



1. The outcome of this battle was made possible by the comte de Grasse's victory in the Battle of the Chesapeake, which made the British unable to lift the siege led by Rochambeau and Washington. For 10 points, name this last major battle of the Revolutionary War that saw Cornwallis surrender to Washington.  
ANSWER: Battle of Yorktown [or Siege of Yorktown]

121-11-45-10101

2. One person in this profession used Galveston Island as a base and came to Andrew Jackson's assistance at the Battle of New Orleans. Another of these people, born Edward Teach, commanded the *Queen Anne's Revenge* until his 1718 death. For 10 points, Jean Laffite and Blackbeard were what kind of seagoing criminals?

ANSWER: pirates [or buccaneers; or privateers]

019-11-45-10102

3. This show featured several appearances by Kathryn Card as the title character's mother, Mrs. McGillicuddy, who believed that another lead character was named "Mickey Richardson." William Frawley and Vivian Vance played the Mertzes, landlords and friends of Ricky Ricardo on, for 10 points, what 1950s sitcom starring Lucille Ball?

ANSWER: *I Love Lucy*

019-11-45-10103

4. This man was accompanied by the Pinzon brothers. This man named the first island he found San Salvador after landing with the *Nina*, *Pinta*, and *Santa Maria*. An apocryphal legend holds that Queen Isabella pawned her jewelry to pay for this man's first voyage. For 10 points, name this Genoese explorer who sailed the ocean blue in 1492.

ANSWER: Christopher Columbus

015-11-45-10104

5. This former country had a government-in-exile led by Edvard Benes. The Munich Pact allowed Germany to annex party of this former country called the Sudetenland. This country had a Velvet Revolution and ceased to exist in the Velvet Divorce. For 10 points, name this former country in which the 1968 Prague Spring occurred.

ANSWER: Czechoslovakia [do not accept or prompt on "Slovakia" or the "Czech Republic"]

030-11-45-10105

6. This program was named by Richard Goodwin and announced in speeches at the University of Miami in Ohio and in Ann Arbor. The Head Start program was one part of it, along with the War on Poverty and the Voting Rights Act. For 10 points, identify this set of economic and social reforms passed by Lyndon Johnson.

ANSWER: Great Society

048-11-45-10106

7. This man led the experiments at Camp Lazear. He extensively cited the work of Carlos Finlay, and this man was the head of a tropical diseases board during the Spanish-American War. For 10 points, name this man who used human subjects to show that Yellow Fever is transmitted by mosquitos and who is the namesake of an Army hospital.

ANSWER: Walter Reed

048-11-45-10107

8. This politician signed a document agreeing to return Hong Kong to China in 1997. One assassination attempt on this leader was the Brighton Hotel Bombing. A large coal miners' strike occurred during this leader's rule. This politician fought the Falklands War. For 10 points, name this Prime Minister of Great Britain who was nicknamed the "Iron Lady."

ANSWER: Margaret **Thatcher**

141-11-45-10108

9. One painting from this country depicts three philosophers with different reactions to tasting vinegar. Its artistic genres include bird-and-flower painting and calligraphy written in ink. For 10 points, name this modern-day country where the Terracotta Army was discovered.

ANSWER: People's Republic of **China** [or **Zhongguo**; or the **Middle Kingdom**]

080-11-45-10109

10. Manuel Godoy was a leading diplomat for one side of this treaty. This treaty set the 31<sup>st</sup> parallel as the boundary between Florida and America. It also allowed the U.S. to navigate on the Mississippi River. For 10 points, name this 1795 treaty that established friendly relations between the United States and Spain.

ANSWER: **Pinckney's** Treaty [or Treaty of **San Lorenzo**; or Treaty of **Madrid**]

127-11-45-10110



1. Ken Wyatt is the first member of this group to be elected to the legislature of their country. Whitlam created a Royal Commission to grant land rights to these people. Several of these people were removed from their families in the Stolen Generations. For 10 points, name these people who find Ayers Rock sacred and are the native people of Australia.

ANSWER: Australian **aborigines**

048-11-45-10101

BONUS: What Australian Prime Minister refused to apologize to the aborigines and served from 1996 until 2007 when he was replaced by Kevin Rudd?

ANSWER: John Winston **Howard**

052-11-45-1010-1

2. His late poem “The Flood of Life” reflected similar themes as an earlier work about one who “lies down to pleasant dreams.” This anti-Jeffersonian poet of “The Embargo” titled that “meditation on death” “Thanatopsis.” For 10 points, name this early American poet of “To a Waterfowl.”

ANSWER: William Cullen **Bryant**

019-11-45-10102

BONUS: What man praised Bryant in the essay “The Poetic Principle” and also wrote the poem “Annabel Lee?”

ANSWER: Edgar Allan **Poe**

052-11-45-1010-1

3. Immediately before this battle, William Halsey suffered a bout of psoriasis, leading him to be replaced by Raymond A. Spruance. The JN-25 code was broken before this battle, during which the Enterprise and Hornet emerged victorious over the Kaga and Akagi. For 10 points, name this 1942 allied naval victory in World War II.

ANSWER: Battle of **Midway**

048-11-45-10103

BONUS: What battle, one month before the Battle of Midway, was the first naval engagement between aircraft carriers?

ANSWER: Battle of **Coral Sea**

080-11-45-1010-1

4. This president chose not to intervene in Dorr’s Rebellion. Several members of his cabinet died during the USS *Princeton* explosion. This President signed the Webster-Ashburton treaty. He was called “His Accidency” due to his succession. For 10 points, name this President who succeeded William Henry Harrison.

ANSWER: John **Tyler**

048-11-45-10104

BONUS: When Tyler ran as William Henry Harrison’s running mate, what image did the Whig campaign pair with “hard cider” to present Harrison as a common man?

ANSWER: **log cabin**

052-11-45-1010-1

5. John Hawkins introduced this product to England, where James I wrote a “counterblast” against its use. John Rolfe became America’s first magnate in this product, which was first grown at large plantations in Virginia. For 10 points, identify this plant used to make snuff, dip, cigars, and cigarettes.

ANSWER: **tobacco** [or *Nicotiana tabacum*]

019-11-45-10105

BONUS: What Englishman popularized tobacco and also sponsored a failed colony that mysteriously disappeared at Roanoke Island?

ANSWER: Sir Walter **Raleigh**

052-11-45-1010-1

6. This emperor passed the Patent of Toleration that allowed religious freedoms for non-Catholics and introduced compulsory education in German rather than Latin. For 10 points, name this eighteenth century Holy Roman Emperor, a son of Maria Theresa who was called an "enlightened" monarch.

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

135-11-45-10106

BONUS: Upon Joseph II's death, he was succeeded by this man, his younger brother.

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

135-11-45-1010-1

7. One philosopher in this movement wrote the essays “The Fixation of Belief” and "How to Make Our Ideas Clear." One member of this movement advocated progressive education reform in *Democracy and Education*. For 10 points, C.S. Peirce, John Dewey, William James belonged to what school of philosophy, which took its theory from practice?

ANSWER: **pragmatism**

140-11-45-10107

BONUS: What Spanish-American author of *The Life of Reason* and *Scepticism and Animal Faith* is sometimes considered a pragmatist, and warned about history repeating itself?

ANSWER: George **Santayana** [or Jorge Agustin Nicolas Ruiz de **Santayana** y Borrás]

052-11-45-1010-1

8. This politician gave a series of speeches about the Ottoman atrocities during his Midlothian campaign. This man served as Prime Minister four separate times and was 84 during his final ministry, both records within British politics. For 10 points, name this Liberal Prime Minister who frequently quarreled with Benjamin Disraeli.

ANSWER: William Ewart **Gladstone**

052-11-45-10108

BONUS: Gladstone started an association to help women who worked in this profession find new jobs.

ANSWER: **prostitution** [or word forms or synonyms]

020-11-45-1010-1



## FLAGS

Name the following things related to flags in American history:

1. Song written about the flag by Francis Scott Key.

ANSWER: "The **Star-Spangled Banner**"

2. Seamstress credited with making the first U.S. flag.

ANSWER: Betsy **Ross**

3. State that has been governed by "six flags."

ANSWER: **Texas**

4. Island where Marines raised the flag in famous 1945 photo.

ANSWER: **Iwo Jima**

5. Phrase placed with a rattlesnake on the Marines' Gadsden Flag.

ANSWER: "**don't tread on me**"

6. Nickname for first Confederate flag, with a circle and three stripes.

ANSWER: "**stars and bars**"

7. Only state which still displays the Confederate battle flag on its state flag.

ANSWER: **Mississippi**

8. Single-starred West Florida flag adopted and sung about by the Confederacy.

ANSWER: **Bonnie Blue** flag

019-11-45-1010-1

## NEWSPAPERS

Which newspaperman...

1. Inspired *Citizen Kane* through his management of *The New York Journal*?

ANSWER: William Randolph **Hearst**

2. Is the namesake of a journalism prize?

ANSWER: Joseph **Pulitzer**

3. Escaped slavery in Maryland before advocating abolition in *The North Star*?

ANSWER: Frederick **Douglass**

4. Said “go west young man” as editor of the *New York Tribune*?

ANSWER: Horace **Greeley**

5. Advocated abolition and women’s suffrage in his paper *The Liberator*?

ANSWER: William Lloyd **Garrison**

6. Was defended by Andrew Hamilton in a 1734 libel trial that cemented freedom of the press?

ANSWER: John Peter **Zenger**

7. Edited the pro-Federalist paper *American Minerva* in addition to publishing a dictionary?

ANSWER: Noah **Webster**

8. Was killed by an Illinois mob for publishing the abolitionist *Alton Observer*?

ANSWER: Elijah Parish **Lovejoy**

015-11-45-1010-1

## 1984 ELECTION

Name these people and phrases from the 1984 U.S. Presidential election:

1. Republican re-elected in a landslide.

ANSWER: Ronald Wilson **Reagan**

2. Former Carter VP who was Democratic nominee.

ANSWER: Walter **Mondale**

3. Illinois civil rights leader who challenged for nomination.

ANSWER: Jesse **Jackson**

4. 1972 loser to Nixon who tried to run again.

ANSWER: George **McGovern**

5. 1936 Republican loser to FDR who was only candidate to suffer worse landslide.

ANSWER: Alf **Landon**

6. Former astronaut and Ohio Senator who sought nomination.

ANSWER: John **Glenn**

7. Colorado Senator who left race after being caught in affair.

ANSWER: Gary **Hart**

8. Wendy's slogan used to great effect in Democratic primary.

ANSWER: "**Where's the Beef?**"

019-11-45-1010-1



1. **After this man's son was arrested for assaulting hotel staff, he threatened to declare war on Switzerland (+). The Lockerbie bomber was repatriated to this man's country. A no-fly zone was announced during this man's (\*) civil war against rebels based in Benghazi. After a raid on Sirte, this man was killed on October 20. For 10 points, name this long-time leader of Libya.**

ANSWER: Muammar Muhammad Abu Minyar al-**Gaddafi** [or **Kaddafi**; or **Qaddafi**]

020-11-45-10101

2. **One of these structures, built by Numa, had a set of gates which were closed only when peace prevailed throughout (+) Roman lands. Another one of these structures was a wonder of the ancient world found at (\*) Ephesus. For 10 points, the Pantheon, dedicated to all the gods, was what kind of Roman religious building?**

ANSWER: Roman **temples** [or **temples of Janus** before “Ephesus” is read; or **templum**; or **templa**]

019-11-45-10102

3. **This man was chosen to succeed General Sanjuro during one war that saw him exiled to the Canary Islands. (+) That war saw this man lead one siege that resulted in Mola coining the term the “Fifth Column.” This man promised Juan Carlos that he would succeed him after joining the (\*) Carlists with the Falange. For 10 points, name this Generalissimo of Spain during World War II.**

ANSWER: Francisco **Franco** y Bahamonde

149-11-45-10103

4. **The first leader of this colony after it had gained its independence was Jean-Jacques Dessalines. The revolution that led to the independence of this colony was started at a (+) voodoo ceremony led by Dutty Boukman. This colony was the first in Latin America to become (\*) independent. For 10 points, name this French colony in which a slave revolt was led by Toussaint Louverture.**

ANSWER: **Haiti** [or **Saint-Domingue**]

066-11-45-10104

5. **The Levellers was a political movement in this conflict that included the Battle of Marston Moor and the (+) Battle of Naseby. The red coat uniform first appeared in this conflict for the (\*) New Model Army. For 10 points, name this seventeenth century conflict between Cavaliers who supported King Charles I and Roundheads who supported Oliver Cromwell.**

ANSWER: **English Civil War**

064-11-45-10105

6. **In this battle, Joshua Chamberlain’s Maine infantry led a bayonet charge at Little Round Top.(+) The end of this battle came shortly after the failure of a charge on Cemetery Ridge (\*) led by George Pickett. For 10 points, name this three day 1863 battle in Pennsylvania often considered the “high water mark” of the Confederacy.**

ANSWER: Battle of **Gettysburg**

141-11-45-10106

7. **Rose Mary Woods claimed it was a “terrible mistake” to erase parts of audio tapes discussing this (+)scandal. Eliot Richardson resigned after refusing to fire the man investigating this scandal in what became known as the (\*) “Saturday Night Massacre.”** For 10 points, name this break-in uncovered by Woodward and Bernstein that led to Richard Nixon's resignation.

ANSWER: **Watergate** Scandal [or **Watergate** break-in]

121-11-45-10107

8. **The commander of this event stipulated that it should occur thirty minutes after breaking off peace negotiations, to give fair warning. This event occurred on (+) "a date that will live in infamy" according to a speech by (\*) FDR.** During this event the USS *Arizona* was sunk. For 10 points, name this Japanese attack on an American naval base in Hawaii.

ANSWER: attack on **Pearl Harbor**

066-11-45-10108



This man's reign saw a series of agrarian reforms passed by his advisor Stolypin. In response to one revolution, this man passed the October Manifesto and created the Duma. His court was infamous for the inclusion of the mystic Rasputin. For 10 points, name this final Russian tsar, who ruled during World War I.

ANSWER: Nicholas II [prompt on Nicholas]

149-11-45-1010-1

BONUS: What Hawthorne novel concerns the Pyncheon family and their ancestral residence?

ANSWER: *The House of the Seven Gables*

015-11-45-1010-1