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**ANSWER: OUR TOWN**

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**20 POINT BONUS**

The town of Russell was its first capital. In 1841, its capital was moved southward to Auckland (AWK-land). For 10 points apiece -- name this nation and the even more southerly city that has been its capital since 1865.

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WELLINGTON

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### 30 POINT BONUS

Bags checked to Seattle's Sea-Tac Airport bear the initials SEA. For 10 points apiece -- what other U.S. city, with one of the 15 busiest airports, use these much less obvious initials:

1. ORD?

**ANSWER: CHICAGO OR O'HARE, ILLINOIS**

2. IAH?

**ANSWER: HOUSTON, TEXAS**

3. EWR?

**ANSWER: NEWARK, NEW JERSEY**

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2. It was the year when Dr. Martin Luther King, Junior won the Nobel Peace Prize.
3. It was the year when LBJ signed the Civil Rights Act that guaranteed equal accommodations.

**ANSWER:** 1964

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**ANSWER: DALLAS OR COWBOYS**

2. Name the dynasty team that won four out of six Super Bowls between 1974 and 1979.

**ANSWER: PITTSBURGH OR STEELERS**

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ADRENALIN (uh-DREN-uh-lin)

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2. Two other states tied for second-lowest with all four of their senators getting a 4% grade. Name those states, whose senators are Lamar Alexander, Thad Cochran, Bill Frist, and Trent Lott.

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1. Name this city.

**ANSWER:** MEDINA (meh-DEE-nuh) OR AL-MADINAH (ahl-mah-DEE-nah)

2. Before daily prayers were said facing Mecca, they were said facing what other holy city?

**ANSWER:** JERUSALEM OR AL-QUDS (ahl-KOODS)

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1. Which judge grew up in South Central L.A., became the first African American prosecutor in Memphis, Tennessee, and returned to L.A. to tape his series, currently in its seventh season?

**ANSWER: JUDGE JOE BROWN**

2. Which judge retired from the bench in New York City in 1996 and immediately segued (SEG-wade) to TV, still finding time to write Beauty Fades, Dumb is Forever?

**ANSWER: JUDGE JUDY OR JUDGE JUDY SHEINDLIN (SHINE-dlin)**

***PROMPT: If JUDY is answered***

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## 20 POINT BONUS

A thin layer of this platinum group metal on the boundary between Cretaceous (kree-TAY-shus) and Tertiary (TUR-shee-air-ee) rocks was proof of an impact that doomed the dinosaurs. For 10 points apiece:

1. What is this metal, second to osmium in density but the # 1 most corrosion-resistant metal known?

**ANSWER:** IRIDIUM (ih-RID-ee-um)

2. Two scratches on a bar of Iridium alloyed with what other metal was, for decades, the official meter stick by which all other meter sticks were measured?

**ANSWER:** PLATINUM

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**ANSWER: EVELYN WAUGH (EEV-lin WAW)**  
**BRIDESHEAD REVISITED**

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For 10 points apiece:

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**ANSWER: BOB GIBSON**

2. What New York Met had a 1.53 E.R.A. in 1985?

**ANSWER: DWIGHT GOODEN**

3. What Atlanta Brave had a 1.56 E.R.A. in 1994?

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**20 POINT BONUS**

In Cartesian co-ordinates, the ordinate is the proper name for the y-axis. For 10 points apiece:

1. What other three-syllable word is the proper name for the x-axis?

**ANSWER:** ABSCISSAS (ab-SIS-suhs) OR ABSCISSAE (ab-SIS-see)

2. Now, spell abscissa (ab-SIS-suh).

**ANSWER:** A-B-S-C-I-S-S-A

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## 20 POINT BONUS

Linguistically, it's the slight pause that occurs when two immediately adjacent vowels in consecutive syllables are pronounced, as in naive (nah-EEV). It's also used for the status of a TV show that may or may not return. For 10 points apiece:

1. What is this term?

**ANSWER:** HIATUS (high-AY-tus)

2. In February 2005, what California pop-punk trio said they were going on "indefinite hiatus" after 10 years of recording hits that include "What's My Age Again?" and "All the Small Things"?

**ANSWER:** BLINK-182

**PROMPT:** *If PARTIAL ANSWER is given*

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## 25 POINT BONUS

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1. First -- for 10 points -- that was the dividing line chosen by Congress in 1820 as part of what Compromise?

**ANSWER:** MISSOURI COMPROMISE

2. Kentucky Senator Henry Clay proposed the Missouri Compromise. For 15 points -- what other Kentucky senator proposed the constitutional amendment that Lincoln rejected?

**ANSWER:** JOHN J. CRITTENDEN (KRIT-en-den)  
**ACCEPT:** CRITTENDEN COMPROMISE

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