

## **Prime Minister George Canning (Round 129)**

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**The United States have won the most gold medals for swimming at the Olympics, but which country has won the next most?**

Australia

**Roald Amundsen the leader of the first expedition to reach the South Pole, was which nationality?**

Norwegian

**The Maipo Valley is one of which South American country's most important wine-producing regions**

Chile

**Which actress played Forrest Gump's mother, Mrs Gump?**

Sally Field

**In Norse mythology who guided the souls of heroes slain in battles to Valhalla**

Valkyries (battle maidens)

**Geography - where could you find a Moraine?**

At the sides or foot of a glacier (it is debris carried by the glacier)

**George Canning is the shortest serving British Prime Minister, he spent only how long in office?**

**a) 4 days b) 4 weeks c) 4 months**

c) 4 months

**Which native American, who died 400 years ago, was captured by English settlers, and eventually married an English tobacco planter and moved to England with him?**

Pocahontas

**What breed of dog was Pickles who is famously credited for finding the Jules Rimet Trophy after it was stolen?**

A black and white collie

**Which fictional character made the french prison Château d'If famous after the character survived 14 years imprisonment before escaping?**

Edmond Dantès (Count of Monte Cristo)