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- 1 *Cow and Gate*
- 2 Harrogate (The Tewit Well)
- 3 Oliver Postgate's (Professor Yaffle in *Bagpuss*)
- 4 Gateshead (Abbot Utta)
- 5 The Runagates Club (John Buchan)
- 6 Sandgate (*The Keel Row*)
- 7 Newgate (Geoffrey Chaucer – *The Cook's Tale*)
- 8 Margate (John Betjeman)
- 9 Title: Viscount Stansgate (Wedgwood Benn)
- 10 Highgate School (alumni)

18

- 1 Cecil (Lion from Hwange Park, Zimbabwe)
- 2 King Richard III (Leicester Cathedral, see Carol Ann Duffy – *Richard*)
- 3 River Mersey, Liverpool (MV *Snowdrop* repainted)
- 4 St Bee's School
- 5 Reginald Wexford (*No Man's Nightingale*, the late Ruth Rendell's final Wexford novel, pub. 2013)
- 6 Manx National Anthem (played for El Salvador prior to football match with Argentina)
- 7 Geoff Duke (Funeral on 10th May)
- 8 First female Bishop (Libby Lane consecrated as Suffragan Bishop of Stockport)
- 9 Greg Rutherford's long jump pit in his Milton Keynes garden.
- 10 Restoration of Pegasus badge for Parachute Regiment.

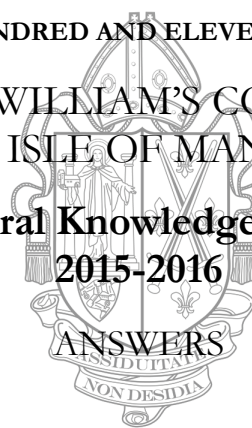
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ANSWERS



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- 1 Hugo Junkers (all-metal aircraft, nicknamed *Blechesel*/*Sheet-metal donkey*)
- 2 Birth of Frank Sinatra (he weighed over 13lb)
- 3 W H and W L Bragg (awards in addition to Nobel Prize for work on X-Ray crystallography)
- 4 Janssen (Haicke Petrus Marinus) and Roos (Willem Johannes)
- 5 Edith Cavell's (Frampton sculpture, St Martin's Place)
- 6 SMS *Bliicher* (sunk at Dogger Bank 24th January)
- 7 Loos (chlorine gas – 25th September)
- 8 *The Thirty-nine Steps* (John Buchan)
- 9 W G Grace
- 10 Sinking of RMS *Lusitania* (Manx lugger, *Wanderer* – 7th May)

2

- 1 Sir Impey Biggs (*Strong Poison*)
- 2 William Noakes (*Busman's Honeymoon*)
- 3 P C Duncan (*Five Red Herrings*)
- 4 Mary Whittaker (*Unnatural Death*)
- 5 Thomas Crimphesham (*Whose Body?*)
- 6 Endicott (*Have His Carcase*)
- 7 Grant (*Clouds of Witness*)
- 8 General Fentiman (*The Unpleasantness at the Bellona Club*)
- 9 Geoffrey Deacon (*The Nine Tailors*)
- 10 Harriet Vane (*Gaudy Night*)

3

- 1 Eustace Dornford KC (John Galsworthy – *Over the River*)
- 2 Eatanswill (Charles Dickens – *The Pickwick Papers*)
- 3 Tankerville (Anthony Trollope – *Phineas Redux*)
- 4 Elvira (V S Naipaul – *The Suffrage of Elvira*)
- 5 Pope Pius IX's
- 6 Carlo Ventresca, the Camerlengo (Dan Brown – *Angels and Demons*)
- 7 John Wilkes
- 8 Twisdon/Hannay (John Buchan – *The Thirty-nine Steps*)
- 9 Zinoviev's (1924)
- 10 Dr Crawford's (as Master of the College. C P Snow – *The Masters*)

4

- 1 Greenwich (Customs Officer)
- 2 Tonbridge (Securitas robbery)
- 3 Dover cliffs (W S Shakespeare – *King Lear*)
- 4 Margate (Thomas Ingoldsby – *Misadventure at Margate: A Legend of Jarvis's Jetty*)
- 5 Ashford (William Harvey Hospital)
- 6 Tunbridge Wells (E M Forster – *A Room with a View*)
- 7 North Foreland Lighthouse
- 8 Brookland
- 9 Sandwich ('a sort of Kentish Herculaneum')
- 10 Faversham (Shepherd Neame Brewery)

5

- 1 Church of the Holy Sepulchre (The Round Church), Cambridge
- 2 The Holy Sepulchre (St Seps), Northampton
- 3 The Round House, Chalk Farm
- 4 Rotunda Museum, Scarborough
- 5 Ickworth House
- 6 Radcliffe Camera, Oxford (John Radcliffe, QEGS alumnus)
- 7 Rotunda Hospital, Dublin (rotunda absorbed by Gate Theatre and later Ambassador Cinema)
- 8 Little Maplestead, Essex
- 9 Mereworth Castle, Kent (Andrea Palladio's Villa Rotonda, Vicenza)
- 10 Royal Albert Hall (Promenade Concerts)

6

- 1 Great Central Line at Banbury (John Betjeman)
- 2 Adelstrop (Edward Thomas)
- 3 Rock Island Line (Lonnie Donegan version, 1961)
- 4 Funicular on Mount Vesuvius (Peppino Turco)
- 5 Upway (Thomas Hardy)
- 6 Kilrush (Percy French – *Are Ye Right There Michael*)
- 7 Perpignan (Salvador Dalí)
- 8 Carnforth (Celia Johnson and Trevor Howard in *Brief Encounter*)
- 9 Gare St Lazare (Claude Monet, 1877)
- 10 Copenhagen Steam Railway (Hans Christian Lumbye)

7

- 1 Wolfson College, Cambridge
- 2 Wolfsburg (Volkswagen)
- 3 Who's afraid of Virginia Woolf?
- 4 Aardwolf (Toxic chemical in specific termites)
- 5 Fenris/Fenrir Wolf (Thorwald's Cross)
- 6 Raksha (Mother Wolf, Rudyard Kipling – *The Jungle Book*)
- 7 Charles Wolfe (*The Burial of Sir John Moore After Corunna*)
- 8 Wolf Rock Lighthouse (The world's first)
- 9 General James Wolfe (The Heights of Abraham)
- 10 Dr Bürklin-Wolf (wine estates)

8

- 1 David Copperfield (Dickens)
- 2 David Balfour (R L Stevenson – *Catriona*)
- 3 Camp David (Sadat and Begin, 1978)
- 4 Davey Crockett (King of the Wild Frontier, The Alamo 1836)
- 5 David Livingstone's (Mvule tree)
- 6 David Hackston of Rathillet (Archbishop Sharp of St Andrews – 1680)
- 7 David Crawford (John Buchan – *Prester John*)
- 8 Dai Bread (Dylan Thomas – *Under Milk Wood*)
- 9 David Lloyd George
- 10 David Kepesh (Philip Roth – *The Breast*)

9

- 1 Black Coffee (Agatha Christie play)
- 2 Gunpowder Tea
- 3 Hibiscus Tea
- 4 Bovril (Old advertisement depicting Pope Leo XIII with Bovril)
- 5 Lapsang Souchong (James Mitchener – *Centennial*)
- 6 Fragrant Tea (Kenneth Grahame – *The Wind in the Willows*)
- 7 Camomile Tea (Beatrix Potter – *The Tale of Peter Rabbit*)
- 8 Red Bush Tea (Alexander McCall Smith – *The No.1 Ladies Detective Agency*)
- 9 Earl Grey Tea
- 10 Café au lait (Neurofibromatosis)

10

- 1 *Later Alligator* (Robert Charles Guidry song, 1955)
- 2 Swampy and Cranky (*Where's my Water* – Disney game)
- 3 'As headstrong as an allegory on the banks of the Nile' (Mrs Malaprop in H B Sheridan – *The Rivals*)
- 4 Tick-Tock (*Peter Pan*, 1953 film)
- 5 The Mugger of Mugger Ghaut (Rudyard Kipling – *The Undertakers*)
- 6 René Lacoste (US Tennis Champion)
- 7 The Enormous Crocodile (Roald Dahl)
- 8 Sobek (Egyptian deity)
- 9 An Alligator Named Daisy
- 10 Caymans

11

- 1 Green feathers (Arthur Ransome – *Swallows and Amazons*)
- 2 Because his feathers are more beautiful (Shakespeare – *The Taming of the Shrew*, Petruccio reassuring Kate)
- 3 White owl's feather (William Allingham – *Up the Airy Mountain*)
- 4 Three ostrich feathers (from John of Bohemia, since then Prince of Wales's crest)
- 5 Featherbed Norton (McCandless brothers, Daniell and Duke)
- 6 Peacock's Feather (Charles George 'Chinese' Gordon)
- 7 *Pigeon Feathers* (John Updike)
- 8 *The Four Feathers* (A E W Mason)
- 9 Feathertop (Nathaniel Hawthorne)
- 10 The Feathermen (Ranulph Fiennes)

12

- 1 Amir (Gevork Vartanian – the plan to assassinate Churchill, Stalin and Roosevelt in Tehran)
- 2 Zigzag (Eddie Chapman)
- 3 Garbo (Juan Pujol García)
- 4 Treasure (Nathalie Sergueiew)
- 5 Cheese (Renato Levi)
- 6 Cicero (Elyesa Bazna in the British Embassy in Ankara)
- 7 Artist (Johnny Jebsen)
- 8 Tricycle (Dusko Popov)
- 9 Tate (Wulf Schmidt/Harry Williamson)
- 10 Fido (Roger Grosjean, archaeologist)

13

- 1 Sphinx (*Love's Labour's Lost*; Act 4, sc.3, 1)
- 2 River Nile at Aswan (islands)
- 3 Denshawai (1906)
- 4 Abu Simmel (Agatha Christie – *Death on the Nile*)
- 5 Suez (Jules Verne – *Around the World in Eighty Days*)
- 6 Rosetta/Rashid (Pierre-François Bouchard, 1796)
- 7 *Aida* (1869)
- 8 Ahmad Rifaat Pasha (1858)
- 9 El Alamein (Georg Stumm, standing in for Rommel, 1942)
- 10 Aboukir Bay (Felicia Dorothea Hemans – *Casabianca*)

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- 1 Burkina Faso (Homeland of Honest Men)
- 2 Costa Rica
- 3 Sri Lanka (Holy Island)
- 4 Belarus (White Russian)
- 5 Bolivia (transl. Bolivar)
- 6 Kiribati (Captain Thomas Gilbert, 1788)
- 7 Côte d'Ivoire
- 8 Cameroon (shrimps)
- 9 Bahamas
- 10 Comoros (moons)

15

- 1 *Annen Polka* (Johann Strauss)
- 2 Supervisor Dance (Robert Louis Stevenson – *Treasure Island*)
- 3 Cachuca (W S Gilbert – *The Gondoliers*)
- 4 Lobster Quadrille (Lewis Carroll – *Alice in Wonderland*)
- 5 *Danse Macabre* (Saint-Saëns)
- 6 *Dance of the Hours* (Ponchielli – *La Gioconda*)
- 7 Baron Ochs (Richard Strauss – *Der Rosenkavalier*)
- 8 *Last Tango in Halifax*
- 9 *Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy* (Prince Coqueluche in Tchaikovsky's *Nutcracker* ballet)
- 10 "Who'll come a-waltzing Matilda with me?"

16

- 1 Baked Alaska Day (1st February)
- 2 Tiramisu (A E Ramsay title)
- 3 Princess Torte/Prinsessstårta (daughters of Prince Carl, Duke of Västergötland)
- 4 Peach Melba (Nellie Melba invited Escoffier to a performance of *Lohengrin*)
- 5 Roly-poly Pudding (Beatrix Potter – *The Tale of Samuel Whiskers*)
- 6 Treacle Pudding (Patrick O'Brian – *The Reverse of the Medal*)
- 7 Zabaglione
- 8 Tarte Tatin
- 9 Rødgrød med fløde
- 10 Pumpkin Pie (J G Whittier – *The Pumpkin*)