSWER: **World Trade Center**

G. Building: A 1946 bombing by the Jewish group Irgun on British Military Command in Palestine.

ANSWER: **King David** Hotel

H. Country: Bombs planted by Unit 131 during Operation Susannah.

ANSWER: Arab Republic of **Egypt**

003-11-31-0110-1

WIPE OFF THE FACE OF THE EARTH

Identify these extinct animals.

A. This bird from Mauritius was stupid enough to not be afraid of hunters.

ANSWER: **dodo** [or *Raphus cucullatus*]

B. Martha, the last of these once-numerous birds, died in 1914 in Cincinnati.

ANSWER: **passenger pigeon** [or *Ectopistes migratorius*; prompt on **pigeon**]

C. This flightless bird did not survive far past the arrival of the Maori.

ANSWER: upland **moa** [or *Dinornithidae*; or *Megalapteryx didinus*]

D. The last Icelandic member of this species was an egg smashed in 1844.

ANSWER: **great auk** [or *Pinguinus impennis*; prompt on **auk**]

E. Only one scientist - its namesake - described this marine mammal before it went extinct.

ANSWER: **Steller's sea cow** [or *Hydrodamalis gigas*]

F. This marsupial carnivore has been inconclusively spotted since going extinct in 1936.

ANSWER: **thylacine** [or *Thylacinus cynocephalus*; or **Tasmanian tiger**; or **Tasmanian wolf**]

G. This zebra relative died off before anyone realized it was a separate species.

ANSWER: **quagga** [or *Equus quagga quagga*]

H. Columbus's second voyage slaughtered eight of these animals, last confirmed seen in 1952.

ANSWER: **Caribbean Monk Seal** [or *Monachus tropicalis*; prompt on **seal**; prompt on **monk seal**]

003-11-31-0110-1

1. **In this state, militia colonels Alexander Lillington and Richard Caswell defeated General Donald McDonald's Scottish Highlanders at the Battle of Moore's Creek Bridge in 1776. The first incorporated town in this state was Bath, which was the headquarters for (+) Edward Teach, and its first capital was located in New Bern. The first armed American resistance to the Stamp Act took place in this state at Wilmington in November, 1765. Governor William Tryon was victorious in the Battle of Alamance in this state in 1771, which quashed the (*) Regulator Rebellion.** For 10 points, name this state that was the site of the Battle of Guilford Courthouse in the American Revolution.

ANSWER: North Carolina [prompt on "Carolina"]

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2. **One event that allegedly led to the creation of this document was the failure of John Pershing to capture Pancho Villa, and the blocking of shipping lanes meant that the offer of (+) financial assistance set forth in this document would be useless to its intended recipient. The offer referenced in this document was officially rejected by (*) Venustiano Caranza, sometime after it had been intercepted and deciphered by British cryptographers and forwarded to President Wilson.** For 10 points, name this 1917 message from a German diplomat to the Mexican government suggesting Mexican complicity in a German provocation of the U.S.

ANSWER: Zimmermann Telegram

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3. **One political cartoon prompted by this event uses a *Macbeth* theme, showing the incumbent president standing next to his predecessor dressed as a woman and a seated (+) "ghost of commerce." This event resulted in that president signing the Independent Treasury Act. This event led to the failure of many wildcat and (*) pet banks, which contributed to the results in the election that took place three years after this event.** For 10 points, name this major economic panic of the United States that resulted from the issuance of the Specie Circular a year before by Andrew Jackson and sunk the presidency of Martin Van Buren.

ANSWER: Panic of 1837

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4. **One battle in this war saw Captain Meza attempt to destroy the enemy's fleet by sailing past them and firing a barrage and then anchoring his fleet to block them from moving down the (+) Parana River. The Duke of Caxias commanded troops for one side in this war, and he ordered the capture of cities such as Humaita and Piquissiri. The Battle of Riachuelo occurred during this conflict that is also associated with the (*) Argentine Bartolome Mitre and the Paraguayan Francisco Solano Lopez.** For 10 points, name this South American war named after an organization between Argentina, Brazil, and Uruguay.

ANSWER: War of the Triple Alliance

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5. **The construction of this landmark required the eviction of an African-American community known as "Seneca Village." Andrew Jackson Downing and William Cullen Bryant are credited with coming up for the idea of this landmark, for which (+) Richard Hunt designed four never-built gates. The winning design for this landmark was the "Greensward Plan" partially developed by Calvert Vaux. In the 1880's, a group of working-class (*) New Yorkers successfully petitioned to have Sunday concerts at this landmark, and its zoo became a permanent fixture in 1871. For 10 points, Frederick Law Olmsted is credited as the landscape architect behind what first large urban park in the U.S., located in Manhattan?**

ANSWER: Central Park

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6. **A few years after agreeing to the Treaty of Bergerac, this ruler successfully besieged and captured the city of Cahors while fighting in the "Lover's War." This man was excommunicated by (+) Sixtus V, which hurt his claim to the throne along with the Treaty of Nemours. As king, this man instituted a policy that let offices become hereditary for a small price, called the paulette. The fanatic Francois Ravallac was responsible for the (*) assassination of this leader, who had ascended to the throne following the deaths of the Duke de Guise and another man with his name. For 10 points, name this man who converted to Catholicism to become king of France.**

ANSWER: Henry IV of France [or Henry of Navarre; or Henry of Bourbon]

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7. **One ruler of this name employed the general Aleksy Khvost in his war against Suzdal and Novgorod, and became known as "the red." In addition to that father of (+) Dmitri Donskoy, this name was borne by the man who overthrew Alexander of Tver and became rich by collecting tribute on behalf of the Golden Horde, acquiring the nickname "moneybag." The (*) third ruler of this name stopped vassalage to the Horde and was known as "the great." For 10 points, give this name for several princes of Muscovy, including the first to take the title of Russian tsar, the fourth one known as "Grozny" or "the terrible."**

ANSWER: Ivan

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8. **Simone in a White Bonnet and Margot in Blue are two examples of the portraits of small girls popular in this artist's later career. The mother of the artist is seen eagerly reading about the racing scores in this painter's Reading "Le Figaro". This artist frequently depicted an older sister named (+) Lydia, such as in a scene where Lydia holds a fan and wears a pink dress at the opera. Unlike a similar work by Manet, the man faces away from the viewer in this artist's *The Boating Party*. One of this artist's most famous scenes shows a small dog resting on one of the titular pieces of furniture and is titled (*) *Little Girl in a Blue Armchair*. She also depicted a mother washing the feet of her young child in *The Bath*. For 10 points, name this female American Impressionist.**

ANSWER: Mary Cassatt

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