**Big 3 Warm Up 4/27**

**Word of the Day:**

**irony •\ noun**

1. incongruity between what might be expected and what actually occurs
2. a trope that involves incongruity between what is expected and what occurs
3. witty language used to convey insults or scorn

Example Sentence: We see a couple of codgers, oblivious to the musical revolution happening in front of them, complaining that Kool Herc is cutting between records too quickly. This may be intended as **irony**, but it mostly lets audiences congratulate themselves for their superior knowledge.

**World History/Government Trivia:**

1. Who expected to be paid 2,000 pounds for surrendering West Point to the British?
2. Whose migraine headache vanished after he read Robert E. Lee's note of surrender?

**Picture Response:**



A: Benedict Arnold.

<http://www.triviaplaying.com/72_history_Q_.htm>