

## Study the map of Nuru area and answer questions 1 - 7.

- 1. The elected head of Nuru area is
  - A. county representative
  - B. member of county assembly
  - C. governor
  - D. county commissioner.
- 2. The land in Nuru area generally slopes from
  - A. Southeast to Northwest
  - B. Northeast to Southwest
  - C. Northwest to Southeast
  - D. Southwest to Northeast.
- 3. The establishment of Nuru town at its present location was mainly influenced by
  - A. presence of a road junction
  - B. nearness to a coffee factory
  - C. high rainfall in the area
  - D. high population in the area.
- 4. The planted forest in Nuru area is important because it
  - A. is a source of timber
  - B. protects water catchment areas
  - C. is home to wild animals
  - D. protects rare plant species.
- 5. The approximate length of the murram road from Gozi market to the Eastern end is
  - A.9km
  - B. 5km
  - C. 7.5km
  - D. 8km
- 6. The type of soil in Nuru area is likely to be
  - A. clay soil
  - B. sandy soil
  - C. alluvial soil
  - D. volcanic soil.

- 7. Tea is grown in the Southern part of Nuru area because
  - A. the area is sparsely populated
  - B. the area is hilly
  - C. rivers in the area provides water for irrigation
  - D. the area has cool and wet climate.
- 8. Which one of the following is a traditional method of weather observation?
  - A. Increase of temperatures at night.
  - B. Recording the speed of wind.
  - C. Collecting amount of rainfall.
  - D. Measuring amount of humidity.
- 9. Which one of the following pairs of countries is made up of former Portuguese colonies?

A	Gambia	В	Libya	
	Ghana		Eritrea	
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C	Mozambique		Namibia	
	Angola	,	Togo	

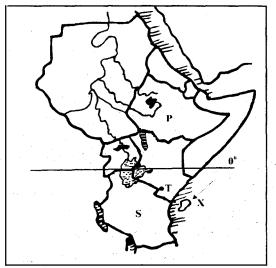
- 10. Which one of the following human activities negatively influences climate change?
  - A. Expansion of industries.
  - B. Planting of more trees.
  - C. Fishing activities.
  - D. Migration of people to towns.
- 11. Which one of the following statements about alluvial soil is **true**? It
  - A. is found in highland areas
  - B. has large particles
  - C. is good for growing tea and coffee
  - D. is deposited by water in valley plains.

- 12. The following are statements about a prominent leader in Africa.
  - (i) He resisted Italian invasion.
  - (ii) He was a founder member of OAU.
  - (iii) He was removed from power by the army.

The person described above is

- A. Kwame Nkrumah
- B. Haile Sellasie
- C. Leopold Senghor
- D. Julius Nyerere.
- 13. A foreign woman who marries a Kenyan man becomes a citizen through
  - A. birth
  - B. application
  - C. registration
  - D. dual citizernship.
- **14.** Most people in Germany live in towns because
  - A. rural areas are densely populated
  - B. there are many jobs in towns
  - C. they have small families
  - D. most people are educated.
- **15.** The following are causes of disagreement in school **except** 
  - A. stealing among learners
  - B. poor perfomance in exams
  - C. favouritism by teachers to pupils
  - D. disciplining learners fairly.

## Use the map of Eastern Africa below to answer questions 16 to 19.



- **16.** Which one of the following statements **correctly** describes the population of the country marked **P**?
  - A. It has the highest population in Eastern Africa.
  - B. The largest population is of the old age.
  - C. Most people live in towns.
  - D. It is the most densely populated in Africa.
- 17. The mineral mined at the place marked
  - T is used in the making of
  - A. cement
  - B. glass
  - C. steel
  - D. cans.
- 18. Struggle for independence in the country marked S was mainly through
  - A. peaceful negotiations
  - B. violent demonstrations
  - C. armed struggle
  - D. work boycotts.
- 19. The main effect of the winds marked X is that they
  - A. cause fog and mist in adjacent areas
  - B. lower temperatures in adjacent areas
  - C. cause dry conditions in adjacent areas
  - D. bring rain to the coast of Eastern Africa.
- **20.** Which one of the following groups consists **only** of traditional industries?

A Grain milling Leather working Glass making B Ginnery Transport Plastic making

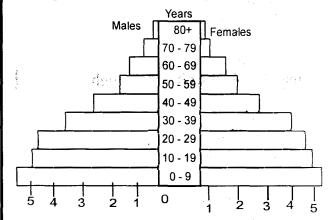
C Iron working
Pot making
Wood carving

D. Textile making
Hair dressing
Leather tanning

- 21. The following are factors that influence vegetation cover in a place except
  - A. latitude
  - B. relief
  - C. soil
  - D. drainage.

- 22. Which one of the following reasons makes swampy areas **not** good for human settlement? They
  - A. are affected by landslides
  - B. receive low rainfall
  - C. have disease causing organisms
  - D. have high temperatures.
- 23. Which one of the following European nations is **correctly matched** with the colonial system of administration it used?
  - A. Belgium
- Direct rule.
- B. Portugal
- Indirect rule
- C. France
- Direct rule
- D. Britain
- Parternalism.
- **24.** Which one of the following functions is performed by the headteacher in a school management committee?
  - A. Choosing members of the committee.
  - B. Providing funds for the committee.
  - C. Appointing the chairperson of the committee.
  - D. Keeping records of discussions.
- **25.** Which one of the following is a problem associated with mining in Africa?
  - A. Establishment of urban centres.
  - B. Land degredation.
  - C. Promote trade in the African countries.
  - D. Source of employment to many.
- 26. Forests in the Democratic Republic of Congo(DRC) consists of trees that
  - A. grow straight in rows
  - B. are used in making paper
  - C. are mainly hardwood
  - D. take a short time to mature.
- 27. Which one of the following actions by the government is a way of human rights abuse?
  - A. Arresting suspected law breakers.
  - B. Enforcing laws against drug abuse
  - C. Establishing children homes.
  - D. Disrupting peaceful demonstrations.

- **28.** Which one of the following lakes in the Riftvalley is salty?
  - A. Lake Turkana
  - B. Lake Nakuru
  - C. Lake Baringo
  - D. Lake Naivasha
- **29.** The diagram below shows a population pyramid



Which one of the following statements about the population pyramid shown above is **correct**?

- A. People below 39 years are the majority.
- B. There is a large population of old people.
- C. There are more male than females.
- D. The are few dependants.
- 30. The Great North Road passes through three of the following towns except
  - A. Kampala
  - B. Gaborone
  - C. Khartoum
  - D. Lusaka.
- 31. South Africa produces many manufactured goods mainly because
  - A. there is a large population in the country
  - B. people living in towns provide cheap labour
  - C. the country has a variety of mineral resources
  - D. there is a large market for manufactured goods.

- 32. Which of the following statements is false about the Fulani pastoral community?
  - A. They are found in Kalahari desert.
  - B. They are the largest pastoral community in Africa.
  - C. They belong to West Atlantic language group.
  - D. They use horses to search for water and pasture.
- 33. The government supports persons with special needs in the society through
  - A. putting up houses for them
  - B. exempting them from paying taxes
  - C. paying them higher salaries
  - D. providing equal opportunities for them.
- 34. Which one of the following mountains was formed through volcanic activities?
  - A. Mau ranges.
  - B. Mt. Usambara.
  - C. Danakil Alps.
  - D. Mount Elgon.
- 35. In which of the following methods of poultry farming are birds confined in a structure that can be moved from one place to another?
  - A. Battery cage system.
  - B. Fold system.
  - C. Free range system.
  - D. Deep litter system.
- **36.** The **main** effect of HIV and AIDS infection in Kenya is that it has led to
  - A. decrease in life expectancy
  - B. reduction of population
  - C. expansion of hospitals
  - D. decrease in trade.

- 37. A soil conservation measure carried out on steep cultivated slope is
  - A. gulley erosion
  - B. monocropping
  - C. terrace farming
  - D. shifting cultivation.
- **38.** Which one of the following game parks is **correctly** matched with the country it is found?

Game park	Country
A. Selous	South Africa
B. Black River Gorges	Mauritius
C. Kruger	Botswana
D. Huango	Tanzania

- **39.** The kingdom of Old Ghana expanded in West Africa **mainly** due to
  - A. introduction of Islam in the area
  - B. the coming of the Europeans
  - C. presence of good roads in the kingdom
  - D. wealth from the trans-Saharan trade.
- **40**. The **main** form of transporting goods within regional trading blocs in Africa is
  - A. air
  - B. road
  - C. water
  - D. railway.
- **41.** When Mekatilili wa Menza was arrested by the British she was
  - A. jailed in Kisumu
  - B. deported to Kisii
  - C. hanged
  - D. sent to Seychelles.

- 42. Which one of the following satements about the theory of human evolution is correct?
  - A. Human beings have not changed.
  - B. It was first discovered by Charles Darwin.
  - C. Early human beings had larger brains.
  - D. Human beings came from the soil.
- 43. In African traditional societies, food was stored in the following ways except
  - A. hanging on poles
  - B. in large baskets
  - C. in soil
  - D. in granaries.
- 44. The following are areas where flowers are grown in Kenya. Which one is **not**?
  - A. Londiani
  - B. Limuru
  - C. Timau
  - D. Eldoret.
- 45. Which one of the following is **not** a function of clans in traditional African societies?
  - A. Creates a sense of belonging.
  - B. Provides wives for the young men.
  - C. Promotes kinship ties.
  - D. Are custodians of traditional laws and values.
- **46.** People are encouraged to marry in traditional African society inorder to
  - A. get wealth
  - B. get relatives
  - C. get companions
  - D. enable continuation of clan.

- 47. Which one of the following is a cause of rapid population growth?
  - A. HIV and AIDS infection.
  - B. Decrease in food production.
  - C. Land fragmentation.
  - D. Improved medical services.
- 48. The main problem facing people in the Bundalangi area of Western region in Kenya is
  - A. drought
  - B. tsetse flies infestation
  - C. seasonal flooding
  - D. landslides.
- **49.** Improvement in modern forms of communication has **mainly** led to
  - A. increase in trading activities
  - B. migration of people to towns
  - C. erosion of cultural practices
  - D. inter-marriage between communities
- 50. Muya is a Kenyan citizen who pays all his taxes promptly, obeys laws of the land and is ready to defend his country at all cost. The quality Muya posses is
  - A. patriotism
  - B. citizenship
  - C. democracy
  - D. loyalty.
- 51. Lake Tana in Ethiopa yas formed when
  - . A. water collected in de a fault
    - B. a dam was constructed
    - C. flowing magma blocked a river
    - D. parts of the earth sunk.

- 52. Climate is well defined as
  - A. the general weather conditions of a place recorded over a long period of time
  - B. the day to day changes in the atmosphere
  - C. the general weather conditions that favour growth of plants
  - D. the coldness or hotness of a place at a particular time.
- 53. The African Union(AU) was formed in the year 2000 mainly to
  - A. unite all the countries of Africa
  - B. deal with new matters facing Africa
  - C. liberate countries under colonial rule
  - D. reduce trade with foreign countries.
- 54. Which one of the following communities is a Semitic speaker in Africa?
  - A. Amharans
  - B. Tuaregs
  - C. Berbers
  - D. Xhosa
- 55. The following are challenges facing tourism in Africa. Which one is **not**?
  - A. Pollution of game parks and reserves.
  - B. Poor transport network.
  - C. Stiff wildlife conservation measures.
  - D. High fee charged at tourist destinations.
- **56.** Below is a description of a town in Eastern Africa.
  - (i) It is a sea port.
  - (ii) It has petroleum refinery.
  - (iii) It started before the colonial period.

The town described above is

- A. Addis Ababa
- B. Arusha
- C. Kampala
- D. Dar es Salaam.
- **57.** The constitution of Kenya is important because
  - A. Kenyans voted for it
  - B. it was written by Kenyans
  - C. it outlines Kenya as one party state
  - D. it outlines the rights of citizens.
- **58.** Which one of the following is a disadvantage of pipeline transport?
  - A. It is slow.
  - B. Only one commodity can be carried at once.
  - C. It reduces transport cost.
  - D. It reduces roads destruction.
- **59.** Which one of the following is a role of a citizen during the electoral process?
  - A. Creating constituency boundaries.
  - B. Acquiring identity cards.
  - C. Registering as voters.
  - D. Carrying out civic education.
- **60.** The arm of the government that decides cases is headed by
  - A. president
  - B. attorney general
  - C. chief justice
  - D. speaker.