

TRIVIA QUESTIONS XXIII

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1> What was Baby Face Nelson's real name?

- a. Lester Joseph Gillis
- b. Morley Vernon King
- c. Victor Manuela Gerena
- d. Thomas James Holden

2> Actor Tab Hunter had a number one hit with which of these songs?

- a. Love in the Afternoon
- b. Star Crossed Lovers
- c. Young Love
- d. Puppy Love

3> Admiral Nagumo was a member of which nation's fleet during World War II?

- a. Portugal
- b. Spain
- c. Japan
- d. China

4> Which boxer was nicknamed the Black Bomber?

- a. Joe Louis
- b. Mohamed Ali
- c. Jack Dempsey
- d. Joe Fraser

5> What did Charles Goren do that made him famous?

- a. A photographer
- b. A journalist
- c. A bridge player

d. A badminton player

6> What handy kitchen product was introduced in 1947?

- a. The blender
- b. The toaster
- c. Paper towels
- d. Aluminum foil

7> Which company introduced color TV to the general public?

- a. Sony
- b. GE
- c. Samsung
- d. RCA

8> The Woman with the Whip is the biographical account of which famous woman's life?

- a. Margret Thatcher
- b. Eva Peron
- c. Susan B. Anthony
- d. Gloria Steinem

9> Which country hosted the first Tournament Tiddly Winks Championship?

- a. Japan
- b. Australia
- c. England
- d. America

10> What is an Eskimo Pie?

- a. Chocolate covered vanilla ice cream
- b. Carmel sauce and nuts on ice cream
- c. Pistachio pudding in a graham wafer crust
- d. Lime ice cream with small marshmallow

11> Which movie won the Oscar for best-animated feature in 2007?

- a. Cars
- b. Happy Feet
- c. Toy Story
- d. Shrek

12> Who played T. E. Lawrence in the movie Lawrence of Arabia?

- a. Christopher Plummer
- b. Sean Connery
- c. Peter O'Toole
- d. Michael Cain

13> Jodie Foster played the role of Sarah Tobias in which movie?

- a. Sommersby
- b. Silence of the Lambs
- c. The Accused
- d. Anna and the King

14> In 1955, over a million raccoon skin coats were made into what new item?

- a. Fuzzy dice
- b. Hats
- c. Skate covers
- d. Muffs

15> Who was the last Empress of India?

- a. Queen Mary
- b. Queen Elizabeth
- c. Queen Elizabeth II
- d. Queen Victoria

Answers:

- 1> Lester Joseph Gillis - Lester was a bank robber in the thirties who teamed up with John Dillinger. Lester died as the result of a gunshot wound that he received on the 27th of November 1934.
- 2> Young Love - Young Love was written by Carole Joyner and Ric Cartney and was also covered by Sonny James and The Crew-Cuts.
- 3> Japan - Nagumo was a part of the infamous raid on Pearl Harbor and was also present at the Battle of Midway. He committed suicide before the end of the war, but rather than performing the ritual suicide, he chose to shoot himself.
- 4> Joe Louis - Successfully defending his title 25 times, Joe was the World Heavy Weight Champion from 1937 to 1949.
- 5> A bridge player - Goren was a world champion bridge player. Charles also wrote a number of books about the game including Winning Bridge Made Easy.
- 6> Aluminum foil - The product was put on the market by Reynolds Metal.
- 7> RCA - RCA announced that it had designed the color television in 1949.
- 8> Eva Peron - Born in 1919, Eva Peron married Colonel Juan Peron in 1945. Juan became the President of Argentina in 1946.
- 9> England - The tournament was held at Cambridge University.
- 10> Chocolate covered vanilla ice cream - The product was created by Christian Nelson in 1920. His first version of the treat was called an I-Scream Bar.
- 11> Happy Feet - Happy Feet is a story about a penguin, which cannot find his heart song.
- 12> Peter O'Toole - Peter has two birth certificates. One says he was born in Ireland and the other states that he was born in Leeds.
- 13> The Accused - Released in 1988, The Accused was loosely based on the real life story of Cheryl Araujo.
- 14> Hats - The coats were made into coonskin caps, which were extremely popular with young boys.
- 15> Queen Elizabeth - Queen Elizabeth was the mother of Queen Elizabeth II. She was Queen until the death of her husband in 1952.