

STATE LATIN FORUM - 1985

GREEK DERIVATIVES

I. Choose the best meaning for the base or prefix given..

1. PROTO-
a. against b. around c. first d. on behalf of e. on account of
2. PSEUD-
a. wicked b. false c. new d. old e. foot
3. GE-
a. sky b. earth c. air d. swift e. around
4. OLIG-
a. few b. rule c. fully d. wise e. well-born
5. POL-
a. shiny b. country c. person d. city e. many
6. EU-
a. weak b. good c. wide d. through e. beneath
7. A-
a. always b. not c. above d. on e. extra
8. DEUTER-
a. regal b. wide c. second d. harsh e. easy
9. HIER-
a. write b. arm c. sacred d. foreign e. bad
10. KAT-
a. down b. along c. through d. except e. cross

II. Complete the sentence or answer the question.

11. A pyromaniac would
a. be unwilling to vote b. like high places c. be attracted
to fire d. love to travel e. like books
12. A common name for gastritis is
a. flu b. stomach ache c. toothache d. twisted ankle
e. black eye
13. A chronometer
a. measures time b. keeps count of heartbeats c. monitors
radiation d. records pulse rate e. removes foreign particles

14. An antonym of epitome is
 a. reduction b. resourceful c. independence d. revulsion
 e. expansion
15. A podiatrist
 a. prepares food b. treats the feet c. shoes horses
 d. examines the heavens e. delivers babies
16. Aphasia means
 a. loss of speech b. an unusual discharge of liquid c. a
 weakness of the heart d. a surplus of bile e. fainting
17. If treated for hypothermia, a patient would be suffering from
 a. heart attack b. stomach pains c. a high fever d. difficulty
 in walking e. abnormally low body temperature
18. Neuralgia is
 a. a condition of the intestines b. pain associated with the
 nervous system c. kidney failure d. ulcers e. problems
 with breathing
19. A synonym of empirical is
 a. unsure b. eccentric c. unstable d. forceful e. experiential
20. An antonym of plethora is
 a. emptiness b. brightness c. cynical d. open e. ripeness
21. A synonym of anathema is
 a. curse b. truce c. agreement d. severity e. part
22. Necrosis refers to
 a. body odor b. relief from pain c. study of rocks
 d. death of tissue e. traitorous activity
23. An antonym of iconoclast is
 a. coward b. bold c. helper d. traditionalist e. idol
 worshipper
24. A nephrectomy is
 a. a disease of the heart b. an open sore c. a swelling under
 the eye d. the removal of a kidney e. the draining of a duct
25. A common name for otitis is
 a. heartburn b. nosebleed c. ear ache d. hangnail
 e. pink eye
26. Hematuria is
 a. weakness in the heart wall b. blood in the urine c. runny
 nose d. joint pain e. headache
27. Which of the following would be a catatonic reaction?
 a. deep sleep b. sitting without moving c. vomiting d. loss
 of hair e. skin eruptions

28. In polyuria the patient
a. vomits b. passes water often c. coughs loudly d. laughs too much e. bleeds from the nose
29. A synonym of diaphanous is
a. translucent b. raucous c. loud d. peaceful e. symphonic
30. A synonym of anomaly is
a. chaos b. government c. freshness d. friction e. irregularity
31. Erythrosis is a condition characterized by
a. an irregular heartbeat b. a reddish discoloration of the skin c. back pains d. a swelling in the neck e. headaches
32. The more common name for podalgia is
a. Dow's syndrome b. ringworm c. staph infection d. hoof and mouth disease e. gout
33. Misoneism is
a. dislike of children b. giving a pejorative meaning c. hatred of change d. bad blood e. poor shipbuilding
34. An ergometer measures
a. reflected light b. moisture on the skin c. stomach gas d. the amount of work done e. the amount of radiation
35. Iatrology is the study of
a. ancient artifacts b. marine life c. speech d. contagious diseases e. medicine
36. The acephalous body had no
a. blood b. legs c. head d. shape e. life
37. A palm reader supposedly has studied
a. chiromancy b. odontalgia c. neology d. scopophobia e. necrotomy
38. Zoophagous animals
a. live in confinement b. are carnivorous c. are viviparous d. are short-lived e. are nocturnal
39. Hypertrophy is
a. abnormal growth in size b. nourishment from the sun's rays c. underdevelopment d. high blood pressure e. excessive activity
40. An iridectomy is an operation on the
a. nose b. eye c. heart d. rib e. elbow

41. An ornithologist
 - a. straightens teeth
 - b. makes tools
 - c. uses names correctly
 - d. studies birds
 - e. studies mountains
42. Anhydrous best describes a(n)
 - a. valley
 - b. ocean
 - c. desert
 - d. mountain
 - e. city
43. Euthenics is the science which deals with
 - a. improving living conditions
 - b. a rewarding old age
 - c. harmonious sound
 - d. upgrading the human race
 - e. good digestion
44. Agoraphobia is a fear of
 - a. heights
 - b. travel
 - c. war
 - d. death
 - e. crowds
45. Abiogenesis is
 - a. the study of life
 - b. spontaneous generation
 - c. the examination of living organisms
 - d. a very small living organism
 - e. the study of terrestrial animals

III. Complete the analogy.

46. Lobotomy is to brain as phlebotomy is to
 - a. throat
 - b. nerve
 - c. foot
 - d. vein
 - e. muscle
47. Catholic is to parochial as widespread is to
 - a. localized
 - b. protestant
 - c. banal
 - d. empty
 - e. swollen
48. Paraphrase is to restate as epilepsy is to
 - a. overstate
 - b. revise
 - c. seizure
 - d. insanity
 - e. heated
49. Epithet is to modifier as antidote is to
 - a. remedy
 - b. adjective
 - c. weakness
 - d. friend
 - e. doctrine
50. Anthology is to gymnast as flower is to
 - a. bouquet
 - b. exercise
 - c. spirit
 - d. naked
 - e. pretty