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2008 Area F  
Ancient Geography and Monuments

Pick the Continent for the following cities.

- A. Europe
- B. Asia
- C. Africa

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| 1. Capua            | 6. Aquae Sulis |
| 2. Aspalathos       | 7. Tingi       |
| 3. Oea              | 8. Paestum     |
| 4. Ilium            | 9. Vindobona   |
| 5. Hermopolis Magna | 10. Serdica    |

11. Which of the following fora does not exist in ancient Rome?
- a. Petronii Maximi
  - b. Holitorium
  - c. Cuppedinis
  - d. Capitum
12. How many times did the Roman Pantheon burn down?
- a. 1
  - b. 2
  - c. 3
  - d. 4
13. What sculptor was in charge of the statues and reliefs on the Parthenon?
- a. Theseus
  - b. Phidias
  - c. Pericles
  - d. Xerxes
14. Which of the following does not occur between a capital and cornice on a standard Corinthian column?
- a. plintii
  - b. ovolo
  - c. modillions
  - d. astragal
15. Where did the Ionic column originate?
- a. Italy
  - b. Greece
  - c. Asia Minor
  - d. Crete
16. What was the traditional meeting place in Rome for the *Comitia Curiata*?
- a. macellum
  - b. Crypta Balbi
  - c. comitium
  - d. *Horti Agrippae*
17. Which wonder of the ancient world was disassembled by crusaders and used to build a castle?
- a. Mausoleum of Halicarnassus
  - b. Temple of Artemis at Ephesus
  - c. Lighthouse of Alexandria
  - d. Colossus of Rhodes

18. The famous Nile Mosaic of Palestrina is found in what ancient Roman province?
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| a. Etruria        | b. Apulia |
| c. Cisalpine Gaul | d. Latium |
19. In what temple was the Severan Marble Plan of Rome displayed?
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| a. <i>Tensarum</i>   | b. <i>Pacis</i>    |
| c. <i>Mars Ultor</i> | d. <i>Bona Dea</i> |
20. Which of the following was the northernmost wall built by Romans?
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| a. Hadrian's | b. Antonine   |
| c. Nerva's   | d. Domitian's |

**Match the following ancient body of water names with their modern equivalent. N.B., any name goes with any question.**

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| a. Black Sea        | a. English Channel |
| b. Straits of Dover | b. Sea of Marmara  |
| c. North Sea        | c. Caspian Sea     |
| d. Irish Sea        | d. Red Sea         |
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| 21. Propontis          | 25. Pontus Euxinus      |
| 22. Oceanus Germanicus | 26. Oceanus Britannicus |
| 23. Mare Caspium       | 27. Fretum Gallicum     |
| 24. Oceanus Hibernicus | 28. Mrae Erythraeum     |

29. According to tradition, where did Alexander the Great die?
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| a. Heliopolis | b. Athens |
| c. Babylon    | d. Issus  |
30. Which river is often referred to as "seven-mouthed?"
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| a. Nile  | b. Rhine |
| c. Rhone | d. Tiber |
31. In what country was Alexander the Great born?
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| a. Thrace | b. Attica    |
| c. Crete  | d. Macedonia |
32. Which of the following islands is not part of the Cyclades?
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| a. Naxos | b. Thevistos |
| b. Delos | d. Sifnos    |
33. Near what town's Etruscan burial grounds is found the *Tomba della Fustigazione*?
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| a. Tarquinia | b. Cerveteri |
| b. Trasimene | d. Capua     |

34. What Italian town was originally named as a site for a "bad wind?"
- a. Arretium
  - b. Cosa
  - c. Venusia
  - d. Benevento
35. Diocletian built his retirement palace in what Croatian city?
- a. Catana
  - b. Cirta
  - c. Bilbilis
  - d. Spalatum
36. Which ancient Roman gate is now called the *Porta Maggiore*?
- a. Capena
  - b. Pinciana
  - c. Praenestina
  - d. Salaria
37. What type of column is on the highest level of the Flavian Amphitheater?
- a. pilaster
  - b. Doric
  - c. Ionic
  - d. Corinthian
38. In 55 B.C., Julius Caesar had his troops build a bridge across which river?
- a. Rhone
  - b. Danube
  - c. Rhine
  - d. Tiber
39. What is the name of the border in a Roman town where the *auspicia urbana* ended?
- a. pomerium
  - b. murus
  - c. piscina
  - d. consus
40. Which ancient Roman temple had its bronze beams removed (in the seventeenth century) from the roof of its pronos in order to decorate another building?
- a. Mars Ultor
  - b. Pantheon
  - c. Ara Pacis
  - d. Valerii
41. What is the name of the 35m high, pear-shaped mound of potsherds found inside Rome?
- a. Terra Mater
  - b. Faunus
  - c. Mons Testaceus
  - d. Iuno Iuga
42. What Greek town's isthmus connects the Peloponese with mainland Greece?
- a. Corinth
  - b. Rhodes
  - c. Sparta
  - d. Delphi
43. Which of the following towns did not have an oracle to Zeus?
- a. Dodona
  - b. Ammon
  - c. Olympia
  - d. Athens
44. Which Greek island was formed by a massive volcanic eruption occurring sometime around 1650-1600 B.C.?
- a. Naxos
  - b. Santorini
  - c. Crete
  - d. Mytilene

