

## 9. The Earth

**1. How many hens were at first kept by Benjy?**

- (A) about a dozen
- (B) thirty six
- (C) about two dozens
- (D) fifty

**Ans (A) about a dozen**

**2. "Deeply and painfully upset, they went to the man named Sanders, and told him how it was." - is from**

- (A) A Marriage Proposal
- (B) A Child is Born
- (C) The Earth
- (D) How Free is the Press

**Ans (C) The Earth**

**3. The Earth is written by .....**

- (A) Pearl S Buck
- (B) H.E. Bates
- (C) Dr. Zakir Hussain
- (D) Mahatma Gandhi

**Ans (B) H.E. Bates**

**4. Benzy went on..... with the simple business of making hens lay eggs.**

- (A) slowly
- (B) fastly
- (C) intermittently
- (D) steadfastly

**Ans (D) steadfastly**

**5. Benjy parents did not like... because of grey eyes.**

- (A) Mary
- (B) Florence
- (C) Rekha
- (D) Shikha

**Ans (B) Florence**

**6. Who has a bony brown mare?**

- (A) Johnson
- (B) Ralson
- (C) Simpson
- (D) Ajeet

**Ans (A) Johnson**

**7. Who said, 'You are people on the land?'**

- (A) The doctor
- (B) The teacher
- (C) The preacher
- (D) The adviser

**Ans (A) The doctor**

**8. The bank will give interest on it and then one day, when you (Benjy) are**

- (A) 20
- (B) 21
- (D) 22
- (C) 19

**Ans (B) 21**

**9. Benjy asked his parents to eat in the .....**

- (A) bathroom
- (B) verandah
- (C) kitchen
- (D) drawing room

**Ans (C) kitchen**

**10. For many years Benjy's father had been a local .....**

- (A) teacher
- (B) farmer

(C) preacher

(D) doctor

**Ans (C) preacher**

**11. Benjy understood about the business of**

(A) education

(B) hens

(C) homes

(D) fruits

**Ans (B) hens**

**12. "He had the look of being a simple hearted man as well as simple minded man" taken from**

(A) The Artist

(B) The Earth

(C) A Marriage proposal

(D) A child is Born

**Ans (B) The Earth**

**13. H. E. Bates belonged to .....**

(A) France

(C) Austria

(B) Germany

(D) Britain

**Ans (D) Britain**

**14. Benjy bought the land from.....**

(A) Peter

(B) Sanders

(C) George

(D) John

**Ans (B) Sanders**

**15. Johnson was a poor .....**

(A) teacher

(B) doctor

(C) carpenter

(D) farmer

**Ans (D) farmer**

**16. ....had in his possession a plough, a cart, tools and a bony brown mare.**

(A) Ralson

(B) Simpson

(C) Johnson

(D) Ajeet

**Ans (C) Johnson**

17. Florence later on became the wife of .....

(A) Ranjay

(B) Manjay

(C) Benjy

(D) Sanjay

**Ans (C) Benjy**

18. Benjy left school at the age of .....

(A) twelve

(B) thirteen

(C) fourteen

(D) fifteen

**Ans (C) fourteen**

19. Benjy was the son of .....

(A) John

(B) Johnson

(C) George

(D) Charles

**Ans (B) Johnson**

20. Benjy's parents gave him a passbook when he was ..... years old.

(A) 21

(C) 20

(B) 22

(D) 23

**Ans (A) 21**

**21. Johnson was in the possession of .... land.**

(A) four acre

(B) two acre

(C) five acre

(D) six acre

**Ans (A) four acre**

**22. .... was the real owner of the land.**

(A) Sanders

(B) Landers

(C) Randers

(D) Manders

**Ans (A) Sanders**

**23..... was not right in his head.**

(A) Benjy

(B) Conceit

(C) humility

(D) Selfishness

**Ans (A) Benjy**