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1. Where did Chaucer's Pilgrims gather before undertaking their journey to Canterbury ?
 - (A) Mission Rue Inn
 - (B) Pirates Cove Inn
 - (C) Tabard Inn
 - (D) Fish Inn

2. Who did establish the first printing press in England ?
 - (A) Johann Gutenberg
 - (B) William Caxton
 - (C) Robert Large
 - (D) Colard Mansion

3. **The Pilgrims Progress**, a Christian allegory, was written by :
 - (A) John Bunyan
 - (B) Thomas Brown
 - (C) John Calvin
 - (D) Thomas More

4. In the 16th century, Francis Bacon's works were influential for :
 - (A) Consolidation of Monarchy
 - (B) Scientific method
 - (C) Political revolution
 - (D) Geographical exploration

5. In which play of William Shakespeare the quote "Brevity is the soul of wit" does appear ?
 - (A) **Macbeth**
 - (B) **King Lear**
 - (C) **Hamlet**
 - (D) **Richard III**

6. An act of speaking one's thoughts aloud when by oneself or regardless of any hearers, by a character in a play, is called :
 - (A) Speech
 - (B) Address
 - (C) Monologue
 - (D) Soliloquy

7. **Oroonoko**, a novel published in 1688, was written by :
 - (A) Jane Austen
 - (B) Eliza Haywood
 - (C) Aphra Behn
 - (D) Hannah Webster

8. The English Revenge Tragedy is influenced by the dramatic works of :
 - (A) Cicero
 - (B) Seneca
 - (C) Vico
 - (D) Boccaccio

9. Christopher Marlowe belongs to a group of 16th century playwrights called the :
- (A) Oxford Group
(B) Dramatists of passion
(C) Bohemian
(D) University Wits
10. Who says in Milton's **Paradise Lost** that "The mind is its own place, and in itself / Can make a heaven of hell, a hell of heaven." ?
- (A) Beelzebub
(B) Satan
(C) Belial
(D) Moloch
11. Edmund Spenser's **The Shepheardes Calender** belongs to the genre of :
- (A) Epic Poetry
(B) Pastoral Poetry
(C) Lyric Poetry
(D) Romance Poetry
12. A group of poets known as "The Tribe of Ben" are the :
- (A) Metaphysical poets
(B) Classical poets
(C) Cavalier poets
(D) Romantic poets
13. "Wit" and "Conceit" characterise a tradition of poetry in English literature. This tradition of poetry is called :
- (A) Elizabethan Sonnet
(B) Medieval Ballad
(C) Metaphysical Poetry
(D) Satirical Poetry
14. "To His Coy Mistress" is a poem written by :
- (A) Andrew Marvell
(B) John Donne
(C) George Herbert
(D) Henry Vaughan
15. The term Comedy of Manners is also known as :
- (A) Sentimental comedy
(B) Anti-sentimental comedy
(C) Social-moral comedy
(D) Comedy of menace
16. "Know then thyself, presume not
God to scan ;
The proper study of mankind is man."
In which poem of Alexander Pope the above lines do appear ?
- (A) **The Dunciad**
(B) **The Rape of the Lock**
(C) **An Essay on Criticism**
(D) **An Essay on Man : Epistle-II**

17. One of the important constituents of Pre-Romantic poetry is :
- (A) French troubadour tradition
 (B) German Sturm und Drang
 (C) Medieval ballad
 (D) Augustan satire
18. Who is the author of **The Life and Opinions of Tristram Shandy, Gentleman** ?
- (A) Tobias Smollett
 (B) Jonathan Swift
 (C) Laurence Sterne
 (D) Daniel Defoe
19. Who is the author of the first European novel cited frequently in the history of fiction ?
- (A) Samuel Richardson
 (B) Johann Wolfgang von Goethe
 (C) Miguel de Cervantes
 (D) Honorè de Balzac
20. In which poetic work of William Wordsworth the following lines appear ?
- "Fair seed-time had my soul,
 and I grew up Fostered alike by
 beauty and by fear;"
- (A) **Tintern Abbey**
 (B) **The Prelude – Book : I**
 (C) Ode : Intimations of Immortality
 (D) **Resolution and Independence**
21. According to S. T. Coleridge, secondary imagination is an _____ of primary imagination.
- (A) Imitation
 (B) Echo
 (C) Copy
 (D) Expression
22. "Negative Capability" is a phrase used by :
- (A) John Keats
 (B) S. T. Coleridge
 (C) B. P. Shelley
 (D) Lord Byron
23. Who introduced the "Touchstone method" in literary criticism ?
- (A) William Wordsworth
 (B) S. T. Coleridge
 (C) Matthew Arnold
 (D) T. S. Eliot
24. **Jude the Obscure** is a novel written by :
- (A) Charles Dickens
 (B) Emily Bronte
 (C) D. H. Lawrence
 (D) Thomas Hardy

25. "A Dialogue of Self and Soul" is a poem by :
- (A) William Blake
 - (B) B. P. Shelley
 - (C) W. B. Yeats
 - (D) D. G. Rossetti
26. Who said, "The novel is the one bright book of life. Books are not life" ?
- (A) D. H. Lawrence
 - (B) Henry James
 - (C) Charles Dickens
 - (D) E. M. Forster
27. **Confessions of an English Opium Eater** is an autobiographical account written by :
- (A) William Hazlitt
 - (B) Thomas Carlyle
 - (C) Thomas De Quincey
 - (D) Charles Lamb
28. **A Vindication of the Rights of Women**, one of the early works on feminism was written by :
- (A) Virginia Woolf
 - (B) Lydia Becker
 - (C) Catherine Beecher
 - (D) Mary Wollstonecraft
29. Who among the names given below is the leading figure of 19th Century British "historical novel" ?
- (A) James Fenimore Cooper
 - (B) Walter Scott
 - (C) Theodore Fontane
 - (D) Jane Porter
30. **Pygmalion** is a play written by :
- (A) Morris Barnett
 - (B) George Bernard Shaw
 - (C) J. E. Carpenter
 - (D) Henry Taylor
31. The essay "A Lecture on Modern Poetry" is an early modernist manifesto. Who is the author of the piece ?
- (A) Ezra Pound
 - (B) T. E. Hulme
 - (C) Stephen Spender
 - (D) A. C. Swinburne
32. Who among the following is not a Trench Poet ?
- (A) Siegfried Sassoon
 - (B) Rupert Brook
 - (C) Stephen Spender
 - (D) Wilfred Owen

33. "The Unknown Citizen" is a poem written by :
- (A) T. S. Eliot
 (B) Louis MacNeice
 (C) Cecil Day-Lewis
 (D) W. H. Auden
34. T. S. Eliot draws on one of the Upanishads in his poem "The Wasteland". What is the name of the text ?
- (A) The Chhandogya Upanishad
 (B) The Mandukya Upanishad
 (C) The Kena Upanishad
 (D) The Brihadaranyak Upanishad
35. To T. S. Eliot, "Tradition" involves, in the first place, the :
- (A) Historical sense
 (B) Social practice
 (C) Authority
 (D) Creativity
36. Who is the author of **A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man** ?
- (A) Henry James
 (B) James Baldwin
 (C) James Joyce
 (D) William James
37. A narrative technique employed by some modern novelists is known as :
- (A) Allegory
 (B) Stream of Consciousness
 (C) Parody
 (D) Linear narrative
38. Kurtz is a character in which novel of Joseph Conrad ?
- (A) **Nostramo**
 (B) **Heart of Darkness**
 (C) **Lord Jim**
 (D) **The Secret Agent**
39. A sense of "menace" in **The Birthday Party** is associated with a technique called :
- (A) Kafkaesque
 (B) Pinteresque
 (C) Romanesque
 (D) Dantesque
40. Who is a Kitchen Sink playwright from among the following ?
- (A) John Osborne
 (B) T. S. Eliot
 (C) Samuel Beckett
 (D) Harold Pinter

41. The play **Mrcchakatikam** was written by :
- (A) Sudraka
(B) Kalidasa
(C) Bavabhuti
(D) Harsha
42. In Indian aesthetics, the flavour of any visual, literary or musical work that evokes an emotion or feeling in the reader or audience is called :
- (A) Riti
(B) Kriya-kalpa
(C) Alankar
(D) Rasa
43. Who wrote the poem "To India – My Native Land" ?
- (A) Sarojini Naidu
(B) Toru Dutt
(C) Michael Madhusudan Dutta
(D) Henry Derozio
44. Who is the author of the novel **The Forest of Enchantments** ?
- (A) Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni
(B) Shobha De
(C) Kiran Desai
(D) Vayu Naidu
45. The novel **All About H. Hatterr** is written by :
- (A) Raja Rao
(B) G. V. Desani
(C) Bankim Chandra Chatterjee
(D) Mulk Raj Anand
46. **Final Solutions** is a play written by :
- (A) Mahes Dattani
(B) Girish Karnad
(C) Badal Sarkar
(D) Annie Zaidi
47. In the Preface of one of his works, Raja Rao writes, "We cannot write like the English. We should not. We cannot write like only as Indians. Our method of expression... has to be a dialect which will someday prove to be as distinctive and colourful as the Irish and the Americans." Select the work from the following :
- (A) Serpent and the Rope
(B) The Cat and Shakespeare
(C) Kanthapura
(D) The Meaning of India
48. Who translated Gopinath Mohanty's "**PARAJA**" into English ?
- (A) Jatin Mohanty
(B) Bikram Das
(C) Prativa Roy
(D) B. K. Tripathy

49. Which writer uses Sherlock Holmes as his detective ?
- (A) Agatha Christie
(B) Edgar Allen Poe
(C) Sujata Massey
(D) Arthur Conan Doyle
50. **The God of Small Things** is a novel written by :
- (A) Vikram Chandra
(B) Rohinton Mistry
(C) Salman Rushdie
(D) Arundhati Roy
51. Ralph Waldo Emerson was part of a philosophical movement called :
- (A) Rationalism
(B) Romanticism
(C) Transcendentalism
(D) Puritanism
52. Who is the author of the novel **Moby Dick** ?
- (A) Mark Twain
(B) Herman Melville
(C) Nathaniel Hawthorne
(D) James Fennimore Cooper
53. Which among the following is an elegy written by Whitman on the death of Abraham Lincoln ?
- (A) "Song of Myself"
(B) "O Captain ! My Captain"
(C) "I hear America Singing"
(D) "I sing the Body Electric"
54. "The Raven" is a poem written by :
- (A) Mark Twain
(B) Edgar Allen Poe
(C) Henry David Thoreau
(D) Washington Irving
55. Who said that the novel should "hold up a mirror to life" ?
- (A) John Steinbeck
(B) William Faulkner
(C) F. Scott Fitzgerald
(D) Henry James
56. **The Cantos** has been a modernist epic. Who is the author of the volume ?
- (A) Robert Frost
(B) Wallace Stevens
(C) Ezra Pound
(D) William Carlos Williams
57. Who is the author of the non-fiction **Playing in the Dark: Whiteness and the Literary Imagination** ?
- (A) Toni Morrison
(B) Alice Walker
(C) James Baldwin
(D) Ralf Ellison

58. In the plays of which American dramatist human frustration is mixed with sex and violence under an atmosphere of romantic gentility ?
- (A) Arthur Miller
(B) Eugene O'Neill
(C) Tennessee Williams
(D) Edward Albee
59. **Gravity's Rainbow** is a work by :
- (A) Kurt Vonnegut
(B) David Foster Wallace
(C) Thomas Pynchon
(D) Don DeLillo
60. The Black Pride Movement of 1910-1930 is associated with :
- (A) Black Renaissance
(B) Harlem Renaissance
(C) Black Resurgence
(D) Literary Africanism
61. **The Plague** as a text almost mirrors the present pandemic. Who is the author of the work ?
- (A) Albert Camus
(B) Franz Kafka
(C) Jean-Paul Sartre
(D) Samuel Beckett
62. In which novel did Fyodor Dostoevsky deal with the philosophical theme of alienation ?
- (A) **Crime and Punishment**
(B) **The Idiot**
(C) **The Brothers Karamazov**
(D) **Notes from Underground**
63. Bertolt Brecht is known for a type of theatre known as :
- (A) Absurd Theatre
(B) Theatre of Cruelty
(C) Theatre of Social Realism
(D) Epic Theatre
64. Henrik Ibsen is known as the father of :
- (A) Surrealism in theatre
(B) Expressionism in theatre
(C) Realism in theatre
(D) Provincialism in theatre
65. To which Latin American country, Nobel Prize winner and poet-politician, Pablo Neruda belongs to ?
- (A) Brazil
(B) Peru
(C) Chile
(D) Argentina

66. "I would be quite satisfied if my novels teach my readers that their past with all its imperfections was not a long night of savagery from which the first Europeans acting on God's behalf delivered them." Which Nigerian author made this statement ?
- (A) Amos Tutuola
(B) Cyprian Ekwensi
(C) Chinua Achebe
(D) Ben Okri
67. Which novel of J. M. Coetzee deals with post apartheid ambience in South Africa ?
- (A) **Slow Man**
(B) **Disgrace**
(C) **The Master of Petersburg**
(D) **Waiting for the Barbarians**
68. What is the last work of V. S. Naipaul on India ?
- (A) **India : A Million Mutinies Now**
(B) **India : A Wounded Civilization**
(C) **An Area of Darkness**
(D) **Among the Believers : An Islamic Journey**
69. Who is the author of the novel **July's People** ?
- (A) Alan Paton
(B) Andre Brink
(C) Nadine Gordimer
(D) Athol Fugard
70. Who used the expression "Chutnification of English" to imply transformation of the English language to develop a tangy and flavour some test in the narrative ?
- (A) V. S. Naipaul
(B) Vikram Seth
(C) Salman Rushdie
(D) Aravind Adiga
71. **The Namesake** is a novel by :
- (A) Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni
(B) Bharati Mukherjee
(C) Meena Alexander
(D) Jhumpa Lahiri
72. Which literary award did Kiran Desai's **The Inheritance of Loss** win ?
- (A) Pulitzer
(B) Man Booker
(C) Commonwealth Book Prize
(D) Sahitya Akademi

73. Prativa Ray's novel **Jajnaseni** is a rendition of an Indian epic from the view point of its female protagonist. Name the epic :
- (A) **The Ramayana**
 (B) **Vishnu Puran**
 (C) **The Mahabharata**
 (D) **Padma Puran**
74. Which one of the following works of Amitava Ghosh is a medical thriller ?
- (A) **The Hungry Tide**
 (B) **The Calcutta Chromosome**
 (C) **The Shadow Lines**
 (D) **The Circle of Reason**
75. Who is the author of the work **Such a Long Journey** ?
- (A) Vikram Chandra
 (B) Arvind Adiga
 (C) Rohinton Mistry
 (D) Amish Tripathy
76. Which novel of Shobha De describes Mumbai's high society ?
- (A) Sandhya's secrets
 (B) Small Betrayals
 (C) Socialite Evenings
 (D) Seventy And to Hell With it
77. **Murder in the Orient Express** is a crime thriller written by :
- (A) Elizabeth George
 (B) Dorothy L. Sayers
 (C) Agatha Christie
 (D) Josephine Tey
78. Which writer's novel has been adapted into the film **Three Idiots** ?
- (A) Amish Tripathy
 (B) Shobha De
 (C) Anita Nair
 (D) Chetan Bhagat
79. **That Long Silence** is a work written by :
- (A) Anita Nair
 (B) Shobha De
 (C) Shashi Deshpande
 (D) Kavita Kane
80. One of Amish Tripathi's works outside the epics and myths is about a historical figure. What is the name of the work ?
- (A) **The Secret of the Nagas**
 (B) **Scion of Ikshvaku**
 (C) **The Immortals of Meluha**
 (D) **Legend of Suheldev**

81. Considering poetic art superior to history, Aristotle says : while history deals with the particular and contingent, poetry deals with the universal being bound by the logic of necessity and probability. Hence poetry is more _____ than history.
- (A) Authentic
 (B) Philosophical
 (C) Purposeful
 (D) Objective
82. For which edition of the **Lyrical Ballads**, a collection of poems by Wordsworth and Coleridge, "The Preface to the Lyrical Ballads" is originally written ?
- (A) First edition
 (B) Second edition
 (C) Third edition
 (D) Fourth edition
83. In which essay of Matthew Arnold, he says : "mankind will discover that we have to turn to poetry to interpret life for us, to console us, to sustain us" ?
- (A) "Milton"
 (B) "The Function of Criticism at the Present Time"
 (C) "Wordsworth"
 (D) "The Study of Poetry"
84. From whose 1941 work did New Criticism derive its name ?
- (A) F. R. Leavis
 (B) I. A. Richards
 (C) Cleanth Brooks
 (D) John Crowe Ransom
85. Who is the author of the essay "Ideology and Ideological State Apparatuses" ?
- (A) Louis Althusser
 (B) Terry Eagleton
 (C) Raymond Williams
 (D) Theodor Adorno
86. Who did advance the idea of the "death" of the author ?
- (A) Michel Foucault
 (B) Stephen Greenblatt
 (C) Roland Barthes
 (D) Gilles Deleuze
87. Who did formulate the term "Différance" to characterize the way meaning is created ?
- (A) Ferdinand de Saussure
 (B) Jacques Derrida
 (C) Paul de Man
 (D) J. Hillis Miller

88. "One is not born, but rather becomes, a woman." The feminist critic who did make this famous statement ?
- (A) Elaine Showalter
(B) Simone de Beauvoir
(C) Luce Irigaray
(D) Julia Kristeva
89. Homi K. Bhabha writes in the preface to one of his works : "Nations, like narratives, lose their origins in the myths of time and only fully encounter their horizons in the mind's eye." What is the name of the work ?
- (A) **Location of Culture**
(B) **Nation and Narration**
(C) **Negotiating Rapture : The Power of Art to Transform lives**
(D) **Forward to Modernity, Culture and the Jews**
90. Who is the author of the work **Silent Spring** ?
- (A) Vandana Shiva
(B) Mary Phillips
(C) Rachel Carson
(D) Lara Stevens
91. Neither the researcher nor the committee members _____ to the authority. Which of the following verb forms is correct ?
- (A) writes
(B) write
(C) has written
(D) is writing
92. "I have taken more out of alcohol than alcohol has taken out of me" — Winston Churchill. What is the tense aspect in use in the sentence ?
- (A) Simple
(B) Perfect
(C) Progressive
(D) Perfect Progressive
93. Prepare yourself for the worst. — Which is the correct sentence in passive voice for it ?
- (A) You would be prepared for the worst.
(B) Yourself should be prepared for the worst.
(C) Be prepared for the worst.
(D) We may be prepared for the worst.
94. Mona said to Anna, "Ayyan will leave for his native place tomorrow." Which one of the following is the correct sentence in indirect speech ?
- (A) Mona told Anna that Ayyan will leave for his native place tomorrow.
(B) Mona told Anna that Ayyan left for his native place next day.
(C) Mona told Anna that Ayyan would be leaving for his native place tomorrow.
(D) Mona told Anna that Ayyan would leave for his native place the next day.

95. Choose the correct preposition to fill in the blank in the sentence :

Lily is leaning _____ the wall.

- (A) Across
- (B) Against
- (C) Beside
- (D) To

96. She is in a hospital with a head injury. She _____ not have been wearing her helmet.

Fill in the blank with the appropriate modal given below.

- (A) Must
- (B) Could
- (C) Need
- (D) Would

97. Mona resembles her mother.

Which is the correct phrasal verb for the verb underlined ?

- (A) Takes to
- (B) Takes after
- (C) Takes up
- (D) Takes in

98. If winter comes _____ spring be far behind.

Which is the correct modal verb to complete the sentence ?

- (A) Should
- (B) May
- (C) Ought to
- (D) Can

99. The traveller told me that he had visited many countries.

Which is the correct sentence in direct speech for it ?

- (A) The traveller said to me, "He had visited many countries".
- (B) The traveller said to me, "I have visited many countries".
- (C) The traveller said to me, "He has visited many countries".
- (D) The traveller said to me, "He visited many countries".

100. Which of the following is a grammatically acceptable sentence ?

- (A) Make hay while the sun shines.
- (B) Make hay while the sun was shining.
- (C) Make hay while the sun shine.
- (D) Make hay while the sun shone.



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