

**LEYTONSTONE, WANSTEAD AND DISTRICT PHILATELIC SOCIETY
CHRISTMAS 2012 QUIZ**

QUESTIONS:

Points

- 2 1. Great Britain - Queen Victoria 1858-79 1d Red (perforated issue - SG 43/44)
What are the first and last SG Plate Numbers?
- 1 2. Give a **Philatelic Term** with 3 letters of the alphabet running consecutively?
- 3 3. In which year did the following countries issue their first **Air Mail** stamps?
a) FRANCE b) GERMANY c) GREAT BRITAIN
- 1 4. Name a European country's colony whose name is the same spelt forwards or backwards.
- 1 5. Andorra – Who issued stamps first - French or Spanish?
- 1 6. French Southern and Antarctic Territories first issued stamps in which year?
- 1 7. Which was the first European country to use a Swastika as a watermark?
- 6 8. Name the (six) Australian states that issued stamps?
- 6 9. Name the (six) Canadian stamp issuing provinces?
- 1 10. Great Britain - what was the first KGVI Commemorative?
- 1 11. Name a stamp issuing country that has 3 letters of the alphabet running consecutively
(eg abc, bcd, cde,)
- 1 12. Australia 1935 Silver Jubilee has KGV mounted on a horse. Name the horse?
- 1 13. India 1935 silver Jubilee set - Is the Taj Mahal shown on one of the values?
- 1 14. Falkland Island Dependencies - In which year was the "Map" set Issued?
- 1 15. Great Britain - In which year was the first booklet issued?
- 1 16. Cyprus - A set was issued in 1928 to commemorate what?
- 1 17. British commonwealth - Name a stamp issuing territory that has 3 letters of the alphabet running
backwards consecutively (eg cba, dcb, edc,
- 1 18. Barbuda first issued stamps in which year?
- 3 19. Great Britain - who printed the KEVII Issue? (3 printers – 1 point for each)
- 1 20. Great Britain - what was the **face value** of the KGV Commemoratives? (ie £sd total)
- 2 21. Which colonies' stamps were overprinted for the first Issues of a) BURMA b) GIBRALTAR ?
- 1 22. Great Britain - if on a pre 1840 envelope/entire you saw the mark for an additional ½ d what
does it signify?
- 2 23. Where were the following postmarks used: i) **A25** ii) **A26** ?
- 1 24. Name a pair of Welshmen listed by Gibbons for many commonwealth countries.
- 1 25. Great Britain - what is the colour of the first KGVI **£1** value?
- 1 26. Who first appeared on a stamp to celebrate his 48th birthday?
- 1 27. Who was the first Olympic Gold Medalist to appear on a British Postage stamp?
- 1 28. What are the first and last letters of the alphabet you would find on the 1840 GB 1d Black?
- 1 29. Great Britain - what was the total face value of the KEVIII Postage Due set? (ie £sd total)
- 1 30. If you saw King Zog on a stamp, which country would it be?

Total

QUESTIONS (cont.)

Points

- 1 31. Name a stamp issuing land with 3 A's in its title.
- 1 32. ditto 3 E's
- 3 33. ditto 3 I's
- 1 34. ditto 3 O's
- 1 35. ditto 3 U's
- 1 36. ditto which has all 5 vowels (ie A E I O U)
- 1 37. ditto 2 Z's
- 1 38. In which **Gibbons catalogue** would you find the stamps of Las Bela / Lasbela?
- 1 39. Great Britain 1840 2d Blue - what is the **last letter** in the alphabet shown on the stamp?
- 1 40. What was the first stamp issued by East Germany?
- 1 41. What is the design of the first Icelandic triangular stamp?
- 1 42. Which country issued its 2nd stamp **58** years after its first?
- 1 43. **Kionga** is a colony of which country?
- 1 44. How many stamps did Kionga issue?
- 2 45. Finland issued its first airmail stamp a) in which year? b) what overprint did it bear?
- 1 46. What is shown on the first Netherlands Triangular stamp?
- 1 47. **IFNI** is a colony of which European Country?
- 0 48. Spell HERZEGOVINA (The questions were read out at the meeting, so no points for this!
But would you have got it right?)
- 1 49. Great Britain issued a £10 postage stamp in which year?
- 2 50. Fill in the blanks to name the countries: i) -A-A-A ii) - R- G-A-
- 1 51. Who is riding his bike on the **1d Mafeking** stamp?
- 1 52. Hong Kong overprinted a **2c** stamp in **1891** - why?
- 1 53. Which Commonwealth country issued a Silver Jubilee set in **1936** (not 1935)
- 1 54. Whose head is depicted on the first issue of **Portugal**?
- 1 55. Whose head is depicted on the first issue of **Spain**?
- 1 56. France - the **1930 Airmail** stamps showed a plane over which **city**?
- 1 57. How many stamps are in the **1932 Coronation** omnibus issues?
- 1 58. What **industry** is shown on the KGVI definitive of Turks and Caicos Islands?
- 1 59. Great Britain - in which year was the **QV £5 Orange** issued?
- 1 60. How many stamps are there in the **1935 Silver Jubilee** omnibus issues?

Total

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47 =

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