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- A. adverse climatic conditions
- B. disease
- C. the Portuguese
- D. the English and the Dutch
- E. established native kingdoms
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- A. was an escaped criminal from Munich when he sailed to the Americas.
- B. was of Genoese origin, although he gained fame in the service of the Portuguese king.
- C. was the brother of Hessin Cortes.
- D. converted to Islam on his forty-third birthday.
- E. believed that Asia was larger, and closer to Europe by water, than people then thought.
- 83. Which of the following is <u>not</u> true concerning European forays into the New World?
- A. Christopher Columbus never sailed into Chesapeake Bay.
- B. John Cabot explored the coast of New England on a voyage sponsored by Henry VII.
- C. Christopher Columbus explored along the coast of the Yucatan Peninsula.
- D. Pedro Cabral discovered South America by accident.
- E. Vespucci's many published letters describing the geography of the New World caused people to call the area America.
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- B. divided the "new" areas discovered by Europeans between Spain and Portugal.
- C. gave the English the eastern route around the Cape of Good Hope.
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- A. Pizarro and the Aztecs; de Soto and the Incas.
- B. Magellan and the Incas; Albuquerque and the Iroquois.
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86. Which South American country today has Portuguese as its national language, reflecting its colonial
history?
A. Argentina
B. Panama
C. Chile
D. Brazil

- 87. Under the encomienda system, New World natives were
- A. forced to accept Islam.

E. Venezuela

- B. permitted to retain control over their local lands.
- C. subjected to exploitation and harsh treatment by the Dutch.
- D. supposed to be protected by the Spanish.
- E. taken to Spain to be used as laborers.
- 88. As a result of the publications of Bartolomé de Las Casas
- A. Amerindian rights were recognized and respected.
- B. the *encomienda* system was established.
- C. Amerindians became more maltreated than before.
- D. the Spanish government was more attentive to the needs of the native populations.
- E. a new route to the Indies was discovered.
- 89. What were American-born descendants of Europeans called?
- A. Creoles
- B. Mestizos
- C. Mulattos
- D. Moranos
- E. according to their European nationality
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- A. Muslim attacks from Delhi.
- B. the circumnavigating voyage of Balboa.
- C. the establishment of the British and Dutch East India Companies.
- D. rival Hindu merchants from the Ganges plain.
- E. a new outbreak of the Black Death.

- 91. All of the following were part of the Columbian Exchange except
- A. cows and horses were introduced into the Western hemisphere.
- B. potatoes and corn were introduced into Europe from the Americas.
- C. potatoes and corn were introduced into the Americas from Europe.
- D. smallpox arrived in the Americas from Europe.
- E. gunpowder and guns were introduced into the Americas from Europe.
- 92. The Dutch and Portuguese
- A. worked together in Southeast Asia to counter the strength of the French and the Danes.
- B. tried to induce the inhabitants of areas under their control to accept Islam, and thus make them easier to control.
- C. played no part in European trade with Africa.
- D. jointly administered Brazil until after 1750.
- E. were bitter trade rivals in Southeast Asia until the Dutch won out.
- 93. Which of the following accurately describes European colonial development in the New World?
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- D. The French took New York from the Dutch and changed its name to New France, and later the Dutch lost some of their Canadian holdings to the English.
- E. The Bishop of Rome took Brazil from Portugal and returned it to Spain.
- 94. Developments that helped Europeans expand their influence on the oceans included all except
- A. the development of *portolani*.
- B. the acquisition of the Chinese sternpost rudder.
- C. a combination of lateen sails with square rigging and the ability to build ever larger and more mobile ships.
- D. the construction of gigantic ships, even larger than those employed by the Ming's Zhenghe.
- E. recent naval experience on the high seas.
- 95. All of the following are true about European contacts with Africa except that
- A. most peoples in the African interior were little influenced by Europeans in the 1500s.
- B. the Portuguese took over the gold trade from Mwene Metapa in East African.
- C. the Dutch established a colony at Capetown to supply its ships headed for the Spice Islands.
- D. the Boers were responsible for keeping other Europeans away from the Cape of Good Hope.
- E. England established a colony at Zimbabwe in the late 1600s.

- 96. Which of the following was the most important reason for the massive growth of the African slave trade in the sixteenth century?
- A. the need to supply the mines of Peru with an abundant labor force
- B. the desire to develop the tobacco plantations of the New World
- C. intense labor needs created by the development of sugar growing in the New World
- D. the enormous growth in the African birth rate
- E. the European ability to obtain slaves in many West African areas
- 97. The African slave trade
- A. was fundamentally altered by the French in the late 1400s.
- B. involved the forcible movement of possibly more than twelve million African slaves overseas.
- C. involved the deaths of less than one percent of those leaving West African ports before they arrived at a new home in the Americas.
- D. began practices never before seen in Africa.
- E. solved the labor shortage challenge in European agriculture.
- 98. Which of the following most accurately depicts life expectancy in the sixteenth century?
- A. Europeans' chances of living longer improved if they did not go to Africa or the West Indies.
- B. A European stood a better chance of living much longer in Africa than in the West Indies.
- C. Africans who survived the voyage from their homeland had a shorter life expectancy in the West Indies than Europeans who went there.
- D. The slave's voyage from Africa to the New World was unrelated to his or her mortality.
- E. Africans rarely survived for one year if exposed to the dampness and cold of Europe.
- 99. As a result of European expansion into Africa,
- A. the Mwene Metapa was entirely eliminated by the Portuguese.
- B. the economic conditions of the continent were unaltered.
- C. North African political regimes were toppled by French forces.
- D. internal conflict among native African groups was intensified.
- E. most Africans became wealthier.
- 100. Slavery for Africans
- A. originated with the massive trans-Atlantic slave trade
- B. originated with the introduction of Islam to the continent
- C. was the consequence of European colonialism
- D. had always been part of the continent's societies and cultures
- E. resulted from the Asia-Africa trade

- 101. Dutch colonial efforts were
- A. incredibly unsuccessful, as their huge expenditures did not produce a single profitable colony.
- B. ended by superior Portuguese power in North America before 1700.
- C. weakened by their principled refusal to take part in the slave trade.
- D. highly successful in Southeast Asia, and particularly on the island of Java.
- E. most economically profitable in New Amsterdam.
- 102. The European power that emerged triumphant in the Indonesian archipelago, and took over virtually the entire region by the end of the eighteenth century, was
- A. Spain.
- B. France.
- C. the Netherlands.
- D. Britain.
- E. Portugal.
- 103. Southeast Asia, by the 1700s,
- A. was rigidly controlled by Europeans, with the French in control of Vietnam and the Portuguese elsewhere.
- B. had seen Islamic influence driven from the region by the joint French-Dutch "light" campaign.
- C. saw Islamic influence spread from the Malay Peninsula to the northern coasts of Sumatra and Java.
- D. had come under the political control of China.
- E. was militarily dominated by India's Mughal rulers.
- 104. The VOC
- A. was the sacred ruler of the Khmer.
- B. had ten times more capital than the British West India Company.
- C. was a secret police agency in Burma.
- D. was the "divine light" Javanese monarchs were believed to possess.
- E. the Malayan ruling class.
- 105. Which of the following products attracted the greatest European interest in Southeast Asia in the period between 1500 and 1800?
- A. opium
- B. slaves
- C. pepper and other spices
- D. rayon
- E. ayuthaya

- 106. New religions coming into Southeast Asia
- A. included Islam, Shinto and Zoroastrianism.
- B. often were altered by new converts, who blended traditional beliefs with the new doctrines.
- C. were only temporarily considered, and then rejected, by the region's peoples.
- D. a, b, and c
- E. none of the above
- 107. Ties between religion and kingship in Southeast Asia
- A. included Buddhist kings, Javanese kings, Vietnamese emperors, and Islamic sultans.
- B. were, in fact, mainly an inaccurate perception held by uncomprehending European observers.
- C. were especially close in Christian areas, where kings were seen as spiritually superior beings.
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- 108. Foreign trade in Southeast Asia was
- A. mainly involved in the export of raw materials.
- B. exclusively controlled by private interests.
- C. entirely monopolized by some rulers.
- D. controlled by Europeans after 1498.
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- 109. Life in Southeast Asia was
- A. centered around large cities for most of the population.
- B. lived by most people in houses made of stone.
- C. more male-controlled than in China.
- D. more favorable for women than elsewhere in Asia.
- E. based upon hunter-gatherer societies.
- 110. Which of the following is <u>not</u> correct about the economy of Southeast Asia in the sixteenth century?
- A. Regional and interregional trade had begun to expand even before the arrival of the Europeans.
- B. Although agriculture was the economic basis of society, commerce was beginning to affect daily life.
- C. The region exported nothing but agricultural produce.
- D. Agriculture was becoming commercialized.
- E. The royal courts were the main producers and major consumers of luxury goods.
- 111. Because of the harsh environment, Islam had little impact in West Africa.

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112. The official primary motives of European expansion were "God, glory, and gold." True False
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114. Magellan and his expedition of five ships returned to Spain after circumnavigating the globe. True False
115. In the race for overseas empires, the Spanish started later than the Portuguese and were ultimately less successful. True False
116. The conquistadors of Spain were financed and outfitted by the Spanish crown. True False
117. After four voyages to the New World, Columbus finally realized he had discovered a 'New World.' True False
118. Already at the beginning of the 16 th century, Spanish rulers allowed the intermarriage between Spaniards and the native population in the Americas. True False
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- C. Vasco da Gama and Afonso de Albuquerque.
- D. Henry da Bruscia and Eduardo da Estabano.
- E. Juan Montillo and Jorge Sikada Maio.
- 81. Where did the primary threat to Portuguese control of Southeast Asia come from?
- A. adverse climatic conditions
- B. disease
- C. the Portuguese
- **D.** the English and the Dutch
- E. established native kingdoms
- 82. Christopher Columbus
- A. was an escaped criminal from Munich when he sailed to the Americas.
- B. was of Genoese origin, although he gained fame in the service of the Portuguese king.
- C. was the brother of Hessin Cortes.
- D. converted to Islam on his forty-third birthday.
- **E.** believed that Asia was larger, and closer to Europe by water, than people then thought.
- 83. Which of the following is not true concerning European forays into the New World?
- A. Christopher Columbus never sailed into Chesapeake Bay.
- B. John Cabot explored the coast of New England on a voyage sponsored by Henry VII.
- C. Christopher Columbus explored along the coast of the Yucatan Peninsula.
- D. Pedro Cabral discovered South America by accident.
- E. Vespucci's many published letters describing the geography of the New World caused people to call the area America.
- 84. The Treaty of Tordesillas
- A. divided the "new" areas discovered by Europeans between the English and the French.
- **B.** divided the "new" areas discovered by Europeans between Spain and Portugal.
- C. gave the English the eastern route around the Cape of Good Hope.
- D. gave the French the eastern route around the Cape of Good Hope.
- E. ended the Hundred Years War.

85. Which of the following accurately pairs Spanish conquistadors with the New World empires they destroyed?
A. Pizarro and the Aztecs; de Soto and the Incas.
B. Magellan and the Incas; Albuquerque and the Iroquois.
C. Cortés and the Aztecs; Pizarro and the Incas.
D. de Soto and the Aztecs; Cortés and the Incas.
E. de Soto and the Incas; Cortés and the Aztecs.

- 86. Which South American country today has Portuguese as its national language, reflecting its colonial history?
- A. Argentina
- B. Panama
- C. Chile
- **D.** Brazil
- E. Venezuela
- 87. Under the encomienda system, New World natives were
- A. forced to accept Islam.
- B. permitted to retain control over their local lands.
- C. subjected to exploitation and harsh treatment by the Dutch.
- **<u>D.</u>** supposed to be protected by the Spanish.
- E. taken to Spain to be used as laborers.
- 88. As a result of the publications of Bartolomé de Las Casas
- A. Amerindian rights were recognized and respected.
- B. the *encomienda* system was established.
- C. Amerindians became more maltreated than before.
- **<u>D.</u>** the Spanish government was more attentive to the needs of the native populations.
- E. a new route to the Indies was discovered.
- 89. What were American-born descendants of Europeans called?
- A. Creoles
- B. Mestizos
- C. Mulattos
- D. Moranos
- E. according to their European nationality

- 90. Portuguese control of the spice trade was ended by
- A. Muslim attacks from Delhi.
- B. the circumnavigating voyage of Balboa.
- C. the establishment of the British and Dutch East India Companies.
- D. rival Hindu merchants from the Ganges plain.
- E. a new outbreak of the Black Death.
- 91. All of the following were part of the Columbian Exchange except
- A. cows and horses were introduced into the Western hemisphere.
- B. potatoes and corn were introduced into Europe from the Americas.
- <u>C.</u> potatoes and corn were introduced into the Americas from Europe.
- D. smallpox arrived in the Americas from Europe.
- E. gunpowder and guns were introduced into the Americas from Europe.
- 92. The Dutch and Portuguese
- A. worked together in Southeast Asia to counter the strength of the French and the Danes.
- B. tried to induce the inhabitants of areas under their control to accept Islam, and thus make them easier to control.
- C. played no part in European trade with Africa.
- D. jointly administered Brazil until after 1750.
- **E.** were bitter trade rivals in Southeast Asia until the Dutch won out.
- 93. Which of the following accurately describes European colonial development in the New World?
- A. The Dutch took New York from the English and changed its name to New Netherlands, and later the English lost some of their Canadian holdings to the French.
- B. The English took New Netherlands from the French and changed its name to New York, and later the Dutch lost some of their Canadian holdings to the French.
- <u>C.</u> The English took New Netherlands from the Dutch and changed its name to New York, and later the French lost most of their Canadian holdings to the English.
- D. The French took New York from the Dutch and changed its name to New France, and later the Dutch lost some of their Canadian holdings to the English.
- E. The Bishop of Rome took Brazil from Portugal and returned it to Spain.
- 94. Developments that helped Europeans expand their influence on the oceans included all except
- A. the development of *portolani*.
- B. the acquisition of the Chinese sternpost rudder.
- C. a combination of lateen sails with square rigging and the ability to build ever larger and more mobile ships.
- **<u>D.</u>** the construction of gigantic ships, even larger than those employed by the Ming's Zhenghe.
- E. recent naval experience on the high seas.

- 95. All of the following are true about European contacts with Africa except that
- A. most peoples in the African interior were little influenced by Europeans in the 1500s.
- B. the Portuguese took over the gold trade from Mwene Metapa in East African.
- C. the Dutch established a colony at Capetown to supply its ships headed for the Spice Islands.
- D. the Boers were responsible for keeping other Europeans away from the Cape of Good Hope.
- **E.** England established a colony at Zimbabwe in the late 1600s.
- 96. Which of the following was the most important reason for the massive growth of the African slave trade in the sixteenth century?
- A. the need to supply the mines of Peru with an abundant labor force
- B. the desire to develop the tobacco plantations of the New World
- C. intense labor needs created by the development of sugar growing in the New World
- D. the enormous growth in the African birth rate
- E. the European ability to obtain slaves in many West African areas
- 97. The African slave trade
- A. was fundamentally altered by the French in the late 1400s.
- **B.** involved the forcible movement of possibly more than twelve million African slaves overseas.
- C. involved the deaths of less than one percent of those leaving West African ports before they arrived at a new home in the Americas.
- D. began practices never before seen in Africa.
- E. solved the labor shortage challenge in European agriculture.
- 98. Which of the following most accurately depicts life expectancy in the sixteenth century?
- **<u>A.</u>** Europeans' chances of living longer improved if they did not go to Africa or the West Indies.
- B. A European stood a better chance of living much longer in Africa than in the West Indies.
- C. Africans who survived the voyage from their homeland had a shorter life expectancy in the West Indies than Europeans who went there.
- D. The slave's voyage from Africa to the New World was unrelated to his or her mortality.
- E. Africans rarely survived for one year if exposed to the dampness and cold of Europe.
- 99. As a result of European expansion into Africa,
- A. the Mwene Metapa was entirely eliminated by the Portuguese.
- B. the economic conditions of the continent were unaltered.
- C. North African political regimes were toppled by French forces.
- **D.** internal conflict among native African groups was intensified.
- E. most Africans became wealthier.

- 100. Slavery for Africans
- A. originated with the massive trans-Atlantic slave trade
- B. originated with the introduction of Islam to the continent
- C. was the consequence of European colonialism
- **<u>D.</u>** had always been part of the continent's societies and cultures
- E. resulted from the Asia-Africa trade
- 101. Dutch colonial efforts were
- A. incredibly unsuccessful, as their huge expenditures did not produce a single profitable colony.
- B. ended by superior Portuguese power in North America before 1700.
- C. weakened by their principled refusal to take part in the slave trade.
- **D.** highly successful in Southeast Asia, and particularly on the island of Java.
- E. most economically profitable in New Amsterdam.
- 102. The European power that emerged triumphant in the Indonesian archipelago, and took over virtually the entire region by the end of the eighteenth century, was
- A. Spain.
- B. France.
- **C.** the Netherlands.
- D. Britain.
- E. Portugal.
- 103. Southeast Asia, by the 1700s,
- A. was rigidly controlled by Europeans, with the French in control of Vietnam and the Portuguese elsewhere.
- B. had seen Islamic influence driven from the region by the joint French-Dutch "light" campaign.
- C. saw Islamic influence spread from the Malay Peninsula to the northern coasts of Sumatra and Java.
- D. had come under the political control of China.
- E. was militarily dominated by India's Mughal rulers.

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- A. was the sacred ruler of the Khmer.
- **B.** had ten times more capital than the British West India Company.
- C. was a secret police agency in Burma.
- D. was the "divine light" Javanese monarchs were believed to possess.
- E. the Malayan ruling class.

105. Which of the following products attracted the greatest European interest in Southeast Asia in the period
between 1500 and 1800?
A. opium
B. slaves
<u>C.</u> pepper and other spices
D. rayon

- 106. New religions coming into Southeast Asia
- A. included Islam, Shinto and Zoroastrianism.
- **B.** often were altered by new converts, who blended traditional beliefs with the new doctrines.
- C. were only temporarily considered, and then rejected, by the region's peoples.
- D. a, b, and c

E. ayuthaya

- E. none of the above
- 107. Ties between religion and kingship in Southeast Asia
- **<u>A.</u>** included Buddhist kings, Javanese kings, Vietnamese emperors, and Islamic sultans.
- B. were, in fact, mainly an inaccurate perception held by uncomprehending European observers.
- C. were especially close in Christian areas, where kings were seen as spiritually superior beings.
- D. were especially close in Muslim areas, where kings were seen as spiritually superior beings.
- E. did not exist because of constitutional separations between religion and government.
- 108. Foreign trade in Southeast Asia was
- **A.** mainly involved in the export of raw materials.
- B. exclusively controlled by private interests.
- C. entirely monopolized by some rulers.
- D. controlled by Europeans after 1498.
- E. mainly involved in the export of manufactured products.
- 109. Life in Southeast Asia was
- A. centered around large cities for most of the population.
- B. lived by most people in houses made of stone.
- C. more male-controlled than in China.
- **D.** more favorable for women than elsewhere in Asia.
- E. based upon hunter-gatherer societies.

- 110. Which of the following is <u>not</u> correct about the economy of Southeast Asia in the sixteenth century?
 A. Regional and interregional trade had begun to expand even before the arrival of the Europeans.
 B. Although agriculture was the economic basis of society, commerce was beginning to affect daily life.
 C. The region exported nothing but agricultural produce.
 D. Agriculture was becoming commercialized.
 E. The royal courts were the main producers and major consumers of luxury goods.
 - 111. Because of the harsh environment, Islam had little impact in West Africa.

FALSE

112. The official primary motives of European expansion were "God, glory, and gold." **TRUE**

113. The first European nation to gain control of Southeast Asia's spice trade was the Netherlands. **FALSE**

114. Magellan and his expedition of five ships returned to Spain after circumnavigating the globe.

FALSE

115. In the race for overseas empires, the Spanish started later than the Portuguese and were ultimately less successful.

FALSE

116. The conquistadors of Spain were financed and outfitted by the Spanish crown.

FALSE

117. After four voyages to the New World, Columbus finally realized he had discovered a 'New World.' **FALSE**

118. Already at the beginning of the 16th century, Spanish rulers allowed the intermarriage between Spaniards and the native population in the Americas.

TRUE

119. The mortality rate among American Indians due to diseases introduced by Europeans is estimated to have been of the same magnitude as that among Europeans after the introduction of the Black Death.

TRUE

120. What lead to the introduction of African slaves to Central and South America was the decimation of the native Indian population.

TRUE