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1. Under what pseudonym could Rashbihari Bose escape to Japan?
(A) Manabendranath Bhattacharya
(B) Rabindranath Tagore
(C) Rasbehari Ghosh
(D) P. N. Tagore
2. Who was the President of Indian National Congress at the Surat Session (1907 A.D.)?
(A) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
(B) Lala Lajpat Rai
(C) Rasbehari Ghosh
(D) Chittaranjan Das
3. Who is known as the 'Tsar Liberator'?
(A) Nicholas II
(B) Alexander II
(C) Catherine the Great
(D) Alexander I
4. Who established the Vikramsila Mahavihara?
(A) Gopala
(B) Dharmapala
(C) Devpala
(D) Ramapala
5. When was railways introduced in India?
(A) 1853 A.D.
(B) 1862 A.D.
(C) 1872 A.D.
(D) 1881 A.D.
6. During the reign of which king did the Persian ambassador Abdur Razzak visit India?
(A) Deva Raya
(B) Krishna Deva Raya
(C) Deva Raya II
(D) Vir Vijaya

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7. When was the Treaty of Tilsit signed?
(A) 1802 A.D.
(B) 1804 A.D.
(C) 1807 A.D.
(D) 1812 A.D.
8. When did caste system become hereditary?
(A) Later Vedic Period
(B) Maurya Period
(C) Post Gupta period
(D) Sultanate Period
9. Which Sultan set up a separate department for the maintenance of slaves?
(A) Iltutmish
(B) Raziya
(C) Firoz Tughlaq
(D) Muhammad Bin Tughlaq
10. Who was the Viceroy of India at the time of the formation of the Indian National Congress?
(A) Lord Mayo
(B) Lord Ripon
(C) Lord Dufferin
(D) Lord Lansdowne
11. Which country was defeated in the Battle of Sedan?
(A) Prussia
(B) Austria
(C) Russia
(D) France
12. What was the immediate cause for the beginning of the First World War?
(A) Assassination of Archduke Ferdinand
(B) Imprisonment of Lenin
(C) Invention of dynamite by Alfred Nobel
(D) Sudden death of Lloyd George
13. Who was the king of France during the French Revolution (1789 A.D.)?
(A) Louis XIV
(B) Louis XVI
(C) Napoleon
(D) Charles X
14. Who established the city of Agra?
(A) Sikandar Lodi
(B) Bahlul Lodi
(C) Ibrahim Lodi
(D) Akbar

15. What was the original name of Tansen?
(A) Raj Bahadur
(B) Ramtanu Pandey
(C) Enayet Khan
(D) Makrand Pandey
16. Which metal was unknown to Harappan Civilization?
(A) Copper
(B) Bronze
(C) Gold
(D) Iron
17. When was the Russo-French Dual Alliance signed?
(A) 1894 A.D.
(B) 1895 A.D.
(C) 1896 A.D.
(D) 1899 A.D.
18. In which movement did Mahatma Gandhi make the use of hunger strike as a tool for the first time?
(A) Ahmedabad Jute-Mill Strike
(B) Rowlatt Satyagraha
(C) Non-Cooperation Movement
(D) Bardoli Satyagraha
19. Who prepared the draft resolution of the Quit India Movement?
(A) Sardar Patel
(B) Jawaharlal Nehru
(C) Acharya Kripalani
(D) Pattabhi Sitaramayya
20. Who, among the following Maughal rulers, had provided land for construction of the Golden Temple at Amritsar?
(A) Babar
(B) Humayun
(C) Akbar
(D) Aurangzeb
21. When was the Hindu Metropolitan College established?
(A) 1817 A.D.
(B) 1819 A.D.
(C) 1851 A.D.
(D) 1853 A.D.
22. Who, among the following invaders, carried the Peacock Throne away from Delhi?
(A) Mahmud of Ghazni
(B) Chengiz Khan
(C) Nadir Shah
(D) Ahmad Shah Abdali

23. In which Veda did the 'Gayatri Mantra' first appear?
(A) Rig Veda
(B) Sama Veda
(C) Yajur Veda
(D) Atharva Veda
24. Who was called 'Zindapir'?
(A) Akbar
(B) Shahjahan
(C) Jahangir
(D) Aurangzeb
25. Who established the Benaras Hindu University?
(A) Annie Besant
(B) Rabindranath Tagore
(C) Sardar Ballabhbhai Patel
(D) Madan Mohan Malaviya
26. Who assumed the title 'Mahamalla'?
(A) Mahendravarman
(B) Amoghvarman
(C) Rajendravarman
(D) Narasimhavarman I
27. Which of the following newspapers was edited by Bipin Chandra Pal?
(A) Young India
(B) Young Bengal
(C) New India
(D) Natun Patra
28. Which of the following dynasties was not involved in the Tripartite Struggle?
(A) Pala
(B) Pratihara
(C) Rashtrakuta
(D) Chola
29. Which Enlightenment thinker compiled the Encyclopaedia?
(A) Voltaire
(B) Rousseau
(C) Montesquieu
(D) Diderot
30. Which of the following wars is known as 'Spanish Ulcer'?
(A) Battle of Waterloo
(B) Peninsular War
(C) Battle of Trafalgar
(D) None of the above

31. Who was the author of *Gatha Saptasati*?
(A) **Hala**
(B) Varahamihir
(C) Sandhyakara Nandi
(D) Brahmagupta
32. Who, among the following leaders, joined the Home Rule League?
(A) Muhammad Iqbal
(B) **Muhammad Ali Jinnah**
(C) Syed Ahmed Khan
(D) Abul Kalam Azad
33. Who was the first sovereign ruler in the Sultanate of Delhi?
(A) Qutubuddin Aibak
(B) **Iltutmish**
(C) Nasiruddin Mahmud
(D) Ghiyasuddin Balban
34. In which year did the British East India Company establish a factory in Bengal?
(A) 1649 A.D.
(B) 1650 A.D.
(C) **1651 A.D.**
(D) 1652 A.D.
35. Where did Gautam Buddha attain Enlightenment?
(A) Sarnath
(B) Sravasti
(C) Pataliputra
(D) **Gaya**
36. In which years were the three battles of Panipat fought?
(A) 1526, 1562 and 1661 A.D.
(B) 1526, 1565 and 1716 A.D.
(C) **1526, 1556 and 1761 A.D.**
(D) 1526, 1556 and 1575 A.D.
37. Which Delhi Sultan first invaded Deccan?
(A) Balban
(B) Raziya
(C) Qutubuddin Aibak
(D) **Alauddin Khilji**
38. Which one, among the following countries, was not a part of the Triple Alliance?
(A) Germany
(B) Austria
(C) Italy
(D) **Russia**

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39. Who, among the following, was not a member of the Cabinet Mission?
(A) Stafford Cripps
(B) A. V. Alexander
(C) Cyril Radcliffe
(D) Pethick Lawrence
40. To which royal dynasty did Bimbisara belong?
(A) Haryanka
(B) Sisunaga
(C) Maurya
(D) Kalachuri
41. Where did Muhammad bin Tughlaq transfer his capital from Delhi?
(A) Agra
(B) Daulatabad
(C) Dholpur
(D) Hissar
42. When did Azad Hind Fauj capture Kohima?
(A) 1942 A.D.
(B) 1944 A.D.
(C) 1945 A.D.
(D) 1947 A.D.
43. Of which rebellion was Divya (Divyoka) a leader?
(A) Kayastha
(B) Kaivarta
(C) Sannyasi
(D) Hun
44. Who was the leader of the Jacobin Club during the Reign of Terror?
(A) Robespierre
(B) Jean Paul Marat
(C) Hebert
(D) Danton
45. Who was the founder of the Theosophical Society?
(A) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
(B) Annie Besant
(C) Mahatma Gandhi
(D) Bipin Chandra Pal
46. In which place did Harshavardhana organize a conference every five years?
(A) Nasik
(B) Paithan
(C) Gwalior
(D) Prayag

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47. Which Veda is regarded as the source of Indian music?
 (A) Rig Veda
(B) Sama Veda
 (C) Yajur Veda
 (D) Atharva Veda
48. When was the Supreme Court founded in Calcutta?
 (A) 1770 A.D.
(B) 1774 A.D.
 (C) 1776 A.D.
 (D) 1857 A.D.
49. In which year was Wood's Despatch published?
(A) 1854 A.D.
 (B) 1855 A.D.
 (C) 1857 A.D.
 (D) 1858 A.D.
50. What is the number of guilds as mentioned in the Jataka literature?
 (A) 15
(B) 18
 (C) 25
 (D) 30
51. Where was a terracotta plough from the Harappan Civilization discovered?
 (A) Mohenjodaro
(B) Banawali
 (C) Kalibangan
 (D) Lothal
52. During whose reign did Sir Thomas Roe visit India?
 (A) Alauddin Khilji
 (B) Shamsuddin Ilyas Shah
 (C) Akbar
(D) Jahangir
53. Who was Malik Kafur?
(A) Military General of Alauddin Khilji
 (B) Ruler of Odisha
 (C) Minister of Aurangzeb
 (D) None of the above
54. Where was the first session of the Indian National Congress held?
(A) Gokuldas Tejpal Sanskrit College, Bombay
 (B) Sanskrit College, Calcutta
 (C) St. Xavier's College, Calcutta
 (D) Ravenshaw College, Cuttack

55. On the bank of which river is Kalibangan situated?
(A) Jhelum
(B) Ghaggar
(C) Ravi
(D) Sutlej
56. Which Sultan had brought the Asokan Pillar to Delhi?
(A) Alauddin Khilji
(B) Ghiyasuddin Tughlaq
(C) Muhammad Bin Tughlaq
(D) Firoz Shah Tughlaq
57. Who was the first woman President of the Indian National Congress?
(A) Kasturba Gandhi
(B) Sarojini Naidu
(C) Annie Besant
(D) Aruna Asaf Ali
58. Who, among the following, is known as the 'Liberator of the Press'?
(A) William Jones
(B) Lord Wellesley
(C) Charles Metcalfe
(D) Lord Minto
59. Which Nawab of Bengal shifted his capital from Murshidabad to Monghyr?
(A) Mir Qasim
(B) Mir Jafar
(C) Siraj ud Daulah
(D) Shujauddin
60. Who introduced 'Patta' and 'Qabuliyat'?
(A) Alauddin Khilji
(B) Muhammad Bin Tughlaq
(C) Sher Shah
(D) Akbar
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