

CHAPTER 10 TEST

1. In 1934, Austrian Nazis assassinated Chancellor Dolfuss because...
 - a) He didn't allow Austria to participate in the Berlin Olympics
 - b) He tried to start a war with Hungary
 - c) He made a treaty with Mussolini
 - d) He outlawed the Nazi party

2. Dictator Mussolini of Italy, signed the 'Rome-Berlin-Axis,' where he aligned with which country?
 - a) Russia
 - b) Britain
 - c) Germany
 - d) All of the above

3. What were Hitler's demands of the new Austrian leader?
 - a) They free the Nazi conspirators.
 - b) They accept top Nazis into the Austrian government.
 - c) Relinquish control of the military and the government to the Nazis.
 - d) All of the above

4. Anti-Semitic laws were instituted in Austria...
 - a) Immediately
 - b) After 3 months
 - c) After one year
 - d) Never

5. Which of these laws was instituted?
 - a) Jews were forbidden to own radios
 - b) Jewish students were expelled from public schools
 - c) Jews were forbidden to enter parks and theaters
 - d) All of the above

- 6.** What is the “Anschluss”?
- When the Austrians were locked into their country.
 - When the Austrians broke off diplomatic ties with Germany.
 - When the Germans annexed Austria.
 - When the Austrians annexed Germany.
- 7.** Once Austria was in German control, the Germans immediately began the implementation of the program called “Aryanization”. What is “Aryanization”?
- The process of identifying those with “pure Aryan blood”.
 - The process of expelling all non-Aryans from the country.
 - The process of forcing all Jewish-owned property to be transferred to German ownership.
 - Identifying the Jews
- 8.** Which word best describes the quality of life for the Austrian Jews following the ‘Anschluss’?
- Pleasant
 - Unbearable
 - Fortunate
 - None of the above
- 9.** What was Adolf Eichmann’s job?
- Ensuring that Jewish people got a secular education
 - Expelling Jews from Austria, and taking their money
 - Ensuring that Jewish people were supplied with weapons
 - Expelling Jews from Palestine
- 10.** In which country was the Evian Conference held?
- France
 - Germany
 - United States of America
 - Austria
- 11.** At the Evian Conference 32 countries met to discuss the plight of the German Jews. How many of these countries made significant changes in their laws to accommodate the Jews?
- All of them
 - None of them
 - Just America did
 - Just Kenya did

- 12.** After Kristallnacht, the British allowed 10,000 children to escape to Britain in what became known as the...
- a) Underground Railroad
 - b) Operation Kinder
 - c) Kinder Transport
 - d) Tea Party
- 13.** What was the outcome of the Evian Conference?
- a) Germany was hesitant to commit anti-Semitic acts, out of fear of retaliation from the world.
 - b) Germany realized that no country was willing to do anything to help the Jews.
 - c) The world leaders, led by President Roosevelt, offered Germany assistance with its mission.
 - d) The world leaders tried to learn to become Aryan.
- 14.** What were the names of the boats that were full of Jewish refugees from Europe, trying to enter the United States?
- a) Nina, Pinta & Santa Maria
 - b) Titanic & Mayflower
 - c) Florida & Tall Ship
 - d) St. Louis & Quanza
- 15.** Did the USA allow any Jewish refugees (mentioned in Question #14) to stay in America?
- a) Yes, all of them were allowed entry
 - b) No, none were allowed entry
 - c) Yes, but only some were allowed entry
 - d) No, but the US convinced Canada to allow them to enter
- 16.** Which American defied orders, and made it possible for refugees coming on a Portuguese ship to enter the US?
- a) President Franklin D. Roosevelt
 - b) First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt
 - c) US Secretary of State Cordell Hull
 - d) Adolf Eichmann

- 17.** In 1938, what requirement did Poland demand, regarding entry to its country?
- a) Only people who hold passports with a stamp indicating return to Poland for 5 consecutive years, would be allowed to enter.
 - b) Only people who own land in Poland would be allowed to enter.
 - c) No Jews were allowed to enter.
 - d) No Nazis were allowed to enter.
- 18.** Because of the decree mentioned in Question #17, approximately 8,000 Jews were not allowed to enter Poland, after the Germans expelled them. In which town on the Polish-German border were they stranded in?
- a) Zbaszyn
 - b) Warsaw
 - c) Krakow
 - d) Litzhensk
- 19.** How can the conditions of the Jews stranded in _____ (Question #18) be described?
- a) Wonderful, because the local citizens of this town invited them into their homes, and made parties in their honor.
 - b) Pleasant, because the Nazis made sure that they had enough food, and good sleeping accommodations.
 - c) Bearable, because the Jews had enough time to prepare for this journey, and they brought along food and money for lodging.
 - d) Terrible, because they did not have time to prepare anything, including food or clothing, and they were starving.
- 20.** Who came to the aid of these stranded Jews?
- a) Adolf Eichmann and some volunteer Nazis
 - b) The Polish Army
 - c) Emmanuel Ringblum and volunteers from Warsaw
 - d) Nobody came to their aid
- 21.** When _____ found out about how his family was being treated, he went to the German Embassy in Paris, and shot _____.
- a) Adolf Eichmann, Ernst vom Rohm
 - b) Herschel Grynszpan, Ernst vom Roth
 - c) Chaim Weizman, Adolf Hitler
 - d) Baron Rothschild, Joseph Goebbels

- 22.** In response to the German official being shot, the Nazis _____.
- a) Celebrated, because they wanted to kill that German office anyways.
 - b) Apologized to the Jews, after seeing how their terrible actions were affecting them and their families.
 - c) Launched a Pogrom.
 - d) Did not do anything in response.
- 23.** What was the German excuse for Kristallnacht?
- a) The Jews were selling too much glass to foreign countries.
 - b) The Jews had killed a German officer.
 - c) The Jews had not participated in the Olympics.
 - d) The Jews had always been making noise at night.
- 24.** The night of November 9, 1938 was named Kristallnacht because...
- a) The pogrom was started in the city of Kristall in the middle of the *nacht*.
 - b) The pogrom broke the glass of shuls and Jewish businesses.
 - c) The pogrom was started in the memory of a German officer named Kristall Vom Nacht.
 - d) The name was another attempt by the German propaganda machine painting the act of the pogrom as a legitimate and necessary act in the war against terror in the mid-east and abroad.
- 25.** In which country/countries did the events of Kristallnacht take place?
- a) Germany & Austria
 - b) Germany & Poland
 - c) Austria & Hungary
 - d) Palestine & Russia
- 26.** Which of the following events did NOT happen on Kristallnacht?
- a) Shuls were vandalized and set on fire.
 - b) Jewish homes and businesses were invaded, and their valuables were stolen.
 - c) SS soldiers and German Gestapo attacked and arrested 30,000 Jews.
 - d) Laws were passed, expelling Jews from German schools.
- 27.** In reality, who orchestrated the 'random' Pogroms of Kristallnacht?
- a) The citizens
 - b) The Nazi government
 - c) The German Jews
 - d) The Zionists

28. In order to “atone” for the damages of Kristallnacht, the Germans

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- a) Deployed Jews to labor camps to work off their debt
 - b) Publicly asked for Jews to forgive them for their actions
 - c) Forced Jews to pay an Atonement Tax
 - d) Compensated the Jews for whatever losses they incurred on Kristallnacht

29. How did the world’s governments respond to the events of Kristallnacht?

- a) Most countries supported the events of Kristallnacht.
- b) Most countries condemned the events of Kristallnacht, and took strong actions to improve the situation for the Jews.
- c) Most countries strongly condemned the events of Kristallnacht, but were not willing to do anything to help the Jews.
- d) The world was unaware of the events of Kristallnacht, because of the German government’s censorship of the News.

30. Why was it difficult for German Jews to leave Germany, and move to other countries?

- a) Flight Tax
- b) It was very difficult to get a Visa into any country, including the US
- c) Britain did not allow Jews to enter Palestine
- d) All of the above

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