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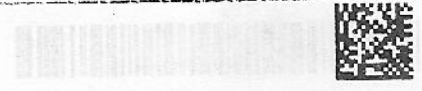
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1. In which of the following sites, earliest evidence of settled agriculture in the Indian subcontinent is found ?
(A) Dholavira
(B) Mehrgarh
(C) Mohenjodaro
(D) Lothal
2. Who among the following kings was a contemporary of both Mahavira and Buddha ?
(A) Ajatashatru
(B) Nandivardhana
(C) Shashanka
(D) Bimbisara
3. Which among the following was the republican state in ancient India ?
(A) The Mallas of Pava
(B) The Licchavis of Vaishali
(C) The Sakyas of Kapilavastu
(D) The Mallas of Kushinara
4. Who adopted the title 'Devaputra' (Son of God) ?
(A) Kanishka
(B) Samudragupta
(C) Harsha
(D) Kujala Kadphises



5. 'Sarthavaha' refers to which of the following during the Gupta period ?
- (A) Settled merchants
 - (B) Caravan traders
 - (C) Liquor traders
 - (D) None of the above
6. Which inscription mentions about the village administration of the Cholas ?
- (A) Aihole
 - (B) Junagarh
 - (C) Uttaramerur
 - (D) Nasik
7. Who built the great Somapura Mahavihara ?
- (A) Devpala
 - (B) Rajendra I
 - (C) Dharmapala
 - (D) Govinda III
8. Who introduced the idea of segmentary state in the context of early medieval India ?
- (A) Burton Stein
 - (B) R. Champaklakshmi
 - (C) Y. Subbarayalu
 - (D) K.A. Nilakanta Sastri



9. Who built the 'Vijay Stambha' ?
- (A) Prithviraj Chauhan
 (B) Rana Kumbha
 (C) Rana Pratap
 (D) Alauddin Khalji
10. Which ruler issued copper coins named 'Jittal' ?
- (A) Iltutmish
 (B) Muhammad bin Tughlaq
 (C) Firoz Shah Tughlaq
 (D) Sher Shah
11. The Post of 'Shahna-i-mandi' was associated with which of the following reforms ?
- (A) Alauddin Khalji's price control
 (B) Muhammad bin Tughlaq's taxation in the Doab
 (C) Muhammad bin Tughlaq's transfer of the capital to Daulatabad
 (D) Balban's reforms in Iqta system
12. 'Alai Darwaza' is a gateway to which monument ?
- (A) Qutub Minar
 (B) Adhai din ka Jhopra
 (C) Taj Mahal
 (D) Jamat Khana Masjid



13. Who in Akbar's court translated Ramayana into Persian ?
- (A) Abul Fazl
 (B) Faizi
 (C) Badayuni
 (D) Birbal
14. Who introduced the concept of a 'Cultural Failure' in the context of Mughal decline ?
- (A) M. Athar Ali
 (B) Muzaffar Alam
 (C) Satish Chandra
 (D) Jadunath Sarkar
15. Who was the founder of 'Khalsa Panth' ?
- (A) Guru Nanak
 (B) Guru Govind Singh
 (C) Guru Teg Bahadur
 (D) None of the above
16. Who among the following historians does not subscribe to the theory of Eighteenth Century India to be a 'Dark Age' ?
- (A) Satish Chandra
 (B) Jadunath Sarkar
 (C) Muzaffar Alam
 (D) Irfan Habib



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17. Which was the shortest reigning dynasty during the Sultanate period ?
- (A) Tughlaq
 - (B) Lodi
 - (C) Khalji
 - (D) Sayyid
18. In Sufism, the term 'Wali' signifies
- (A) Successor
 - (B) Friend of God
 - (C) The Chain
 - (D) The Practice
19. Fatehpur Sikri as Mughal capital was founded by
- (A) Babur
 - (B) Akbar
 - (C) Jahangir
 - (D) Shah Jahan
20. During the colonial rule, who was instrumental for the introduction of the Ryotwari system in the then Madras Presidency ?
- (A) Lord Cornwallis
 - (B) Elphinstone
 - (C) Mountstuart Thomas Munro
 - (D) None of the above



21. The first Indian to be elected as a member of the British House of Commons was
- (A) Dadabhai Naoroji
- (B) Surendranath Banerjee
- (C) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar
- (D) C.R. Das
22. Who among the following historians considered the phenomenon of de-industrialization to be a myth?
- (A) R.C. Dutt
- (B) M.G. Ranade
- (C) Morris D Morris
- (D) Bipan Chandra
23. What was the 'Dastak'?
- (A) Tax free land grant
- (B) A permit authorizing tax free transit of goods
- (C) Right to collect tax
- (D) Right to establish factories
24. The Ilbert Bill introduced during Lord Ripon's reign is significant because
- (A) it limited the political authority of the Europeans.
- (B) it put restrictions on the vernacular press.
- (C) it debarred Indians from entering civil service.
- (D) it removed racial discrimination from the judicial services.



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25. Who did not belong to the Young Bengal ?

- (A) Radhanath Sikdar
- (B) Ramtanu Lahiri
- (C) Ramgopal Ghosh
- (D) Pramatha Nath Bose

26. Who said for the first time that Indian Sepoys were 'peasants in uniform' ?

- (A) Eric Stokes
- (B) Rudrangshu Mukherjee

(C) Tapti Ray

(D) G.B. Malleon

27. Which one of the following events did not take place during the viceroyalty of Lord Curzon ?

- (A) The Indian Universities Act
- (B) Second Delhi Darbar
- (C) Formation of Indian National Congress
- (D) Partition of Bengal



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28. Which of the following associations was founded after the formation of the Indian National Congress ?
- (A) Indian Association
 - (B) Indian League
 - (C) Landholders' Society
 - (D) Muslim League
29. Who was the artist of 'Bharatmata' ?
- (A) Raja Ravi Varma
 - (B) Abanindranath Tagore
 - (C) Nandalal Bose
 - (D) Rabindranath Tagore
30. She was a member of the legislative body in India. She was a leftist. She wrote *Sediner Katha*. Who was she ?
- (A) Kalpana Dutta
 - (B) Manikuntala Sen
 - (C) Krishna Bose
 - (D) Geeta Mukherjee
31. Gandhi gave up the title of 'Kaisar-i-Hind'
- (A) in protest against Jalianwala Bagh tragedy.
 - (B) during the non-cooperation movement.
 - (C) in support of the Khilafat committee's call for a general strike on August 1, 1920.
 - (D) during the Champaran Satyagraha.



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32. Who has considered 'Quit India Movement' of 1942 to be a 'Spontaneous Revolution' ?
- (A) Sumit Sarkar
 - (B) Shahid Amin
 - (C) Francis Hutchins
 - (D) Gyanendra Pande
33. India was granted freedom during the British Prime Minister
- (A) Clement Attlee
 - (B) Winston Churchill
 - (C) Ramsay MacDonald
 - (D) William Pitt
34. Who was the first Chief Minister of West Bengal ?
- (A) Bidhan Chandra Roy
 - (B) Prafulla Chandra Ghosh
 - (C) Prafulla Chandra Sen
 - (D) Ajay Mukherjee
35. Who was not associated with the Indian Republican Army ?
- (A) Rashbehari Ghosh
 - (B) Surya Sen
 - (C) Loknath Bal
 - (D) Ananta Singh



36. Absolute sovereign power of the Monarch was advocated by

- (A) Thomas Hobbes
- (B) John Locke
- (C) Karl Marx
- (D) None of the above

37. What was the 'Kulturkampf' ?

- (A) Bismarck's struggle against the Catholic Church
- (B) Bismarck's struggle against the communists
- (C) Kaiser William II's effort to gain colonies
- (D) A cultural movement

38. 'The End of History' was propounded by

- (A) Adolf Hitler
- (B) George Bush
- (C) Francis Fukuyama
- (D) None of the above

39. Who was the author of United States Declaration of Independence ?

- (A) George Washington
- (B) Benjamin Franklin
- (C) Thomas Jefferson
- (D) Abraham Lincoln



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40. The policy of racial discrimination in South Africa is known as
- (A) Non-aligned movement
 - (B) Civil rights movement
 - (C) Apartheid
 - (D) Suffrage
41. Who was not a British Marxist historian ?
- (A) Maurice Dobb
 - (B) Eric Hobsbawm
 - (C) E.P. Thompson
 - (D) G.R. Elton
42. Which of the following historians is NOT associated with the Annales School ?
- (A) Lucien Febre
 - (B) Fernand Braudel
 - (C) Jules Michelet
 - (D) Marc Bloch
43. Who introduced the world system theory ?
- (A) Emmanuel Le Roy Ladurie
 - (B) Immanuel Wallerstein
 - (C) Paul Sweezy
 - (D) R.J. Holton



44. The American general who was sacked by the American President during the Korean War was

- (A) Arthur MacArthur
- (B) Matthew Ridgway
- (C) Douglas MacArthur
- (D) None of the above

45. Study the following columns and choose the right match according to relationship between two :

- | A | B |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Cuban Missile Crisis | a. Fidel Castro |
| 2. Suez Crisis | b. Maa-ze-Dong |
| 3. Long March | c. Ho-chi-Minh |
| 4. Vietminh | d. Gamal Abdel Nasser |

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|-----|---|---|---|---|
| (A) | a | d | b | c |
| (B) | b | c | d | a |
| (C) | c | b | a | d |
| (D) | d | a | b | c |

46. Which among the following was a USSR-led unitary alliance ?

- (A) NATO
- (B) SEATO
- (C) COMECON
- (D) ANZUS



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47. Who wrote the book 'The Clash of Civilizations and the Remaking of World Order' ?
- (A) Samuel P. Huntington
 - (B) Max Singer
 - (C) Aaron Wildavsky
 - (D) Francis Fukuyama
48. Who amongst the following did not influence the rise of extremism in Indian politics in the first decade of the twentieth century ?
- (A) Swami Vivekananda
 - (B) Swami Dayanand Saraswati
 - (C) Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay
 - (D) Jawaharlal Nehru
49. The constituent members of the Triple Entente were
- (A) Prussia, Austria, Japan
 - (B) Germany, Italy, Britain
 - (C) Russia, Italy, Prussia
 - (D) France, Britain, Russia
50. Which is the right chronological order of the following declarations related to rights ?
- (A) Bill of Rights – Declaration of Independence of the U.S. – Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen – Universal Declaration of Human Rights
 - (B) Bill of Rights – Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen – Declaration of Independence of the U.S. – Universal Declaration of Human Rights
 - (C) Declaration of Independence of the U.S. – Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen – Bill of Rights – Universal Declaration of Human Rights
 - (D) Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen – Declaration of independence of the U.S. – Universal Declaration of Human Rights – Bill of Rights

