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Paper I General Studies

1. Who was the founder of Deccan Education Society?
(A) Jyotiba Phule
(B) Firoz Shah Mehta
(C) M.G. Ranade
(D) Bal Gangadhar Tilak

2. The manuscript of Arthashastra was discovered by
(A) Sir William Jones
(B) Shamshastri
(C) Ram Gopal Bhandarkar
(D) James Mill

3. Who was the author of the famous text, Mudrarakshasa?
(A) Vishakhadutta
(B) Kalidas
(C) Sudraka
(D) Rajshekhar

4. The first Buddhist Council was summoned by
(A) Chandragupta Maurya
(B) Ashoka
(C) Ajatasatru
(D) Kanishka

5. Mahatma Buddha gave his first sermon at
(A) Lumbini (B) Bodh Gaya
(C) Sarnath (D) Kapilavastu

6. Which archaeological site is associated with the Mauryan palace?
(A) Kaushambi (B) Taxila
(C) Hastinapur (D) Kumrahar

7. Which Rock Edict of Ashoka mentions the Kalinga War?
(A) (XII) Thirteenth
(B) (VIII) Eighth
(C) (II) Second
(D) (V) Fifth

8. Rajarajeshwara temple at Tanjore is the finest example of which architecture?
(A) Pallava (B) Chalukya
(C) Chola (D) Pandya

(B) Ala-ud-din Khilji
(C) Balban
(D) Firuz Shah Tughlaq

10. English traveller William Hawkins visited India during the time of which Mughal emperor?
(A) Shah Jahan (B) Akbar
(C) Aurangzeb (D) Jahangir

11. The 'Iqtadarli' system was introduced by
(A) Balban
(B) Illtumish
(C) Ala-ud-din Khilji
(D) Firuz Shah Tughlaq

12. What was the name of the Persian translation of Mahabharata?
(A) *Sakinat-ul-Auliya*
(B) *Sirrul Asrar*
(C) *Anwar-i-Suhaili*
(D) *Razminama*

13. Krishnadevaraya of the Vijayanagar empire was a contemporary of
(A) Akbar
(B) Firuz Shah Tughlaq
(C) Babur
(D) Balban

14. Baburnama was composed in which language?
(A) Turkish (B) Persian
(C) Arabic (D) Urdu

15. 'Servants of Indian Society' was founded by
(A) Gopal Krishna Gokhale
(B) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
(C) Mahatma Gandhi
(D) Govind Ranade

16. Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904, was passed during the time of which Governor-General?
(A) Lord Minto (B) Lord Hardinge
(C) Lord Curzon (D) Lord Linlithgow

17. Who was the author of History of British India?
(A) James Mill (B) V.A. Smith
(C) V.D. Savarkar (D) R.C. Majumdar

18. Which was the first newspaper published in India?
(A) Bengal Gazette (B) Calcutta Gazette
(C) Bombay Herald (D) Bengal Journal

19. 'Go back to the Vedas'. Who gave this slogan?
(A) Raja Ram Mohan Roy
(B) Keshav Chandra Sen
(C) Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar
(D) Swami Dayanand Saraswati

20. Arya Samaj was established in
(A) 1870 (B) 1872
(C) 1873 (D) 1875

21. The worst famine in India under the British rule occurred during
(A) 1860-1861 (B) 1876-1878
(C) 1896-1897 (D) 1899-1900

22. Who among the following women was associated with the revolutionary movement?
(A) Toru Dutt (B) Ramabai
(C) Bhikaji Cama (D) Gangabai

23. Simon Commission visited India in
(A) 1927 (B) 1928
(C) 1929 (D) 1930

24. Under which Act were the Muslims provided separate electorates in British India?
(A) Indian Council Act, 1892
(B) Morley-Minto Reforms, 1909
(C) Indian Council Act, 1861
(D) Montagu-Chelmsford Reforms, 1919

25. Who among the following woman social reformers was called 'Pandit'?
(A) Gangabai
(B) Ramabai
(C) Annie Besant
(D) Sister Subbalakshmi

26. Where did the Indigo Revolt take place?
(A) Orissa (B) Uttar Pradesh
(C) Bengal (D) Maharashtra

27. Queen Victoria's proclamation took place in
(A) 1856 (B) 1858
(C) 1859 (D) 1860

28. Who among the following authors has called the Revolt of 1857 as the First War of Independence?
(A) R.C. Majumdar (B) S.N. Sen
(C) V.D. Savarkar (D) Ashok Mehta

29. 'Abhinav Bharat' founded in 1904 was
(A) a secret organization of revolutionary activities
(B) a newspaper
(C) a cultural organization
(D) a trade union movement

30. "History is a continuous process of interaction between past and present". Who said this?
(A) E.H. Carr (B) Charles Firth
(C) Karl Marx (D) V.A. Smith

31. The famine code for India was recommended by which Commission?
(A) MacDonnell Commission
(B) Campbell Commission
(C) Lyall Commission
(D) Strachey Commission

32. Who was associated with the newspaper, *Mooknayak*?
(A) Jyotiba Phule
(B) B.R. Ambedkar
(C) M.N. Roy
(D) Annie Besant

33. Who among the following has called Tilak as 'Father of Indian Unrest'?
(A) Mahatma Gandhi
(B) Jawaharlal Nehru
(C) Powell Price
(D) Valentine Chirol

34. Who among the following persons was considered by Gandhiji as his 'Political Guru'?
(A) Dadabhai Naoroji
(B) M.G. Ranade
(C) Gopal Krishna Gokhale
(D) Bal Gangadhar Tilak

35. *New India* and *Commonweal* newspapers were associated with
(A) R.C. Dutt
(B) Mahatma Gandhi
(C) Raja Ram Mohan Roy
(D) Annie Besant

36. ITCZ stands for
(A) Inter Temperate Convergence Zone
(B) Intra Tropical Convergence Zone
(C) India-Thailand Convergence Zone
(D) Inter Tropical Convergence Zone

37. On which river, the Rana Pratap Sagar Dam is constructed?
 (A) Ghaghara (B) Kosi
 (C) Yamuna (D) Chambal

38. Amarkantak is the source head of
 (A) Son, Narmada and Mahanadi
 (B) Son, Chambal and Betwa
 (C) Narmada, Ben Ganga and Kene
 (D) Mahanadi, Tapti and Son

39. Match the following:
 (a) Bhotiya (1) Arunachal
 (b) Gujar (2) Himachal Pradesh
 (c) Gaddi (3) Kashmir
 (d) Dafla (4) Uttarakhand
 (a) (b) (c) (d)
 (A) (4) (3) (2) (1)
 (B) (2) (1) (3) (4)
 (C) (1) (3) (4) (2)
 (D) (3) (2) (1) (4)

40. The largest reserves of sal forest is found in
 (A) Nilgiri hills (B) Dun valley
 (C) Aravallies (D) Assam

41. Telangana State is surrounded by which of the following groups of States?
 (A) Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh and Odisha
 (B) Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Maharashtra and Karnataka
 (C) Maharashtra, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh and Chhattisgarh
 (D) Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh

42. Main Boundary Thrust (MBT) separates
 (A) Ganga Plain and Siwaliks
 (B) Siwaliks and Lesser Himalaya
 (C) Lesser Himalaya and Greater Himalaya
 (D) Greater Himalaya and Trans-Himalaya

43. The valley of flowers is located in
 (A) Himachal Himalaya
 (B) Garhwal Himalaya
 (C) Kashmir Himalaya
 (D) Nepal Himalaya

44. In India, coal is found in the geological formation of
 (A) Dharwar (B) Vindhyan
 (C) Gondwana (D) Kadapa

45. Rohtang pass connects the valleys of
 (A) Bhagirathi and Alakananda
 (B) Kali and Dholi
 (C) Kulu and Spiti
 (D) Jhelam and Ravi

46. The basic reason of winter rainfall in northwestern part of India is
 (A) south-west monsoon
 (B) trade wind
 (C) retreating of monsoon
 (D) western disturbances

47. Laterite soil mostly found in
 (A) Karnataka (B) Punjab
 (C) Uttar Pradesh (D) West Bengal

48. Which one of the following pairs is not correct?
 (A) Bhakra Nangal Dam—Sutlej
 (B) Sardar Sarovar Dam—Narmada
 (C) Hirakund Dam—Mahanadi
 (D) Nagarjuna Sagar Dam—Godavari

49. Which river valley was severely affected by the disaster in June, 2013?
 (A) Alaknanda
 (B) Mandakini
 (C) Nandakini
 (D) Bhagirathi

50. Match the following:
 (a) Tarapur atomic power station (1) Karnataka
 (b) Rawatbhata atomic power station (2) Gujarat
 (c) Kakapada atomic power station (3) Rajasthan
 (d) Kaiga atomic power station (4) Maharashtra
 (a) (b) (c) (d)
 (A) (1) (2) (3) (4)
 (B) (3) (4) (1) (2)
 (C) (4) (3) (2) (1)
 (D) (2) (1) (4) (3)

51. Which of the following countries recently became a member of the World Trade Organization (WTO)?
 (A) Sudan
 (B) Afghanistan
 (C) Bhutan
 (D) Ethiopia

52. Which of the following organizations has sanctioned \$ 1.5 billion loan to support the Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM)?

- World Bank
- IMF
- ADB
- Japan Bank for International Cooperation

53. In which of the following Indian States Lokayukta has been appointed by the Supreme Court of India by using its extraordinary powers under Article 142 of the Constitution?

- Uttar Pradesh
- Bihar
- Karnataka
- Andhra Pradesh

54. Satellites of which of the following countries have been successfully launched by using ISRO's PSLV C29?

- Canada
- Singapore
- Indonesia
- Saudi Arabia

55. As per the 2015 Human Development Report (HDR), what was India's rank in Human Development Index (HDI) for 2014?

- 121
- 130
- 132
- 138

56. India's largest National Cancer Institute is set up in which of the following States?

- Andhra Pradesh
- Haryana
- Gujarat
- West Bengal

57. Which of the following countries has hosted the International Neutrality Conference?

- India
- Sri Lanka
- Turkmenistan
- Pakistan

58. Which of the following committees has been appointed to look into dispute between ONGC and RIL on KG gas fields?

- Pradhan Committee
- A.P. Shah Committee
- M.B. Shah Committee
- Deshmukh Committee

59. Which of the following is the first bank to tie up with Indian railways to sell rail tickets through its web-site?

- State Bank of India
- ICICI Bank
- Axis Bank Ltd.
- Punjab National Bank

60. Which of the following banks is the World's largest bank by assets?

- Bank of America
- Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (ICBC)
- BNP Paribas
- Bank of China

61. Which of the following space agencies has launched the LISA Pathfinder?

- Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency
- NASA
- European Space Agency
- China National Space Administration

62. The new Parliament building of which of the following countries is built by India?

- Bhutan
- Afghanistan
- Nepal
- Maldives

63. Which of the following committees suggested initiatives on Revisiting and Revitalizing PPP Model?

- Dinesh Pachori Committee
- Arun Pasricha Committee
- Vijay Kelkar Committee
- Deepak Mohanty Committee

64. Who among the following has been appointed as the new Director-General of National Centre for Good Governance (NCGG)?

- Arvind Subramanian
- Bibek Debroy
- Gyanendra Bandgaiyan
- Sanjay Madhav

65. Which of the following States is planning to construct the first ever underwater road tunnel in the country?

- Tamil Nadu
- Gujarat
- Andhra Pradesh
- Kerala

66. Which of the following countries has announced to adopt Chinese Yuan as its legal currency?

- Greece
- Egypt
- Zimbabwe
- Namibia

67. Salma Dam project is being under reconstruction in which of the following countries?

- Nepal
- Bhutan
- Afghanistan
- Bangladesh

68. Which of the following countries has launched the DAMPE satellite?
 (A) China (B) Russia
 (C) Japan (D) USA

69. Which of the following countries has approved world's first dengue vaccine?
 (A) United Kingdom (B) Canada
 (C) Mexico (D) France

70. Which of the following American Universities has launched the A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Fellowship for Indian students?
 (A) Harvard University
 (B) University of South Florida
 (C) University of California, Berkeley
 (D) University of Chicago

71. Which of the following acids does not contain oxygen?
 (A) Nitric acid
 (B) Sulphuric acid
 (C) Hydrochloric acid
 (D) All of the above

72. Which of the following is not biodegradable?
 (A) Domestic sewage
 (B) Lab detergents
 (C) Soap
 (D) Plant leaves

73. The atomic nucleus was discovered by
 (A) Rutherford (B) Dalton
 (C) Einstein (D) Thompson

74. The branch of Physics that deals with the motion of a very small particle is called
 (A) Field Theory
 (B) Particle Physics
 (C) Quantum Mechanics
 (D) Atomic Physics

75. Which of the following foods provides the nutrient for the growth of new tissues in the human body?
 (A) Fruits (B) Vegetables
 (C) Cheese (D) Sweets

76. Which of the following is the largest air pollutant?
 (A) Carbon dioxide
 (B) Carbon monoxide
 (C) Sulphur dioxide
 (D) Hydrocarbons

77. In binary code, the number 7 is written as
 (A) 110 (B) 111
 (C) 101 (D) 100

78. Anthophobia is fear of which of the following?
 (A) Boss (B) Fire
 (C) Flowers (D) Dogs

79. Clove is obtained from
 (A) root (B) stem
 (C) fruit (D) flower bud

80. Which of the following fights infection in the body?
 (A) RBC (B) WBC
 (C) Blood plasma (D) Haemoglobin

81. Green Revolution means
 (A) use of green manure
 (B) grow more crops
 (C) high yield variety programmes
 (D) green vegetation

82. Pedology is the science related to the study of
 (A) atmosphere (B) soil
 (C) pollutants (D) seeds

83. The unit of electrical resistance of a conductor is
 (A) farad (B) volt
 (C) ampere (D) ohm

84. The step that produces largest number of ATP molecules in our system is
 (A) glycoysis
 (B) Kerbs cycle
 (C) terminal respiratory chain
 (D) hydrolysis

85. Brass is an alloy of
 (A) copper and iron
 (B) zinc and iron
 (C) copper and zinc
 (D) iron and nickel

86. When beams of red, blue and green lights fall on the same spot, the colour of the light becomes
 (A) violet (B) red
 (C) yellow (D) white

87. Which organ of the human body does the Alzheimer's disease affect?
 (A) Ear (B) Brain
 (C) Eye (D) Stomach

