

Choose the correct answer/ Fill in the blanks/State "true or false"

1. Bodyline is a word in _____
[a] cricket [b] hockey [c] foot ball.
2. A controversial series of matches between _____ and _____ went on to become a major story in history.
[a] India / Pakistan [b] England / Australia [c] India / Pakistan
3. Until 1877 news about a match was _____ each day.
[a] emailed [b] telegraphed [c] telephoned
4. Successful players were looked on as _____
[a] royals [b] heroes [c] warriors
5. England was defeated in a match played at a London cricket ground called Oval. (T / F) ()
6. _____ news paper said English Cricket is dead.
[a] Australian [b] British [c] American
7. Two years later, The English news paper referred to the England team's voyage to Australia as a _____
[a] chase for victory [b] quest to regain the Ashes [c] journey to Australia.
8. The 1930-31 Ashes series played in England was won by _____
[a] England [b] Australia [c] both
9. The Selection Committee appointed Douglas R. Jardine the _____
[a] bowler [b] captain [c] umpire.
10. Douglas R. Jardine known for his toughness was nick named _____
[a] Iron Duke [b] Copper Duke [c] Silver Duke
11. Jardine viewed film strip of the _____ recently played in England to decide a strategy.
[a] series [b] matches [c] games.
12. Jardine decided the best strategy was to bowl repeated _____ bouncers on the batsman's leg stump.
[a] fast [b] slow [c] medium pace
13. There was a great chance of the ball hitting the batsman body which would _____ and _____ the bats man.
[a] upset / distract [b] harm / annoy [c] hurt / damage
14. The close in fielders would be ready to take advantage of such _____
[a] chance [b] error [c] disturbance

15. Harold Larwood could bowl with great _____ and _____
[a] pace / accuracy [b] length / time [c] perfection / time
16. In first and second matches played in Sydney and Melbourne spectators were _____
to see England bowlers repeatedly bowling short pitched balls.
[a] happy [b] enraged [c] sad.
17. Clearly aiming the ball at the batsman body was referred by journalist as _____
[a] bodyline [b] body attach [c] bowling line.
18. The crowd started showing its anger by _____ and _____ at the
England team on the field especially Jardine.
19. The third match started in _____
20. When H.M. Woodfull the Australian captain was batting he was hit by a body line ball
nastily on _____
[a] right side of the chest [b] left side of the chest [c] middle of the chest.
21. W.A. Oldfield another Australian batsman was hit on _____
[a] leg [b] hand [c] head.
22. The crowd was mad with anger, at the drinks interval one of the spectator shouted _____
[a] don't give him a drink, let the fellow die of thirst [b] don't give juice, give him water.
[c] let him enjoy and drink all the water & juice.
23. Having no respect for the rules of the game or fellow players means _____
24. Cancellation of matches would have meant a _____ loss to the Australian
board.
25. The Board in Australia proposed that a body line bat should be declared as a _____
by the umpire.
[a] fast bowl [b] no ball [c] attack bowl.
26. Douglas Jardine returned to England triumphantly with the Ashes but he had become _____
_____ among the cricket lovers in Britain.
[a] popular [b] unpopular [c] propagators.
27. Today a short ball on the leg stump rising along the body of the batsman is described as

[a] well directed bouncers [b] short ball bouncers [c] leg stump ball.
28. Douglas Jardine opted out of the team for Ashes series _____
[a] 1934 [b] 1935 [c] 1938
29. Winning or losing a match or a series was a matter of _____ pride.
[a] national [b] International [c] state
30. In 1881-82 it was the first time England had lost match in England.

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