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DERIVATIVES II

- I. Choose the word or phrase which best completes the sentence or means the same as the underlined word.
- Another word by derivation for total destruction would be
a. annihilation. b. devastation. c. decimation.
d. amelioration.
 - Which of the following would be unlikely to be a successful James Bond?
a. parvenu b. visionary c. clairvoyant
d. somniloquist
 - Trees which lose their leaves annually are called
a. defoliants. b. deciduous. c. defunct.
d. degenerate.
 - Victuals provide sustenance, thereby making clear the word's derivation from
a. vivo. b. virco. c. vicus. d. valeo.
 - Exequies can be found as part of
a. a banquet. b. a bedroom. c. a cavalry squadron.
d. a funeral.
 - The director made some prelusory remarks
a. during the wrap-up interview.
b. which were difficult to understand.
c. before the performance.
d. about the "Sound and Light" show.
 - A person addicted to long words could be called a(n)
a. novena. b. magnifico. c. sescuipedalian.
d. pococurante.
 - The drink turned out to be innocuous.
a. poisonous b. bitter c. healthy d. harmless
 - A credulous person
a. tends to be skeptical. b. is believable.
c. engenders trust. d. believes everything.
 - Which of the following could be described as pellucid?
a. buildings b. danger c. air d. animals

II. Choose the Latin word from which we derive the given English word.

11. navigate
a. gero b. vinco c. nascor d. ago
12. peer
a. pello b. par c. peto d. pater
13. investiture
a. aestas b. invenio c. vestis d. existimo
14. cauliflower
a. fluo b. causa c. flos d. caelum
15. alien
a. alter b. alius c. altus d. albus
16. moral
a. oro b. mora c. ordo d. mos
17. desolation
a. desisto b. sol c. desum d. solus
18. tentative
a. tempto b. timeo c. teneo d. terreo
19. oriole
a. orior b. rego c. aurum d. lego
20. lotion
a. lavo b. otium c. lapis d. ostendo

III. Choose the meaning of the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.

21. insatiable
a. sacred b. enough c. safety d. knowledge
22. corner
a. side b. horn c. angle d. body
23. obese
a. drink b. good c. twice d. eat
24. train
a. go b. three c. hold d. drag
25. hospital
a. enemy b. seek c. guest d. hope

26. persecution
a. follow b. testify c. run d. attack
27. cheat
a. kill b. yield c. fall d. compel
28. alacrity
a. increase b. spirited c. wide d. high
29. danger
a. house b. war c. gift d. defend
30. master
a. more b. power c. hand d. better

IV. Choose the English word which is derived from the given Latin word.

31. studeo
a. obstruct b. stupendous c. stubble d. etude
32. lego
a. superlative b. light c. legal d. lesson
33. mensis
a. mention b. semester c. measure d. demented
34. nascor
a. assent b. nasal c. native d. ascend
35. locus
a. circumlocution b. lieutenant c. locust d. lucre
36. capio
a. recuperate b. achieve c. casket d. excuse
37. scio
a. scrivener b. scruple c. nice d. rescind
38. mors
a. mortgage b. demur c. morose d. immure
39. talis
a. tally b. retaliate c. talon d. retail
40. audio
a. audacious b. adept c. oracle d. obey

V. Choose the one which does NOT belong by derivation.

41. a. sire b. consent c. senile d. senorita

42. a. squadron b. quarterly c. foursquare d. quarrel
43. a. relative b. collate c. elate d. lateral
44. a. madame b. madonna c. remedy d. monsieur
45. a. routine b. rupture c. ruin d. route
46. a. sequel b. dessert c. ensue d. suitcase
47. a. acquit b. conquest c. quiet d. acquiesce
48. a. separate b. repartee c. parcel d. jeopardize
49. a. rancor b. ravish c. surreptitious d. usurp
50. a. disreputable b. account c. amputate d. putrid