

Uttar Pradesh Public Service Commission Lower Subordinate Services Preliminary Previous Year Question Paper

1. The Thermometer suitable to measure 2000°C temperature is

- (A) total radiation thermometer
- (B) gas thermometer
- (C) mercury thermometer
- (D) vapour pressure thermometer

Ans : (A)

2. The gas used for artificial ripening of green fruit is

- (A) ethane
- (B) ethylene
- (C) carbon dioxide
- (D) oxytocin

Ans : (B)

3. In which of the following districts India's largest mica belt is found ?

- (A) Balaghat and Chhindwara
- (B) Udaipur, Ajmer and Alwar
- (C) Hazaribagh, Gaya and Monghyr
- (D) Salem and Dharmapuri

Ans : (C)

4. Silent valley is situated in

- (A) Uttarakhand
- (B) Kerala
- (C) Arunachal
- (D) Jammu and Kashmir

Ans : (B)

5. The fastest computer of the world is

- (A) Param-10000
- (B) J-8
- (C) Yenha-3
- (D) T-3A

Ans : (A)

6. Which one of the following organizations is not related to science and technology ?

- (A) DST
- (B) CSIR
- (C) ICSSR
- (D) DAE

Ans : (C)

7. The name of the ICBM developed by India with a strike range of more than 2000 km is

- (A) Prithvi
- (B) Trishul

- (C) Akash
- (D) Agni-II

Ans : (D)

8. Geneco technology is

- (A) A defence system for prevention from AIDS
- (B) A method for the development of species for food crops
- (C) A techniques for pre-information regarding genetic diseases
- (D) A technique for prevention of cataract

Ans : (C)

9. 2, 4-D is

- (A) an insecticide
- (B) an explosive
- (C) a fungicide
- (D) a herbicide

Ans : (D)

10. The percentage of nuclear energy in India's total energy generation is

- (A) 60%
- (B) 27%
- (C) 10%
- (D) 2%

Ans : (D)

11. Satish Dhawan Space Centre is located at

- (A) Vishakhapatnam
- (B) Goa
- (C) Shri Hari Kota
- (D) Chennai

Ans : (C)

12. Which one of the following scientists has carried out researches both in the field of biology and physics ?

- (A) Jagdish Chandra Bose
- (B) Har Govind Khorana
- (C) C. V. Raman
- (D) Homi J. Bhabha

Ans : (A)

13. Which one of the following is a bacterial disease ?

- (A) Herpes
- (B) Polio
- (C) Pox
- (D) Tetanus

Ans : (D)

14. An Offshore Patrol Vessel was inducted into Coast Guard in March 2010. It is named

- (A) Eagle

- (B) Vishwast
- (C) Jatayu
- (D) Aashwast

Ans : (B)

15. To insulate the country from disruptions in supply of crude oil, India has established India Strategic Petroleum Reserves Ltd. It will construct underground storages at three places. Identify the place which has not been selected for the purpose.

- (A) Vishakhapatnam
- (B) Manglore
- (C) Padur
- (D) Ankaleshwar

Ans : (D)

16. Presidents of USA and Russia recently signed a historic treaty committing their respective country to drastically reduce arms. It was signed on

- (A) 15 January, 2010
- (B) 18 May, 2009
- (C) 08 April, 2010
- (D) 12 February, 2010

Ans : (C)

17. Russia has agreed recently to construct how many units of nuclear Reactor at Kudankulam in Tamil Nadu ?

- (A) 02
- (B) 04
- (C) 05
- (D) 06

Ans : (A)

18. Who of the following has been appointed as Chairman of Mumbai Stock Exchange in March, 2010 ?

- (A) Prof. Rakesh Mohan
- (B) Prof. Bhagawati
- (C) S. Ram Dorai
- (D) Prof. Manoranjan Misra

Ans : (C)

19. Who of the following is the fourth woman Judge appointed in the Supreme Court in India in April, 2010 ?

- (A) Justice Fatima Beevi
- (B) Justice Sujata Manohar
- (C) Justice Gyan Sudha Misra
- (D) Justice Ruma Pal

Ans : (C)

20. A World Expo 2010 as a grand event to showcase the best achievements of human civilisation has been opened on May 1, 2010. Where was this expo opened ?

- (A) In Shanghai
- (B) In Kuala Lumpur
- (C) In Tokyo

(D) In Moscow

Ans : (A)

21. Air Force Exercise Garuda-2010 was held by India jointly with which of the following countries ?

(A) France and Singapore

(B) Australia and France

(C) Singapore and Australia

(D) None of these

Ans : (A)

22. Which one of the following states bagged the National Rural Health Mission Award of the Government of India in April, 2010 ?

(A) Uttar Pradesh

(B) Orissa

(C) Madhya Pradesh

(D) Rajasthan

Ans : (D)

23. Who of the following has been included in the Hall of Fame by I.C.C. in March, 2010 ?

(A) Sachin Tendulkar

(B) Sunil Gavaskar

(C) Kapil Dev

(D) Anil Kumble

Ans : (C)

24. Who said, "Imperialism is dead" as dodo?

(A) Ramje Macdonald

(B) Winston Churchill

(C) Clement Attlee

(D) Lord Wavell

Ans : (B)

25. The annual session of Muslim League in the year 1970 was held at

(A) Dacca

(B) Karachi

(C) Aligarh

(D) Lucknow

Ans : (B)

26. The Indian National Congress had launched the Non Co-operation Movement in the year

(A) 1918 A.D.

(B) 1919 A.D.

(C) 1920 A.D.

(D) 1921 A.D.

Ans : (C)

27. Who amongst the following made regular broadcast on Congress Radio operated during Quit India Movement ?

- (A) Jaya Prakash Narayan
- (B) Subhas Chandra Bose
- (C) Ram Manohar Lohia
- (D) Sucheta Kriplani

Ans : (C)

28. Which of the following newspapers advocated revolutionary terrorism during the period of Indian freedom struggle ?

- 1. Sandhya
- 2. Yugantar
- 3. Kaal

Choose the correct answer from the code given below :

Codes :

- (A) 1, 2
- (B) 1, 3
- (C) 2, 3
- (D) 1, 2, 3

Ans : (D)

29. The movement in India which became popular during the first World War was the

- (A) Swadeshi and Boycott Movement
- (B) Home Rule Movement
- (C) Separatist Movement
- (D) Swarajist Party Movement

Ans : (B)

30. Arrange the following events in chronological order and choose the correct answer using the code given below :

- 1. Jallianwalabagh Massacre
- 2. Chaurichaura Episode
- 3. Champaran Movement
- 4. Moplah Rebellion

Codes :

- (A) 1, 2, 3, 4
- (B) 2, 1, 3, 4
- (C) 3, 1, 4, 2
- (D) 3, 1, 2, 4

Ans : (C)

31. Match List-I with List-II and choose the correct answer from the codes given below the Lists :

List-I

- (a) Abul Kalam Azad
- (b) Pherozeshah Mehta
- (c) Annie Besant
- (d) Mahatma Gandhi

List-II

- 1. Bombay Chronicle
- 2. Al-Hilal

3. Young India

4. New India

Codes :

(a) (b) (c) (d)

(A) 2 1 4 3

(B) 1 2 3 4

(C) 2 1 3 4

(D) 3 2 1 4

Ans : (A)

32. Who of the following was the President of Indian National Congress for consecutive six years ?

(A) Jawahar Lal Nehru

(B) Dadabhai Naoroji

(C) Abul Kalam Azad

(D) Gopal Krishna Gokhale

Ans : (C)

33. Who of the following had started the Khilafat Movement ? Choose the answer from the code given below :

1. Shaukat Ali

2. Mohammad Ali

3. Shariatullah

4. Abul Kalam Azad

Codes :

(A) 1 and 2

(B) 1, 3 and 4

(C) 1, 2 and 3

(D) 1, 2, 3, 4

Ans : (A)

34. Kakori Conspiracy Case took place in the year

(A) 1920

(B) 1925

(C) 1930

(D) 1935

Ans : (B)

35. In the Interim Government (1946) who held the Railways Portfolio ?

(A) Baldev Singh

(B) T. T. Chudrigar

(C) Asaf Ali

(D) Abdul Rab Nishtar

Ans : (C)

36. The Province where Indian National Congress did not form ministry after the General election of 1937 was

(A) Orissa

(B) Bihar

(C) Madras

(D) Bengal

Ans : (D)

37. The transfer of capital of British India from Calcutta to Delhi was effected during the period of

- (A) Lord Minto
- (B) Lord Hardinge
- (C) Lord Chelmsford
- (D) Lord Reading

Ans : (B)

38. Who was the leader of the Swadeshi Movement in Madras ?

- (A) Srinivas Sastri
- (B) Rajagopalachari
- (C) Chidambaram Pillai
- (D) Chintamani

Ans : (C)

39. Which one of the following statements is not correct about Dadabhai Naoroji ?

- (A) He wrote a book "Poverty and Un-British rule in India"
- (B) He worked as a professor of Gujarati in the University College, London
- (C) He laid the foundation of womans education in Bombay
- (D) He was elected as a member of British Parliament on the ticket of the Conservative Party

Ans : (D)

40. Which one of the following was directly related to the Poona Pact of 1932 ?

- (A) Indian women
- (B) Indian labour class
- (C) Indian farmers
- (D) Indian depressed class

Ans : (D)