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| **BRAINS OF BRITAIN**  **UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE (BBC2)**  Jeremy Paxman:  What is another name for 'cherrypickers' and 'cheesemongers'?  Contestant:  Homosexuals.  Jeremy Paxman:  No. They're regiments in the British Army who will be very upset with you  **BEG, BORROW OR STEAL (BBC2)**  Jamie Theakston:  Where do you think Cambridge University is?  Contestant:  Geography isn't my strong point.  Jamie Theakston:  There's a clue in the title.  Contestant:  Leicester  **BBC NORFOLK**  Stewart White:  Who had a worldwide hit with What A Wonderful World?  Contestant:  I don't know.  Stewart White:  I'll give you some clues: what do you call the part between your hand and your elbow?  Contestant:  Arm  Stewart White:  Correct. And if you're not weak, you're...?  Contestant:  Strong.  Stewart White:  Correct - and what was Lord Mountbatten's first name?  Contestant:  Louis  Stewart White:  Well, there we are then. So who had a worldwide hit with the song What A Wonderful World?  Contestant:  Frank Sinatra?  **LATE SHOW (BBC MIDLANDS )**  Alex Trelinski:  What is the capital of Italy ?  Contestant:  France.  Trelinski:  France is another country.. Try again.  Contestant:  Oh, um, Benidorm.  Trelinski:  Wrong, sorry, let's try another question. In which country is the Parthenon?  Contestant:  Sorry, I don't know.  Trelinski:  Just guess a country then.  Contestant:  Paris.  **THE WEAKEST LINK (BBC2)**  Anne Robinson:  Oscar Wilde, Adolf Hitler and Jeffrey Archer have all written books about their experiences in what: - Prison, or the Conservative Party?  Contestant:  The Conservative Party.  **BEACON RADIO ( WOLVERHAMPTON )**  DJ Mark:  For 10, what is the nationality of the Pope?  Ruth from Rowley Regis:  I think I know that one. Is it Jewish?  **UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE**  Bamber Gascoyne:  What was Gandhi's first name?  Contestant:  Goosey?  **GWR FM ( Bristol )**  Presenter:  What happened in Dallas on November 22, 1963?  Contestant:  I don't know, I wasn't watching it then.  **PHIL WOOD SHOW (BBC RADIO ( MANCHESTER )**  Phil:  What's 11 squared?  Contestant:  I don't know.  Phil:  I'll give you a clue. It's two ones with a two in the middle.  Contestant:  Is it five?  **RICHARD AND JUDY**  Richard:  Which American actor is married to Nicole Kidman?  Contestant:  Forrest Gump.  **RICHARD AND JUDY**  Richard:  On which street did Sherlock Holmes live?  Contestant:  Er. .... ..  Richard:  He makes bread . . .  Contestant:  Er .. ......  Richard:  He makes cakes . . .  Contestant:  Kipling Street?  **LINCS FM PHONE-IN**  Presenter:  Which is the largest Spanish-speaking country in the world?  Contestant:  Barcelona..  Presenter:  I was really after the name of a country.  Contestant:  I'm sorry, I don't know the names of any countries in Spain ..  **NATIONAL LOTTERY (BBC1)**  Question:  What is the world's largest continent?  Contestant:  The Pacific.  **ROCK FM ( PRESTON )**  Presenter:  Name a film starring Bob Hoskins that is also the name of a famous painting by Leonardo da Vinci.  Contestant:  Who Framed Roger Rabbit? **THE BIGGEST GAME IN TOWN (ITV)**  Steve Le Fevre:  What was signed, to bring World War I to an end in 1918?  Contestant:  Magna Carta **JAMES O'BRIEN SHOW (LBC)**  James O'Brien:  How many kings of England have been called Henry?  Contestant:  Er, well, I know there was a Henry the Eighth ... ER.. ER ... Three?  **CHRIS SEARLE SHOW (BBC RADIO BRISTOL )**  Chris Searle:  In which European country is Mount Etna ?  Caller:  Japan.  Chris Searle:  I did say which European country, so in case you didn't hear that, I can let you try again.  Caller:  Er ......... Mexico ?  **PAUL WAPPAT (BBC RADIO NEWCASTLE )**  Paul Wappat:  How long did the Six-Day War between Egypt and Israel last?  Contestant (long pause):  Fourteen days..  **DARYL DENHAM'S DRIVETIME (VIRGIN RADIO)**  Daryl Denham:  In which country would you spend shekels?  Contestant:  Holland?  Daryl Denham:  Try the next letter of the alphabet.  Contestant:  Iceland? Ireland ?  Daryl Denham: (helpfully)  It's a bad line. Did you say Israel ?  Contestant:  No.  **PHIL WOOD SHOW (BBC GMR)**  Phil Wood:  What 'K' could be described as the Islamic Bible?  Contestant:  Er... .... ..  Phil Wood:  It's got two syllables . . . Kor . ..  Contestant:  Blimey?  Phil Wood:  Ha ha, no. The past participle of run . . ..  Contestant:  (Silence)  Phil Wood:  OK, try it another way. Today I run, yesterday I . .. .  Contestant:  Walked?  **THE VAULT**  Melanie Sykes:  What is the name given to the condition where the sufferer can fall asleep at any time?  Contestant:  Nostalgia..  **LUNCHTIME SHOW (BRMB)**  Presenter:  What religion was Guy Fawkes?  Contestant:  Jewish.  Presenter:  That's close enough.  **STEVE WRIGHT IN THE AFTERNOON (BBC RADIO 2)**  Wright:  Johnny Weissmuller died on this day. Which jungle-swinging character clad only in a loin cloth did he play?  Contestant:  Jesus. -- |