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THE PREFACE

Представленный вашему вниманию сборник олимпиадных заданий по английскому языку разработан в рамках проекта OLYMPWAY, осуществляемого в Московском центре педагогического мастерства. Основная цель его – помочь учащемуся подготовиться к успешному выступлению на олимпиадах разных уровней: от школьного до всероссийского.

Ребятам предстоит разобраться в специфике олимпиадного подхода к заданиям, приобрести ряд навыков, без которых цель получить заветный диплом победителя или призера становится утопичной.

Самый сложный раздел на олимпиаде – это Use of English, которому и посвящена в основном наша книга. Страноведение, идиомы, фразовые глаголы, поговорки и т. д. – неотъемлемая составляющая любой олимпиады, в то время как не так много тренировочных пособий можно найти на книжной полке. Наша книга призвана помочь решить эту проблему.

Большая часть заданий составлена с оглядкой на традиции, литературу, историю и культуру англоязычных стран. В качестве источников послужили аутентичные тексты, как сугубо литературные, так и научно-популярные. На подбор материалов известное влияние оказали научные интересы автора, занимающегося школьными системами англоязычных стран, что, в свою очередь, позволит учащемуся глубже погрузиться в языковые реалии.

За последние годы автор подготовил трех победителей заключительного этапа всероссийской олимпиады (из них двух абсолютных), что позволяет говорить об успешной апробации представленной методики.

Пособие содержит 175 заданий, распределенных по юнитам. Уровень сложности заданий позволит обучающимся успешно подготовиться к олимпиаде, начиная со школьного этапа. В конце пособия прилагаются ключи.

И в заключение напомним, что в олимпиадном движении факт участия приравнивается к интеллектуальной победе!

The only excuse for making such a thing is that one admires it intensely.

PART I

Task 1. Choose the correct answer.

1	_____ book (завершенный этап)				
	CLOSED	GONE	READ	FINISHED	MADE
2	_____ book (легкое для понимания)				
	SWEET	RED	OPEN	EASY	WHITE
3	_____ someone like a book (легко понимать природу вещей)				
	LOOK THROUGH	USE	READ	GET	WRITE
4	the oldest _____ in the book (нечестный способ добиться чего-либо)				
	PRANK	JOKE	TRICK	BIT	APPLE
5	_____ the book (правильно)				
	BY	WITH	AS	UNDER	OFF
6	_____ someone to book (наказать)				
	FOLLOW	MAKE	BRING	GET	SWIM
7	take a _____ out of someone's book (скопировать чью-то удачную идею)				
	WORD	DRAMA	PASSAGE	LEAF	COVER
8	don't judge a book by its _____ (не доверяйте первому впечатлению)				
	AUTHOR	COVER	COLOUR	PAPER	CONTENT
9	_____ the books (подделать финансовые документы)				
	BURN	STEAL	COOK	LEAVE	SHOOT
10	be in somebody's _____ books (быть на хорошем счету)				
	OFFICIAL	ROSE	GOOD	WHITE	PURPLE

Task 2. Match the following words or phrases with their definitions.

1	big word	A	крылатое слово
2	buzzword	B	слово, использующееся в документе для его идентификации; колонтитул
3	byword	C	секретное слово, используемое для допуска
4	catchword	D	несуществующее слово, которое часто используется младенцами
5	guide word	E	длинное слово, обозначающее важные и серьезные идеи
6	keyword	F	заимствованное слово из другого языка
7	loanword	G	броское слово, часто используемое как лозунг или реклама
8	nonsense word	H	модное слово, которое активно используется в какой-либо сфере
9	password	I	ключевое слово, которое помогает ориентироваться в словаре

Task 3. Match the given words to form compound words.

1	butter	baked	
2	cheese	bill	
3	duck	break	
4	fire	cake	
5	foot	caster	
6	hand	fingers	
7	horse	gun	
8	mother	heart	
9	news	hood	
10	rain	key	
11	soft	locker	
12	sound	play	
13	sun	proof	
14	sweet	storm	
15	turn	ware	

Task 4. Write one word in each gap. One letter in each word and its position are given as an additional clue.

1	Liverpool is a lakeside village in Onondaga ____, New York, United States.	U
2	The population was 2,347 at the 2010 ____.	S
3	The name was ____ from the city of Liverpool in the United Kingdom.	P
4	The village is located on Onondaga Lake, in the western part of the town of Salina and is northwest of Syracuse, of which it is a ____.	B
5	The area was originally inhabited by the ____, starting in the 16th century.	Q
6	In the mid-17th century, Canadian ____ Jesuits visited the area, setting up missions.	E
7	These were not very permanent, ____.	V
8	An example of these missions is Sainte Marie among the Iroquois, on Onondaga ____ just outside the village.	E
9	Once the Erie Canal and Oswego Canal were built, the area was settled by Irish canal workers, Yankee settlers, and, later, German immigrants. The early recorded name for the village was "Little ____".	R
10	The Lucius Gleason House and Liverpool ____ are listed on the National Register of Historic Places.	E

Task 5. One word in each line is incorrect. Write the correct word. There can be different types of mistakes.

		INCORRECT	CORRECT
1	I fear I may have made a longer excursus then was necessary, and that fewer words would have dispelled the uneasiness which may have arisen among some of you as I announced my pathological programme.		
2	At any rate you must all be ready now to judge the religious lives by its results exclusively, and I shall assume that the bugaboo of morbid origin will scandalize your piety no more.		

3	Still, you may asking me, if its results are to be the ground of our final spiritual estimate of a religious phenomenon, why threaten us at all with so much existential study of its conditions? Why not simply leave pathological questions out?		
4	To this I reply in two ways: First, I say, irrepressible curiosity imperiously leads one on; and I say, thirdly, that it always leads to a better understanding of a thing's significance to consider its exaggerations and perversions, its equivalents and substitutes and nearest relatives elsewhere.		
5	Nor that we may thereby swamp the thing in the wholesale condemnation which we pass on its inferior congeners, but rather that we may by contrast ascertain the more precisely in what its merits consist, by learning at the same time to what particular dangers of corruption it may also be exposed.		
6	Insane conditions had this advantage, that they isolate special factors of the mental life, and enable us to inspect them unmasked by their more usual surroundings.		
7	They play the part in mental anatomy which the scalpel and the microscope plays in the anatomy of the body.		
8	To understand a thing rightly we needn't to see it both out of its environment and in it, and to have acquaintance with the whole range of its variations.		
9	The study of hallucinations has in this road been for psychologists the key to their comprehension of normal sensation, that of illusions has been the key to the right comprehension of perception.		
10	Morbid impulses and imperative conceptions, "fixed ideas," so called, have thrown a flood of rays on the psychology of the normal will; and obsessions and delusions have performed the same service for that of the normal faculty of belief.		

Task 6. Choose the correct answer.

1	Things were pretty bad for the notorious criminal, who could face ____ to ten years in jail for robbing tourists.
	UP ON AT BY –
2	At the beginning of the video he says to the camera: “How on earth would they break ____ the world record?”
	UP – OFF DOWN ON
3	George asked Mary ____ on a date.
	DOWN AY OUT – FOR
4	A date ____ the prom has not yet been set.
	ON FOR IN AT OF
5	This tragedy is her best work ____ date.
	FOR AT TO UPON IN
6	He deserves ____ get the full and complete facts immediately.
	TO DO THAN OF AT
7	We have to do the same exercises day in day ____.
	AWAY OUT FROM DAILY FOR
8	In connection with an unrelated case, the Government has learned ____ the existence of new facts.
	ON TOWARDS ABOUT OF BY
9	President told reporters that he and his team were given no ____ advance warning in July.
	– BY IN AT OF

Task 7. Write out the correct spelling of these words.

	Transcription	WORD
1	/ə'kwemtəns/	
2	/ə'prəʊpriət/	
3	/ə'stɒnɪfɪŋ/	
4	/'bru:əri/	
5	/ˌderɪ'veɪʃən/	
6	/dɪ'stɪŋɡwɪʃt/	
7	/ɪ.kli:zi'æstɪkəl/	
8	/ɪk'si:dɪŋli/	
9	/ɪk'skwɪzɪt/	
10	/'fɜ:vənt/	
11	/fɪəs/	

12	/ˈmenʃən/	
13	/nəʊˈtɔːrɪəs/	
14	/ˈræpɪd/	

Task 8. Write one word which can be used in all three sentences.

1	Consumer electronics include devices used for entertainment are often called “_____ goods” by producers and sellers, to distinguish them from “white goods” such as washing machines and refrigerators. _____ rice is whole grain rice, with the inedible outer hull removed; white rice is the same grain with the hull, bran layer and cereal germ removed. Making a book cover with just a _____ paper bag is easy, fast, and fun!	
2	_____ paper is usually used for the first versions of a drawing. The principal artery of traffic in Turkish Armenia crosses the land from west to east. It follows the direction of a series of depressions: the plains of Erzerum, of Pasin and of Alashkert. It consists of a carriageable track, or _____ road of unequal quality. He was an experienced teacher with a _____-hewn style.	
3	The door handles are made of _____. It’s _____ monkey weather today, I got cold! Where there’s muck there’s _____.	
4	Tickets for the match were like _____ dust. A _____-plated watch is best-suited to clothes and shoes in earthy tones, while silver goes with grey, blue and black. All that glitters is not _____.	
5	We worked like _____ to finish this job. School is sheer _____ at the moment. _____’s bells, why it’s always me!	

Task 9. Match the following phrases with their definitions.

1	a finger in every pie	A	very awkward
2	all mouth and no trousers	B	to become very good at a sport
3	all over face	C	to be punished

Task 10. Complete the crossword.

[illegible]

1	Отряд
2	Стая (рыбы)
3	Колода карт
4	Отпрыск, потомок
5	Сбор, собрание (formal)
6	Рой пчел
7	Стая львов
8	Религиозное братство
9	Множественный
10	Толчея
11	Стадо (косуль)
12	Стадо (обыкн. овец); стая (обыкн. птиц)
13	Вездесущность
14	Банда
15	Антология
16	Жюри
17	Ведущий церемонии
18	Совет (у североамериканских индейцев)
19	Гурт
20	Юридическая сила
21	Гнездо
22	Клан
23	Горный хребет
24	Парная упряжка
25	Орда
26	Выводок
27	Часы
28	Подгруппа
29	Колония
30	Бродячий зверинец
31	Рой
32	Комитет
33	Моток пряжи
34	Стадо гусей

35	Альянс
36	Пособие по безработице
37	Методизм
38	Беличье гнездо
39	Конюшня
40	Ратификация
41	Бракосочетание
42	Певчая птица
43	Чернь
44	Выводок (куропаток)
45	Армия
46	Номенклатура
47	Команда
48	Кипа
49	Поколение
50	Оптимально подобранная группа людей для участия в конкретном соревновании или в другой конкретной области деятельности
51	Дно реки

Task 11. Match the following phrases with their definitions. [ANIMALS]

1	bell the cat	A	a person who selfishly keeps something that they do not really need
2	curiosity killed the cat	B	to be very sick
3	dog eat dog	C	forever
4	dog in the manger	D	dog
5	dog's life	E	a young person who turns out to be beautiful or talented
6	fight like cat and dog	F	say something that causes trouble
7	go to the dogs	G	a prying behaviour can be harmful
8	lame duck	H	having lost a re-election bid
9	let the cat out of the bag	I	argue violently all the time
10	like a cat on a hot tin roof	J	to be unable to achieve your goal
11	like a duck to water	K	very competitive
12	man's best friend	L	to sacrifice someone to save the rest
13	no room to swing a cat	M	to become worse

14	not have a cat in hell's chance	N	someone who is extremely nervous
15	play duck and drakes	O	a miserable, unhappy existence
16	put the cat among the pigeons	P	easily and naturally
17	sick as a dog	Q	do a dangerous job
18	throw to the wolves	R	a very small place
19	ugly duckling	S	to behave recklessly
20	until the cows come home	T	to allow a secret to be known

Task 12. Write out the correct spelling of these words.

1	/tʃəʊz/	
2	/tʃɔɪs/	
3	/ɪ'luː.ʒən/	
4	/ə'luː.ʒən/	
5	/'mæn.ʃən/	
6	/'men.ʃən/	
7	/dɪ'sent/	
8	/'diː.sənt/	
9	/dɪ'zɜ:t/	
10	/'dez.ət/	

Task 13. Choose the correct answer from the box.

1	as sly as a (n) ____
2	as quiet as a (n) ____
3	as wise as a (n) ____
4	as gentle as a (n) ____
5	as strong as a (n) ____
6	as blind as a (n) ____
7	as ugly as a (n) ____
8	as eager as a (n) ____
9	as fat as a (n) ____
10	as free as a (n) ____

fox	toad	beaver	owl	pig	bird	ox	rat	mouse
cat	wolf	frog	lamb	raven	sparrow	bat	shark	dolphin

Task 14. Match the two columns. [PHRASAL VERBS]

1	figure sth out	A	leave a hotel
2	fall apart	B	investigate
3	check out	C	stop being friends
4	hang in	D	meet unexpectedly
5	go over sth	E	disappoint
6	grow apart	F	understand
7	run into sb/ sth	G	eat at a restaurant
8	look into sth	H	break into pieces
9	let sb down	I	review
10	eat out	J	stay positive

Task 15. Write one word in each gap.

1	She knew that being thrown together again under such terrible circumstances they would again fall in ____ with one another, and that Nicholas would then not be able to marry Princess Mary as they would be within the prohibited degrees of affinity.	
2	There were only three tumblers, the water was so muddy that one could not make out whether the tea was strong or weak, and the samovar held only six tumblers of water, but this made it all the pleasanter to take ____ in order of seniority to receive one's tumbler from Mary Hendrikhovna's plump little hands with their short and not overclean nails.	
3	It was ____ of the question to be under French rule, it would be the worst thing that could happen.	
4	"Yes, the ham was just delicious..." answered another with a loud laugh. And they, too, passed on, so that Nesvítski did not learn who had been struck on the teeth, or what the ham ____ to do with it.	
5	The host and hostess look toward the door, and now and ____ glance at one another, and the visitors try to guess from these glances who, or what, they are waiting for—some important relation who has not yet arrived, or a dish that is not yet ready.	
6	What he had just been praying for with confidence that God would hear him had come to pass; but Nicholas was as much astonished as if it ____ something extraordinary and unexpected, and as if the very fact that it had happened so quickly proved that it had not come from God to whom he had prayed, but by some ordinary coincidence.	

7	“Who do you think should be sent there?” he asked of Berthier (whom he subsequently termed “that gosling I have made an eagle”). “Send Claparede’s division, sire,” replied Berthier, who knew all the division’s regiments, and battalions by ____.	
8	She thoroughly realized the wrong he had done Sónya, felt herself to blame toward her, and imagined that her wealth had influenced Nicholas’ choice. She could not find ____ with Sónya in any way and tried to be fond of her, but often felt ill-will toward her which she could not overcome.	
9	That spring a new disease ____ out among the soldiers, a swelling of the arms, legs, and face, which the doctors attributed to eating this root.	
10	With a slight rustle of her white dress trimmed with moss and ivy, with a gleam of white shoulders, glossy hair, and sparkling diamonds, she passed between the men who made ____ for her, not looking at any of them but smiling on all, as if graciously allowing each the privilege of admiring her beautiful figure and shapely shoulders, back, and bosom—which in the fashion of those days were very much exposed—and she seemed to bring the glamour of a ballroom with her as she moved toward Anna Pávlovna.	

Task 16. Write one word in each gap.

1	<i>The Catcher in the Rye</i> is a 1951 ____ by J. D. Salinger.	O
2	A controversial novel originally published for adults, it has since become popular with adolescent readers for its themes of teenage ____ and alienation.[	G
3	It has been translated into almost all of the world’s ____ languages.	J
4	Around 1 million copies are ____ each year with total sales of more than 65 million books.[	D
5	The novel’s protagonist Holden Caulfield has become an ____ for teenage rebellion.	I
6	The novel also deals with complex issues of innocence, identity, belonging, ____, and connection.	S
7	The novel was included on <i>Time’s</i> 2005 list of the 100 best English-language novels written since 1923 and it was named by Modern Library and ____ readers as one of the 100 best English-language novels of the 20th century.	I
8	In 2003, it was ____ at #15 on the BBC’s survey <i>The Big Read</i> .	I

Task 17. Complete the crossword.

1								S						
2		U												
3					R									
4		O												
5	P													
6					H									
7		A												
8	R													
9								N						
10						E								
11					D									
12		A												
13					K									
14		O												
15		A												
16		L												
17								H						
18		U												
19	V													
20		U												
21			E											
22			R											
23	O													
24		W												
25		N												

1	бесплодная земля
2	глушь
3	тундра
4	вересковая пустошь
5	пампасы
6	болотистая местность
7	пастбище

8	рожь
9	сенокосное угодье
10	степь
11	мурава
12	бесхозная земля
13	окраина
14	ботанический сад
15	задворки
16	трущобы
17	саванна
18	район пыльных бурь
19	пастбище
20	прилегающий к дому отгороженный участок
21	феодалное владение, вотчина
22	земля, принадлежащая правительству
23	орография (изучение форм земной поверхности)
24	просека
25	территория, удалённая от моря

Task 18. Match the following words or phrases with their definitions.

1	a blue blood	A	clothes for very formal occasions
2	a red letter day	B	to describe a situation as extremely bad
3	black eye	C	the police
4	black tie	D	an aristocratic person
5	colorless	E	to do very well
6	greens	F	cowardly
7	once in a blue moon	G	sadness
8	paint a black picture	H	boring
9	pinko	I	become very angry
10	see red	J	a special day
11	the blues	K	communist
12	the silver screen	L	an area of skin around the eye that is dark because of fighting
13	the thin blue line	M	the movies
14	to pass with flying colors	N	vegetables
15	yellow	O	infrequently

Task 19. Write out the correct spelling of these words. [GAMES]

1	/ˈbɪŋ.ɡəʊ/	
2	/ʃəˈrɑːd/	
3	/ˈkrɒs.wɜːd/	
4	/ˈfrɪz.bi/	
5	/ˈhæŋ.mən/	
6	/ˈhɒɡ.wɒʃ/	
7	/ˈhuːp.laː/	
8	/ˈpʌz.əl/	
9	/ˈsɒft.bɔːl/	
10	/ˈtɪd.əl.i.wɪŋks/	

Task 20. Write one word in each gap.

1	The great _____ between England and France for supremacy upon the North American continent was drawing near its final stage.	T
2	It had been waged for more than a _____ with varying fortunes, and over a vast extent of territory.	E
3	The sea-girt province of Acadia in the extreme east, and the rich valley of the Ohio in the far west had alike been the scene of bloody encounters, and now the combatants were coming to close grips in that picturesque and beautiful portion of New York State where the _____ lakes Champlain and George lay embosomed amid forest-clad hills.	W
4	The possession of these lakes was divided between the two _____, the French being masters of Lake Champlain, and the English of Lake George, and their crystal waters were again and again red-dened with the life blood of the antagonists and their Indian allies as they fought fiercely for the prize of sole possession that the way between Canada and the colonies might be completely closed to whichever power was vanquished.	R
5	In the spring of the year 1755 the _____ Eng-land colonies combined to undertake the capture of Crown Point, the French stronghold on Lake Champlain, which for the past quarter of a century had been a veritable hornet's nest.	W

6	To Governor Shirley of _____ was due the credit of inspiring the undertaking, and his province was foremost in voting men and money toward its accomplishment, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and finally New York followed suit, and the result was a little army of several thousand men, whose appearance would have filled a European commander with scorn.	M
7	For they were none of them soldiers, but simply farmers and farmers' _____ who had gallantly volunteered for the campaign, leaving their scattered dingy homes in the midst of rough fields of corn and pumpkins to shoulder the guns they all knew so well how to use, and when the fighting was over, if so be that they escaped the bullet and tomahawk, to return to their ploughing and sowing as though they had merely been out on a hunting trip.	O
8	Only one corps _____ a uniform, blue faced with red. The others were content with their ordinary clothes, and the most of them brought their own guns.	A
9	They had no bayonets, but carried hatchets in their belts _____, and at their sides were slung powder-horns on which they had carved quaint devices with the points of their pocket knives.	N
10	Their whole appearance was neither martial nor picturesque, and gave them no excuse for _____, but they were brave, brawny fellows, clear of head, quick of eye, swift of foot, and sure of hand, and incomparably better adapted for the irregular warfare of the time than the highly disciplined soldiery of either England or France.	E
11	They knew the forests as the city-bred _____ knows the streets, and by day or night could traverse their fastnesses without fear of losing their way or falling into the hands of the enemy.	N
12	They _____ of all ages and sizes so to speak, from boys in their teens to gray-haired grandfathers, and from dwarfs to giants, but they all could give a good account of themselves in a fight either at long or close range.	R

13	The commander of this curious _____ was no less remarkable than his men, for he had never seen service, and knew nothing of war.	Y
14	An Irishman by _____, William Johnson had held an extensive domain on the banks of the Mohawk River for a score of years, and grown powerful and rich by trading with the Indians of the Five Nations who found him far more honest and reliable than his Dutch rivals in the business, and over whom he came to acquire so profound an influence that the Government made him Indian Superintendent, an appointment that was hailed with joy throughout the Iroquois Confederacy.	I
15	He had taken to himself a Mohawk _____ for wife, and lived in almost baronial style in a fortified house which was a stronghold against his foes and a centre of lavish hospitality to friends and visitors whether white or red.	Q
16	Governor Shirley had chosen him for the responsible post of _____ because by so doing he prevented any jealousy among the New England colonies, gratified the important province of New York, and secured the co-operation of the Five Nations, a threefold advantage that could be secured in no other way.	M E
17	The gathering place was at Albany, and here in the month of July were assembled several thousand provincials ready for the _____.	Y
18	Hither also came a swarm of Johnson's Mohawks, warriors, squaws, and children. They made _____ very lively.	H
19	They adorned the General's _____ with war-paint, and he joined them in the war dance, and then with his sword cut the first slice from the ox that had been roasted whole for their entertainment.	C
20	"I shall be glad," remarked a New England surgeon surveying the somewhat riotous goings-on with a touch of complacent contempt, "if they _____ as eagerly as they ate their ox, and drank their wine."	I

Task 21. One word in each line is incorrect. Write the correct word. There can be different types of mistakes.

		INCORRECT	CORRECT
1	You starting on Monday with the idea implanted in your bosom that you are going to enjoy yourself.		
2	You wave an airy adieu to the boys in shore, light your biggest pipe, and swagger about the deck as if you were Captain Cook, Sir Francis Drake, and Christopher Columbus all rolled into one.		
3	In Tuesday, you wish you hadn't come.		
4	On Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday, you wish you were dead.		
5	On Saturday, you are able to swallow a little beef tea, and to sit up on deck, and answer with a wan, sweat smile when kind-hearted people ask you how you feel now.		
6	On Sunday, you begin to walk about again, and takes solid food.		
7	And on Monday morning, as, with your bag and umbrella in your hand, you stood by the gunwale, waiting to step ashore, you begin to thoroughly like it.		
8	I remember my brother- of -law going for a short sea trip once, for the benefit of his health.		
9	He took a return berth from London to Liverpool; and when he gots to Liverpool, the only thing he was anxious about was to sell that return ticket.		
10	It were offered round the town at a tremendous reduction, so I am told; and was eventually sold for eighteenpence to a bilious-looking youth who had just been advised by his medical men to go to the sea-side, and take exercise.		
11	Sea-side!" said my brother-in-law, pressing the ticket affectionately into his arm; "why, you'll have enough to last you a lifetime; and as for exercise! why, you'll get more		

	exercise, sitting down on that ship, than you would turning somersaults on dry land.”		
12	He himself – my brother-in-law – came back on train. He said the North-Western Railway was healthy enough for him.		

Task 22. Write one word which can be used in all three sentences.

1	There was a wobble, a wild lurch sidewise, a brief jump _____ the road, and a terrific jolt as the machine came to a halt. As though a taxicab, minus its driver and running amuck into a stone wall, was not enough hard luck to throw _____ the path of Motor Matt, he had also to deal with a young woman masquerading in man's attire. “What taxicab?” the man asked, drawing one hand _____ his forehead.	
2	His face went _____. The conductor, when sending the telegram from Stoughton, had had the message copied on a telegraph _____ and had returned the letter to Matt. We must be understood, however, as speaking here only of rhymed poetry, for were the _____ verse of our dramatic poets of this epoch included, there can be no doubt but that in versification likewise the palm must be awarded to Shakespeare and his contemporaries.	
3	Carried _____ by his thoughts, he suddenly came back to his sober senses and found himself staring blankly into a window filled with pipes and tobacco at the V-shaped point of the Flat-iron Building. Without saying anything further, he turned _____ and started back along the road. The car was going too fast. Besides, I didn't know my friend was in the car until it was too far _____.	
4	It was a lonely piece of road where they had come to a stop, shadowed deeply, as it was, _____ a thick growth of trees on either side. The next moment he was seized _____ strong hands and dragged through the bushes and into the woods. It's a long ride, and he went _____ automobile.	

5	I'm sorry you couldn't meet _____ with my pard, but I'll bring him around to your office Wednesday. Out of these five days, too, they had spent one afternoon fishing near City Island, and had given _____ several hours to watching the oystermen off Sound Beach. I had five hundred saved _____ and to my credit in the Tucson bank.
6	They stood in a row, I _____ them, and we sent the boomerangs chasing through the air. He disappeared _____ the humpies without a whimper, soon coming out again with a bandage of rags around the wounded leg. It may be met with in shady groves and thickets, and nestled _____ the long grass and other herbage upon our hedge-banks.
7	The leaves are very ornamental in character, the central line giving _____ large side leaflets, and the intermediate spaces being filled by smaller ones. The peculiar arrangement of the ribs, curving _____ right and left from a line running along the centre of the shell, gives rise to the formation of a series of festoon-like ribs, which add much to the general beauty of this species. Indeed, at times he was seen carrying them _____ as he had done the poor little queen, until at length the village seemed to be becoming depopulated of its maidenhood.
8	A permanent variety may be occasionally met _____, in which the leaves, instead of being of the ordinary deep and bluish green, are in addition irregularly blotched with varying and intermingling tones of yellow. This plant, from its association _____ winter, should be one of those familiar to the student of ornamental art. This hedge, the pride of John Evelyn's garden, did not prove so impregnable to the hedge-breaker as its owner fondly thought, since one of the great amusements of the Czar Peter, during his stay _____ Evelyn, was to trundle a wheelbarrow through it, to the ultimate ruin of the hedge and the no small sorrow of its hospitable owner.
9	How he would have rejoiced at the popular movement introduced by Mr. Mitchell at the Zoological Gardens, and since so powerfully backed _____ by other colossal vivaria of the day; the aquaria at the Crystal Palace, Brighton, Ramsgate, and other places; and what results would he not have predicted when, in walking through the mammontainted streets of our great metropolis, he passed dozens of shops for the sale of aquaria, vivaria, glass jars, siphons, prawns, mussels, anemones, efts, and sticklebacks.

	It is not the difficulty of a beginning, for the start has been made; nor of the end, for a precipitate retreat has happened to more than one illustrious character; and if these pages could prove as entertaining as the immortal Sam's valentine, even "a sudden pull _____" might only make the reader "wish there was more."	
	In the former chapter are figured some of those prevalent species which no one could fail to find in a walk along the shore: in this, which is devoted to the olive weeds or true fuci, the illustrations are drawn chiefly from among others of those common forms which are accessible to everybody, about which there are no considerations of rarity, pains, or price, and which indeed are always to be had for the trouble of picking them _____.	

Task 23. Read the text below and look carefully at each line. Some of the lines are correct, and some have an extra word. Tick (v) the sentences that are correct. If a line has a word which should not be there, write the word down.

1	Seth Ward, who followed him, had, as well dean of Exeter, distinguished himself by his zeal and courage.	
2	He drove from the cathedral then precincts the buyers and sellers who had encroached thereon, and the partition wall that divided the cathedral was taken down at his request.	
3	During the Commonwealth "the building which was now formally be called 'the late cathedral church' was divided by a brick wall into two places of worship, known as East Peter's and West Peter's."	
4	The east portion was used off by the Independents and the west by Presbyterians.	
5	Ward spent £20,000 on redeeming the cathedral from the degradation it had been suffered, and bought an organ, "esteemed the best in England," which cost him £2,000.	
6	He was translated to Salisbury in 1667.	
7	He was a man of considerable the ability and was a founder of the Royal Society.	
8	Sparrow succeeded to the see in 1667. During his episcopate the Grand Duke Cosmo visited Exeter and wondered at the worthy bishop, his wife, and his nine children.	
9	The Duke of Tuscany was being spoken of in the local reports as the Duke of Tuskey, and he received from the corporation a gift of "£20, or thereabouts."	
10	Sparrow, on his translation to Norwich, was succeeded by Lamplugh, whose political acumen, at any rate, would compels admiration, if not respect.	

11	He fervently bade his flock rally round the unfortunate James II, and then, posting to London, was rewarded by the grateful king with the archbishopric of York.	
12	He then without any compunction crowned by William of Orange, King of England.	

Task 24. Match the following words or phrases with their definitions.

1	a black sheep	A	an expensive, useless thing
2	a golden parachute	B	the brain
3	a red herring	C	owing money
4	a white elephant	D	provoking
5	a white flag	E	to swear a lot
6	grey matter	F	the outcast
7	grey nomads	G	excessive bureaucracy
8	in the red	H	a U.S. military honor badge
9	like a red flag to a bull	I	to be fired
10	off-color	J	faithful
11	red tape	K	money given to an executive leaving a company
12	the Purple Heart	L	retirees who travel around the country
13	to get a pink slip	M	inappropriate
14	to turn the air blue	N	surrender
15	true blue	O	a false clue

Task 25. Write out the correct spelling of these words. [GAMES]

1	/'blæk.dʒæk/	
2	/brɪdʒ/	
3	/kə' næs.tə/	
4	/,grænd 'slæm/	
5	/'dəʊ.kər/	
6	/'pəʊ.kər/	
7	/pɒn'tu:n/	
8	/pu:l/	
9	/'rʌm.i/	
10	/speɪd/	

Task 26. Complete the crossword.

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1	"PULL SOMEONE'S _____" / fool somebody
2	"SHAKE A _____" / hurry
3	"GET OFF SOMEONE'S" _____ / stop bothering somebody
4	"PAY THROUGH THE _____" / pay too much
5	"PUT YOUR _____ ON THE LINE" / risk
6	"_____ FAKE" / fake movement
7	"STEP ON SOMEONE'S _____" / compete
8	"FROM THE HORSE'S _____" / from a trustworthy source
9	"ALL _____" / clumsy
10	"FAT _____" / press the wrong button (using a keyboard)

Task 27. Write one word in each gap. The first letter of each word is given as an additional clue.

Peaty finished his **H** _____ 1 _____ on Saturday with best time.

Adam Peaty (UK) has **L** _____ 2 _____ his own world record in the 100m breaststroke at the **R** _____ 3 _____ 2016 Olympic Games.

«I went out pretty fast, quite easy, came back and I heard everyone **C** _____ 4 _____ and I thought, what are they **C** _____ 5 _____ for, there's no Brazilians in this lane?» Peaty said.

Peaty and other swimmers moved on to the evening semi-finals.

«It was great to get out there and enjoy the **C** _____ 6 _____ and become an Olympian,» Peaty said. «My first Olympic Games and I'm just excited to race.»

The sportsman added it was unusual to break a world record in **P** _____ 7 _____ rounds.

«I wasn't even **P** _____ 8 _____ up in the call room. But as soon as I walked in, it was either **F** _____ 9 _____ or flight and I chose to actually get something out of it. You can either be shy of the arena or take advantage of it.»

Task 28. Write words in Modern English instead of the given ones.

1	O, Jenny's a' WEET , poor body, Jenny's seldom dry:	E
2	She DRAIGL'T a' her petticoatie, Comin thro' the rye!	G
3	GIN a body meet a body Comin thro' the rye, Gin a body kiss a body, Need a body cry?	
4	Gin a body meet a body Comin thro' the glen	O
5	Gin a body kiss a body, Need the WARL' KEN ?	W
6	Gin a body meet a body Comin thro' the grain; Gin a body kiss a body, The thing's a body's AIN .	N

Task 29. Match the following words or phrases to their definitions.

1	chow down	A	in melancholy mood
2	down and out	B	something that you say before drinking an alcoholic drink
3	down in the dumps	C	in the place where someone lives
4	down sb's way	D	eat heartily
5	down the drain	E	in a few years
6	down the hatch	F	until the last moment
7	down the road	G	completely spoiled
8	down the toilet	H	get serious about something
9	down to the wire	I	disappointed with something
10	down under	J	poor person who need help
11	get down to brass tacks	K	a total failure
12	go down in flames	L	Australia or New Zealand
13	go down like a lead balloon	M	be utterly ruined
14	down on something	N	wasted or spoiled

Task 30. Write out the correct spelling of these words.

1	/'bentʃ.wɔ:.mə/	
2	/'tʃæl.ɪndʒ/	
3	/,kləʊs'ɾʌn/	
4	/kəm'pet.ɪ.tɪv/	
5	/kən'tes.tənt/	
6	/'ɡeɪm ,tʃem.dʒər/	
7	/'raɪ.vəl.ri/	
8	/'skɔ:.bɔ:d/	
9	/'trəʊ.fi.ləs/	
10	/'ʌn.də.dʒ/	

Task 31. Read the text below and look carefully at each line. Some of the lines are correct, and some are incorrect. Tick (v) the sentences that are correct, or write the correct word where necessary. There can be different types of mistakes.

		INCORRECT	CORRECT
1	You look very much like your uncle George, your mother's brother, as he was in your age.		
2	He took a fever at some infected port, and died at shipboard.		
3	She got cut off several times on this highway yesterday.		
4	She was uncertain as for which college to enroll.		
5	Somehow I have a great desire to see if I can find anything that will throw light at my uncle's life and character.		
6	If you would like to try your hand on sermon writing you can write a sermon and submit it to me.		
7	Working well at pressure is a good trait to have.		
8	All eyes will be after Jose Mourinho as he returns to the Premier League.		
9	I can't wait to make my contribution on the team success.		
10	Mr. Fenwick was overjoyed from the thought of seeing his son again.		

Task 32. Complete the crossword.

For the time he forgot the fact that he had no money with which to meet the mortgage; but it was brought back to his ____ when, later in the day, he met Deacon Crane in the village.	Across 1
“Well, parson,” began the deacon, abruptly, “I hope you haven’t forgotten that the mortgage falls due day after to-morrow. Have you ____ the money to pay it?”	Down 6
“No, Deacon Crane. Money seems very hard to ____ just now.”	Down 7
“I am ____ of that. You will find it best to sell to me.”	Across 2
“What do you ____?”	Down 8
“A thousand dollars over and above the face of the ____.”	Down 10
“But,” said the minister, dismayed, “that would make the place ____ only fifteen hundred dollars!”	Down 9
“Fifteen hundred dollars is a great ____ of money.”	Across 3
“Why, I paid ____ thousand!”	Across 4
“Maybe, maybe; but ____ depreciates in the course of years.”	Across 5

	Across		Down
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Task 33. Write one word which can be used in all three sentences.

1	“Northern Lands”, the second volume of the second series of “Young America Abroad,” describes the varied experience of the ____ tourists of the Academy Squadron in the Baltic, and during their journeys in Russia and Prussia, and their voyages between the different ports in these countries.
	____ justice practitioners must have access to useful and accurate information about the lives of abused and neglected children who lack safe and nurturing environments.
	Daniel Jacob Radcliffe is an English actor best known for his ____ lead as Harry Potter in the film series of the same name.
2	He said he’d be done in a ____.
	Buy a USB ____ drive online for the best selection and pricing options.
	The beautiful people like to ____ their money around on the streets.
3	The Eisenhower is the highest ____ tunnel in the world.
	A recreational ____ affords us the most opportunity to have an easy way to exist and travel everywhere.
	A heavy goods ____ is the European Union term for any truck with a gross combination mass of over 3,500 kilograms.
4	It was just another episode in the ongoing ____ of his problems on campus.
	The family ____ is a genre of literature which chronicles the lives and doings of a family.
	This Scandinavian ____ was written in Old Norse.
5	However, another recent ____ from the Institute found that expenses are not the only thing colleges students have to worry about, though.
	What do I have to do if I wish to ____ the offence or make a criminal complaint?
	Many companies view their annual ____ as a potentially effective marketing tool to help shareholders make the right investment decision.
6	He was part of an extreme political group that did ____ the use of violence.
	Most students support the project, but let me play devil’s ____ for a moment.
	Consulting an ____ in special education can help parents get important services for their children with disabilities.
7	You can now see how much electricity you’re using easily, you just have to ____ into your online account.
	The Yule ____ is a specially selected cake burnt on a hearth as a Christmas tradition in a number of countries in Europe.
	The company also wants to know the total number of miles you drove during the year for business and commuting, so your mileage ____ must include a record of the dates of your business trips.

8	Men wore long-sleeved wool and linen garments reaching almost to the _____, around which they wore a belt tied in a knot.
	I won't be brought to my _____ by the haters who say I'm a loser.
	Chuck Norris _____ his clinched opponent severely.
9	Ideas for a cross-Channel fixed _____ appeared as early as 1802, but British political and press pressure over the compromising of national security stalled attempts to construct a tunnel.
	Click on this _____ to download files.
	Missing _____, a non-scientific term for any Transitional fossil or species, especially the Chimpanzee–human last common ancestor which is connected with human evolution.
10	Mike Freeman is the editor-at-_____ at 'Time' magazine.
	There are a few disadvantages, but by and _____ my new job provides me with invaluable experience.
	Another objection of the teacher begins to loom _____.

Task 34. Write one word in each gap.

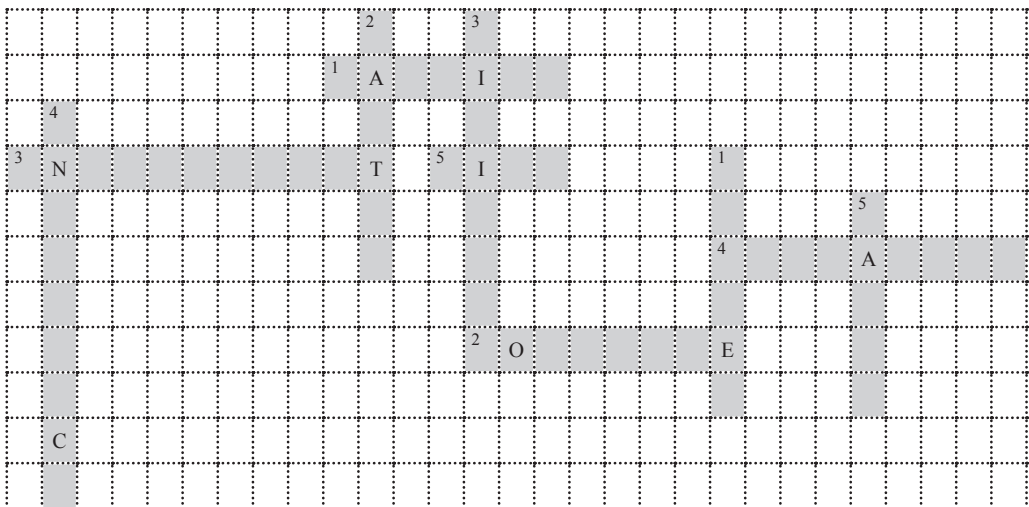
1	Sacramento is the capital city of the U.S. state of California and the _____ of Sacramento County.	
2	Sacramento is the cultural and economic _____ of the Sacramento metropolitan area.	
3	Its metropolitan _____ is the fourth largest in California.	
4	Sacramento became a _____ through the efforts of the Swiss immigrant John Sutter, Sr.	
5	Sacramento grew quickly thanks to the protection of Sutter's _____, which was established by Sutter in 1839.	
6	During the California _____ Rush, Sacramento was a major distribution point, a commercial and agricultural center.	
7	Unlike the settlers who would eventually _____ Sacramento their home, Native Americans left little evidence of their existence.	
8	John Sutter first arrived on August 13, 1839 at the divergence of the American and Sacramento Rivers with a Mexican _____ grant of 50,000 acres.	

9	Fort Sutter became a regular ____ for the increasing number of immigrants coming through the valley.	
10	Sutter received 2,000 fruit ____ in 1847, which started the agriculture industry in the Sacramento Valley.	

Task 35. Write one word in each gap.

1	Alleyne, glancing ____ her, noted that her breath came quick and short, and that her cheeks had blanched to a lily white.
2	Du Guesclin eyed her keenly ____ time to time, and passed his broad brown fingers through his crisp, curly black hair with the air of a man who is perplexed in his mind.
3	Then there is the Abbot, too. I am no friend of his, nor he of mine; but he has warm blood in his veins. He is the ____ man left among them.
4	That is why, having had time to ____ thought, I am right glad to find myself back in it once more.
5	There was ____ furniture, save a single long dresser covered with coarse crockery, and a number of wooden benches and trestles, the legs of which sank deeply into the soft clay floor.
6	His face was swollen and coarse, and his watery protruding ____ spoke of a life which never wandered very far from the wine-pot.
7	The peasant in the sheepskins, who had sat glum and silent all evening, had been so heated by his flagon of ale that he was talking loudly and angrily with clenched hands and flashing ____.

Task 36. Complete the crossword.



	Across	Key	Down	Key
1		an officer of the court who carries out the court's orders		a person or organisation which looks after valuable items to keep them safe for the owner
2		the country where your permanent home is		a way of paying for things without using money
3		a change to a contract		if a company has profits to share out, it can pay a ____
4		general price increases		when someone dies without leaving a will
5		the right to keep possession of something until the debt has been settled		the person money is being paid to

Task 37. Write one word in each gap. One letter in each word and its position are given as an additional clue.

1	'Enhancing Critical Thinking' is a ____ designed for undergraduate students.	R
2	In order to fulfill the requirements of the modules students should have a good ____ of written English.	M
3	The students should know the ____ theories and concepts in linguistics and intercultural communication.	M
4	The students should have the ability to ____ scientific data.	L
5	This bipartite course covers ____ areas.	O
6	In general, the cumulative ____ for different parts of the course consists of lecture attendance and seminar participation.	G
7	Seminars do ____ at encouraging student-centred learning.	M
8	Group work ____ students' ability to think critically.	N
9	The most up-to-date test prep ____ on the market, this book can be purchased with several additional test preparation tools.	N
10	Lecture attendance is compulsory for everyone, it will be monitored via an attendance ____.	E

Task 38. Write one word which can be used in all three sentences.

1	Meanwhile, in the broad and ____ chamber set apart for occasions of import, the Abbot himself was pacing impatiently backwards and forwards, with his long white nervous hands clasped in front of him.
	Abbot Berghersh was a good man, but how was he better than this kindly knight, who lived as simple a life, held as ____ and inflexible an ideal of duty, and did with all his fearless heart whatever came to his hand to do?
	Alleyne might talk to her of the stories of old gods and heroes, of gallant deeds and ____ aims, or he might hold forth upon moon and stars, and let his fancy wander over the hidden secrets of the universe, and he would have a rapt listener with flushed cheeks and eloquent eyes, who could repeat after him the very words which had fallen from his lips.
2	And yet the Lady Maude Loring was no easy ____ to handle.
	Why does the ____ of our eye contracts in bright light and expands in dim light?
	Day ____ is a student who attends boarding school but who is not a boarder and who travels between home and school every day.
3	“Well, bethink you that it is but three days ere you will all be gone, and Castle Twynham be as ____ as the Priory. Is there not enough there to cloud a lady’s brow?”
	Yet it was no time now to think of pain or even ____ ache.
	There’s never a ____ moment with my little kids.
4	Even as he looked one of the archers drew his sword with a ____ whirr of steel and stepped up to the lost man.
	The sun had risen over Ashurst and Denny woods, and was shining brightly, though the eastern wind had a ____ flavor to it, and the leaves were flickering thickly from the trees.
	As they streamed past the silent forest around broke suddenly into loud life, with galloping of hoofs, crackling of brushwood, and the short, ____ cries of the hunters.
5	The one who led was a man between fifty and sixty years of age, war-worn and ____-beaten, with a broad, thoughtful forehead and eyes which shone brightly from under his fierce and overhung brows.
	Two of the company, who were dressed in the ____-stained green doublet of foresters, lifted the big pot off the fire, and a third, with a huge pewter ladle, served out a portion of steaming collops to each guest.
	There is goose-grease in a box, if the old scars ache at the turn of the ____.

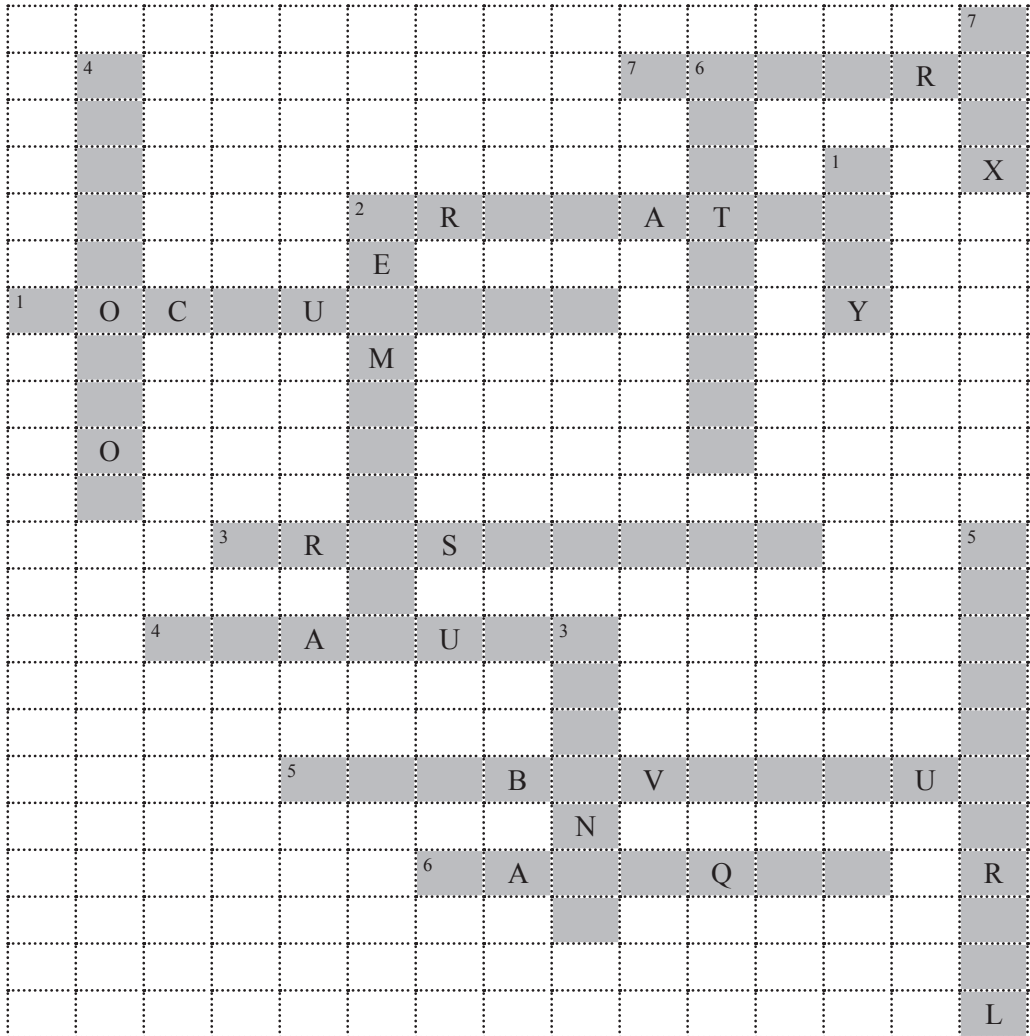
6	“Edricson,” quoth Sir Nigel, “you have young eyes, and mine are somewhat bedimmed. Should you chance to see a knight laugh, or smile, or even, look you, arch his brows, or purse his mouth, or in any way show surprise that I should uphold the Lady Mary, you will take particular note of his name, his ____-armor, and his lodging. Your glove, my life’s desire!”
	This authentic style frock ____ has notched lapels, featuring decorative custom buttons to the right side, and ornate black military style braiding to the left.
	Cut your ____ according to your cloth.
7	“Now, God’s blessing on your honest English voice!” cried the stranger, pricking up his ears at the ____ of Alleyne’s words.
	In areas explored by the British in the late 18th Century, particularly the northwest coast of North America, the term ____ was applied to inlets containing large islands.
	For God has not given us a spirit of fearfulness, but one of power, love, and ____ judgment.
8	“He is in camp, near Montpezat, two hours’ ____ from here, my fair lord,” said Johnston, the grizzled bowman who commanded the archers.
	We joined the protest ____ to show solidarity with our friends.
	Mad as a ____ hare. He did frighten me, I can tell you.
9	“I do not think,” said Sir Nigel, as he stood by Alleyne’s side looking after the French knight and his lady, “that in ____ Christendom you will meet with a more stout-hearted man or a fairer and sweeter dame.”
	Profit is the be-____ and end-all of business.
	My holiday was rubbish: there was sod ____ to do.
10	The mallet hand of Edward, however, had shattered all the schemes and wiles of the ____.
	A board ____ also offers a cleaner, more advanced alternative to lab etching tanks, which may lack the accuracy to fabricate more advanced layout designs.
	Each ____ was responsible for aircraft movements in a particular sector, changing the plots regularly so that the whole picture of a raid could be monitored by the Group controllers who were stationed in a gallery above the plotting table.

Task 39. Write one word in each gap.

1	ISBN – International Standard ____ Num- ber	O
2	NBA – National ____ Association	T B
3	NAFTA – North American ____ Trade Agreement	R
4	NATO – North American ____ Organization	E
5	UFO – Unidentified ____ Object	Y
6	UNICEF – United Nations Children's ____	U
7	CIA – Central Intelligence ____	G
8	IQ – Intelligence ____	T
9	AKA – Also ____ As	N
10	NASA – National Aeronautical and ____ Administration	S

Task 40. Form plurals of nouns.

1	headquarters	
2	index	
3	passer-by	
4	alumnus	
5	bonus	
6	epoch	
7	scarf	
8	spoof	
9	zero	
10	embryo	

Task 41. Complete the crossword. [ANIMALS]


Across		Down	
1	performing most actions at night	1	hunted animal
2	hunting animal	2	always frozen soil throughout the Polar regions
3	lower primate	3	no longer existing species
4	part of body	4	act of moving from place to place
5	eating plants	5	relating to land
6	medium-seized monkey	6	not developed part of body
7	large cage for birds	7	wild animal of the cat family with brown hair and dark spots on it

Task 42. Write one word which can be used in all three sentences.

1	His glory, by whose might all ____ are moved, Pierces the universe, and in one part Sheds more resplendence, elsewhere less.
	First ____ first, this guy needs our help.
	As of 2016, the vision of the Internet of ____ has evolved due to a convergence of multiple technologies, including ubiquitous wireless communication.
2	So now all who escaped ____ in battle or by shipwreck had got safely home except Ulysses, and he, though he was longing to return to his wife and country, was detained by the goddess Calypso, who had got him into a large cave and wanted to marry him.
	Unfortunately, we have diagnosed brain ____.
	He's accused you of adultery, which is the marriage kiss of ____.
3	But as years went ____, there came a time when the gods settled that he should go back to Ithaca; even then, however, when he was among his own people, his troubles were not yet over; nevertheless all the gods had now begun to pity him except Neptune, who still persecuted him without ceasing and would not let him get home.
	This daughter of Atlas has got hold of poor unhappy Ulysses, and keeps trying ____ every kind of blandishment to make him forget his home, so that he is tired of life, and thinks of nothing but how he may once more see the smoke of his own chimneys.
	Polyphemus is son to Neptune ____ the nymph Thoosa, daughter to the sea-king Phorcys; therefore though he will not kill Ulysses outright, he torments him by preventing him from getting home.
4	And Minerva said, "Father, son of Saturn, ____ of kings, if, then, the gods now mean that Ulysses should get home, we should first send Mercury to the Ogygian island to tell Calypso that we have made up our minds and that he is to return."
	Turning ____'s evidence will greatly increase your chances of a more lenient sentence.
	For your restful sleep: ____-size beds with orthopedic mattresses.
5	He led the ____ as he spoke, and Minerva followed him.
	Tony Blair committed his government to treading the Third ____.
	He saw us through the two-____ mirror.

6	A ____ servant then brought them water in a beautiful golden ewer and poured it into a silver basin for them to wash their hands, and she drew a clean table beside them.
	She was ____ of honor at our wedding.
	I was an old ____ when John courted me.
7	Then the suitors came in and took their places on the ____.
	How are federal court judges selected to the ____?
	Looks like it's time for Ronaldo to get off the ____ and score the equalizer.
8	Would that I were son to one who had grown old upon his own estates, for, since you ask me, there is no more ill-starred man under ____ than he who they tell me is my father.
	Thank ____ you've come!
	I've moved ____ and earth to win the race.
9	There is no fear of your race ____ out yet.
	I'll remember your generosity to my ____ day.
	Amazingly, the ____ words of two Founding Fathers (Thomas Jefferson and John Adams) were uttered on the same day, July 4.
10	Give him his ____, shield, and a couple of lances, and if he is the man he was when I first knew him in our house, drinking and making merry, he would soon lay his hands about these rascally suitors, were he to stand once more upon his own threshold.
	The pith ____ is a lightweight cloth-covered hat made of pith material.
	Wearing a crash ____ is a wise idea.
11	Of joyous days ye bring the blissful vision; The dear, familiar phantoms rise again, And, like an old and half-extinct ____, First Love returns, with Friendship in his train.
	They were among the first to break with ____ and use credit cards instead of cash.
	This movie was filmed in the ____ of Steven Spielberg.
12	What I possess, I see ____ distant lying, And what I lost, grows real and undying.
	Some achievements have been made thus ____.
	People came from ____ and wide to see what happened.
13	You two, who oft a helping hand Have lent, in need and tribulation. Come, let me know your expectation Of this, our enterprise, in German ____!
	Many Russians regard Sochi as a ____ of milk and honey.
	I am a samurai from the ____ of the Rising Sun.

14	Then give me back that ____ of pleasures, While yet in joyous growth I sang, – When, like a fount, the crowding measures Uninterrupted gushed and sprang!
	There's a ____ lag of about a month.
	Of course I love you, but I obviously need some me ____.
15	If Poetry ____ your vocation, Let Poetry your will obey!
	If need ____, we can take a loan to buy a car.
	It is your choice, so ____ it.

Task 43. Complete the crossword. [U.S. Constitution]

We the People of the United States, in Order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defence, promote the general Welfare, and secure the ____ of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.	Across 3
All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and ____ of Representatives.	Down 6
No Person shall be a Representative who shall not have attained to the Age of twenty five Years, and been seven Years a Citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an ____ of that State in which he shall be chosen.	Down 10
The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, chosen by the ____ thereof, for six Years; and each Senator shall have one Vote.	Across 4
Each House shall be the Judge of the Elections, Returns and Qualifications of its own Members, and a Majority of each shall constitute a ____ to do Business.	Down 7
Each House may determine the Rules of its Proceedings, punish its Members for disorderly Behaviour, and, with the ____ of two thirds, expel a Member.	Across 1
Each House shall keep a ____ of its Proceedings, and from time to time publish the same, excepting such Parts as may in their Judgment require Secrecy.	Down 8
Neither House, during the Session of Congress, shall, without the ____ of the other, adjourn for more than three days, nor to any other Place than that in which the two Houses shall be sitting.	Across 5

	Across		Down
1		6	
2		7	
3		8	
4		9	
5		10	

A crossword puzzle grid with 10 numbered starting points. The grid is 10 columns wide and 10 rows high. The starting points are: 1 (top-left), 2 (row 5, column 1), 3 (row 4, column 4), 4 (row 7, column 4), 5 (row 9, column 6), 6 (top-left), 7 (top-left), 8 (row 5, column 3), 9 (top-right), and 10 (row 4, column 8). The letters are: Row 1: O, U, E; Row 2: M, L, T, N; Row 3: M, U; Row 4: M, S, S, S; Row 5: M, L, T; Row 6: U; Row 7: E, I, T, E; Row 8: O; Row 9: L, S; Row 10: T.

Task 44. Write one word in each gap. [BRITISH DEMONYMS]

1	Norwich	I
2	Bath	I
3	Derby	I
4	Oxford	I
5	Bristol	I I
6	Exeter	I
7	Leeds	I
8	Liverpool	O
9	Luton	I
10	Newcastle	I

Task 45. Write one word in each gap. [COUNTRIES / NATIONS IDIOMS]

1	It's all ____ to me	= when we cannot understand
2	Excuse my ____	= apology for swearing
3	Go ____	= share the bill
4	____ whispers	= inaccurate information
5	Talk for ____	= talk for hours and hours
6	____ standoff	= when two sides cannot agree
7	____ summer	= late autumn when the weather is unusually warm
8	Young ____	= young rebel
9	____ uncle	= person who gives unwelcome advice
10	____ practices	= unauthorized working methods
11	____ wife	= long pillow
12	____ leave	= without saying 'Goodbye'
13	Beware of ____ bearing gifts	= don't trust your enemies
14	____ disease	= going on strike

Task 46. Write one word in each gap.

1	The Des Moines River is a ____ of the Mississippi River in the upper Midwestern United States	T _____ Y
2	that is approximately 525 miles (845 km) long from its farther ____.	H _____ S
3	The largest river ____ across the state of Iowa,	F _____ G
4	it ____ in southern Minnesota and flows across Iowa from northwest to southeast,	R _____ S
5	passing from the glaciated ____ into the unglaciated hills near the capital city of Des Moines, named after the river, in the center of the state.	_____ A I _____
6	The Des Moines River forms a short portion of Iowa's ____ with Missouri in Lee County.	_____ R D _____
7	The ____ of the Saints, a four-lane highway from St. Paul, Minnesota to St. Louis, Missouri, passes over this section;	_____ E N _____
8	the highway is designated Route 27 in both Iowa and Missouri, and was completed in the early 21 st ____.	C _____ Y

Task 47. Write one word in each gap. [U.S. STATES DEMONYMS]

1	Alaska	_____
2	Arkansas	_____
3	Colorado	_____
4	Indiana	_____
5	Maine	_____
6	Utah	_____
7	Wyoming	_____
8	Oregon	_____
9	New York	_____
10	Florida	_____

Task 48. Match the two columns. [U.S. STATES DEMONYMS]

1	North Carolina	A	Sandlapper
2	Ohio	B	Wolverine
3	New York	C	Bay Stater
4	Michigan	D	Buckeye
5	Wisconsin	E	Tar Heel
6	Idaho	F	Fortune Seeker
7	South Carolina	G	Down Easter
8	Massachusetts	H	Knickerbocker
9	Maine	I	Corncracker
10	Kentucky	J	Badger

Task 49. Write one word in each gap. [GRECO-ROMAN DEMONYMS]

1	Sparta	
2	Argos	
3	Athens	
4	Etruria	
5	Rome	
6	Germania	
7	Latium	
8	Byzantium	
9	Macedonia	
10	Marathon	

Task 50. Write one word in each gap.

1	Fossils are the remains, or even the indications, of animals and plants that _____, through natural agencies, been buried in the earth and preserved for long periods of time.
2	This may seem a rather meagre definition, but it is a difficult matter _____ frame one that will be at once brief, exact, and comprehensive; fossils are not necessarily the remains of extinct animals or plants, neither are they, of necessity, objects that have become petrified or turned into stone.

3	Bones of the Great Auk and Rytina, ____ are quite extinct, would hardly be considered as fossils; while the bones of many species of animals, still living, would properly come in that category, having long ago been buried by natural causes and often been changed into stone.
4	And yet it is not essential for ____ specimen to have had its animal matter replaced by some mineral in order that it may be classed as a fossil, for the Siberian Mammoths, found entombed in ice, are very properly spoken of as fossils, although the flesh of at least one of these animals was so fresh that it was eaten.
5	Likewise the mammoth tusks brought to market are termed fossil-ivory, although differing but little ____ the tusks of modern elephants.
6	Many fossils indeed merit their popular appellation of petrifications, because they have ____ changed into stone by the slow removal of the animal or vegetable matter present and its replacement by some mineral, usually silica or some form of lime.
7	But it is necessary to include 'indications of plants or animals' in the above definition because some of the best fossils may ____ merely impressions of plants or animals and no portion of the objects themselves, and yet, as we shall see, some of our most important information has been gathered from these same imprints.
8	Nearly all our knowledge of the plants that flourished in the past is based ____ the impressions of their leaves left on the soft mud or smooth sand that later on hardened into enduring stone.
9	Such, too, are the trails of creeping and crawling things, casts of the burrows of worms and the many footprints ____ the reptiles, great and small, that crept along the shore or stalked beside the waters of the ancient seas.
10	The creatures themselves have passed ____, their massive bones even are lost, but the prints of their feet are as plain to-day as when they were first made.

PART II

Task 1. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	Her life was just an endless ____ of books.	SUCCEED
2	At last I observed Rosie standing quite at the end of the platform, where the snow was thicker, and she had collected a large ____, which she held up in her hands.	SNOW
3	I thought her position, at the ____ of the platform, and just at the edge too, terribly dangerous.	EXTREME
4	I had just opened my lips to call out to her that the train was coming, when a whole ____ of snow came dab into my face, filling my mouth and eyes.	HAND
5	It was that little rogue Frank, who had crept close up to me, and ____ bestowed upon my face the snow he had been collecting.	PLAY
6	I screamed with all my might, and a railway porter ran to her, whisked her up in his arms, and brought her ____ on to the platform again.	SAFE
7	On the way home, Charlie sat in front and drove, with the coachman beside him; but he contrived now and then to turn his head a little, and keep up his lecture to his brother and sister about their ____ behaviour all the way.	RIOT
8	Let us go in: I wish to make you acquainted with a little ____, whom I hope you will love very much.	COMPANY
9	Even if I walk a mile, I feel that it is a ____.	HARD
10	Guy sighed, and his bright face looked ____, for it was only a twelvemonth since his mother was laid away in the little graveyard at Bayport.	SORROW

Task 2. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	The great bell of Beaulieu was ringing; far away through the forest might be heard its ____ clangor and swell.	MUSIC
2	A swift ____ had the night before sped round to the outlying dependencies of the Abbey, and had left the summons for every monk to be back in the cloisters by the third hour after noontide.	MESSAGE
3	A stranger who knew nothing either of the Abbey or of its immense resources might have gathered from the appearance of the brothers some ____ of the varied duties which they were called upon to perform, and of the busy, wide-spread life which centred in the old monastery.	CONCEIVE
4	There again was a ____ brother with a broad-headed axe and a bundle of faggots upon his shoulders, while beside him walked another with the shears under his arm and the white wool still clinging to his whiter gown.	BEARD
5	Meanwhile, in the broad and lofty chamber set apart for occasions of import, the Abbot himself was pacing ____ backwards and forwards, with his long white nervous hands clasped in front of him.	PATIENT
6	Yet, frail as was his person there gleamed out ever and anon from under his drooping brows a flash of fierce energy, which recalled to men's minds that he came of a fighting stock, and that even now his twin-brother, Sir Bartholomew Berghersh, was one of the most famous of those stern ____ who had planted the Cross of St. George before the gates of Paris.	WAR
7	With lips compressed and clouded brow, he strode up and down the oaken floor, the very genius and ____ of asceticism, while the great bell still thundered and clanged above his head.	PERSON
8	"Have the brethren come?" he asked, in the Anglo-French dialect used in ____ houses.	RELIGION
9	It seemed to him that in this country of England there was no ____ for a man save that which lay in the strength of his own arm and the speed of his own foot.	PROTECT
10	His blood was fairly ____, however, and he needed no such challenge.	FLAME

Task 3. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	_____ in prices are a common phenomenon in the economic world, particularly among producers of agricultural products.	FLUCTUATE
2	A system at nonzero temperature does not stay in its equilibrium microscopic state, but instead randomly samples all possible states, with _____ given by the Boltzmann distribution.	PROBABLE
3	A more reckless _____ of the flying knee strike can be applied by rotating the body so that the side of the knee strikes the opponent.	APPLY
4	It is the first banking _____ available through a variety of UK credit unions.	PRODUCE
5	The image of a young actor running down the street in blue jeans is pretty _____.	MEMORY
6	It does not adhere to _____ trends.	SEASON
7	All of that matters _____.	PROFOUND
8	The law is paramount, nevertheless, officers kept lawyers from speaking to _____.	DETAIN
9	In authoritarian societies, you might expect a political leader not to be afraid of the power of _____.	IMPEACH
10	For a good manager it is really important to get players out of the _____ room.	TREAT

Task 4. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	Scientists had urged the _____ of opening an easier channel for trade with the interior of Peru through the river Plate and its tributaries.	FEASIBLE
2	The Council selects and nominates the justices and judges who preside over the court and its divisions for a three-year _____ term.	NEW
3	The promotion of equitable and _____ growth was clearly underfunded.	SUSTAIN
4	Recruitment and training of civil _____ continued, albeit slowly.	SERVE
5	The abuse of _____ financial centres as destinations for funds generated by economic crime was considered.	SHORE
6	In fact, employment is the key factor in integration into society, and in preventing _____.	EXCLUDE

7	This repugnant disregard for life, and the officially sanctioned ____ of murder as martyrdom, is the greatest enemy of the Palestinian and Israeli peoples and of hopes of peace in the region.	GLORY
8	The inclusion within the scope of the draft articles of activities ____ with the utilization of transboundary aquifers but likely to have an impact on them was of particular importance.	CONNECT
9	Liberalization would be marginal when a country lacked competitive local ____ that could adapt.	SUPPLY
10	Those imperialist countries have ____ abused the power of the media by hypocritically portraying themselves as philanthropists and international saviours of victims of various calamities.	SHAME

Task 5. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	The United Nations General Assembly is one of the six principal organs of the United Nations and the only one in which all member nations have equal ____.	PRESENT
2	Its powers are to oversee the budget of the United Nations, appoint the non-permanent members to the Security Council, receive reports from other parts of the United Nations and make recommendations in the form of General Assembly ____.	SOLVE
3	The General Assembly meets under its president or Secretary-General in regular ____ sessions the main part of which lasts from September to December and resumed part from January until all issues are addressed (which often is just before the next session's start).	YEAR
4	The first session was convened on 10 January 1946 in the Methodist Central Hall in London and included ____ of 51 nations.	PRESENT
5	Voting in the General Assembly on important questions, namely, recommendations on peace and security, ____ concerns and the election, admission, suspension or expulsion of members – is by a two-thirds majority of those present and voting.	BUDGET
6	During the 1980s, the Assembly became a forum for the "North-South dialogue": the discussion of issues between ____ nations and developing countries.	INDUSTRY

7	These issues came to the fore because of the ____ growth and changing makeup of the UN membership.	PHENOMENON
8	Although the resolutions passed by the General Assembly do not have the binding forces over the member nations (apart from budgetary measures), ____ to its Uniting for Peace resolution of November 1950, the Assembly may also take action if the Security Council fails to act, owing to the negative vote of a permanent member, in a case where there appears to be a threat to the peace, breach of the peace or act of aggression.	PURSUE
9	The Assembly can consider the matter immediately with a view to making recommendations to Members for ____ measures to maintain or restore international peace and security.	COLLECT
10	The agenda for each session is planned up to seven months in advance and begins with the release of a preliminary list of items to be included in the ____ agenda.	PROVIDE

Task 6. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	Jan van Eyck was a ____ painter active in Bruges.	NETHERLANDS
2	He took ____ in the Hague as a painter.	EMPLOY
3	His ____ panel paintings were connected with religious subjects.	NATURE
4	Van Eyck's work comes from the International Gothic style, but he soon eclipsed it, in part through a greater emphasis on naturalism and ____.	REAL
5	Van Eyck was highly ____ and his techniques and style were adopted and refined by other painters.	INFLUENCE
6	Van Eyck served John of Bavaria-Straubing, ____ of Holland, Hainault and Zeeland.	RULE
7	His emergence as a ____ painter generally follows his appointment to Philip's court, and from this point his activity in the court is comparatively well documented.	COLLECT
8	A court salary freed him from commissioned work, and allowed a large degree of ____ freedom.	ART
9	Over the following decade van Eyck's ____ and technical ability grew, mostly from his innovative approaches towards the handling and manipulating of oil paint.	REPUTE
10	It is known that van Eyck was considered ____ within his lifetime; his designs and methods were heavily copied and reproduced.	REVOLUTION

Task 7. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	The Report on Reconstruction of the new British Labour Party is perhaps the most important political document presented to the world since the ____ of Independence.	DECLARE
2	It is written in the pure English that alone gives the high emotional quality of ____.	SINCERE
3	In considering the main features of this program, one must have in mind whether these are a logical ____ and continuation of the Anglo-Saxon democratic tradition, or whether they constitute an absolute break with that tradition.	PROJECT
4	The only valid reason for the adoption of such a program in America would be, of course, the ____ of some such equality of opportunity and economic freedom as existed in our Republic before we became an industrial nation.	RESTORE
5	What is called the "Universal Enforcement of the National Minimum" contemplates the ____ of laws already on the statute books in order to prevent the extreme degradation of the standard of life brought about by the old economic system under industrialism.	EXTEND
6	The British Labour Party intends "to secure to every member of the community, in good times and bad alike... all the requisites of healthy life and worthy ____."	CITIZEN
7	The population is to be rehoused in suitable dwellings, both in rural districts and town slums; new and more adequate schools and training colleges are to be inaugurated; land is to be reclaimed and afforested, and gradually brought under common ____; railways and canals are to be reorganized and nationalized, mines and electric power systems.	OWN
8	The present method of raising funds is denounced; and it is pointed out that only one quarter of the colossal expenditure made necessary by the war has been raised by ____, and that the three quarters borrowed at onerous rates is sure to be a burden on the nation's future.	TAX
9	"The Democratic Control of Industry" contemplates the ____ elimination of the private capitalist and the setting free of all who work by hand and brain for the welfare of all.	PROGRESS
10	While large sums must be set aside, not only for original research in every branch of knowledge, but for the ____ of music, literature, and fine art, upon which "any real development of civilization fundamentally depends.	PROMOTE

Task 8. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	The President, Vice President and all civil Officers of the United States, shall be removed from Office on Impeachment for, and ____ of, Treason, Bribery, or other high Crimes and Misdemeanors.	CONVICT
2	The ____ Power of the United States, shall be vested in one supreme Court, and in such inferior Courts as the Congress may from time to time ordain and establish.	JUDGE
3	The Judges, both of the supreme and inferior Courts, shall hold their Offices during good Behaviour, and shall, at stated Times, receive for their Services, a Compensation, which shall not be diminished during their ____ in Office.	CONTINUE
4	The Trial of all Crimes, except in Cases of ____, shall be by Jury; and such Trial shall be held in the State where the said Crimes shall have been committed; but when not committed within any State, the Trial shall be at such Place or Places as the Congress may by Law have directed.	IMPEACH
5	No Person shall be convicted of Treason unless on the Testimony of two Witnesses to the same overt Act, or on ____ in open Court.	CONFESS
6	The Congress shall have Power to declare the Punishment of Treason, but no ____ of Treason shall work Corruption of Blood.	ATTAINT
7	The Congress, whenever two thirds of both Houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose ____ to this Constitution.	AMEND
8	All Debts contracted and ____ entered into, before the Adoption of this Constitution, shall be as valid against the United States under this Constitution, as under the Confederation.	ENGAGE
9	The United States shall guarantee to every State in this Union a Republican Form of Government, and shall protect each of them against ____; and on Application of the Legislature, or of the Executive (when the Legislature cannot be convened) against domestic Violence.	INVADE
10	The ____ of the Conventions of nine States, shall be sufficient for the Establishment of this Constitution between the States so ratifying the Same.	RATIFY

Task 9. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	The reader may possibly wonder why it is that fossils are not more abundant; why, of the vast majority of animals that have dwelt upon the earth since it became fit for the ____ of living beings, not a trace remains.	HABITAT
2	This, too, when some objects—the tusks of the Mammoth, for example—have been ____ well preserved to form staple	SUFFICE

	articles of commerce at the present time, so that the carved handle of my lady's parasol may have formed part of some animal that flourished at the very dawn of the human race, and been gazed upon by her grandfather a thousand times removed.	
3	The answer to this query is that, unless the conditions were such as to preserve at least the hard parts of any ____ from immediate decay, there was small probability of its becoming fossilized.	CREATE
4	These conditions are that the objects must be protected from the air, and, ____, the only way that this happens in nature is by having them covered with water, or at least buried in wet ground.	PRACTICE
5	If an animal dies on dry land, where its bones lie exposed to the summer's sun and rain and the winter's frost and snow, it does not take these ____ agencies long to reduce the bones to powder; in the rare event of a climate devoid of rain, mere changes of temperature, by producing expansion and contraction, will sooner or later cause a bone to crack and crumble.	DESTROY
6	Thus on dry land there is small ____ for a bone to become a fossil; but, if a creature so perishes that its body is swept into the ocean or one of its estuaries, settles to the muddy bottom of a lake or is caught on the sandy shoals of some river, the chances are good that its bones will be preserved.	OPPORTUNE
7	Suppose, however, that some animal has sunk in the ____ of a quiet lake, where the wash of the waves upon the shore wears the sand or rock into mud so fine that it floats out into still water and settles there as gently as dew upon the grass.	DEEP
8	Scarce a reader of these lines but at some time has cast anchor in some quiet pond and pulled it up, thickly covered with sticky mud, whose ____ would hardly be suspected from the sparkling waters and pebbly shores.	EXIST
9	If, instead of a lake, our animal had gone to the bottom of some estuary into which poured a river turbid with mud, the process of ____ would have been still more rapid, while, had the creature been engulfed in quicksand, it would have been the quickest method of all; and just such accidents did take place in the early days of the earth as well as now.	TOMB
10	The exact manner in which this replacement is effected and in which the chemical and mechanical changes occur is very far from being ____ known—especially as the process of "fossilization" must at times have been very complicated.	DEFINE

Task 10. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	For Nietzsche attacked thoughts and thinkers, quarrelled with opponents who were somewhere near his size, ignored the opinions of the ____ multitude, and was content to wait for time and the slow-moving world to find him out.	BRAIN
2	This was manifestly absurd, but there was no time to investigate and explain, even for one's private ____, the causes of this ridiculous misunderstanding not only of an individual philosopher but of the relation of book-philosophy to appallingly unphilosophic crimes.	SATISFY
3	It is amazing to find that the ____ persists, that it is necessary for Dr. Levy to try to prove in 1921 that Nietzsche did not incite the Germans to a war of conquest.	ABSURD
4	The true ____ has always been in lonely opposition to the dominant ideals of his time.	PHILOSOPHY
5	Nietzsche's philosophic solitude accounts in part for the ____ of his letters.	EXCEL
6	In his struggles with the world, and his wilful ____ from it, he clung passionately to the few who were allied to him by the ties of blood, friendship, or intellectual sympathy.	ALIEN
7	They do contain something else, however, moods, emotions, pleasures and private difficulties, intimacies which are never quite apart from the ____ battle of thought yet belong to moments of comparative ease when the soldier is off duty.	CEASE
8	But for all his autobiographical candor, his work is not a promiscuous ____.	CONFESS
9	There remains a ____ and reticent Nietzsche who revealed himself to his friends alone.	SENSE
10	When he writes in the preface of "Human, All-Too-Human," that he has evolved an as yet non-existent company of free spirits, because he needs them and because they are some ____ for lack of friends, he is posing in a philosophic attitude which is quite justified by his experience as a thinker and writer but which is not quite true to the private history of Friedrich Nietzsche.	COMPENSATE

PART III

Task 1. Match the parts of the sentences to make English proverbs.

1	Don't put the cart	A	is right twice a day.
2	A journey of a thousand miles	B	is a friend indeed.
3	All is fair	C	is a dangerous thing.
4	A little bit of knowledge	D	begins with a single step.
5	A friend in need	E	in love and war.
6	A broken clock	F	makes Jack a dull boy.
7	Better the devil you	G	know than the one you don't.
8	All work and no play	H	than sorry.
9	Better safe	I	until you have walked a mile in his shoes.
10	Don't judge a man	J	before the horse.

Task 2. Match the parts of the sentences to make English proverbs.

1	Hindsight is	A	a man healthy, wealthy and wise.
2	Early to bed and early to rise makes	B	think alike.
3	If wishes were horses,	C	20/20.
4	It's no use	D	beggars would ride.
5	Jack of all trades,	E	you lose.
6	Great minds	F	you're part of the problem.
7	It's not over	G	crying over spilled milk.
8	Lie down with dogs,	H	'till the fat lady sings.
9	If you snooze,	I	master of none.
10	If you're not part of the solution,	J	wake up with fleas.

Task 3. Match the two columns.

	PROVERB		ORIGIN
1	Beware of Greeks bearing gifts.	A	Alexander Pope
2	A little knowledge is a dangerous thing.	B	the Bible
3	A watched pot never boils.	C	Benjamin Franklin
4	Better late than never.	D	Lord Acton
5	All's well that ends well.	E	John Heywood
6	Absolute power corrupts absolutely.	F	the Code of Hammurabi
7	Blood is thicker than water.	G	William Shakespeare
8	A leopard cannot change its spots.	H	Geoffery Chaucer
9	An eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth.	I	Aeneid
10	A fool's paradise.	J	Sir Walters Scott

Task 4. Write one word in each gap.

1	Boys will be ____.	
2	Caesar's ____ must be above suspicion.	
3	Dead men ____ no tales.	
4	Cut your ____ to suit your cloth.	
5	Cowards may die ____ times before their death.	
6	Don't ____ your bridges behind you.	
7	Don't bite the ____ that feeds you.	
8	Don't get mad, get ____.	
9	Don't let the grass ____ under your feet.	
10	Don't ____ the boat.	

Task 5. Write one word in each gap.

1	Don't ____ the messenger.	
2	Don't throw pearls to ____.	
3	Don't ____ your Grandma to suck eggs.	
4	Don't ____ anyone over thirty.	

5	Don't try to walk before you can ____.	
6	Don't wash your ____ linen in public.	
7	Empty vessels make the most ____.	
8	Every ____ has two ends.	
9	Everything ____ to him who waits.	
10	Feed a cold and starve a ____.	

Task 6. Write one word in each gap.

1	Familiarity ____ contempt.	
2	First come, first ____.	
3	First ____ first.	
4	Fish and ____ smell after three days.	
5	____ is one percent inspiration, ninety-nine percent perspiration.	
6	Give a man ____ rope and he will hang himself.	
7	Give ____ where credit is due.	
8	Half a loaf is ____ than no bread.	
9	Hard work never did ____ any harm.	
10	History repeats ____.	

Task 7. Match the two columns. [ROMAN PROVERBS]

1	Aliquis in omnibus est nullus in singulis.	A	Jack of all trades, master of none.
2	A fronte praecipitium a tergo lupi.	B	Actions speak louder than words.
3	Ab ovo usque ad mala.	C	Between the devil and the deep blue sea.

4	Absens haeres non erit.	D	From soup to nuts.
5	Absque ulla conditione.	E	Out of sight, out of mind.
6	Ad Kalendas Graecas.	F	No ifs, ands, or buts.
7	Ad praesens ova cras pullis sunt meliora.	G	When two Sundays meet.
8	Amicus certus in re incerta cernitur.	H	A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush.
9	Audaces fortuna iuvat.	I	A friend in need is a friend indeed.
10	Facta non verba.	J	Nothing ventured, nothing gained.

Task 8. Match the parts of the sentences to make English proverbs.

1	As the old cock crows,	A	as water in one's shoes
2	As thick	B	fine at eleven
3	As they sow,	C	than nurture
4	As welcome	D	so doth the young
5	Ask no questions	E	can't be smooth
6	Rain at seven,	F	my brother's keeper
7	Real love	G	as thieves
8	I am not	H	and hang him
9	Nature is stronger	I	so let them reap
10	Give a dog a bad name	J	and hear no lies

Task 9. Match the parts of the sentences to make English proverbs.

1	Two wrongs	A	than the sword.
2	When in Rome,	B	and your enemies closer.
3	No man is	C	than never.
4	The squeaky wheel	D	in the eye of the beholder.
5	Hope for the best,	E	grow fonder.
6	Keep your friends close	F	gets the grease.
7	A picture is worth	G	by its cover.
8	Birds of a feather	H	like home.
9	There's no such thing	I	the best policy.
10	Better late	J	another man's treasure.
11	There's no place	K	don't make a right.
12	People who live in glass houses	L	but you can't make him drink.

13	The pen is mightier	M	an island.
14	Easy come,	N	before they hatch.
15	Don't bite	O	as a free lunch.
16	One man's trash is	P	do as the Romans.
17	Beauty is	Q	a thousand words.
18	There's no time	R	flock together.
19	Don't put all your eggs	S	as its weakest link.
20	Absence makes the heart	T	but prepare for the worst.
21	Honesty is	U	on the other side of the hill.
22	You can lead a horse to water,	V	should not throw stones.
23	Don't count your chickens	W	the hand that feeds you.
24	A chain is only as strong	X	like the present.
25	The grass is always greener	Y	in one basket.
26	You can't judge a book	Z	easy go.

Task 10. Match the parts of the sentences to make proverbs. Match English proverbs with their Russian equivalents.

1	Apropos	A	as a lamb	a	По шучьему велению
2	As clear	B	the storms are stronger	b	Ни к селу ни к городу
3	As meek	C	born yesterday	c	Яблоко от яблони недалеко падает
4	As old	D	as day	d	Дальше в лес – больше дров
5	As if he were	E	by magic	e	Как дважды два четыре
6	As innocent	F	so the fruit	f	Как аршин проглотил
7	As if	G	of nothing	g	Суший младенец
8	As stiff	H	as the hills	h	Тише воды, ниже травы
9	As the days grow longer	I	as a babe unborn	i	С луны свалился
10	As the tree	J	as poker	j	Старо как мир

PART IV

Task 1. Match to make sentences. [POLITICS]

1	For a mission statement published by diplomats,	A	to retake the largest city under terrorists' control.
2	For ages humans have trembled with a persistent fear	B	with the soldiers facing suicide bombers.
3	In May, the government issued a warning	C	of the consequences of a breach of the peace.
4	In November, the joined forces launched a sprawling military operation	D	it is extraordinarily short.
5	In short, villains are be able to add to the saliva of a mosquito a gene that makes toxins,	E	and social hurdles to negotiate along the way.
6	Nowadays any technology that can serve a species can also harm it, however,	F	has insured that the most efficient genes would survive.
7	The battle has sometimes been ruthless,	G	and often kill most of the other insects in the area.
8	The truth is more prosaic: evolution, driven by natural selection,	H	either by accident or by design.
9	There will be many regulatory, political,	I	which it would transmit along with malaria.
10	We spread pesticides that kill problematic pests,	J	that some powerful form of life might one day slip beyond our control.

Task 2. Match to make sentences. [RELIGION]

1	A baby is God's opinion	A	it's just that the translations have gone wrong.
2	Do not wait for the last judgment,	B	my religion is kindness.

3	God allows us to experience the low points of life	C	who mean well.
4	God save us from people	D	can make you commit atrocities.
5	I believe that what Jesus and Mohammed and Buddha and all the rest said was right,	E	in order to teach us lessons that we could learn in no other way.
6	Man suffers only because he takes seriously	F	and our heart is restless until it finds its rest in thee.
7	My religion is very simple,	G	that the world should go on.
8	Religion is what keeps	H	the poor from murdering the rich.
9	Those who can make you believe absurdities,	I	it comes every day.
10	Thou hast made us for thyself, O Lord,	J	what the gods made for fun.

Task 3. Match to make sentences. [MIND]

1	Any fool can know,	A	to deny the possibility of anything.
2	Either we shall find what it is we are seeking or	B	what ignorance in an hour pulls down.
3	Great minds are always feared	C	the point is to understand.
4	I am too much of a skeptic	D	as a sure thing.
5	I cannot teach anybody anything,	E	know nothing of their own.
6	I mean, you could claim that anything's real if the only basis for believing in it is	F	at least we shall free ourselves from the persuasion that we know what we do not know.
7	I was gratified to be able to answer promptly, and I did;	G	of self, love, and spirituality.
8	Knowing too much of your future	H	that nobody's proved it doesn't exist!
9	Knowledge slowly builds up	I	by lesser minds.
10	Many much-learned men	J	unless you know what is more than enough.
11	Meditation is the dissolution of thoughts in Eternal awareness or Pure consciousness without objectification,	K	I said I didn't know.

12	My wealth is in my knowledge	L	but also to hate his friends.
13	No thief, however skillful, can rob one of knowledge,	M	I can only make them think.
14	Reading furnishes the mind only with materials of knowledge;	N	knowing without thinking, merging finitude in infinity.
15	The man of knowledge must be able not only to love his enemies	O	have no intelligence.
16	The only true wisdom	P	- of what use is that?
17	There is no such uncertainty	Q	is in knowing you know nothing.
18	Those who know nothing of foreign languages	R	and that is why knowledge is the best and safest treasure to acquire.
19	To know much and taste nothing	S	is never a good thing.
20	You never know what is enough	T	it is thinking that makes what we read ours.

Task 4. Match to make sentences. [MIND]

1	A truth that's told with bad intent	A	not only because I see it, but because by it I see everything else.
2	All I have seen teaches me to trust the Creator	B	religion without science is blind.
3	He died not for men,	C	and in itself can make a heaven of hell, a hell of heaven.
4	I believe in Christianity as I believe that the sun has risen:	D	it is a longing of the soul.
5	Isn't it enough to see that a garden is beautiful	E	science is simply too young to understand.
6	Prayer is not asking,	F	beats all the lies you can invent.
7	Science and religion are not at odds,	G	without having to believe that there are fairies at the bottom of it too?
8	Science without religion is lame,	H	but for each man.
9	The easy confidence with which I know another man's religion is	I	for all I have not seen.
10	The mind is its own place,	J	folly teaches me to suspect that my own is also.

Task 5. Match to make sentences. [POLITICS]

1	Existing housing supply at the beginning of the decade	A	proposed €20 bn bailout would have a minimal impact on savers.
2	If investors are in any way fazed by the rise in geopolitical tension over the past 24 hours	B	bond holders to take losses before taxpayer money can be injected into banks.
3	It will be a major test of the new EU rules requiring	C	as it warned its liquidity position was falling sharply.
4	Its debt will get bigger, but a major government stake	D	should boost risk appetite among investors.
5	Its struggle to boost its capital appeared to have an impact on its daily funding	E	as the latest US figures show an unexpected rise in crude stocks.
6	Oil prices have slipped slightly	F	following comments to this blog post.
7	The euro continues to fall against the dollar,	G	was inadequate and is now even worse.
8	The finance minister told parliament that the government's	H	it's certainly not being reflected in stock market valuations.
9	The survey reported 31% as saying sales were higher than a year ago	I	heading closer towards parity.
10	We published additional technical clarifications about our analysis of the situation,	J	while 26% said they were lower.

Task 6. Match to make sentences. [POLITICS]

1	Section 212 makes provision for the court to compel past and present officers of the company	A	could hurt the company's ability to fend off imitators of its widely used computer software.
2	One possibility is for the purchaser to provide that part of the purchase price will be reduced and repaid to the purchaser	B	cutting public expenditure and direct taxation, reforming the unions, and restoring the incentives and financial disciplines of the free market.
3	If upheld, the preliminary decision by the US Patent and Trademark Office	C	namely the cost to the employer of providing the service.

4	The effect of deleting this subclause will be to continue the present basis of taxation of services,	D	that a virtual counter-revolution was required.
5	Mrs Thatcher, on the other hand, claimed that previous Tory leaders had agreed on the country's problems and what needed to be done	E	just before Christmas, of the approval of part of the Anglian electrification scheme.
6	By the mid-1970s collectivist policies and the constraints on government they represented were so deeply entrenched	F	like the old saying the rain, it raineth every day upon the rich and just and unjust fellow.
7	In the Commons debate which followed the ministerial announcement,	G	to restore monies or property misapplied, or to contribute such a sum as the court thinks just by way of compensation.
8	But even more important for travellers in East Anglia was the announcement,	H	were raised abroad.
9	In one sense all indirect taxation is hardly equitable because it falls on the rich and the poor,	I	if certain material consents are not received or if only a proportion of material consents are received.
10	A considerable portion of the monies the organization would distribute	J	there were some MPs who welcomed the demise of' a nonsensical curriculum development body that has done nothing but damage education over the years.

Task 7. Match to make sentences. [GEOFFREY CHAUCER]

1	He was as fresh as is	A	the crafts so long to learn.
2	The greatest scholars are not usually	B	of mere imagination.
3	The life so short,	C	and that thing we desire.
4	Love is	D	the month of May.
5	We know little of the things	E	of themselves.
6	People can die	F	and afterward he taught.
7	Forbid us something,	G	the wisest people.
8	The guilty think all talk is	H	but it's old.

9	First he wrought,	I	for which we pray.
10	There's never a new fashion	J	blind.

Task 8. Match the two columns. [GEORGE BERNARD SHAW]

1	I often quote myself,	A	but to be indifferent to them: that's the essence of inhumanity.
2	All great truths	B	that's middle-class morality.
3	A life spent making mistakes is not only more honorable,	C	than the fact that a drunken man is happier than a sober one.
4	Progress is impossible without change,	D	separated by the same language.
5	The single biggest problem in communication is	E	you would not read yourself.
6	We are made wise not by the recollection of our past,	F	but more useful than a life spent doing nothing.
7	Marriage is an alliance entered into by a man who can't sleep with the window shut,	G	unless you are also stupid.
8	Beware of false knowledge;	H	the root of all evil.
9	The worst sin toward our fellow creatures is not to hate them,	I	but by the responsibility for our future.
10	You'll never have a quiet world	J	till you knock the patriotism out of the human race.
11	No man who is occupied in doing a very difficult thing,	K	without creating ten more.
12	Statistics show that of those who contract the habit of eating,	L	it adds spice to my conversation.
13	The great advantage of a hotel is that	M	than he takes out.
14	If you cannot get rid of the family skeleton,	N	the illusion that it has taken place.
15	The only service a friend can really render is to keep up your courage	O	it is more dangerous than ignorance.
16	It is the mark of a truly intelligent person	P	you are the window through which you must see the world.
17	The golden rule is that	Q	begin as blasphemies.
18	I have to live for others and not for myself:	R	and those who cannot change their minds cannot change anything.

19	Better keep yourself clean and bright;	S	and a woman who can't sleep with the window open.
20	A gentleman is one who puts more into the world	T	and doing it very well, ever loses his self-respect.
21	The fact that a believer is happier than a skeptic is no more to the point	U	very few survive.
22	Science never solves a problem	V	it is a refuge from home life.
23	England and America are two countries	W	by holding up to you a mirror in which you can see a noble image of yourself.
24	Make it a rule never to give a child a book	X	there are no golden rules.
25	It is dangerous to be sincere	Y	you may as well make it dance.
26	Lack of money is	Z	to be moved by statistics.

Task 9. Match to make sentences. [TEAM]

1	The way a team plays as a whole	A	I'm on your team.
2	Bad attitudes will	B	its manager's personality.
3	The secret to success is good leadership, and good leadership	C	and agree what an outstanding member of the team you are.
4	If you respect the art and you have some talent about you,	D	that helps people produce that great work in teams.
5	One man can be a crucial ingredient on a team,	E	but the great player must always work.
6	The team architecture means setting up an organization	F	determines its success.
7	A team will take on	G	the rest of the team.
8	Appraisals are where you get together with your team leader	H	ruin your team.
9	The main ingredient of stardom is	I	but one man cannot make a team.
10	The work of a team should always embrace a great player	J	is all about making the lives of your team members or workers better.

Task 10. Match to make sentences. [FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT]

1	Democracy cannot succeed	A	but I can sure pick smart colleagues.
2	Let us never forget that government is	B	ourselves and not an alien power over us.
3	Nobody will ever deprive the American people of the right to vote except the American people themselves	C	our doubts of today.
4	I think we consider too much the good luck of the early bird	D	has never learned how to walk forward.
5	The only limit to our realization of tomorrow will be	E	by the enemies I have made.
6	A conservative is a man with two perfectly good legs who, however,	F	than an empty stomach.
7	I'm not the smartest fellow in the world,	G	unless those who express their choice are prepared to choose wisely.
8	I ask you to judge me	H	and the only way they could do this is by not voting.
9	It is an unfortunate human failing that a full pocketbook often groans more loudly	I	America should be willing to economize.
10	The school is the last expenditure upon which	J	and not enough the bad luck of the early worm.

Task 11. Match to make sentences. [NIKOLA TESLA]

1	The feeling is constantly growing on me that I had been the first	A	like force and matter.
2	The scientists of today think deeply	B	according to his work and accomplishments.
3	I do not think you can name many great inventions	C	for it is only through enlightenment that we become conscious of our limitations.
4	Our virtues and our failings are inseparable,	D	known for drawing energy from the sun.

5	Let the future tell the truth, and evaluate each one	E	to hear the greeting of one planet to another.
6	It is paradoxical, yet true, to say, that the more we know, the more ignorant we become in the absolute sense,	F	that have been made by married men.
7	There is no conflict between the ideal of religion and the ideal of science,	G	at an immediate result.
8	The scientific man does not aim	H	instead of clearly.
9	The harness of waterfalls is the most economical method	I	slave labor occupied in ancient civilization.
10	In the twenty-first century, the robot will take the place which	J	but science is opposed to theological dogmas because science is founded on fact.

Task 12. Match to make sentences. [DONALD TRUMP]

1	As long as your going to be thinking anyway,	A	to be underestimated.
2	I grew up in New York City, a town with different races, religions, and peoples;	B	you can't be too greedy.
3	I have a great relationship	C	think big.
4	I try to learn from the past,	D	with the Mexican people.
5	It's always good	E	but I plan for the future by focusing exclusively on the present.
6	One of the key problems today is that politics is such a disgrace,	F	but not by Hillary Clinton – only by me.
7	Sometimes by losing a battle	G	it breeds tolerance.
8	The point is that	H	good people don't go into government.
9	When I see the crumbling roads and bridges, I know these problems can all be fixed,	I	you find a new way to win the war.
10	Without passion you don't have energy,	J	without energy you have nothing.

Task 13. Match to make sentences. [HISTORY]

1	A people without the knowledge of their past history, origin and culture is	A	for I intend to write it.
2	All the ills of mankind, all the tragic misfortunes that fill the history books, all the political blunders, all the failures of the great leaders	B	but in rising every time we fall.
3	History repeats itself,	C	like a tree without roots.
4	History will be kind to me	D	cultivate peace and harmony with all.
5	I like the dreams of the future	E	better than the history of the past.
6	If you are neutral in situations of injustice,	F	we are made by history.
7	Observe good faith and justice toward all nations,	G	lies will pass into history.
8	Our greatest glory is not in never falling,	H	first as tragedy, second as farce.
9	The very concept of objective truth is fading out of the world,	I	you have chosen the side of the oppressor.
10	We are not makers of history,	J	have arisen merely from a lack of skill at dancing.

Task 14. Match to make sentences. [ERNEST HEMINGWAY]

1	The world breaks everyone, and afterward,	A	but it is sort of necessary.
2	The best way to find out if you can trust somebody is	B	the ring with Tolstoy.
3	Man is not made	C	where he tries again for something that is beyond attainment.
4	As you get older it is harder to have heroes,	D	people.
5	I'm not going to get into	E	some are strong at the broken places.
6	The world is a fine place and worth the fighting for	F	is the rarest thing I know.
7	For a true writer, each book should be a new beginning	G	and I hate very much to leave it.

8	The only thing that could spoil a day was	H	to trust them.
9	Happiness in intelligent people	I	true nobility lies in being superior to your former self.
10	There is nothing noble in being superior to your fellow men,	J	for defeat.

Task 15. Match to make sentences. [ALEXANDER PUSHKIN]

1	A deception that elevates us is	A	dearer than a host of low truths.
2	God save us from seeing a Russian revolt,	B	which I attempt to beat down with my reason.
3	I was not born	C	when we can invent little else to justify our actions.
4	If you but knew the flames that burn in me	D	to amuse the Tsars.
5	In a morbid condition of the brain, dreams	E	what they are given doesn't take their fancy.
6	Moral commonplaces are amazingly useful	F	than two bodies can occupy one and the same place in the physical world.
7	Moral maxims are surprisingly useful on occasions	G	often have a singular actuality, vividness, and extraordinary semblance of reality.
8	People are so like their first mother Eve:	H	senseless and merciless.
9	Two fixed ideas can no more exist together in the moral world	I	when we can find little in ourselves with which to justify our actions.
10	We live without power of law,	J	like flocks of ravens they come and sweep over the land.

PART V

Task 1. Match the two columns.

1	Bacon's Rebellion	A	1492
2	First Great Awakening	B	1614
3	Greenwich Tea Party	C	1632
4	Harvard College was founded.	D	1636
5	Peach Tree War	E	1655
6	Salem witch trials	F	1676
7	The British Parliament passed the Tea Act.	G	1692
8	The Dutch laid claim to the territories of New Netherland.	H	1732
9	The Province of Maryland was founded.	I	1773
10	Voyages of Christopher Columbus	J	1774

Task 2. Match the two columns.

1	Black Hawk War	A	1776
2	First inauguration of George Washington	B	1789
3	Kentucky County, Virginia became the fifteenth state of Kentucky.	C	1792
4	Lincoln issues the Emancipation Proclamation freeing slaves in those states that had seceded.	D	1794
5	Louisiana Purchase	E	1803
6	New Jersey abolishes slavery.	F	1804
7	Second Continental Congress	G	1832
8	The Alaska Purchase	H	1850
9	The United Kingdom ceded one acre of underwater rock in Lake Erie to the United States.	I	1863
10	Whiskey Rebellion	J	1867

Task 3. Match the two columns. [USA HOLIDAYS]

1	Christmas Day	A	31 October
2	Father's Day	B	First Sunday in February
3	Halloween	C	Fourth Thursday in November
4	Independence Day	D	4 July
5	Memorial Day	E	Second Sunday in May
6	Mother's Day	F	Third Sunday in June
7	Presidents' Day	G	25 December
8	Super Bowl Sunday	H	Third Monday in February
9	Thanksgiving	I	Last Monday in May
10	Veterans Day	J	11 November

Task 4. Match the two columns. [RUSSIAN HOLIDAYS]

1	Christmas Day	A	23 February
2	Defender of the Fatherland Day	B	7 January
3	International Duties Memorial Day	C	8 March
4	International Women's Day	D	22 August
5	National Flag Day	E	9 May
6	Navy Day	F	12 June
7	Russia Day	G	4 November
8	Tatiana Day	H	25 January
9	Unity Day	I	15 February
10	Victory Day	J	Last Sunday of July

Task 5. Match the two columns. [UK HOLIDAYS]

1	Battle of the Boyne	A	17 Mar
2	Boxing Day	B	14 Apr
3	Christmas Day	C	12 Jul
4	Early May Bank Holiday	D	30 Nov
5	Easter Monday	E	26 Dec
6	Good Friday	F	17 Apr
7	New Year's Day	G	1 May
8	Spring Bank Holiday	H	29 May
9	St Patrick's Day	I	25 Dec
10	St. Andrew's Day	J	1 Jan

Task 6. Match British monarchs with their deeds and dates of reign.

	King		Feature		Reign
1	Charles II	A	appointed the first Labour ministry	a	r1558–1603
2	Edward I	B	won battle of Bosworth	b	r1413–22
3	Elizabeth I	C	adopted the title of Empress of India	c	r1485–1509
4	George V	D	married daughter of the king of Portugal	d	r1509–47
5	Henry V	E	started The Third Crusade	e	r1910–36
6	Henry VII	F	won battle of Hastings	f	r1837–1901
7	Henry VIII	G	won battle of Agincourt	g	r1272–1307
8	Richard I ('Richard the Lionheart')	H	daughter of Anne Boleyn	h	r1189–99
9	Victoria	I	killed off two of his six wives	i	r1066–87
10	William I ('William the Conqueror')	J	known as the Hammer of the Scots	j	r1660–85

Task 7. Match the two columns. [BRITISH HISTORY]

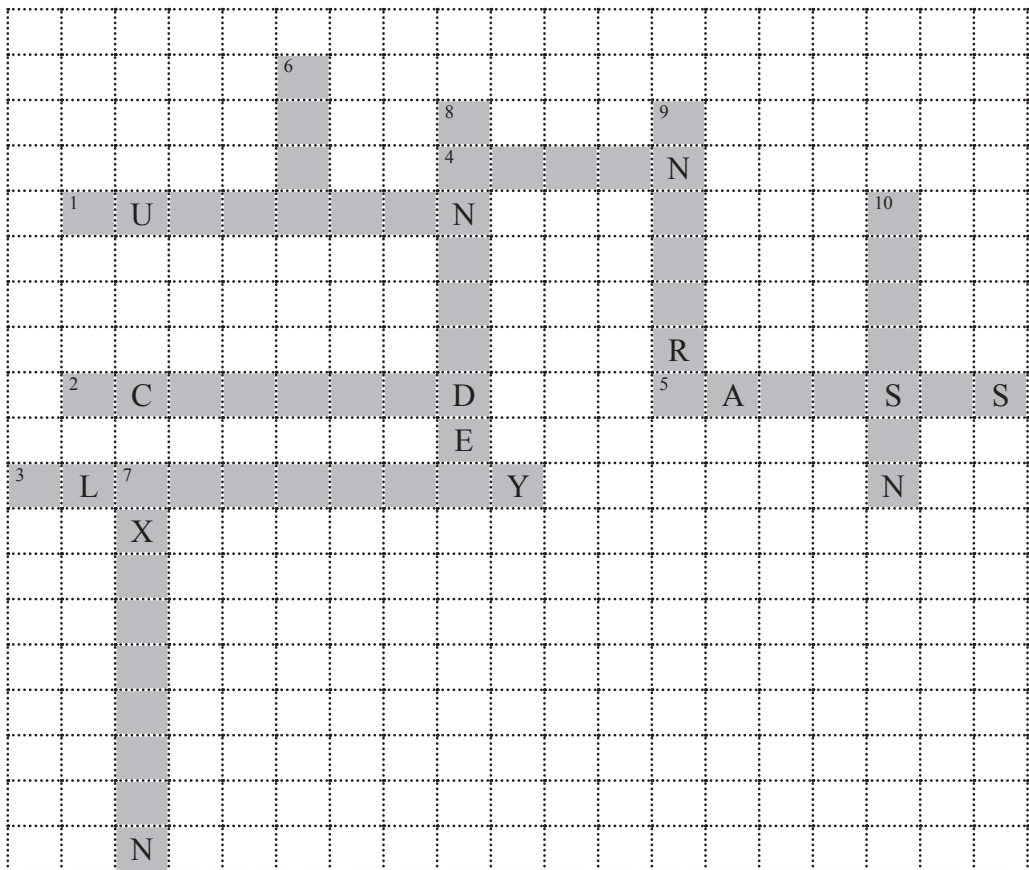
1	Failure of the Commonwealth	A	1659
2	Act of Union	B	1688
3	Battle of Agincourt	C	1707
4	Battle of Waterloo	D	1807
5	Bessemer Process	E	1815
6	Glorious Revolution	F	1855
7	Great Split of the Roman Catholic Church	G	1054
8	Norman Conquest	H	1066
9	Slave Trade Act	I	1328
10	The Treaty of Edinburgh-Northampton	J	1415

Task 8. Complete the crossword. [BRITISH HISTORY]

1521: _____ writings begin to circulate in England.	Across 1
1593: The Act Against _____ was issued.	Across 5
1536: William Tyndale was executed in _____.	Down 9
1603: King James VI of _____ ascends to the English throne, becoming James I of England	Across 2
1605: _____ Plot	Down 8
1666: Great _____ of London	Down 6

1706: The Treaty of _____ was agreed between representatives of the Parliament of England and the Parliament of Scotland.	Across 4
1755: Samuel _____ published his A Dictionary of the English Language.	Down 10
1868: The last public _____ was carried out.	Down 7
1880: The _____ Education Act was passed, making primary schooling compulsory and extending it to girls.	Across 3

	Across		Down
1		6	
2		7	
3		8	
4		9	
5		10	



Task 9. Match the two columns. [BRITISH CITIES & TOWNS]

1	Liverpool founded by King John	A	1207
2	Bath is captured by the West Saxons	B	1070

3	Bradford fair active	C	43
4	Cambridge Castle erected	D	1068
5	Hull Fair begins	E	1294
6	Leicester Castle built	F	1293
7	Nottingham Castle built	G	1276
8	Plymouth first recorded as a borough	H	750
9	Settlement named Londinium	I	1067
10	Southampton market active	J	577

Task 10. Match the two columns.

1	Macbeth defeated Duncan I of Scotland	A	407 AD
2	Emperor Hadrian ordered the construction of a wall	B	978 AD
3	Constantine III declared himself Western Roman Emperor in Britannia	C	939 AD
4	Julius Caesar launched a full-scale invasion of England	D	54 BC
5	Edwin of Northumbria became the first Christian king in England	E	122 AD
6	Bede wrote 'Ecclesiastical History of the English People'	F	627 AD
7	first recorded Viking attack happened	G	731 AD
8	Alfred the Great died and was succeeded by his son Edward the Elder	H	789 AD
9	Athelstan, the first King of England, died	I	899 AD
10	Edward the Martyr, King of England, is murdered	J	1040 AD

Task 11. Match the two columns.

1	Harvard College was founded	A	1865
2	Pennsylvania was founded by William Penn	B	1803
3	Boston Massacre	C	1915
4	The British Parliament passed the Tea Act	D	1932
5	Louisiana Purchase	E	1861
6	American Civil War began	F	1969
7	Assassination of Abraham Lincoln	G	1636
8	Great Migration began	H	1681
9	Gospel Blues Invention	I	1770
10	Apollo 11 landing on the Moon	J	1773

Task 12. Choose the correct answer. [ERA]

1	BATTLE OF FLODDEN				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
2	TRIAL AND EXECUTION OF CHARLES I				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
3	FIRST ENGLISH CIVIL WAR				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
4	BATTLE OF BLENHEIM				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
5	BATTLE OF WATERLOO				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
6	THE CHANNEL TUNNEL OPENED				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
7	THE UK BECAME A FOUNDER MEMBER OF NATO				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
8	SOUTH SEA BUBBLE				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
9	THE FAILURE OF THE COMMONWEALTH				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
10	THE GLORIOUS REVOLUTION				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
11	THE SLAVE TRADE ACT				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
12	THE BESSEMER PROCESS				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
13	DEATH OF MARY TUDOR				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century

14	FIRST PARLIAMENT OF GREAT BRITAIN				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
15	CALIFORNIA GOLD RUSH BEGAN				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century

Task 13. Choose the correct answer. [ERA]

1	BATTLE OF AGINCOURT				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
2	HENRY II CROWNED AT WESTMINSTER ABBEY				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
3	FIRST ENGLISH PRINCE OF WALES				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
4	CAXTON PRINTED 1ST BOOK IN ENGLAND				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
5	MAGNA CARTA SIGNED				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
6	EDWARD THE CONFESSOR DIED				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
7	WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR CROWNED				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
8	RICHARD THE LIONHEART LEFT ENGLAND FOR THE CRUSADES				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
9	OXFORD UNIVERSITY CHARTERED				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
10	STATUTE OF MARLBOROUGH				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
11	JOAN OF ARC BURNT TO DEATH				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century

12	MACBETH KILLED AT LUMPHANAN				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
13	THE HUNDRED YEARS WAR BEGAN				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
14	RICHARD III BECAME KING OF ENGLAND				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century
15	DOMESDAY BOOK COMMISSIONED				
	A – 11th Century	B – 12th Century	C – 13th Century	D – 14th Century	E – 15th Century

Task 14. Write one word in each gap.

1	Harvard University is a private Ivy ____ re- search university in Cambridge, Massachu- setts.	G
2	Harvard was formed in 1636 by vote of the Great and General Court of the Massachu- setts Bay ____.	O Y
3	In 1639, the college was renamed Harvard College after deceased clergyman ____ Har- vard, who was an alumnus of the University of Cambridge.	N
4	The undergraduate college became coeduca- tional after its 1977 merger with ____ Col- lege.	C E
5	Nowadays, the University is organized into ten faculties with campuses throughout the ____ metropolitan area.	O
6	Harvard's alumni include eight U.S. presi- dents, several foreign heads of state, 62 liv- ing billionaires, 359 ____ Scholars, and 242 Marshall Scholars.	O
7	Drew Gilpin ____ became the first female president of Harvard in 2007.	A U
8	The Harvard Business School and many of the university's athletics facilities, including Harvard Stadium, are located on a 358-acre (145 ha) campus in Allston, a Boston neigh- borhood across the ____ River from the Cambridge campus.	C S

9	Harvard is governed by a combination of its Board of ____ and the President and Fellows of Harvard College.	O S
10	The university has been accredited by the New ____ Association of Schools and Colleges since 1929.	A

Task 15. Write one word in each gap. [CHURCHILL ESSAY]

1	Failure to recognize that the American is at heart ____ idealist is to lack understanding of our national character.
2	Two of our greatest interpreters proclaimed ____, Emerson and William James.
3	In a recent address ____ the Paris Sorbonne on “American Idealism,” M. Firmin Roz observed that a people is rarely justly estimated by its contemporaries.
4	The French, he says, have been celebrated chiefly for the skill of their chefs and their vaudeville actors, while in the disturbed ‘speculum mundi’ Americans have appeared as a collection of money grabbers whose philosophy is the ____.
5	It remained for the war to reveal the true nature of ____ peoples.
6	The American colonists, M. Roz continues, ____ other colonists, were animated not by material motives, but by the desire to safeguard and realize an ideal; our inherent characteristic today is a belief in the virtue and power of ideas, of a national, indeed, of a universal, mission.
7	In the Eighteenth ____ we proposed a Philosophy and adopted a Constitution far in advance of the political practice of the day, and set up a government of which Europe predicted the early downfall.
8	Nevertheless, thanks partly to good fortune, and to the farseeing wisdom of our early statesmen who perceived that the success of our experiment depended upon the maintenance of an isolation from European affairs, we established ____ as a practical form of government.
9	We have not always lived up to our beliefs in ideas. In our dealings with other nations, we yielded often to imperialistic ambitions and thus, to a certain extent, justified the cynicism of ____.
10	From ____ we seized western Florida; the annexation of Texas and the subsequent war with Mexico are acts upon which we cannot look back with unmixed democratic pride; while more than once we professed a naive willingness to fight England in order to push our boundaries further north.

PART VI

Task 1. Write one word in each gap.

1	Mr. Bernard Shaw says, apropos Samuel Butler, that the English people do not deserve ____ have a genius.
2	Butler himself in a note remarks that America, even America, will probably have men of genius, has indeed, already had one, Walt Whitman, but that he cannot imagine any country ____ a genius would have more unfortunate surroundings than in America.
3	Mr. Arnold Bennett sends a shot from the same gun in "Milestones," when he makes the millionaire shipbuilder puff his chest and say that there ____ no greater honor to English character than the way we treat our geniuses.
4	Egad! The unworthiness of the British and American nations to have artists born to them was ____ more shamefully manifested than by the reception accorded thirty years ago to Hardy's "Jude, the Obscure."
5	Harper's Magazine, which seems to ____ begun printing the story before the editors had seen the complete manuscript, fell into temporary disfavor with some outraged readers.
6	One British journal distinguished itself by reviewing the book ____ the caption, "Jude, the Obscene."
7	It is inconceivable that any nation on the continent of Europe could, through its critics or through any considerable number ____ readers, so dishonor a masterpiece.
8	For "Jude" is a masterpiece; ____ it is not Hardy's greatest novel, it is one of his three or four greatest, and that means one of a score of supreme works of prose fiction in the language.
9	If profundity of substance and skill ____ narrative are both considered, Hardy is without rival among British novelists.
10	His is the crowning achievement in the century of fiction that began with Jane Austen and, happily, has not ____ terminated with Joseph Conrad.
11	In his hands the English novel assumed a form which, perhaps without good critical reason, one thinks of ____ French.

12	Despite the racy localism of scene and character, Hardy's work seems alien to the Anglo-Saxon temperament; it has less ____ common with the spacious days of great Victoria than with a younger time, whose living masters, Mr. Conrad and Mr. Galsworthy, for example, have taken lessons in art across the channel.
13	In a prefatory note to "Desperate Remedies," dated February, 1896, Hardy lets fall ____ casual phrase which indicates that he and others had noted his kinship to the French, but that he was not disposed to acknowledge it fully.
14	He seems ____ say, with that kind of modest pride which distinguishes him, that he found his method for himself, played the game alone.
15	"As ____ happened," runs the note, "that certain characteristics which provoked most discussion in my latest story ['Jude'?] were present in this my first—published in 1871, when there was no French name for them—it has seemed best to let them stand unaltered."

Task 2. Match the two columns. [DETECTIVE]

1	Raymond Chandler	A	Crocodile on the Sandbank
2	Friedrich Neznansky	B	A Painted House
3	Edgar Allan Poe	C	The Hound of the Baskervilles
4	Agatha Christie	D	The Lady in the Lake
5	G. K. Chesterton	E	Top of the Heap
6	Elizabeth Peters	F	Ten Little Niggers
7	Arthur Conan Doyle	G	Night Wolves
8	John Grisham	H	The Private Patient
9	P. D. James	I	The Murders in the Rue Morgue
10	Erle Stanley Gardner	J	The Blue Cross

Task 3. Match the two columns. [DETECTIVE]

1	Josephine Tey	A	The Daughter of Time (1951)
2	Raymond Chandler	B	The Name of the Rose (1980)
3	Frederick Forsyth	C	The Talented Mr. Ripley (1955)
4	John Buchan	D	Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy (1974)
5	Peter Lovesey	E	The Eagle Has Landed (1975)
6	Margery Allingham	F	The Colour of Murder (1957)
7	Umberto Eco	G	Penny Black (1984)
8	Eric Ambler	H	The Day of the Jackal (1971)
9	Dorothy L. Sayers	I	Nine Coaches Waiting (1958)
10	Francis Iles	J	Devices and Desires (1989)

11	Edmund Crispin	K	The False Inspector Dew (1982)
12	Cyril Hare	L	Tragedy at Law (1942)
13	Ken Follett	M	The Tiger in the Smoke (1952)
14	Julian Symons	N	A Running Duck (1978)
15	Edgar Wallace	O	The Mask of Dimitrios (1939)
16	John Fowles	P	The Thirty-Nine Steps (1915)
17	Ian Fleming	Q	The Nine Tailors (1934)
18	Patricia Highsmith	R	The Big Sleep (1939)
19	John le Carré	S	Twice Shy (1981)
20	Graham Greene	T	The Collector (1963)
21	Dick Francis	U	Malice Aforethought (1931)
22	Jack Higgins	V	The Four Just Men (1906)
23	Susan Moody	W	The Third Man (1950)
24	Mary Stewart	X	From Russia, with Love (1957)
25	P. D. James	Y	The Moving Toyshop (1946)
26	Paula Gosling	Z	The Key to Rebecca (1980)

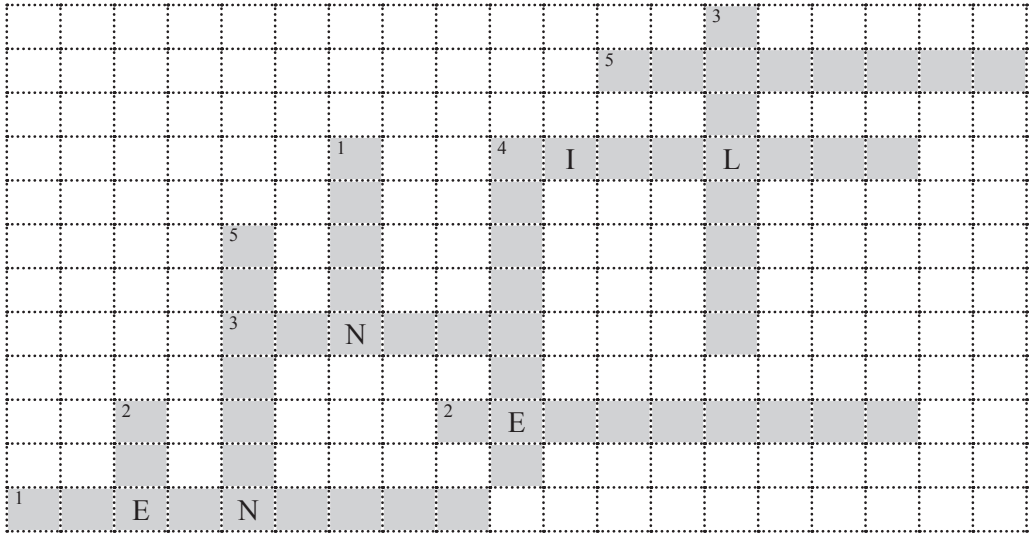
Task 4. Write one word in each gap.

1	Belgian literature, taken ____ the widest sense of the term, falls into three groups, consisting of works written respectively in Flemish, Walloon and French.	
2	The earlier French writers born on what is now Belgian territory – e.g. Adenès le Rois, Jean Froissart, Jean Lemaire des Belges and others – ____ included in the general history of French Literature.	
3	It remains to consider the literature written ____ Belgians in French during the 19th century, and its rapid development since the revolution of 1831.	
4	Belgian writers were commonly charged with provincialism, but the prejudice ____ them has been destroyed by the brilliant writers of 1870-1880.	
5	It ____ also asserted that Belgian French literature lacked a national basis, and was merely a reflection of Parisian models.	
6	The most important section of it, however, has a distinctive quality of ____ own.	
7	Many of its most distinguished exponents are Flemings ____ birth, and their writings reflect the characteristic Flemish scenery.	

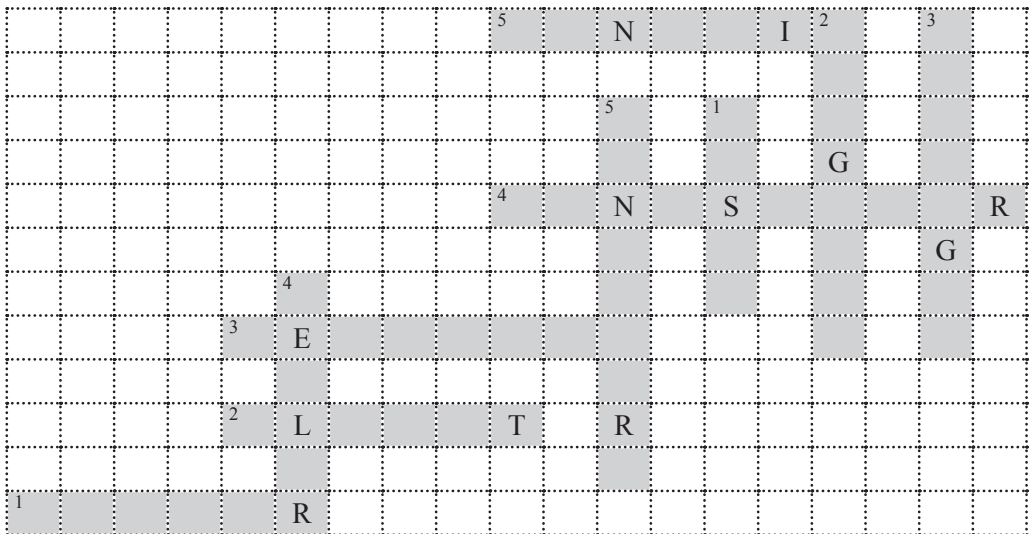
8	This profoundly national character disengaged itself gradually, and has ____ more strikingly evident since 1870.	
9	The earlier writers of the century were content ____ follow French tradition.	
10	The events of 1830-1831 gave ____ great stimulus to Belgian letters, but the country possessed writers of considerable merit before that date.	
11	The whole of this literature derived more or ____ from foreign sources, and, with the exception of Charles de Coster and Octave Pirmez, produced no striking figures.	
12	Lemonnier himself cannot ____ exclusively claimed by any of the conflicting schools of young writers.	
13	He was by ____ naturalist, lyrical and symbolist; and it has been claimed that the germs of all the later developments in Belgian letters may be traced in his work.	
14	The quinquennial prize of literature had been refused to his UN MÂLE, and the younger generation of artists and men of letters gave him a banquet which was recognized ____ a protest against the official literature.	
15	He was well known as an advocate in Brussels, and made a considerable contribution ____ jurisprudence as the chief writer of the <i>Pandectes belges</i> .	

Task 5. Match the two columns.

1	Arthur Conan Doyle	A	A Perfect Day for Bananafish
2	F. Scott Fitzgerald	B	Our American Adventure
3	George Orwell	C	Finnegans Wake
4	J. D. Salinger	D	The Love of the Last Tycoon
5	James Joyce	E	A Connecticut Yankee
6	Joseph Heller	F	An Elementary Treatise on Determinants, With Their Application to Simultaneous Linear Equations and Algebraic Equations
7	Lewis Carroll	G	The Sound and the Fury
8	Mark Twain	H	Nineteen Eighty Four
9	Virginia Woolf	I	To the Lighthouse
10	William Faulkner	J	Catch-22

Task 6. Complete the crossword. [WRITERS]

	Across	Key	Down	Key
1		THE GRAPES OF WRATH		PUDD'NHEAD WILSON
2		FOR WHOM THE BELL TOLLS		TO KILL A MOCKINGBIRD
3		THE CALL OF THE WILD		AS I LAY DYING
4		THE JUNGLE		THE CATCHER IN THE RYE
5		FAHRENHEIT 451		INVISIBLE MAN

Task 7. Complete the crossword. [WRITERS]

	Across	Key	Down	Key
1		O PIONEERS!		ONE FLEW OVER THE CUCKOO'S NEST
2		LITTLE WOMEN		NARRATIVE OF THE LIFE OF FREDERICK DOUGLASS, AN AMERICAN SLAVE
3		BILLY BUDD		SLAUGHTERHOUSE-FIVE
4		THE BEAN TREES		CATCH-22
5		ANNIE JOHN		A RAISIN IN THE SUN

Task 8. Match the two columns. [MODERN LITERATURE]

1	P. H. Newby	A	Something to Answer For
2	A. S. Byatt	B	The Elected Member
3	Bernice Rubens	C	Troubles
4	David Storey	D	Heat and Dust
5	J. G. Farrell	E	Saville
6	Michael Ondaatje	F	Offshore
7	Penelope Fitzgerald	G	Rites of Passage
8	Penelope Lively	H	Moon Tiger
9	Ruth Praver Jhabvala	I	Possession
10	William Golding	J	The English Patient

Task 9. Write one word in each gap. [ALEXANDER PUSHKIN]

1	The wondrous ____ of our meeting... Still I remember you appear	M
2	Before me like a ____ fleeting, A beauty's angel pure and clear.	I
3	In hopeless ____ surrounding The worldly bustle, to my ear	I
4	For long your tender voice kept sounding, For long in ____ came features dear.	S
5	Time passed. Unruly ____ confounded Old dreams, and I from year to year	S S
6	Forgot how tender you had sounded, Your ____ features once so dear.	H L
7	My ____ days dragged slow and quiet – Dull fence around, dark vault above –	W

8	Devoid of God and uninspired, Devoid of tears, of _____, of love.	R
9	Sleep from my soul began retreating, And here you once again _____	P
10	Before me like a _____ fleeting, A beauty's angel pure and clear.	O

Task 10. Complete the crossword. [BRITISH POETS]

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	Across	Key	Down	Key
1	William _____	Songs of Innocence and of Experience	Alexander _____	The Rape of the Lock
2	Edmund _____	The Faerie Queene	Philip _____	Astrophel and Stella
3	Robert _____	Scots Wha Hae	George _____	The Temple: Sacred Poems and Private Ejaculations
4	Thomas _____	Tottel's Miscellany	John _____	Paradise Lost
5	James _____	The Seasons	Ben _____	To Celia

Task 11. Write one word in each gap.

1	Tommy is a _____ and an illustrator.	A S
2	His most _____ book is "Why Always Me?"	E E

3	Joan has written for <i>Life Magazine</i> since 2007, and became the magazine's dance _____ in 2016.	I I
4	Bob recently published "Wild Nature: Selected Reporting _____" and is working on a book about cats.	E E
5	Mark is the author of the forthcoming book "Life After Olympiad," _____ on the real events.	A
6	Ian has been a _____ writer of the magazine since 2015.	S F
7	Jonathan is the author of the _____ "1 point to Vseros," which was published last year.	O
8	Peter was a member of the magazine's _____ staff in 2012.	I I
9	Adrian is the author of "No More Idioms," which won a National Book Critics Circle _____.	A
10	Joan, is a regular contributor to the magazine. She also writes a _____ for olympway.ru.	O U

Task 12. Match the two columns.

1	"A Horse with No Name"	A	The Beatles
2	"Fame"	B	The Animals
3	"Falling Down"	C	Freddie and the Dreamers
4	"Rocket Man"	D	The Rolling Stones
5	"Layla"	E	The Monkees
6	"Sweet Dreams"	F	America
7	"I'm Telling You Now"	G	Eric Clapton
8	"You're Beautiful"	H	Elton John
9	"Unchain My Heart"	I	David Bowie
10	"Another Brick in the Wall"	J	Queen
11	"The Show Must Go On"	K	Pink Floyd
12	"The House of the Rising Sun"	L	Joe Cocker
13	"Penny Lane"	M	Eurythmics
14	"I'm a Believer"	N	Duran Duran
15	"Paint It, Black"	O	James Blunt

Task 13. Match the items to the phenomena.

1	sunken city mentioned in Plato's works	A	British Invasion
2	creature that lives in the snowy regions of the USA	B	Black Sun
3	huge flocks of starlings	C	Frost flowers
4	rock and pop music from the United Kingdom became popular in the United States	D	Jack the Ripper
5	ice crystals found on young sea ice	E	Bigfoot
6	serial killer in London	F	Stonehenge
7	charter agreed to by King John of England	G	Atlantis
8	group of people escaping religious persecution in England	H	Magna Carta
9	a fictitious conspiracy to murder Charles II	I	Pilgrim Fathers
10	structure made of big rocks that stand atop one another	J	Popish Plot

Task 14. Solve anagram puzzles. [LITERATURE]

1	Brain wheezing blot	
2	Skinny domicile	
3	Than jokes	
4	Born Dry Lo	
5	Cheer Yell Spy	
6	Robber Grin Town	
7	Rapidly Dirk Gun	
8	Barman Blocks Hut	
9	A Soda Rhythm	
10	Math Way Tost	

Task 15. Match the two columns. [ACTORS&MOVIES]

1	Anthony Hopkins	A	Dirty Harry
2	Clint Eastwood	B	The Godfather
3	Denzel Washington	C	The Dark Knight
4	Dustin Hoffman	D	Rain Man
5	Edward Norton	E	The Silence of the Lambs

6	Humphrey Bogart	F	American Beauty
7	Johnny Depp	G	A Nightmare on Elm Street
8	Kevin Spacey	H	Casablanca
9	Marlon Brando	I	Remember the Titans
10	Morgan Freeman	J	Fight Club

Task 16. Match the two columns. [ACTORS&MOVIES]

1	Gregory Peck	A	To Kill a Mockingbird
2	Brad Pitt	B	Star Wars
3	Charlie Chaplin	C	12 Angry Men
4	Christian Bale	D	Indiana Jones
5	Harrison Ford	E	Batman Begins
6	Henry Fonda	F	Dead Poets Society
7	Robin Williams	G	Gladiator
8	Russell Crowe	H	No Country for Old Men
9	Sean Connery	I	Seven
10	Tommy Lee Jones	J	The Gold Rush

Task 17. Match the two columns. [RUSSIAN MOVIES & ACTORS]

1	Sergey Bodrov	A	Brother
2	Aleksandr Demyanenko	B	Leviathan
3	Aleksey Serebryakov	C	Night Watch
4	Andrey Mironov	D	The Island
5	Konstantin Khabenskiy	E	Hard to Be a God
6	Leonid Yarmolnik	F	The Cranes are Flying
7	Margarita Terekhova	G	Operation "Y" & Other Shurik's Adventures
8	Petr Mamonov	H	The Diamond Arm
9	Tatyana Samoylova	I	Moscow Does Not Believe in Tears
10	Vera Alentova	J	The Mirror

Task 18. Match the two columns. [RUSSIAN MOVIES & PLOTS]

1	The Diamond Arm	A	frightening transformation of Russia
2	The Cranes Are Flying	B	anti-Stalinist western
3	Brother	C	love and war
4	Moscow Doesn't Believe in Tears	D	wrong man in wrong circumstances

5	The Scarecrow	E	every woman needs her man
6	Come and See	F	school drama of bullying
7	The Battleship Potemkin	G	naïve eagerness to fight
8	Solaris	H	rebellion in 1905
9	17 Moments of Spring	I	space station
10	Cold Summer of 1953	J	intelligence agency

Task 19. Write one word in each gap.

1	Shakespeare, by general _____, is the greatest name in literature.	U F _____
2	There can be no _____ in saying, that to all who speak the English language his genius	_____ T _____ G _____
3	has made the world better worth living in, and life a nobler and thing.	D _____ N _____
4	And even among those who do not “speak the tongue that Shakespeare spake,” large numbers are studying the English language mainly for the _____ of being at home with him.	P _____ O _____
5	How he came to be what he was, and to do what he did, are questions that can never _____ to be	_____ E _____ E _____
6	interesting, wherever his works are known, and men’s powers of thought in any fair _____ developed.	_____ A _____ U _____
7	But Providence has left a veil, or rather a cloud, about his history, so that these questions are not likely to be _____ answered.	_____ S _____ T _____
8	The first formal attempt at an account of Shakespeare’s life was made by Nicholas Rowe, and the result _____ published in 1709,	_____ H _____ F _____
9	ninety-three years after the Poet’s death. Rowe’s account was _____ made up, for the most part,	_____ V _____ W _____

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from traditionary materials collected by Betterton the actor, who made a visit to Stratford for that purpose.

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Task 20. Write one word in each gap.

To be or not to be by Hamlet

To be, or not to be: that is the: **1** _____
 Whether 'tis nobler in the mind to suffer
 The slings and arrows of **2** _____ fortune,
 Or to take arms against a sea of troubles,
 And by opposing end **3** _____? To die: to sleep;
 No more; and by a sleep to say we end
 The heart-ache and the **4** _____ natural shocks
 That flesh is heir to, 'tis a consummation
 Devoutly to be wish'd. To die, to sleep;
 To sleep: **5** _____ to dream: ay, there's the rub;
 For in that sleep of death what dreams may come
 When we have shuffled off this mortal **6** _____,
 Must give us pause: there's the respect
 That makes calamity of **7** _____ long life;
 For who would bear the whips and scorns of time,
 The oppressor's **8** _____, the proud man's contumely,
 The pangs of despised **9** _____, the law's delay,
 The insolence of office and the spurns
 That patient merit of the unworthy takes,
 When he **10** _____ might his quietus make
 With a bare bodkin? who would fardels bear,
 To grunt and sweat under a weary life,
 But that the dread of something after death,
 The undiscover'd country from whose bourn
 No **11** _____ returns, puzzles the will
 And makes us rather bear those ills we have
 Than fly to others that we know not of?
 Thus conscience does make cowards of us all;
 And thus the native **12** _____ of resolution
 Is sicklied o'er with the pale cast of thought,
 And enterprises of great pith and moment
 With this regard their currents turn awry,
 And lose the **13** _____ of action.

coil

himself

hue

love

name

outrageous

perchance

question

so

them

thousand

traveller

wrong

PART VII

Task 1. Match the objects on the left with their location on the right. [HOTELS]

1	Ampersand Hotel	A	Ascot
2	Coworth Park	B	Exeter
3	The Wheatsheaf Inn	C	Colchester
4	Le Manoir aux Quat'Saisons	D	Brockenhurst
5	Maison Talbooth	E	Northleach
6	The Pig	F	Newbury
7	The Black Swan	G	London
8	The Magdalen Chapter	H	Lyndhurst
9	Lime Wood	I	Oxford
10	The Crab at Chieveley	J	Kirkby Stephen

Task 2. Find and circle in the grid 10 British cities and towns. They read vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and occasionally even overlapping and reversed.

I	N	B	I	R	M	I	N	G	H	A	M	K	L	V
M	G	T	J	K	F	A	P	C	S	L	P	F	L	S
R	H	A	L	I	V	E	R	P	O	O	L	Y	A	F
I	A	Q	W	X	S	S	W	F	A	Y	S	D	N	A
B	M	Z	C	D	Y	A	A	S	I	O	B	C	C	G
S	X	A	S	D	X	O	X	A	A	F	A	C	A	H
C	I	S	A	C	B	V	R	R	S	L	D	S	S	G
X	T	D	S	B	H	B	S	K	F	E	G	J	T	F
G	T	S	X	F	A	T	A	F	F	I	H	A	E	E
Q	G	T	T	F	L	O	V	T	S	C	I	E	R	R
A	S	I	R	I	I	N	G	E	H	E	O	S	S	D
A	L	I	D	S	R	G	D	L	Q	S	F	N	W	D
B	I	Y	X	C	T	L	V	Y	A	T	D	A	S	A
E	Y	G	C	T	O	I	I	D	G	E	F	W	A	N
A	B	E	R	D	E	E	N	G	D	R	R	S	E	S

Task 3. Solve anagram puzzles. [AMERICAN CITIES]

1	A Loan Spin	
2	Spend If Girl	
3	Sale Late Ash	
4	Real New Son	
5	Mail Pension	
6	Can Say Skit	
7	Wake Mule I	
8	Rash Rib Rug	
9	Divorce Pen	
10	Arab Icing Hive	

Task 4. Complete the crossword. [AMERICAN STATES & THEIR CAPITALS]

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	Capital	State
1		Washington
2		California
3		Mississippi
4		Arizona
5		Tennessee
6		Ohio
7		North Carolina
8		Delaware
9		Illinois
10		Nebraska
11		Maryland
12		Michigan
13		South Dakota
14		Wyoming
15		Oregon
16		West Virginia
17		Wisconsin
18		Maine
19		New York
20		Texas
21		Vermont

Task 5. Match American cities with the states. There are some extra states which you do not have to use.

	City	State	States
1	Albuquerque		Alabama
2	Baltimore		Arizona
3	Birmingham		Arkansas
4	Buffalo		California
5	Chicago		Colorado
6	Columbus		Connecticut
7	Denver		Florida
8	Fort Wayne		Georgia
9	Houston		Illinois
10	Kansas City		Indiana
11	Las Vegas		Iowa
12	Lexington		Kansas
			Kentucky
			Maryland

13	Memphis		Michigan
14	Miami		Missouri
15	Norfolk		Nebraska
16	Phoenix		Nevada
17	Pittsburgh		New Hampshire
18	Providence		New Jersey
19	Raleigh		New Mexico
20	Rochester		New York
21	Salem		North Carolina
22	Salt Lake City		Ohio
23	San Antonio		Oklahoma
24	San Francisco		Oregon
25	San Jose		Pennsylvania
26	St. Petersburg		Rhode Island
27	Tampa		South Carolina
28	Toledo		Tennessee
29	Vancouver		Texas
30	Wichita		Utah
			Virginia
			Washington
			Wisconsin

Task 6. Find and circle in the grid British counties. They read vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and occasionally even overlapping and reversed.

K	M	Y	N	A	S	O	M	E	R	S	E	T	A	S	C	D
Y	E	F	G	S	A	D	G	J	H	F	D	T	E	S	U	V
Q	V	N	X	S	F	H	J	U	F	D	S	I	R	E	M	A
N	A	X	T	H	G	F	S	V	X	A	S	R	W	Q	B	A
C	F	C	O	S	X	C	H	H	I	B	O	E	U	A	R	Y
O	S	S	S	A	U	F	U	D	U	V	U	W	G	A	I	U
R	F	K	A	M	E	R	S	E	Y	S	I	D	E	F	A	I
N	D	E	X	D	G	H	R	C	X	I	G	A	F	D	R	O
W	Y	B	F	D	X	V	M	E	E	Z	R	C	D	F	S	T
A	E	Y	R	V	I	R	E	D	Y	D	F	E	D	G	A	R
L	I	I	R	I	S	Z	R	S	E	S	S	E	X	I	I	R
L	D	F	S	G	S	X	G	C	Q	F	U	I	U	T	Z	E
U	D	R	F	N	D	T	B	F	A	H	S	F	R	R	X	E
R	O	D	O	E	E	V	O	D	O	O	A	Y	F	D	S	D
X	Z	V	H	I	R	X	P	L	P	D	C	B	E	O	D	S
Z	E	L	V	U	R	B	U	H	L	I	Z	D	S	S	L	A
D	O	Y	R	F	P	O	I	G	E	R	Z	X	O	W	S	K

Task 7. Write one word in each gap.

1	Niagara Falls (/naɪˈægrə/) is the collective name for three waterfalls that straddle the international border between _____ and the United States; more specifically, between the province of Ontario and the state of New York.	
2	They form the southern end of the Niagara Gorge. From largest to smallest, the three waterfalls are the Horseshoe Falls, the American Falls and the Bridal _____ Falls.	
3	The Horseshoe Falls lie mostly on the Canadian side and the American Falls entirely on the American side, separated by _____ Island.	
4	The smaller Bridal Veil Falls are also on the American side, separated from the other waterfalls by _____ Island.	
5	The international boundary line was originally drawn through _____ Falls in 1819, but the boundary has long been in dispute due to natural erosion and construction.	
6	Located on the _____ River, which drains Lake Erie into Lake Ontario, the combined falls form the highest flow rate of any waterfall in the world that has a vertical drop of more than 165 feet (50 m).	
7	Horseshoe Falls is the most powerful waterfall in _____ America, as measured by vertical height and flow rate. The falls are 17 miles (27 km) north-northwest of Buffalo, New York, and 75 miles (121 km) south-southeast of Toronto, between the twin cities of Niagara Falls, Ontario, and Niagara Falls, New York.	
8	Niagara Falls were formed when glaciers receded at the end of the Wisconsin glaciation (the last ice age), and water from the newly formed _____ Lakes carved a path through the Niagara Escarpment en route to the Atlantic Ocean.	
9	While not exceptionally high, the Niagara _____ are very wide. More than six million cubic feet (168,000 m ³) of water falls over the crest line every minute in high flow, and almost four million cubic feet (110,000 m ³) on average.	
10	The cities of Niagara Falls are connected by two international bridges. The _____ Bridge, just downriver from the falls, affords the closest view of the falls and is open to non-commercial vehicle traffic and pedestrians.	

Task 8. Decide which of the names of American states are real ones.

Arkansas
Catawba
Connecticut

Coventry
 Delaware
 Delmarva
 Fremont
 Georgia
 Idaho
 Illinois
 Louisiana
 Maine
 Maryland
 Mississippi
 New Delaware
 New Guernsey
 North Dakota
 North Montana
 North Yankton
 Ochichornia
 Oconee
 Ohio
 Oklachusetts
 Pennsylvtucky
 Pennsylvania
 Reserve
 Rhode Island
 San Andreas
 Wichita
 Wisconsin

	Real	Fictional
1		
2		
3		
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9		
10		
11		
12		

	Province	Capital
1	Alberta	Calgary
2	British Columbia	Vancouver
3	Manitoba	Winnipeg
4	New Brunswick	Fredericton
5	Newfoundland and Labrador	St. John's
6	Nova Scotia	Halifax
7	Ontario	Toronto
8	Prince Edward Island	Charlottetown
9	Quebec	Quebec City
10	Saskatchewan	Saskatoon

[illegible]

	U.S. states	Nickname
1		Pelican State
2		Bluegrass State
3		The Wolverine State
4		The Centennial State
5		Peach State
6		Cornhusker State
7		The Wheat State
8		Land of Enchantment
9		The First State
10		Gem State
11		Keystone State
12		The Empire State
13		The Volunteer State
14		Equality State
15		Badger State
16		Beehive State

Task 11. Write down the demonyms for the given cities.
(Example: MANCHESTER – MANCUNIAN)

1	Bern	
2	Brighton	
3	Denver	
4	Liverpool	
5	Moscow	
6	New York City	
7	Ottawa	
8	Paris	
9	Amsterdam	

Task 12. Solve anagram puzzles. [BRITISH CITIES]

1	Ham Big In Mr	
2	Bay Current	
3	Chef Sold Mr	

4	Screech Hit	
5	Bid Her Gun	
6	Sector Glue	
7	Over I Poll	
8	Old Tycoon Fin	
9	Ace El Twopenny Nuts	
10	Be Rougher Pot	

Task 13. Write out the correct spelling of these words.

1	/ə'ləs.kə/	
2	/æn'dɔ:.rə/	
3	/,hɒŋ 'kɒŋ/	
4	/,kæz.æk'stɑ:n/	
5	/,kɜ:.gr'stɑ:n/	
6	/'lɪk.tən.stam/	
7	/,məʊ.zæm'bi:k/	
8	/nɑ:'u:.ru:/	
9	/nə'pɔ:l/	
10	/,pwɜ:.tə 'ri:.kəʊ/	

Task 14. Write one word in each gap. [COLOURS]

1	___ Isle, Minnesota	
2	___ City, Iowa	
3	___ Cloud, Nebraska	
4	___ Earth, North Dakota	
5	___ River Falls, Wisconsin	
6	___ Eagle, Minnesota	
7	___ Hill, North Carolina	
8	___ Spring, Maryland	
9	___ Beach, Oregon	
10	___ Pine, Idaho	

Task 15. Find the common colour on the flags of the given countries.

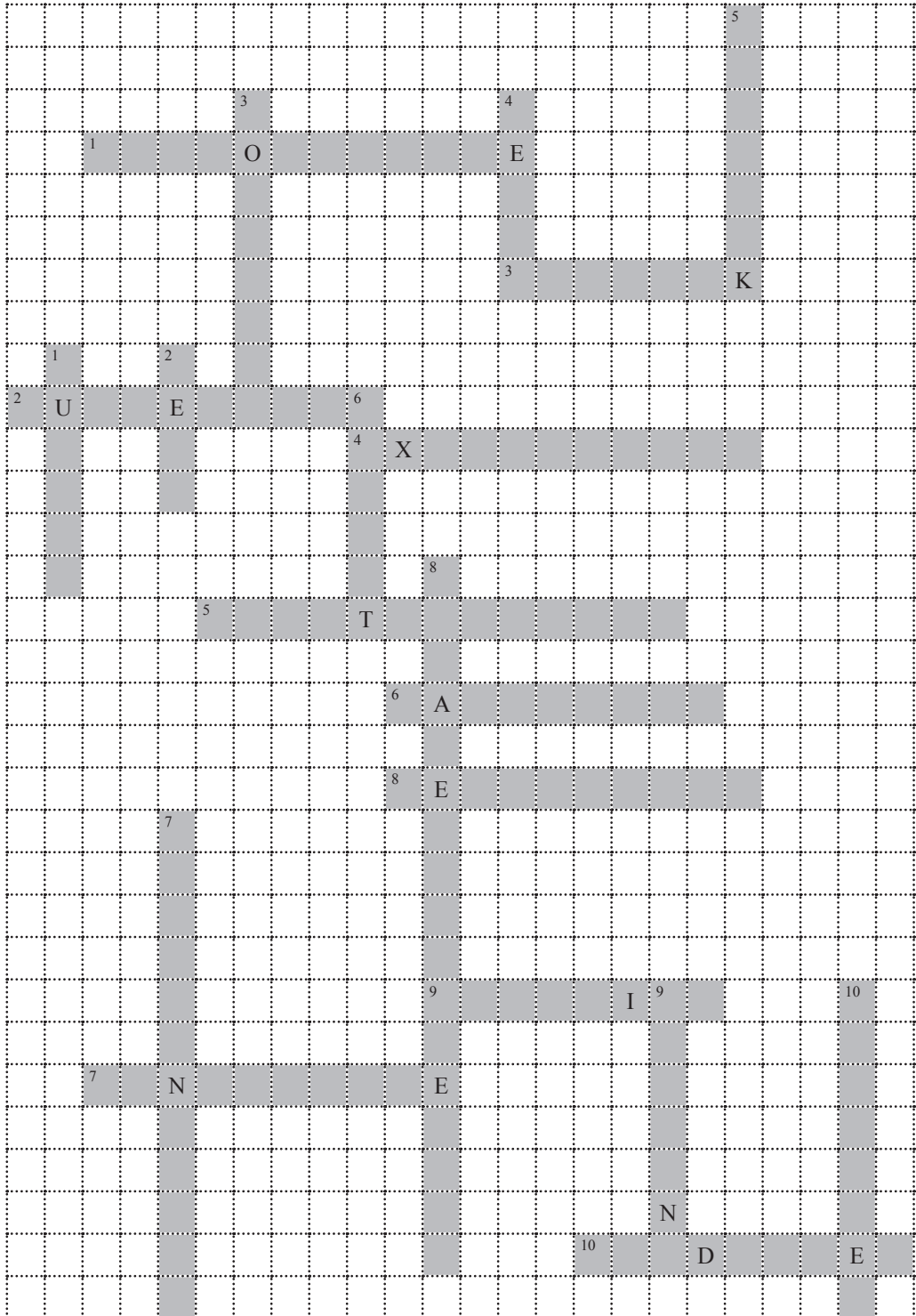
1	HAITI	RUSSIA	MEXICO	
2	JAMAICA	GHANA	BRAZIL	
3	BELGIUM	GERMANY	ESTONIA	
4	CHINA	CHILE	VIETNAM	
5	POLAND	ITALY	FINLAND	

Task 16. Write out the correct spelling of these words.

1	/ˈdʒɔː.dʒə/	
2	/ruˈmeɪ.ni.ə/	
3	/səntˌkɪts ənd ˈniː.vɪs/	
4	/ðə ˈtʃek rɪˈpʌblɪk/	
5	/ðə ˈfɔː.mə ˌjuː.gə.slaːv rɪˈpʌb.lɪk əv mæs.ə.dəʊ.ni.ə/	
6	/ ðə seɪˈfelz/	
7	/tɪˈbet/	
8	/ˌtɜːk.men.ɪˈstɑːn/	
9	/ˈjuə.rə.gwaɪ/	
10	/ˌvæt.ɪ.kən ˈsɪt.i/	

Task 17. Write out the correct spelling of these words.

1	/ˌkæp.ɪ.təl ˈhɪl/	
2	/kəŋˈɡreʃ.ən.əl ˌdɪs.trɪkt/	
3	/dem.əˈkræt.ɪk ˌpɑː.ti/	
4	/ˌef.biːˈaɪ/	
5	/ˌdʒɔɪnt rez.əˈluː.ʃən/	
6	/ˌəʊ.vəl ˈɒf.ɪs/	
7	/ˌʌn.əˈmer.ɪ.kən/	
8	/ˌʌŋ.kəl ˈsæm/	

Task 18. Complete the crossword. [ANAGRAMS: BRITISH COUNTIES]


	Across	Key	Down	Key
1		Bordered Fish		RESURY
2		Bad Curl Men		TEKN
3		LNFOKOR		All Crown
4		Hired For Sox		NEDOV
5		Gardener Lo Ton		Off Sulk
6		Ham Perish		Stored
7		Clean Hairs		Enrich Ill Son
8		Deer Messy I		A Charterer Segment
9		Cheer His		Lard Nut
10		Mixed Sled		Seems Rot

Task 19. Match the two columns.

1	“Birthplace of America”		Alaska
2	Denali National Park		Arizona
3	Empire State Building		California
4	Golden Gate Bridge		Hawaii
5	Kilauea		Maine
6	NASA Houston Space Center		Massachusetts
7	Niagara Falls		New York
8	The Grand Canyon		Oregon
9	White House		Pennsylvania
10	Yellowstone National Park		Texas
			Utah
			Vermont
			Washington DC
			Wyoming

Task 20. Write out the correct spelling of these words.

1	/glæz'wi:.dʒən/	
2	/,liv.ə'pʌd.li.ən/	
3	/'lʌn.dən/	
4	/mæŋ'kju:.ni.ən/	
5	/'mɒs.kəʊ/	
6	/'mʌs.kə.vəɪt/	
7	/,nju: 'jɔ:.kær/	
8	/'ɒks.brɪdʒ/	
9	/'ɒks.fəd/	
10	/pə'ri:z.i.ən/	

Task 21. Match the two columns.

1	Canterbury Cathedral		Buckinghamshire
2	Chartwell		Cambridgeshire
3	Chester Zoo		Cheshire
4	Corfe Castle		Cornwall
5	Drayton Manor		Cumbria
6	Eden Project		Devon
7	Lake District National Park		Dorset
8	Stonehenge		Essex
9	Stratford-Upon-Avon		Kent
10	University of Cambridge		Leicestershire
			Staffordshire
			Warwickshire
			Wiltshire

Task 22. Write down the correct names. [USA]

1	ALOBAMA	
2	ALLASKA	
3	AREZONA	
4	ARCANSAS	
5	CALEFORNIA	
6	COLLORADO	
7	CONEKTICUT	
8	DELEVARE	
9	DISTRIKT OF KOLUMBIA	
10	PHLORIDDA	
11	GORRGIA	
12	HAVAIH	
13	IADAHOU	
14	ILINOIZE	
15	INDAIANNAA	
16	IAVWA	
17	KENSESZ	
18	KENTYCY	
19	LOUISIANA	
20	MAINE	
21	MERILEND	
22	MESSACHUSETTSS	

23	MICHIGAN	
24	MENNISOTA	
25	MISSISSIPPI	
26	MISSOUIRRI	
27	MONTANA	
28	NEBRASKCA	
29	NEWADA	
30	NORTH HAMPSHIRE	
31	JERSEY	
32	NEW MAXICO	
33	NEW YYORIK	
34	NORTHERN CARTOLINE	
35	NORTHERN DECOTA	
36	OHAIO	
37	OKCLAHAMA	
38	NEW OREGON	
39	SOUTH PENSYLVANIA	
40	RHEDDE ISOLAND	
41	SOUTH CAROLINA	
42	SOUTH DAKOTA	
43	TTEENNESSEE	
44	TEXES	
45	UTAAH	
46	EAST WERMONT	
47	WIRGINIA	
48	WASHINGTON	
49	EAST WIRGINIA	
50	WYSKONTSIN	
51	WYOMMING	

Task 23. Write out the correct spelling of these words.

1	/ ɪl.ɪˈnɔɪ /	
2	/ˈtəʊ.ki.əʊ/	
3	/ kæl.ɪ.ˈfɔː.ni.ə /	
4	/ˈtek.səs/	
5	/pəˈrɪz.i.ən/	
6	/dʌnˈdəʊ.ni.ən/	

7	/ˈkeɪm.brɪdʒ/	
8	/ˌmɪs.ɪˈsɪp.i/	
9	/wɪˈskɒn.sɪn/	
10	/ˈhæmp.ʃər/	

Task 24. Match the three columns.

	DEMONYM		CITY		COUNTRY
1	Carioca	A	Moscow	a	Scotland
2	Dundonian	B	Beijing	b	China
3	Muscovite	C	Rio de Janeiro	c	Russia
4	Pekinese	D	Chelmsford	d	Australia
5	Canberran	E	Hamburg	e	Brazil
6	Chelmsfordian	F	Dundee	f	Germany
7	Hamburger	G	Canberra	g	England

Task 25. Match the two columns. [JOURNALS]

1	Bookforum		Australia
2	ABC7 News		Canada
3	Alice Springs News		UK
4	Angry Penguins		USA
5	Annual Review of Economics		
6	Canberra Times		
7	Financial Times		
8	Johns Hopkins University Press		
9	Le Journal de Québec		
10	Orange County Register		
11	The Edmonton Journal		
12	The London Magazine		
13	The Sun		
14	Vetusta Monumenta		
15	Wall Street Journal		

PART VIII

Task 1. Correct the spelling mistakes. Tick (v) the sentences that are correct.

1	The biography of Poe got a wrong start immediately after his death when Griswold slandered him or at least put a false emphasis on certain aspects of his character. Since then, every book about Poe has had an argumentative tone, a defensive spirit, which in a way is as unfair to Poe as was the first misrepresentation.
2	One sometimes feels like crying: "For heaven's sake read his work and let the man alone!"
3	Yet it is not possible to let Poe alone if you have once looked into his life; his story is one of the fascinating chapters of literary history.
4	Professor Smith says that his book, "Edgar Allen Poe, How to Know Him," "is an attempt to substitute for the travesty the real Poe, to suggest at least the diversity of his interests, his future-mindedness, his sanity, and his humanity."
5	On the whole, Professor Smith's attempt is successful and he does help us to realize Poe's perssonality, "that co-ordination of thought and mood and conduct, of social action and reaction, of daily interest and aim," which Professor Smith justly says, "finds no portrayal in the biographies of Poe."
6	It is an odd fact that after Griswold two of the more authoritative biographors of Poe did not like him. One was Richard Henry Stoddard; the other, Mr. George E. Woodberry.
7	Neither one, I suspect, chose Poe as a conginal, or even as an interesting subject.
8	The task of writing his biography seems to have fallen to both men as a literary chore; to Stoddard as an official critic who knew Poe, and to Mr. Woodberry as a rising young man of literary talent who thirty years ago was selected by the editor of the "American Men of Letters" to write the life of Poe.
9	Of course, Mr. Woodberry is a competent workman. When, in the year of Poe's centenial, he enlarged his "Life" to two volumes, he put together in a judicial, objective style probably all the facts that we need to know.
10	But his easthetic judgments are at best unsympathetic.

Task 2. Write one word in each gap.

1	The one fault that can ____ found with Traubel's "With Walt Whitman in Camden" is that there is too much of it.
2	But that is ____ fault easily remedied without blotting a line of the record.
3	Books that contain too little may cheat us of desired knowledge, whereas books that contain too much can do ____ harm; every reader has the privilege of not reading at all or of dipping into a book here and there.
4	Traubel's method is admirable; it is that ____ a documentary historian.
5	He set down Whitman's talk and such impressions and facts as the biographer recorded ____ the moment, and he reproduced the letters in the order in which Whitman gave them to him.
6	He did not presume to select from Whitman's conversation what now seems most interesting or most to Whitman's credit, but he gave you all that he had ____ you to enjoy or ignore and for other biographers and historians to make use of as they will.
7	Traubel made no concessions ____ the fact that readers have to catch trains and read other books, and he ignored, perhaps to his personal disadvantage, certain exigencies of publication, such as the publisher's obvious need to interest as many people as possible with the least possible expenditure.
8	Traubel's method is simple from an artistic point ____ view, requiring nothing but accuracy, courage and industry.
9	Yet the method is a great strain ____ all concerned.
10	The reader can stand it, because, as I ____ said, he can take as much or as little as suits him.

Task 3. Write one word in each gap.

1	Dame Jean Iris Murdoch (15 July 1919 – 8 February 1999) was an Anglo-Irish novelist and ____, best known for her novels about good and evil, morality, and the power of the unconscious.	H O S
2	Her first ____ novel, <i>Under the Net</i> , was selected in 1998 as one of Modern Library’s 100 best English-language novels of the 20th century.	B S E
3	In 1987, she was made a Dame ____ of the Order of the British Empire.	O A D R

4	Murdoch was ____ in progressive independent schools, entering the Froebel Demonstration School in 1925 and attending Badminton School in Bristol as a boarder from 1932 to 1938.	U A E
5	In 1938 she went up to Somerville College, ____, with the intention of studying English, but switched to Classics.	F
6	From 1947 to 1948 Iris Murdoch studied philosophy as a postgraduate at Newnham College, ____.	M
7	Her philosophical writings were ____ by Simone Weil (from whom she borrows the concept of 'attention'), and by Plato, under whose banner she claimed to fight.	F N E
8	Her novels, in their attention and generosity to the inner lives of individuals, ____ the tradition of novelists like Dostoyevsky, Tolstoy, George Eliot, and Proust, besides showing an abiding love of Shakespeare.	O O
9	Murdoch was awarded the Booker Prize in 1978 for THE SEA, THE SEA, a finely detailed novel about the power of love and loss, featuring a retired stage director who is overwhelmed by jealousy when he meets his erstwhile lover after several ____ apart.	E E
10	Iris Murdoch won a ____ to study at Vassar College in 1946, but was refused a visa to enter the United States because she had joined the Communist Party of Great Britain in 1938, while a student at Oxford.	C O R

Task 4. Make sentences from the words.

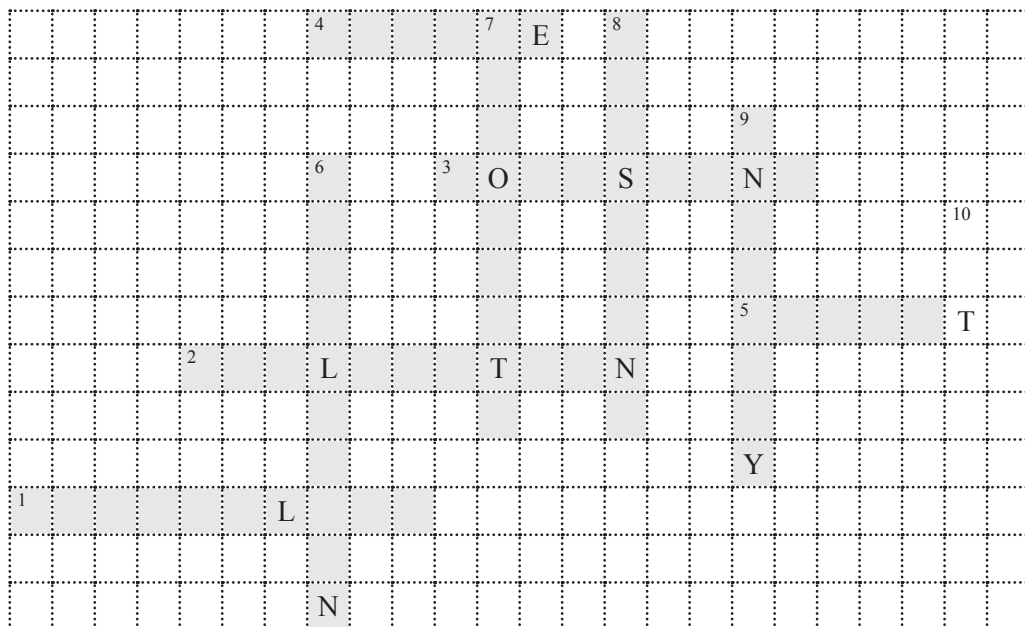
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2	/ made / King Edward III / of / Chaucer / one / esquires / had / his
3	he / but / is / to / have / evidence / of / causes / this / believed / on / 25 October 1400, / there / unknown / is / died / no / firm / for / date /

4	/ now / 1556, / his / were / writer / transferred / area / in / a / as / more / or- nate / tomb, / making / to / interred / Chaucer / the / in / remains / the / first / known / Poets' Corner/
5	/ Chaucer's / work / literary / languages / crucial / England / was / legitimiz- ing / the / vernacular / use / in / French / of / Middle / English / at / a / when / time / the / dominant / literary / in / were / and / the / Latin. /

Task 5. Complete the crossword.

Thomas Jefferson (1743 – 1826) was an American Founding ____.	Down 10
He was the principal author of the ____ of Independence and later served as the third President of the United States from 1801 to 1809.	Across 2
A proponent of democracy, republicanism, and individual rights motivat- ing American ____ to break from Great Britain and form a new nation, he produced formative documents and decisions at both the state and national level.	Down 7
Jefferson was primarily of English ____, born and educated in colonial Virginia.	Down 9
During the American ____, he represented Virginia in the Continental Con- gress that adopted the Declaration, drafted the law for religious freedom as a Virginia legislator, and served as a wartime governor (1779–1781).	Down 6
He became the United States Minister to ____ in May 1785, and subse- quently the nation's first Secretary of State in 1790–1793 under President George Washington.	Across 4
Jefferson and James Madison organized the Democratic-Republican Party to oppose the ____ Party during the formation of the First Party System.	Across 1
As ____, Jefferson pursued the nation's shipping and trade interests against Barbary pirates and aggressive British trade policies.	Down 8
He also organized the ____ Purchase, almost doubling the country's ter- ritory.	Across 3
Jefferson's keen interest in religion and philosophy earned him the presi- dency of the American Philosophical ____.	Across 5

	Across		Down
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Task 6. Complete the crossword.

David Robert Joseph Beckham is an English former ____ footballer.	Across 2
He played for Manchester United, Preston North End, Real Madrid, Milan, LA Galaxy, Paris Saint-Germain, and the England national team for which he held the ____ record for an outfield player until 2016 when Wayne Rooney surpassed his total.	Across 5
He is the first English player to win ____ titles in four countries: England, Spain, the United States and France.	Down 10
He announced his ____ in May 2013 after a 20-year career, during which he won 19 major trophies.	Down 6
Known for his range of passing, crossing ability and bending free-kicks as a right winger, Beckham was twice runner-up for FIFA ____ Player of the Year and in 2004 he was named in the FIFA 100 list of the world's greatest living players.	Down 9
He was inducted into the English Football Hall of ____ in 2008.	Across 4
A global ____ for the sport, Beckham is regarded as a British cultural icon.	Across 3
Beckham's professional club ____ began with Manchester United, where he made his first-team debut in 1992 aged 17.	Down 7
With United, he won the Premier League title six times, the FA Cup twice, and the UEFA ____ League in 1999.	Across 1
He then played four seasons with Real Madrid, winning the La Liga ____ in his final season with the club.	Down 8

	Across		Down
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A crossword puzzle grid with 10 numbered starting points. The grid is 10x10. The words are: 1 Across: NINE; 2 Down: RESIL; 3 Across: ROL; 4 Down: AREA; 5 Down: IPE; 6 Down: ROL; 7 Across: RESIL; 8 Down: IPE; 9 Down: AREA; 10 Across: AREA.

Task 7. Write one word in each gap.

1	John Fitzgerald “Jack” Kennedy (May 29, 1917 – November 22, 1963), commonly referred to by his initials JFK, was an American politician who served as the 35th President of the United States from January 1961 until his ____ in November 1963.	S S O
2	Kennedy also established the Presidential ____ of Freedom in 1963.	D
3	Kennedy’s time in office was marked by high ____ with Communist states.	N S

4	He increased the number of American ____ advisers in South Vietnam by a factor of 18 over President Dwight D. Eisenhower.	I
5	In Cuba, a failed ____ was made at the Bay of Pigs to overthrow the government of Fidel Castro in April 1961.	T T
6	After military service in the United States ____ Reserve in World War II, Kennedy represented Massachusetts's 11th congressional district in the U.S. House of Representatives from 1947 to 1953.	V
7	He was elected subsequently to the U.S. Senate and ____ as the junior Senator from Massachusetts from 1953 until 1960.	R V
8	At age 43, he became the youngest ____ president.	C T
9	Kennedy has been the only president to have won a ____ Prize.	I Z
10	Kennedy was assassinated in ____, Texas, on November 22, 1963 by Lee Harvey Oswald.	L S

Task 8. Write one word in each gap.

1	Kurt Vonnegut Jr. (November 11, 1922 – April 11, 2007) published 14 ____, three short story collections, five plays, and five works of non-fiction.	O
2	He is most famous for his darkly ____, best-selling novel SLAUGHTERHOUSE-FIVE (1969).	A A
3	Born and raised in Indianapolis, ____, Vonnegut attended Cornell University, but dropped out in January 1943 and enlisted in the United States Army.	I

4	He was deployed to ____ to fight in World War II, and was captured by the Germans during the Battle of the Bulge.	R
5	He was interned in Dresden and survived the Allied bombing of the city by taking ____ in a meat locker of the slaughterhouse where he was imprisoned.	F E
6	He was invited to give speeches, ____, and commencement addresses around the country and received many awards and honors.	U S
7	Later in his career, Vonnegut published several autobiographical essays and short-story collections, including FATES WORSE THAN DEATH (1991), and A MAN WITHOUT A ____ (2005).	N T
8	After his death, he was hailed as a morbidly comical commentator on the society in which he lived, and as one of the most important ____ writers.	C P Y
9	Vonnegut's works have evoked ire on several ____.	O O
10	The asteroid 25399 ____ is named in his honor.	G

Task 9. Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals.

1	The ____ of George W. Bush began on January 20, 2001 at noon Eastern Standard Time, when George W. Bush was inaugurated as President of the United States, and ended on January 20, 2009.	PRESIDE
2	A ____, he took office following a very close win in the 2000 presidential election over Democratic nominee Al Gore, the then-incumbent Vice President.	REPUBLIC
3	He also pushed for socially ____ efforts, such as the Partial-Birth Abortion Ban Act and faith-based welfare initiatives.	CONSERVE

4	After the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001, Bush declared a global war on terrorism and, in October 2001, ordered an ____ of Afghanistan to overthrow the Taliban, destroy the terrorist group al-Qaeda, and capture Osama bin Laden.	INVADE
5	That same month, he signed into law the ____ Patriot Act in order to strengthen security and allow for greater surveillance.	CONTRO- VERSY
6	In 2003, Bush ordered an invasion of Iraq, asserting that Iraq possessed stockpiles of weapons of mass destruction in ____ of UN Security Council Resolution 1441.	VIOLATE
7	Bush's second term was highlighted by several free trade ____, a strong push for offshore and domestic drilling.	AGREE
8	Bush pushed for Social Security and ____ reform, but both efforts failed.	IMMIGRATE
9	The Bush administration's response to Hurricane Katrina and the dismissal of U.S. attorneys controversy earned wide ____, and his second term saw a drop in his approval ratings.	COVER
10	Bush's presidency is frequently ranked by historians as BAD among the ____ in American history.	

Task 10. Choose the correct answer. [POLITICAL PARTIES]

1	THE MARQUESS OF SALISBURY				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
2	JOHN MAJOR				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
3	SIR ROBERT WALPOLE				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
4	TONY BLAIR				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
5	THERESA MAY				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
6	HENRY ADDINGTON				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
7	GORDON BROWN				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
8	CLEMENT ATTLEE				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory

9	HAROLD MACMILLAN				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
10	SIR HENRY CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory

Task 11. Choose the correct answer. [POLITICAL PARTIES]

1	SIR ANTHONY EDEN				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
2	JAMES CALLAGHAN				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
3	HAROLD WILSON				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
4	EDWARD HEATH				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
5	ALEC DOUGLAS-HOME				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
6	H. H. ASQUITH				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
7	STANLEY BALDWIN				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
8	RAMSAY MACDONALD				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
9	ANDREW BONAR LAW				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory
10	ARTHUR BALFOUR				
	A – Conservative	B – Whig	C – Labour	D – Liberal	E – Tory

Task 12. Choose the correct answer. [POLITICAL PARTIES]

1	JOHN ADAMS				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
2	THOMAS JEFFERSON				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican

3	JAMES MONROE				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
4	JOHN QUINCY ADAMS				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
5	MARTIN VAN BUREN				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
6	WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
7	JOHN TYLER				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
8	ZACHARY TAYLOR				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
9	ABRAHAM LINCOLN				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
10	GROVER CLEVELAND				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
11	THEODORE ROOSEVELT				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
12	FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
13	DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
14	JOHN F. KENNEDY				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic- Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican

15	RONALD REAGAN				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic-Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
16	GEORGE H. W. BUSH				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic-Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
17	BILL CLINTON				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic-Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
18	BARACK OBAMA				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic-Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
19	DONALD TRUMP				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic-Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican
20	MILLARD FILLMORE				
	A – Federalist	B – Whig	C – Democratic-Republican	D – Democratic	E – Republican

Task 13. Choose the correct answer. [OCCUPATION]

1	ED SHEERAN				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
2	DAVID BOWIE				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
3	VIRGINIA WOOLF				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
4	CHARLES DARWIN				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
5	SIR ISAAC NEWTON				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
6	JOHN LENNON				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
7	OLIVER CROMWELL				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
8	SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art

9	JOHN HARRISON				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
10	ROBERT THE BRUCE				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
11	JOHN LOGIE BAIRD				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
12	ALAN TURING				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
13	THOMAS GAINSBOROUGH				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
14	SIR EDWARD ELGAR				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
15	WILLIAM TYNDALE				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art

Task 14. Choose the correct answer. [OCCUPATION]

1	WILLIAM WILBERFORCE				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
2	FREDDIE MERCURY				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
3	DAVID LIVINGSTONE				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
4	WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
5	JOHN WILLIAM WATERHOUSE				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
6	JOHN SINGER SARGENT				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
7	SIR PAUL MCCARTNEY				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
8	ENOCH POWELL				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
9	SIR DAVID ATTENBOROUGH				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art

10	STEPHEN HAWKING				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
11	JAMES WHISTLER				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
12	EDWARD JENNER				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
13	ALEXANDER GRAHAM BELL				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
14	EVELYN WAUGH				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art
15	MICHAEL FARADAY				
	A – Literature	B – Music	C – Politics	D – Science	E – Art

Task 15. Choose the correct answer. [NOTABLE ALUMNI]

1	MICHELLE OBAMA				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
2	MARGARET THATCHER				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
3	DAVID CAMERON				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
4	STEPHEN FRY				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
5	MICHAEL BLOOMBERG				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
6	J. R. R. TOLKIEN				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
7	OSCAR WILDE				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
8	HERBERT HOOVER				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
9	SERGEY BRIN				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
10	J. J. THOMSON				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford

11	JOHN MILTON				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
12	MICHAEL PORTER				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
13	CHARLES DARWIN				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
14	BILL CLINTON				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
15	HUGH GRANT				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford

Task 16. Choose the correct answer. [NOTABLE ALUMNI]

1	C.S LEWIS				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
2	ALDOUS HUXLEY				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
3	TYRA BANKS				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
4	T. S. ELIOT				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
5	JOHN STEINBECK				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
6	WALTER RALEIGH				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
7	WOODROW WILSON				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
8	F. SCOTT FITZGERALD				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
9	THEODORE ROOSEVELT				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
10	BARACK OBAMA				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
11	STEPHEN HAWKING				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford

12	ALFRED TENNYSON				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
13	CONDOLEEZZA RICE				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
14	WILLIAM PENN				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford
15	JONATHAN SWIFT				
	A – Harvard	B – Princeton	C – Oxford	D – Cambridge	E – Stanford

Task 17. Choose the correct answer. [ERA]

1	ISAAC NEWTON				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
2	MARY, QUEEN OF SCOTS				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
3	GEORGE WASHINGTON				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
4	OLIVER CROMWELL				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
5	STEVE JOBS				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
6	ABRAHAM LINCOLN				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
7	ANNE BOLEYN				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
8	ADAM SMITH				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century

9	JAMES COOK				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
10	JOHNNY DEPP				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
11	QUEEN VICTORIA				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
12	EDGAR ALLAN POE				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
13	ROBERT BOYLE				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
14	JOHN CALVIN				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century
15	ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER				
	A – 16th Century	B – 17th Century	C – 18th Century	D – 19th Century	E – 20th Century

Task 18. Make sentences from the words.

1	Beethoven / that / to / his / represented / phase / in / publisher / these / three / wrote / sonatas / a / new / himself / his / style.
2	His / whole / let / entirely / is / ruled / by / his / determination / been / to / development / nothing / pass / until / it / has / completely / mastered.
3	On / the / harmonies / the / sequence / the / are / together / orderly / by / an / held / contrary, / in / bass.
4	The / short / harmonically / and / thing / profound / finale / the / the / introduction / emotionally / to / is / the / most / in / sonata.
5	Beethoven's / extensive / been / and / is / revision / now / of / his / works / earliest / known / to / have / drastic.

Task 19. Write one word in each gap.

1	Alexander Graham Bell, American inventor and ____, son of Alexander Melville Bell, was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, on the 3rd of March 1847.	H T
2	He was educated at the university of ____ and the university of London, and removed with his father to Canada in 1870.	B H
3	In 1872 he became professor of vocal physiology in ____ University.	S N
4	In 1876 he exhibited an ____ embodying the results of his studies in the transmission of sound by electricity, and this invention, with improvements and modifications, constitutes the modern commercial telephone.	A S
5	He was the inventor also of the photophone, an ____ for transmitting sound by variations in a beam of light, and of phonographic apparatus.	S T
6	Later, he interested himself in the problem of ____ flight.	H L
7	He published many scientific ____, including a memoir on the formation of a deaf variety in the human race.	O S
8	Although Bell was not one of the 33 founders of the National ____ Society, he had a strong influence on the magazine while serving as the second president from January 7, 1898, until 1903.	G C
9	Bell's father, grandfather, and brother had all been associated with work on elocution and ____ and both his mother and wife were deaf, profoundly influencing Bell's life's work.	S H
10	Bell died of complications ____ from diabetes on August 2, 1922, at his private estate in Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, at age 75.	A G

Task 20. Read the text below and look carefully at each line. Some of the lines are correct, and some have an extra word. Tick (v) the sentences that are correct. If a line has a word which should not be there, write the word down.

1	John Bell, American political leader, was born near Nashville, at Tennessee, on the 15th of February 1797.	
2	He graduated at the university of Nashville in 1814, and in 1817 was elected to the state senate, but retiring after one term, he devoted himself for ten years to the study and the practice of the law.	
3	From 1827 until 1841 he was a member of the national House of Representatives, of which from June 1834 to March 1835 he was the speaker, and in which he was been conspicuous as a debater and a conservative leader.	
4	Though he entered political life as a Democrat, he became estranged from his party's leader, President Jackson, also a Tennessean, and after 1835 was one of the leaders of the Whig party in the South.	
5	In March 1841 he became the secretary of war in President Harrison's cabinet, but in the September, after the death of Harrison and the rupture between the Whig leaders and President Tyler, he resigned this position.	
6	Strongly conservative by temperament and devoted to the Union, he ardently desired to prevent the threatened secession of the Southern states in 1860, and was the candidate, by for the presidency, of the Constitutional Union Party, often called from the names of its candidates for the presidency and the vice-presidency (Edward Everett) the "Bell and Everett Party," which was made up largely of former Whigs and Southern "Know-Nothings," opposed sectionalism, and strove to prevent the disruption of the union.	
7	The party adopted no platform, and discarding all other issues, resolved that "it is both the part of patriotism and of duty to recognize no political principle other than the constitution of the country, the union of the states, and the enforcement of the laws."	
8	Bell was defeated, but received a popular vote of 587,830 (mostly cast in the Southern states), and if obtained the electoral votes of Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee—39 altogether, out of a total of 303.	

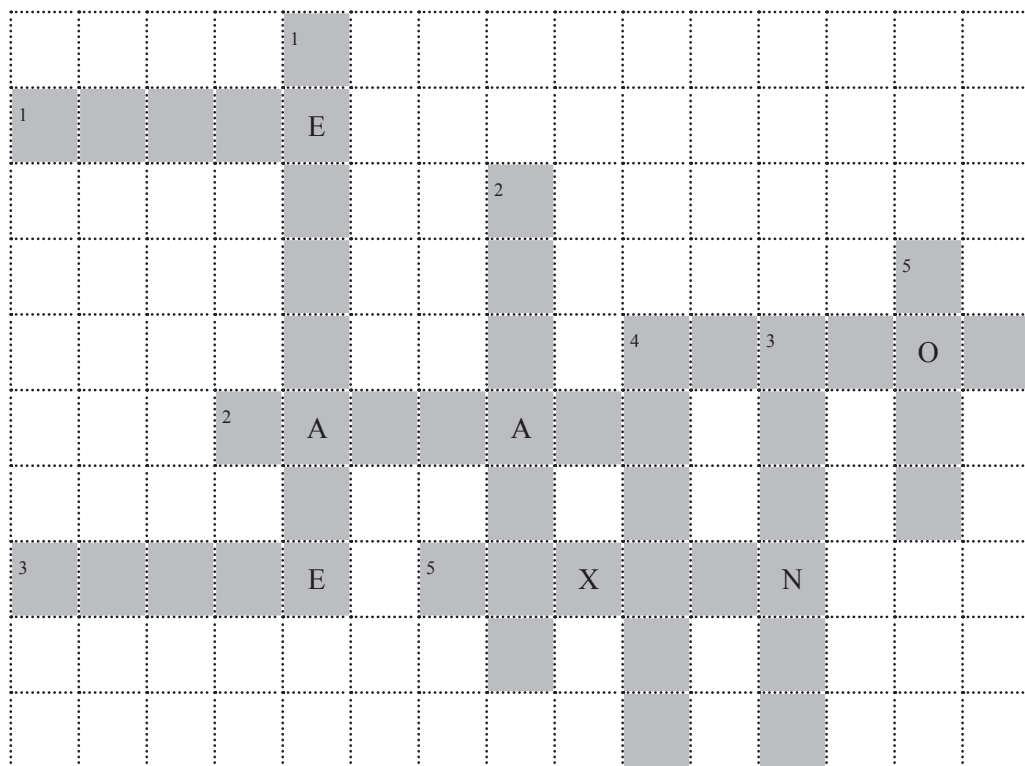
9	Bell tried earnestly to prevent the secession of his own state, but after than the issue of President Lincoln's proclamation of the 15th of April 1861 calling on the various states for volunteers, his efforts were unavailing, and when Tennessee joined the Confederacy Bell "went with his state."	
10	He took no part in the Civil War, and died on the 10th of the September 1869.	

Task 21. Match the two columns. [FAMOUS AMERICANS]

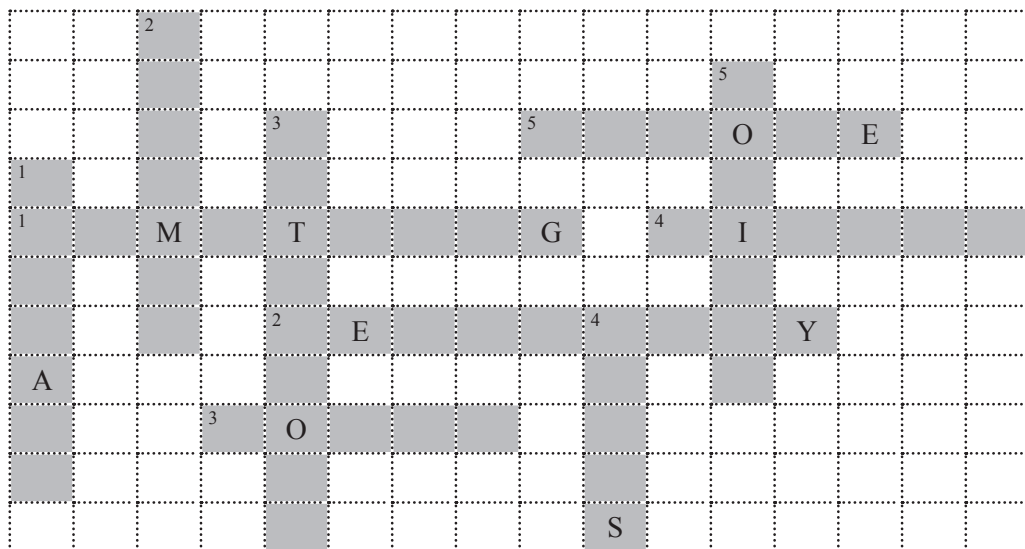
1	William Penn	A	1644 – 1718
2	Abraham Lincoln	B	1706-1790
3	Alexander Hamilton	C	1732–1799
4	Andrew Carnegie	D	1737-1809
5	Benjamin Franklin	E	1743-1826
6	George Washington	F	1755-1804
7	John Adams	G	1735-1826
8	Sojourner Truth	H	1797 – 1883
9	Thomas Jefferson	I	1809-1865
10	Thomas Paine	J	1835 – 1919

Task 22. Match the two columns. [FAMOUS BRITONS]

1	Guy Fawkes	A	tried to blow up the Parliament of England
2	Aleister Crowley	B	created a republican England
3	Alexander Fleming	C	suspected of murdering his nephews
4	Arthur Wellesley	D	set the standard for a well-built railway
5	Charles Darwin	E	identified himself as the prophet
6	Ernest Shackleton	F	was knighted for his scientific achievements
7	Isambard Kingdom Brunel	G	led three British expeditions to the Antarctic
8	Oliver Cromwell	H	defeated Napoleon at the battle of Waterloo
9	Richard III	I	won the Nobel Prize in Literature
10	Winston Churchill	J	published his theory of evolution

Task 23. Complete the crossword. [FAMOUS BRITONS]


	Across	Key	Down	Key
1		poet and painter		won gold medals at five consecutive Olympic Games
2		knight and resistance leader during the Wars of Scottish Independence		discovered electromagnetic induction
3		defeated the Spanish Armada		hailed for his peace activism
4		famous for his service in the Royal Navy		originator of universal gravitation
5		introduced the printing press in England		achieved the first recorded European contact with the eastern coastline of Australia and the Hawaiian Islands

Task 24. Complete the crossword. [FAMOUS AMERICANS]

	Across	Key	Down	Key
1		first walked on the moon		became the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic in 1932
2		wrote many classics of modern American literature		Nobel Prize winning economist
3		famous golfer		produced some of Hollywood's greatest films
4		pioneered the successful film portrayal of classic fairy tales		founder of Microsoft
5		American gangster		iconic jazz and blues singer

Task 25. Match the two columns. [FAMOUS BRITONS]

1	Alan Turing	A	computer scientist
2	Alexander Graham Bell	B	composer
3	David Livingstone	C	Welsh prince
4	Donald Campbell	D	astrophysicist
5	Freddie Mercury	E	speed record breaker
6	Guy Fawkes	F	rock singer
7	John Wesley	G	explorer
8	Owain Glyndŵr	H	criminal
9	Sir Paul McCartney	I	inventor
10	Stephen Hawking	J	religious activist

Task 26. Solve anagram puzzles. [THINKERS]

1	JNELCKHOO	
2	AVCENAIN	
3	MAUIASHOSTAQN	
4	CNFCSOUIU	
5	RESCEDRTNESEA	
6	PALOT	
7	AOSTETRIL	
8	FACONCANISRB	
9	MALBUCAERTS	
10	IMNTLKAMAUEN	

Task 27. Match the two columns. [FAMOUS ALUMNI]

1	Adam Smith	A	University of Newcastle upon Tyne
2	Anthony Burgess	B	University of Cambridge
3	Arthur C. Clarke	C	University of Oxford
4	Margaret Thatcher	D	University of London
5	Norton Knatchbull, 8th Baron Brabourne	E	University of Essex
6	Óscar Arias	F	University of Kent
7	Princess Eugenie of York	G	University of Liverpool
8	Sir Isaac Newton	H	University of Edinburgh
9	Sir Walter Scott	I	University of Manchester
10	Torben Betts	J	University of Glasgow

Task 28. Match the two columns. [FAMOUS BRITONS]

1	Robert Baden-Powell	A	founder of Scouting
2	Bobby Moore	B	invented the turbojet engine
3	Boudica	C	invented the first programmable mechanical computer
4	Charles Babbage	D	inventor of the marine chronometer
5	Florence Nightingale	E	invented the steam engine
6	James Watt	F	founder of modern nursing
7	John Harrison	G	translated the Bible into English
8	Marie Stopes	H	pioneer in the field of birth control

9	Sir Frank Whittle	I	captain of the England football team that won the 1966 World Cup
10	William Tyndale	J	Celtic queen of Britannia

Task 29. Match the two columns. [FAMOUS AMERICANS]

1	adopted the title “Mr. President”	A	Benjamin Franklin
2	father of American literature	B	Andrew Jackson
3	had an identical twin brother delivered still-born	C	William Penn
4	he revolutionised transportation and industry	D	George Washington
5	his father was a one-term president of the USA	E	John Quincy Adams
6	published a plan for a United States of Europe	F	George Clymer
7	the 16th president of the United States	G	Abraham Lincoln
8	the first president of the Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts	H	Mark Twain
9	the tenth son of soap maker	I	Henry Ford
10	won the presidency of the USA in 1828	J	Elvis Presley

Task 30. Read the text below and look carefully at each line. Some of the lines are correct, and some are incorrect. Tick (v) the sentences that are correct, or write the correct word where necessary. There can be different types of mistakes.

		INCORRECT	CORRECT
1	The Declaration of Independence is the statement adopted by the Second Continental Congress meeting in the Pennsylvania State House (Independence Hall)		
2	in Philadelphia on July 4, 1776, which announced that the fourteen American colonies, then at war with the Kingdom of Great Britain, regarded themselves as thirteen newly independent sovereign states, and no longer under British rule.		
3	Instead they formed a new nation—the United States of America.		
4	John Adams was a leader in pushing for independence, which was passed on July 4 with no opposing vote cast.		

5	A committee of 6 had already drafted the formal declaration, to be ready when Congress voted on independence.		
6	John Adams persuaded the committee to select Thomas Jefferson to compose the original scheme of the document, which Congress would edit to produce the final version.		
7	The word «Declaration of Independence» is not used in the document itself.		
8	The Declaration was ultimately a formal explanation of why Congress had voted on July 2 to declare freedom from Great Britain, more than a year after the outbreak of the American Revolutionary War.		
9	The next day, John Adams wrote to his daughter Abigail: “The Second Day of July 1776, will be the most memorable Epocha, in the History of America.”		
10	But Independence Day is actually celebrated on July 4, the date that the Declaration of Independence was adopted.		
11	After ratifying the text on July 4, Congress issued the Declaration of Independence in several forms.		
12	It was initially published as the printed Dunlap broadside that was widely distributed and read to the congressmen.		
13	The source copy used for this printing has been lost, and may have been a copy in Thomas Jefferson’s hand.		
14	Jefferson’s original draft, complete with changes made by John Adams and Benjamin Franklin, and Jefferson’s notes of changes made in Congress, are preserved at the Library of Congress.		
15	The best known version of the Declaration, a signed paper that is popularly regarded as the official document, is displayed at the National Archives in Washington, D.C. This engrossed copy was ordered by Congress on July 19, and signed primarily on August 2.		

PART I. KEYS

Task 1.

1	CLOSED	6	BRING
2	OPEN	7	LEAF
3	READ	8	COVER
4	TRICK	9	COOK
5	BY	10	GOOD

Task 2.

1	E	6	B
2	H	7	F
3	A	8	D
4	G	9	C
5	I		

Task 3.

1	BUTTERFINGERS	9	NEWSCASTER
2	CHEESECAKE	10	RAINSTORM
3	DUCKBILL	11	SOFTWARE
4	FIREBREAK	12	SOUNDPROOF
5	FOOTLOCKER	13	SUN-BAKED
6	HANDGUN	14	SWEETHEART
7	HORSEPLAY	15	TURNKEY
8	MOTHERHOOD		

Task 4.

1	COUNTY	6	FRENCH
2	CENSUS	7	HOWEVER
3	ADOPTED	8	LAKE
4	SUBURB	9	IRELAND
5	IROQUOIS	10	CEMETERY

Task 5.

	INCORRECT	CORRECT
1	then	than
2	lives	life
3	asking	ask
4	thirdly	secondly
5	Nor	Not
6	had	have
7	plays	play
8	needn't	need
9	road	way
10	rays	light

Task 6.

1	UP	6	TO
2	–	7	OUT
3	OUT	8	OF
4	FOR	9	–
5	TO		

Task 7.

1	acquaintance	8	exceedingly
2	appropriate	9	exquisite
3	astonishing	10	fervent
4	brewery	11	fierce
5	derivation	12	mention
6	distinguished	13	notorious
7	ecclesiastical	14	rapid

Task 8.

1	BROWN
2	ROUGH
3	BRASS
4	GOLD
5	HELL

Task 9.

1	D	6	B
2	I	7	C
3	F	8	J
4	A	9	E
5	H	10	G

Task 10.

1	TROOP	27	TICKTOCK
2	SHOAL	28	SUBGROUP
3	DECK	29	COLONY
4	OFFSPRING	30	MENAGERIE
5	ASSEMBLAGE	31	SWARM
6	HIVE	32	BOARD
7	PRIDE	33	SKEIN
8	CONGREGATION	34	GAGGLE
9	PLURAL	35	ALLIANCE
10	THRONG	36	DOLE
11	BEVY	37	METHODISM
12	FLOCK	38	DREY
13	UBIQUITY	39	STUD
14	GANG	40	INVESTITURE
15	ANTHOLOGY	41	NUPTIALS
16	JURY	42	SONGBIRD
17	MC	43	CROWD
18	POWWOW	44	COVEY
19	HERD	45	ARMY
20	VIGOR	46	SET
21	NEST	47	TEAM
22	TRIBE	48	BALE
23	CHAIN	49	GENERATION
24	YOKE	50	DREAM TEAM
25	HORDE	51	BED
26	BROOD		

Task 11.

1	Q	11	P
2	G	12	D
3	K	13	R
4	A	14	J
5	O	15	S
6	I	16	F
7	M	17	B
8	H	18	L
9	T	19	E
10	N	20	C

Task 12.

1	chose	6	mention
2	choice	7	descent
3	illusion	8	decent
4	allusion	9	dessert
5	mansion	10	desert

Task 13.

1	fox	6	bat
2	mouse	7	toad
3	owl	8	beaver
4	lamb	9	pig
5	ox	10	bird

Task 14.

1	F	6	C
2	H	7	D
3	A	8	B
4	J	9	E
5	I	10	G

Task 15.

1	LOVE	6	WERE
2	TURNS	7	HEART

3	OUT	8	FAULT
4	HAD	9	BROKE
5	THEN	10	WAY

Task 16.

1	NOVEL	5	ICON
2	ANGST	6	LOSS
3	MAJOR	7	ITS
4	SOLD	8	LISTED

Task 17.

1	BADLANDS	14	BOTANIC GARDEN
2	OUTBACK	15	BACKSTREETS
3	TUNDRA	16	SLUM
4	MOORLAND	17	SAVANNAH
5	PAMPAS	18	DUST BOWL
6	HEATH	19	VELD
7	PASTURE	20	CURTILAGE
8	RYE	21	FIEFDOM
9	GRASSLAND	22	PORAMBOKE
10	STEPPE	23	OROGRAPHY
11	SWARD	24	SWATHE
12	WASTELAND	25	INLAND
13	OUTSKIRTS		

Task 18.

1	D	9	K
2	J	10	I
3	L	11	G
4	A	12	M
5	H	13	C
6	N	14	E
7	O	15	F
8	B		

Task 19.

1	BING	6	HOGWASH
2	CHARADE	7	HOOPLA
3	CROSSWORD	8	PUZZLE
4	FRISBEE	9	SOFTBALL
5	HANGMAN	10	TIDDLYWINKS

Task 20.

1	CONFLICT	11	MAN
2	CENTURY	12	WERE
3	TWIN	13	ARMY
4	RIVALS	14	BIRTH
5	NEW	15	SQUAW
6	MASSACHUSETTS	16	COMMANDER
7	SONS	17	FRAY
8	BOASTED	18	THINGS
9	INSTEAD	19	FACE
10	PRIDE	20	FIGHT

Task 21.

	INCORRECT	CORRECT
1	starting	start
2	in	on
3	In	On
4	or	and
5	sweat	sweet
6	takes	take
7	stood	stand
8	of	in
9	gots	got
10	were	was
11	arm	hand
12	on	by

Task 22.

1	ACROSS	6	AMONG
2	BLANK	7	OFF
3	AWAY	8	WITH
4	BY	9	UP
5	UP		

Task 23.

1	WELL	7	THE
2	THEN	8	V
3	BE	9	BEING
4	OFF	10	WOULD
5	BEEN	11	V
6	V	12	BY

Task 24.

1	F	9	D
2	K	10	M
3	O	11	G
4	A	12	H
5	N	13	I
6	B	14	E
7	L	15	J
8	C		

Task 25.

1	BLACKJACK	6	POKER
2	BRIDGE	7	PONTOON
3	CANASTA	8	POOL
4	GRAND SLAM	9	RUMMY
5	JOKER	10	SPADE

Task 26.

1	LEG	6	HEAD
2	LEG	7	TOES
3	BACK	8	MOUTH
4	NOSE	9	THUMBS
5	NECK	10	FINGER

Task 27.

1	HEAT	6	CROWD
2	LOWERED	7	PRELIMINARY
3	RIO	8	PUMPED
4	CHEERING	9	FIGHT
5	CHEERING		

Task 28.

1	WET	4	WORLD
2	DRAGGLED	5	KNOW
3	IF	6	OWN

Task 29.

1	D	8	N
2	J	9	F
3	A	10	L
4	C	11	H
5	G	12	M
6	B	13	K
7	E	14	I

Task 30.

1	BENCHWARMER	6	GAME CHANGER
2	CHALLENGE	7	RIVALRY
3	CLOSE-RUN	8	SCOREBOARD
4	COMPETITIVE	9	TROPHYLESS
5	CONTESTANT	10	UNDERDOG

Task 31.

	INCORRECT	CORRECT
1	in	at
2	at	on
3	off	up
4	for	to
5	at	on

6	on	at
7	at	under
8	after	on
9	on	to
10	from	at

Task 32.

	Across		Down
1	recollection	6	secured
2	aware	7	borrow
3	deal	8	offer
4	two	9	worth
5	property	10	mortgage

Task 33.

1	JUVENILE	6	ADVOCATE
2	FLASH	7	LOG
3	VEHICLE	8	KNEES
4	SAGA	9	LINK
5	REPORT	10	LARGE

Task 34.

1	SEAT	6	GOLD
2	CORE	7	MAKE
3	AREA	8	LAND
4	CITY	9	STOP
5	FORT	10	TREES

Task 35.

1	at	5	no
2	from	6	eyes
3	only	7	eyes
4	take		

Task 36.

	Across	Down
1	BAILIFF	BAILEE
2	DOMICILE	BARTER
3	ENDORSEMENT	DIVIDEND
4	INFLATION	INTESTACY
5	LIEN	PAYEE

Task 37.

1	COURSE	6	GRADE
2	COMMAND	7	AIM
3	MAJOR	8	ENHANCES
4	COLLECT	9	MANUAL
5	TWO	10	SHEET

Task 38.

1	LOFTY	6	COAT
2	PUPIL	7	SOUND
3	DULL	8	MARCH
4	SHARP	9	ALL
5	WEATHER	10	PLOTTER

Task 39.

1	Book	6	Fund
2	Basketball	7	Agency
3	Free	8	Quotient
4	Treaty	9	Known
5	Flying	10	Space

Task 40.

1	headquarters	6	epochs
2	indices / indexes	7	scarves
3	passers-by	8	spoofs
4	alumni	9	zeros
5	bonuses	10	embryos

Task 41.

	Across	Down
1	NOCTURNAL	PREY

2	PREDATOR	PERMAFROST
3	PROSIMIAN	EXTINCT
4	FEATURE	LOCOMOTION
5	HERBIVOROUS	TERRESTRIAL
6	MACAQUE	VESTIGIAL
7	AVIARY	LYNX

Task 42.

1	THINGS	9	DYING
2	DEATH	10	HELMET
3	BY	11	TRADITION
4	KING	12	FAR
5	WAY	13	LAND
6	MAID	14	TIME
7	BENCH	15	BE
8	HEAVEN		

Task 43.

	Across		Down
1	CONCURRENCE	6	HOUSE
2	EMOLUMENTS	7	QUORUM
3	BLESSINGS	8	JOURNAL
4	LEGISLATURE	9	COMPENSATION
5	CONSENT	10	INHABITANT

Task 44.

1	Norvician	6	Exonian
2	Bathonian	7	Loiner
3	Derbeian	8	Scouser
4	Oxonian	9	Lutonian
5	Bristolian	10	Geordie

Task 45.

1	Greek	8	Turk
2	French	9	Dutch
3	Dutch	10	Spanish
4	Chinese	11	Dutch

5	England	12	French
6	Mexican	13	Greeks
7	Indian	14	English

Task 46.

1	TRIBUTARY	5	PLAINS
2	HEADWATERS	6	BORDER
3	FLOWING	7	AVENUE
4	RISES	8	CENTURY

Task 47.

1	Alaskan	6	Utahn
2	Arkansan	7	Wyomingite
3	Coloradan	8	Oregonian
4	Hoosier	9	New Yorker
5	Mainer	10	Floridian

Task 48.

1	E	6	F
2	D	7	A
3	H	8	C
4	B	9	G
5	J	10	I

Task 49.

1	SPARTAN	6	GERMANIC
2	ARGIVE	7	LATIN
3	ATHENIAN	8	BYZANTINE
4	ETRUSCAN	9	MACEDONIAN
5	ROMAN	10	MARATHONIAN

Task 50.

1	HAVE	6	BEEN
2	TO	7	BE
3	WHICH	8	ON
4	A	9	OF
5	FROM	10	AWAY

PART II. KEYS

Task 1.

1	SUCCESSION	6	SAFELY
2	SNOWBALL	7	RIOTOUS
3	EXTREMITY	8	COMPANION
4	HANDFUL	9	HARDSHIP
5	PLAYFULLY	10	SORROWFUL

Task 2.

1	MUSICAL	6	WARRIORS
2	MESSENGER	7	IMPERSONATION
3	CONCEPTION	8	RELIGIOUS
4	BEARDED	9	PROTECTION
5	IMPATIENTLY	10	AFLAME

Task 3.

1	FLUCTUATIONS	6	SEASONAL
2	PROBABILITIES	7	PROFOUNDLY
3	APPLICATION	8	DETAINEES
4	PRODUCT	9	IMPEACHMENT
5	MEMORABLE	10	TREATMENT

Task 4.

1	FEASIBILITY	6	EXCLUSION
2	RENEWABLE	7	GLORIFICATION
3	SUSTAINABLE	8	UNCONNECTED
4	SERVANTS	9	SUPPLIERS
5	OFFSHORE	10	UNASHAMEDLY

Task 5.

1	REPRESENTATION	6	INDUSTRIALIZED
2	RESOLUTIONS	7	PHENOMENAL

3	YEARLY	8	PURSUANT
4	REPRESENTATIVES	9	COLLECTIVE
5	BUDGETARY	10	PROVISIONAL

Task 6.

1	NETHERLANDISH	6	RULER
2	EMPLOYMENT	7	COLLECTABLE / COLLECTIBLE
3	NATURALISTIC	8	ARTISTIC
4	REALISM	9	REPUTATION
5	INFLUENTIAL	10	REVOLUTIONARY

Task 7.

1	DECLARATION	6	CITIZENSHIP
2	SINCERITY	7	OWNERSHIP
3	PROJECTION	8	TAXATION
4	RESTORATION	9	PROGRESSIVE
5	EXTENSION	10	PROMOTION

Task 8.

1	CONVICTION	6	ATTAINDER
2	JUDICIAL	7	AMENDMENTS
3	CONTINUANCE	8	ENGAGEMENTS
4	IMPEACHMENT	9	INVASION
5	CONFESSION	10	RATIFICATION

Task 9.

1	HABITATION		
2	SUFFICIENTLY		
3	CREATURE		
4	PRACTICALLY		
5	DESTRUCTIVE		

Task 10.

1	BRAINGLESS	6	ALIENATION
2	SATISFACTION	7	INCESSANT, CEASELESS
3	ABSURDITY	8	CONFESSION
4	PHILOSOPHER	9	SENSITIVE
5	EXCELLENCE	10	COMPENSATION

PART III. KEYS

Task 1.

1	J	6	A
2	D	7	G
3	E	8	F
4	C	9	H
5	B	10	I

Task 2.

1	C	6	B
2	A	7	H
3	D	8	J
4	G	9	E
5	I	10	F

Task 3.

1	I	6	D
2	A	7	J
3	C	8	B
4	H	9	F
5	E	10	G

Task 4.

1	boys	6	burn
2	wife	7	hand
3	tell	8	even
4	coat	9	grow
5	many	10	rock

Task 5.

1	shoot	6	dirty
2	swine	7	noise
3	teach	8	stick
4	trust	9	comes
5	crawl	10	fever

Task 6.

1	breeds	6	enough
2	served	7	credit
3	things	8	better
4	guests	9	anyone
5	Genius	10	itself

Task 7.

1	A	6	G
2	C	7	H
3	D	8	I
4	E	9	J
5	F	10	B

Task 8.

1	D	6	B
2	G	7	E
3	I	8	F
4	A	9	C
5	J	10	H

Task 9.

1	K	14	Z
2	P	15	W
3	M	16	J
4	F	17	D
5	T	18	X
6	B	19	Y
7	Q	20	E
8	R	21	I

9	O	22	L
10	C	23	N
11	H	24	S
12	V	25	U
13	A	26	G

Task 10.

1	G	b
2	D	e
3	A	h
4	H	j
5	C	i
6	I	g
7	E	a
8	J	f
9	B	d
10	F	c

PART IV. KEYS

Task 1.

1	D	6	H
2	J	7	B
3	C	8	F
4	A	9	E
5	I	10	G

Task 2.

1	G	6	J
2	I	7	B
3	E	8	H
4	C	9	D
5	A	10	F

Task 3.

1	C	11	N
2	F	12	G
3	I	13	R
4	A	14	T
5	M	15	L
6	H	16	Q
7	K	17	D
8	S	18	E
9	B	19	P
10	O	20	J

Task 4.

1	F	6	D
2	I	7	E
3	H	8	B

4	A	9	J
5	G	10	C

Task 5.

1	G	6	E
2	H	7	I
3	B	8	A
4	D	9	J
5	C	10	F

Task 6.

1	G	6	D
2	I	7	J
3	A	8	E
4	C	9	F
5	B	10	H

Task 7.

1	D	6	B
2	G	7	C
3	A	8	E
4	J	9	F
5	I	10	H

Task 8.

1	L	14	Y
2	Q	15	W
3	F	16	Z
4	R	17	X
5	N	18	B
6	I	19	P
7	S	20	M
8	O	21	C
9	A	22	K
10	J	23	D
11	T	24	E
12	U	25	G
13	V	26	H

Task 9.

1	F	6	D
2	H	7	B
3	J	8	C
4	A	9	G
5	I	10	E

Task 10.

1	G	6	D
2	B	7	A
3	H	8	E
4	J	9	F
5	C	10	I

Task 11.

1	E	6	C
2	H	7	J
3	F	8	G
4	A	9	D
5	B	10	I

Task 12.

1	C	6	H
2	G	7	I
3	D	8	B
4	E	9	F
5	A	10	J

Task 13.

1	C	6	I
2	J	7	D
3	H	8	B
4	A	9	G
5	E	10	F

Task 14.

1	E	6	G
2	H	7	C
3	J	8	D
4	A	9	F
5	B	10	I

Task 15.

1	A	6	I
2	H	7	C
3	D	8	E
4	B	9	F
5	G	10	J

PART V. KEYS

Task 1.

1	F	6	G
2	H	7	I
3	J	8	B
4	D	9	C
5	E	10	A

Task 2.

1	G	6	F
2	B	7	A
3	C	8	J
4	I	9	H
5	E	10	D

Task 3.

1	G	6	E
2	F	7	H
3	A	8	B
4	D	9	C
5	I	10	J

Task 4.

1	B	6	J
2	A	7	F
3	I	8	H
4	C	9	G
5	D	10	E

Task 5.

1	C	6	B
2	E	7	J
3	I	8	H
4	G	9	A
5	F	10	D

Task 6.

1	D	j
2	J	g
3	H	a
4	A	e
5	G	b
6	B	c
7	I	d
8	E	h
9	C	f
10	F	i

Task 7.

1	A	6	B
2	C	7	G
3	J	8	H
4	E	9	D
5	F	10	I

Task 8.

	Across		Down
1	Lutheran	6	Fire
2	Scotland	7	execution
3	Elementary	8	Gunpowder
4	Union	9	Antwerp
5	Papists	10	Johnson

Task 9.

1	A	6	B
2	J	7	I
3	E	8	G
4	D	9	C
5	F	10	H

Task 10.

1	J	6	G
2	E	7	H
3	A	8	I
4	D	9	C
5	F	10	B

Task 11.

1	G	6	E
2	H	7	A
3	I	8	C
4	J	9	D
5	B	10	F

Task 12.

1	A	9	B
2	B	10	B
3	B	11	D
4	C	12	D
5	D	13	A
6	E	14	C
7	E	15	D
8	C		

Task 13.

1	E	9	C
2	B	10	C
3	D	11	E

4	E	12	A
5	C	13	D
6	A	14	E
7	A	15	A
8	B		

Task 14.

1	League	6	Rhodes
2	Colony	7	Faust
3	John	8	Charles
4	Radcliffe	9	Overseers
5	Boston	10	England

Task 15.

1	an	6	unlike
2	it	7	Century
3	at	8	democracy
4	dollar	9	Europe
5	both	10	Spain

PART VI. KEYS

Task 1.

1	TO	9	IN
2	WHERE	10	YET
3	IS	11	AS
4	NEVER	12	IN
5	HAVE	13	A
6	UNDER	14	TO
7	OF	15	IT
8	IF		

Task 2.

1	D	6	A
2	G	7	C
3	I	8	B
4	F	9	H
5	J	10	E

Task 3.

1	A	14	F
2	R	15	V
3	H	16	T
4	P	17	X
5	K	18	C
6	M	19	D
7	B	20	W
8	O	21	S
9	Q	22	E
10	U	23	G

11	Y	24	I
12	L	25	J
13	Z	26	N

Task 4.

1	IN	9	TO
2	ARE	10	A
3	BY	11	LESS
4	AGAINST	12	BE
5	WAS	13	TURNS
6	ITS	14	AS
7	BY	15	TO
8	BEEN		

Task 5.

1	B	6	J
2	D	7	F
3	H	8	E
4	A	9	I
5	C	10	G

Task 6.

	Across	Down
1	Steinbeck	Twain
2	Hemingway	Lee
3	London	Faulkner
4	Sinclair	Salinger
5	Bradbury	Ellison

Task 7.

	Across	Down
1	Cather	Kesey
2	Alcott	Douglass
3	Melville	Vonnegut
4	Kingsolver	Heller
5	Kincaid	Hansberry

Task 8.

1	A	6	J
2	I	7	F
3	B	8	H
4	E	9	D
5	C	10	G

Task 9.

1	moment	6	heavenly
2	vision	7	backwoods
3	ennui	8	fire
4	dreams	9	appear
5	storms	10	vision

Task 10.

	Across	Down
1	Blake	Pope
2	Spenser	Sidney
3	Burns	Herbert
4	Wyatt	Milton
5	Thomson	Jonson

Task 11.

1	cartoonist	6	staff
2	recent	7	novel
3	critic	8	editorial
4	Pieces	9	Award
5	based	10	column

Task 12.

1	F	9	L
2	I	10	K
3	N	11	J
4	H	12	B
5	G	13	A
6	M	14	E
7	C	15	D
8	O		

Task 13.

1	G	6	D
2	E	7	H
3	B	8	I
4	A	9	J
5	C	10	F

Task 14.

1	ELIZABETH BROWNING	6	ROBERT BROWNING
2	EMILY DICKINSON	7	RUDYARD KIPLING
3	JOHN KEATS	8	THOMAS BLACKBURN
4	LORD BYRON	9	THOMAS HARDY
5	PERCY SHELLEY	10	THOMAS WYATT

Task 15.

1	E	6	H
2	A	7	G
3	I	8	F
4	D	9	B
5	J	10	C

Task 16.

1	A	6	C
2	I	7	F
3	J	8	G
4	E	9	D
5	B	10	H

Task 17.

1	A	6	E
2	G	7	J
3	B	8	D
4	H	9	F
5	C	10	I

Task 18.

1	D	6	G
2	C	7	H
3	A	8	I
4	E	9	J
5	F	10	B

Task 19.

1	SUFFRAGE	6	MEASURE
2	EXTRAVAGANCE	7	SATISFACTORILY
3	DIVINER	8	THEREOF
4	PURPOSE	9	AVOWEDLY
5	CEASE	10	EXPRESSLY

Task 20.

1	QUESTION	8	WRONG
2	OUTRAGEOUS	9	LOVE
3	THEM	10	HIMSELF
4	THOUSAND	11	TRAVELLER
5	PERCHANCE	12	HUE
6	COIL	13	NAME
7	SO		

PART VII. KEYS

Task 1.

1	G	6	D
2	A	7	J
3	E	8	B
4	I	9	H
5	C	10	F

Task 2.

I	N	B	I	R	M	I	N	G	H	A	M	K	L	V
M	G	T	J	K	F	A	P	C	S	L	P	F	L	S
R	H	A	L	I	V	E	R	P	O	O	L	Y	A	F
I	A	Q	W	X	S	S	W	F	A	Y	S	D	N	A
B	M	Z	C	D	Y	A	A	S	I	O	B	C	C	G
S	X	A	S	D	X	O	X	A	A	F	A	C	A	H
C	I	S	A	C	B	V	R	R	S	L	D	S	S	G
X	T	D	S	B	H	B	S	K	F	E	G	J	T	F
G	T	S	X	F	A	T	A	F	F	I	H	A	E	E
Q	G	T	T	F	L	O	V	T	S	C	I	E	R	R
A	S	I	R	I	I	N	G	E	H	E	O	S	S	D
A	L	I	D	S	R	G	D	L	Q	S	F	N	W	D
B	I	Y	X	C	T	L	V	Y	A	T	D	A	S	A
E	Y	G	C	T	O	I	I	D	G	E	F	W	A	N
A	B	E	R	D	E	E	N	G	D	R	R	S	E	S

1	Aberdeen
2	Bath
3	Birmingham
4	Ely
5	Lancaster
6	Leicester
7	Liverpool
8	Stirling
9	Swansea
10	York

Task 3.

1	Annapolis	6	Kansas City
2	Springfield	7	Milwaukee
3	Tallahassee	8	Harrisburg
4	New Orleans	9	Providence
5	Minneapolis	10	Virginia Beach

Task 4.

	Capital	State
1	Olympia	Washington
2	Sacramento	California
3	Jackson	Mississippi
4	Phoenix	Arizona
5	Nashville	Tennessee
6	Columbus	Ohio
7	Raleigh	North Carolina
8	Dover	Delaware
9	Springfield	Illinois
10	Lincoln	Nebraska
11	Annapolis	Maryland
12	Lansing	Michigan
13	Pierre	South Dakota

14	Cheyenne	Wyoming
15	Salem	Oregon
16	Charleston	West Virginia
17	Madison	Wisconsin
18	Augusta	Maine
19	Albany	New York
20	Austin	Texas
21	Montepelier	Vermont

Task 5.

	City	State
1	Albuquerque	New Mexico
2	Baltimore	Maryland
3	Birmingham	Alabama
4	Buffalo	New York
5	Chicago	Illinois
6	Columbus	Ohio
7	Denver	Colorado
8	Fort Wayne	Indiana
9	Houston	Texas
10	Kansas City	Missouri
11	Las Vegas	Nevada
12	Lexington	Kentucky
13	Memphis	Tennessee
14	Miami	Florida
15	Norfolk	Virginia
16	Phoenix	Arizona
17	Pittsburgh	Pennsylvania
18	Providence	Rhode Island
19	Raleigh	North Carolina
20	Rochester	New York
21	Salem	Oregon
22	Salt Lake City	Utah
23	San Antonio	Texas
24	San Francisco	California

25	San Jose	California
26	St. Petersburg	Florida
27	Tampa	Florida
28	Toledo	Ohio
29	Vancouver	Washington
30	Wichita	Kansas

Task 6.

1	Bristol	6	Kent
2	Cornwall	7	Merseyside
3	Cumbria	8	Somerset
4	Devon	9	Suffolk
5	Essex	10	Surrey

K	M	Y	N	A	S	O	M	E	R	S	E	T	A	S	C	D
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N	A	X	T	H	G	F	S	V	X	A	S	R	W	Q	B	A
C	F	C	O	S	X	C	H	H	I	B	O	E	U	A	R	Y
O	S	S	S	A	U	F	U	D	U	V	U	W	G	A	I	U
R	F	K	A	M	E	R	S	E	Y	S	I	D	E	F	A	I
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Z	E	L	V	U	R	B	U	H	L	I	Z	D	S	S	L	A
D	O	Y	R	F	P	O	I	G	E	R	Z	X	O	W	S	K

Task 7.

1	Canada	6	Niagara
2	Veil	7	North
3	Goat	8	Great
4	Luna	9	Falls
5	Horseshoe	10	Rainbow

Task 8.

	Real	Fictional
1	Arkansas	North Montana
2	Connecticut	Coventry
3	Delaware	Catawba
4	Georgia	Reserve
5	Idaho	Fremont
6	Illinois	Ochichornia
7	Louisiana	Oconee
8	Maine	Pennsylvucky
9	Maryland	Delmarva
10	Mississippi	New Delaware
11	North Dakota	Oklachusetts
12	Ohio	Wichita
13	Pennsylvania	New Guernsey
14	Rhode Island	North Yankton
15	Wisconsin	San Andreas

Task 9.

	PROVINCE	CAPITAL
1	Alberta	Edmonton
2	British Columbia	Victoria
3	Manitoba	Winnipeg
4	New Brunswick	Fredericton
5	Newfoundland and Labrador	St. John's
6	Nova Scotia	Halifax
7	Ontario	Toronto
8	Prince Edward Island	Charlottetown
9	Quebec	Quebec City
10	Saskatchewan	Regina

Task 10.

	U.S. STATES	NICKNAME
1	Louisiana	Pelican State
2	Kentucky	Bluegrass State
3	Michigan	The Wolverine State
4	Colorado	The Centennial State
5	Georgia	Peach State
6	Nebraska	Cornhusker State
7	Kansas	The Wheat State
8	New Mexico	Land of Enchantment
9	Delaware	The First State
10	Idaho	Gem State
11	Pennsylvania	Keystone State
12	New York	The Empire State
13	Tennessee	The Volunteer State
14	Wyoming	Equality State
15	Wisconsin	Badger State
16	Utah	Beehive State

Task 11.

1	Bern	Bernese
2	Brighton	Brightonian
3	Denver	Denverite
4	Liverpool	Liverpudlian, Scouser
5	Moscow	Muscovite
6	New York City	New Yorker
7	Ottawa	Ottawan
8	Paris	Parisian
9	Amsterdam	Amsterdammer

Task 12.

1	BIRMINGHAM	6	GLOUCESTER
2	CANTERBURY	7	LIVERPOOL
3	CHELMSFORD	8	CITY OF LONDON
4	CHICHESTER	9	NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE
5	EDINBURGH	10	PETERBOROUGH

Task 13.

1	ALASKA	6	LIECHTENSTEIN
2	ANDORRA	7	MOZAMBIQUE
3	HONG KONG	8	NAURU
4	KAZAKHSTAN	9	NEPAL
5	KYRGYZSTAN	10	PUERTO RICO

Task 14.

1	Green Isle, Minnesota
2	Orange City, Iowa
3	Red Cloud, Nebraska
4	White Earth, North Dakota
5	Black River Falls, Wisconsin
6	Grey Eagle, Minnesota
7	Pink Hill, North Carolina
8	Silver Spring, Maryland
9	Gold Beach, Oregon
10	Yellow Pine, Idaho

Task 15.

1	RED
2	GREEN, YELLOW
3	BLACK
4	RED
5	WHITE

Task 16.

1	Georgia	6	the Seychelles
2	Romania	7	Tibet
3	St Kitts and Nevis	8	Turkmenistan
4	the Czech Republic	9	Uruguay
5	the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	10	Vatican City

Task 17.

1	Capitol Hill	5	joint resolution
2	congressional district	6	Oval Office
3	Democratic Party	7	un-American
4	FBI	8	Uncle Sam

Task 18.

	Across	Down
1	BEDFORDSHIRE	SURREY
2	CUMBERLAND	KENT
3	NORFOLK	CORNWALL
4	OXFORDSHIRE	DEVON
5	GREATER LONDON	SUFFOLK
6	HAMPSHIRE	DORSET
7	LANCASHIRE	LINCOLNSHIRE
8	MERSEYSIDE	GREATER MANCHESTER
9	CHESHIRE	RUTLAND
10	MIDDLESEX	SOMERSET

Task 19.

1	Pennsylvania	6	Texas
2	Alaska	7	New York
3	New York	8	Arizona
4	California	9	Washington DC
5	Hawaii	10	Wyoming

Task 20.

1	Glaswegian	6	Muscovite
2	Liverpudlian	7	New Yorker
3	London	8	Oxbridge
4	Mancunian	9	Oxford
5	Moscow	10	Parisian

Task 21.

1	Kent	6	Cornwall
2	Kent	7	Cumbria
3	Cheshire	8	Wiltshire
4	Dorset	9	Warwickshire
5	Staffordshire	10	Cambridgeshire

Task 22.

1	ALABAMA	27	MONTANA
2	ALASKA	28	NEBRASKA
3	ARIZONA	29	NEVADA
4	ARKANSAS	30	NEW HAMPSHIRE
5	CALIFORNIA	31	NEW JERSEY
6	COLORADO	32	NEW MEXICO
7	CONNECTICUT	33	NEW YORK
8	DELAWARE	34	NORTH CAROLINA
9	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	35	NORTH DAKOTA
10	FLORIDA	36	OHIO
11	GEORGIA	37	OKLAHOMA
12	HAWAII	38	OREGON
13	IDAHO	39	PENNSYLVANIA
14	ILLINOIS	40	RHODE ISLAND
15	INDIANA	41	SOUTH CAROLINA
16	IOWA	42	SOUTH DAKOTA
17	KANSAS	43	TENNESSEE
18	KENTUCKY	44	TEXAS
19	LOUISIANA	45	UTAH
20	MAINE	46	VERMONT
21	MARYLAND	47	VIRGINIA
22	MASSACHUSETTS	48	WASHINGTON
23	MICHIGAN	49	WEST VIRGINIA
24	MINNESOTA	50	WISCONSIN
25	MISSISSIPPI	51	WYOMING
26	MISSOURI		

Task 23.

1	Illinois	6	Dundonian
2	Tokyo	7	Cambridge
3	California	8	Mississippi
4	Texas	9	Wisconsin
5	Parisian	10	Hampshire

Task 24.

1	C	e
2	F	a
3	A	c
4	B	b
5	G	d
6	D	g
7	E	f

Task 25.

1	Angry Penguins	Australia
2	Bookforum	USA
3	Vetusta Monumenta	UK
4	The London Magazine	UK
5	Johns Hopkins University Press	USA
6	Annual Review of Economics	USA
7	Canberra Times	Australia
8	Alice Springs News	Australia
9	ABC7 News	Australia
10	The Sun	UK
11	Financial Times	UK
12	Wall Street Journal	USA
13	Orange County Register	USA
14	The Edmonton Journal	Canada
15	Le Journal de Québec	Canada

PART VIII. KEYS

Task 1.

1	IMMEDIATELY	6	BIOGRAPHERS
2	V	7	CONGENIAL
3	V	8	V
4	V	9	CENTENNIAL
5	PERSONALITY	10	AESTHETIC / ESTHETIC

Task 2.

1	BE	6	FOR
2	A	7	TO
3	NO	8	OF
4	OF	9	ON
5	AT	10	HAVE

Task 3.

1	PHILOSOPHER	6	CAMBRIDGE
2	PUBLISHED	7	INFLUENCED
3	COMMANDER	8	FOLLOW
4	EDUCATED	9	DECADES
5	OXFORD	10	SCHOLARSHIP

Task 4.

1	Geoffrey Chaucer is widely considered the greatest English poet of the Middle Ages.
2	King Edward III had made Chaucer one of his esquires.
3	He is believed to have died of unknown causes on 25 October 1400, but there is no firm evidence for this date.
4	In 1556, his remains were transferred to a more ornate tomb, making Chaucer the first writer interred in the area now known as Poets' Corner.
5	Chaucer's work was crucial in legitimizing the literary use of the Middle English vernacular at a time when the dominant literary languages in England were French and Latin.

Task 5.

	Across		Down
1	FEDERALIST	6	REVOLUTION
2	DECLARATION	7	COLONISTS
3	LOUISIANA	8	PRESIDENT
4	FRANCE	9	ANCESTRY
5	SOCIETY	10	FATHER

Task 6.

	Across		Down
1	CHAMPIONS	6	RETIREMENT
2	PROFESSIONAL	7	CAREER
3	AMBASSADOR	8	CHAMPIONSHIP
4	FAME	9	WORLD
5	APPEARANCE	10	LEAGUE

Task 7.

1	ASSASSINATION	6	NAVAL
2	MEDAL	7	SERVED
3	TENSIONS	8	ELECTED
4	MILITARY	9	PULITZER
5	ATTEMPT	10	DALLAS

Task 8.

1	NOVELS	6	LECTURES
2	SATIRICAL	7	COUNTRY
3	INDIANA	8	CONTEMPORARY
4	EUROPE	9	OCCASIONS
5	REFUGE	10	VONNEGUT

Task 9.

1	PRESIDENCY	6	VIOLATION
2	REPUBLICAN	7	AGREEMENTS
3	CONSERVATIVE	8	IMMIGRATION
4	INVASION	9	COVERAGE
5	CONTROVERSIAL	10	WORST

Task 10.

1	A	6	E
2	A	7	C
3	B	8	C
4	C	9	A
5	A	10	D

Task 11.

1	A	6	D
2	C	7	A
3	C	8	C
4	A	9	A
5	A	10	A

Task 12.

1	A	11	E
2	C	12	D
3	C	13	E
4	C	14	D
5	D	15	E
6	B	16	E
7	B	17	D
8	B	18	D
9	E	19	E
10	D	20	B

Task 13.

1	B	9	D
2	B	10	C
3	A	11	D
4	D	12	D
5	D	13	E
6	B	14	B
7	C	15	A
8	C		

Task 14.

1	C	9	D
2	B	10	D
3	D	11	E
4	A	12	D
5	E	13	D
6	E	14	A
7	B	15	D
8	C		

Task 15.

1	B	9	E
2	C	10	D
3	C	11	D
4	D	12	A
5	A	13	D
6	C	14	C
7	C	15	C
8	E		

Task 16.

1	C	9	A
2	C	10	A
3	A	11	D
4	A	12	D
5	E	13	E
6	C	14	C
7	B	15	C
8	B		

Task 17.

1	B	9	C
2	A	10	E
3	C	11	D
4	A	12	D

5	E	13	B
6	D	14	A
7	A	15	E
8	C		

Task 18.

1	Beethoven himself wrote to his publisher that these three sonatas represented a new phase in his style.
2	His whole development is entirely ruled by his determination to let nothing pass until it has been completely mastered.
3	On the contrary, the harmonies are held together by an orderly sequence in the bass.
4	The short introduction to the finale is harmonically and emotionally the most profound thing in the sonata.
5	Beethoven's revision of his earliest works is now known to have been extensive and drastic.

Task 19.

1	PHYSICIST	6	MECHANICAL
2	EDINBURGH	7	MONOGRAPHS
3	BOSTON	8	GEOGRAPHIC
4	APPARATUS	9	SPEECH
5	INSTRUMENT	10	ARISING

Task 20.

1	AT	6	BY
2	V	7	V
3	BEEN	8	IF
4	V	9	THAN
5	THE	10	THE

Task 21.

1	A	6	C
2	I	7	G
3	F	8	H
4	J	9	E
5	B	10	D

Task 22.

1	A	6	G
2	E	7	D
3	F	8	B
4	H	9	C
5	J	10	I

Task 23.

	Across	Down
1	BLAKE	REDGRAVE
2	WALLACE	FARADAY
3	DRAKE	LENNON
4	NELSON	NEWTON
5	CAXTON	COOK

Task 24.

	Across	Down
1	ARMSTRONG	EARHART
2	HEMINGWAY	KRUGMAN
3	WOODS	HITCHCOCK
4	DISNEY	GATES
5	CAPONE	HOLIDAY

Task 25.

1	A	6	H
2	I	7	J
3	G	8	C
4	E	9	B
5	F	10	D

Task 26.

1	John Locke	6	Plato
2	Avicenna	7	Aristotle
3	Thomas Aquinas	8	Francis Bacon
4	Confucius	9	Albert Camus
5	Rene Descartes	10	Immanuel Kant

Task 27.

1	J	6	E
2	I	7	A
3	D	8	B
4	C	9	H
5	F	10	G

Task 28.

1	A	6	E
2	I	7	D
3	J	8	H
4	C	9	B
5	F	10	G

Task 29.

1	D	6	C
2	H	7	G
3	J	8	F
4	I	9	A
5	E	10	B

Task 30.

	INCORRECT	CORRECT
1	IN	AT
2	FOURTEEN	THIRTEEN
3	V	V
4	4	2
5	6	5
6	SCHEME	DRAFT
7	WORD	TERM
8	FREEDOM	INDEPENDENCE
9	DAUGHTER	WIFE
10	ADAPTED	SIGNED
11	V	V
12	CONGRESSMEN	PUBLIC
13	V	V
14	IN	BY
15	PAPER	COPY

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