

12. The Voter
- Chinua Achebe

1. _____ was supposed to be very popular in his village in 'The Voter'.

- a) Marcus Ibe b) Rufus Okeke
- c) Maduka d) Ogbuefi Ezenwa

2. Everyone knew Roof had spent _____ years as a bicycle repairer's apprentice.

- a) two b) three
- c) four d) five

3. Roof worked as a bicycle apprentice in _____.

- a) Umuofia b) Mbanta
- c) Port Harcourt d) Umuru

4. Umuofia village belonged to its most illustrious son _____.

- a) Marcus Ibe b) Rufus Okeke
- c) Maduka d) Ogbuefi Ezenwa

5. Umuofia's most illustrious son Marcus Ibe was _____ in the outgoing government.

- a) Minister of Law b) Minister of Transport
- c) Minister of Public Works d) Minister of Culture

6. Roof was in _____ service for the coming election.

- a) Maduka's b) Chinua Achebe's
- c) Marcus Ibe's d) Ogbuefi Ezenwa's

7. Opposition to Marcus Ibe was like proverbial fly trying to move _____.

- a) an ant hill b) a dung hill
- c) a mole hill d) a spider hill

8. Marcus Ibe worked as _____ before he joined politics.

- a) a carpenter b) a cycle repairer's apprentice
- c) a school teacher d) a shopkeeper

9. Marcus Ibe belonged to _____

- a) People's Alliance Party b) Progressive Organization Party
- c) People's Organization Party d) Progressive Alliance Party

10. Umoufia Mansions was opened by _____.

- a) the Mayor b) the Minister of Culture
- c) the Archbishop d) a Bishop

11. _____ was considered the man of high traditional title in Umuofia.

- a) The Minister of Culture b) Ogbuefi Ezenwa
- c) The Archbishop d) Roof

12. PAP promised _____ if they were voted to power.

- a) five shillings each b) pipe-borne water
- c) job opportunities d) agricultural loan

13. Marcus Ibe drawn _____ months' salary in advance for the election.

- a) five b) three
- c) two d) eight

14. Roof offered _____ shillings initially to the elders for their votes.

- a) five b) three
- c) two d) eight

15. Ogbuefi Ezenwa was _____.

- a) was an opponent to Marcus Ibe
- b) was one of the elders in the village
- c) was Roof's assistant
- d) was Maduka's assistant

16. Roof finally accepted to offer _____ shillings for votes in favour of Marcus Ibe.

- a) eight
- b) three
- c) two
- d) four

17. Marcus Ibe's opponent in the forthcoming elections was ____.

- a) Marcus Ibe
- b) Rufus Okeke
- c) Maduka
- d) Ogbuefi Ezenwa

18. Roof was offered _____ by POP for his vote.

- a) eight shillings
- b) five pounds
- c) two pounds
- d) four shillings

19. The symbol of POP for the elections was _____

- a) farmer harvesting his crops
- b) a loud speaker
- c) a man's head
- d) a radio

20. Marcus Ibe's symbol in the elections was _____.

- a) motor car
- b) a loud speaker
- c) a man's head
- d) a radio

21. The villagers claim that they had climbed the _____ tree.

- a) Umuru
- b) iroko
- c) ozo
- d) banyan

22. The Iyi comes from _____.

- a) Umuru
- b) Umofia
- c) Mbanta
- d) Port Harcourt

23. Marcus Ibe had hired a highlife band from _____.

- a) Umuofia
- b) Mbanta
- c) Port Harcourt
- d) Umuru

24. Roof was mesmerized by _____.

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| a) the POP campaign leader | b) the picture of the cocoa farmer |
| c) the dance of the villagers | d) the red notes on the floor |

ANSWERS:

1. b) Rufus Okeke
2. a) two
3. c) Port Harcourt
4. a) Marcus Ibe
5. d) Minister of Culture
6. c) Marcus Ibe's
7. b) dung hill
8. c) a school teacher
9. a) People's Alliance Party
10. c) the Archbishop
11. b) Ogbuefi Ezenwa
12. b) pipe-borne water
13. a) five
14. c) two
15. b) was one of the elders in the village
16. d) four
17. c) Maduka
18. b) five pounds
19. c) a man's head
20. a) motor car
21. b) iroko
22. c) Mbanta
23. d) Umuru
24. b) the picture of the cocoa farmer