

DISTRICT LATIN FORUM 1993

DERIVATIVES II

I. Choose the meaning of the Latin root of the given word.

1. adjutant  
a. young b. join c. right d. aid
2. appease  
a. peace b. bear c. prepare d. part
3. sample  
a. free b. taste c. large d. buy
4. suitcase  
a. hindrance b. slave c. follow d. assist
5. altruistic  
a. three b. other c. fair d. high
6. vitamin  
a. live b. be willing c. conquer d. be strong
7. mortgage  
a. custom b. warn c. move d. death
8. hostage  
a. guest b. captive c. enemy d. victim
9. semester  
a. half b. six c. old d. measure
10. asset  
a. sit b. safe c. enough d. know

II. Choose the English word which is derived from the given Latin word.

11. orior  
a. orison b. ordinance c. primordial d. abortion
12. traho  
a. treaty b. travail c. trestle d. trample
13. pars  
a. parasol b. jeopardy c. rampart d. paraffin
14. dies  
a. ditty b. sojourn c. adieu d. conjuror

15. edo  
a. endow b. education c. obscene d. obesity
16. otium  
a. negotiate b. noisome c. deny d. dote
17. fero  
a. ferocious b. interfere c. fertility d. ferment
18. mille  
a. millet b. militate c. mile d. milliner
19. domus  
a. danger b. dormer c. dowager d. dainty
20. nascor  
a. nasty b. nasal c. natant d. native

III. Choose the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.

21. lotion  
a. lavo b. levis c. tollo d. otium
22. etude  
a. cano b. eo c. studeo d. unda
23. impair  
a. peior b. pareo c. peto d. par
24. assemble  
a. sedeo b. sto c. similis d. sum
25. qualify  
a. quies b. qualis c. quaero d. quattuor
26. obey  
a. ordo b. audio c. paro d. bonus
27. trellis  
a. traho b. teneo c. tres d. terminus
28. surreptitious  
a. sequor b. peto c. obtineo d. rapio
29. vertebrate  
a. verto b. vetus c. verus d. ventus
30. violent  
a. vinco b. vox c. volo d. vis

IV. Choose the word which does NOT belong by derivation.

31. a. vale b. valid c. avail d. valence
32. a. portmanteau b. maintenance c. amanuensis d. manage
33. a. benign b. gentry c. indigenous d. congeal
34. a. relevant b. relief c. unleavened d. privilege
35. a. ambition b. seditious c. constable d. lavish
36. a. transparent b. apparition c. parentage d. disappear
37. a. cortege b. cohort c. curtail d. curtsey
38. a. somersault b. sovereign c. supine d. superb
39. a. maneuver b. cornucopia c. manure d. cooperate
40. a. infringe b. refrain c. frail d. fraction

V. Choose the best definition or correctly complete the sentence.

41. Instead of ameliorating conditions, the greedy landlord \_\_\_\_\_ them.  
a. denigrated b. augmented c. aggravated d. separated
42. The family made a munificent bequest to the city which was praised by all.  
a. monetary b. sumptuous c. paltry d. unexpected
43. His explanation was too quick, too \_\_\_\_\_. No one believed a word of it.  
a. minute b. pervasive c. interminable d. facile
44. Patients should be urged to continue a normal life style when their symptoms are  
a. quiescent. b. obviated. c. exacerbated.  
d. definitive.
45. An obsequious person is  
a. arrogant. b. alert. c. outdated. d. fawning.
46. She was \_\_\_\_\_ about her chances of success and felt that her work on the project would be acknowledged.  
a. ambivalent b. rapacious c. sanguine d. convoluted

VI. Choose the set of words which corresponds to the given pair.

47. altercation : acrimonious ::  
a. ramification : important    b. sermon : hortatory  
c. mistake : erased    d. altruism : harmful
48. inadvertent : intentional ::  
a. cause : effect    b. unorganized : organized  
c. quantity : abundance    d. report : reporter
49. nonagenarian : longevity ::  
a. tree : leaves    b. expatriate : dignity  
c. ounce : pounds    d. extrovert : friendliness
50. plenitude : abundant ::  
a. uproar : tumultuous    b. river : alluvial  
c. flux : stable    d. permission : unwilling