

- I. Quot terga habes? UNUM  
 Quot corda habes? UNUM  
 Quot crura habes? DUO
- II. Using sisto, give to one person the order to stop. SISTE  
 Using eo, give one person the order to go. I  
 Using sequor, give one person the order to follow. SEQUERE
- III. In what city did Spartacus' slave rebellion begin? CAPUA  
 Who finally defeated Spartacus? CRASSUS  
 In what region of Italy did Crassus finally rout the slave army?  
 APULIA
- IV. Who was the mortal half-brother of Hercules? IPHICLES  
 Who was their mother? ALCMENE  
 Who was her husband? AMPHITRYON
- V. What was the occupation of a fullo? A DRY-CLEANER  
 Of a fur? A THIEF  
 Of a chirurgus? SURGEON
- VI. In the sentence "We stayed for two days," what case would  
 two days require? ACCUSATIVE  
 What would the Latin phrase for two days be? DIES DUO (or DUOS or DUAS)  
 If the sentence were: We left on the third day, what would  
 one the third day be? DIE TERTIO (or TERTIA)
- VII. What are the only cases in which you find a supine?  
 ACCUSATIVE AND ABLATIVE  
 What declension do supines belong to? FOURTH  
 What is the Latin phrase meaning hard to do? DIFFICILE FACTU
- VIII. In the Aeneid, who says, "Italiam non sponte sequor?" AENEAS  
 To whom? DIDO  
 What is striking about this and 53 other lines in the poem?  
 THEY ARE INCOMPLETE
- IX. Who was turned into a spider by an angry Athena? ARACHNE  
 Into what was Callisto changed? A BEAR  
 Who was her son? ARCAS
- X. Who escorted souls of the dead to Hades? HERMES/MERCURY (PSYCHO-  
 Who was the boatman who carried them across the Styx? CHARON POMPU)  
 What was the name of the watchdog of Hades? CERBERUS
- XI. What is the perfect active infinitive of frango? FREGISSE  
 Of tango? TETIGISSE  
 Of iungo? IUNXISSE

- XII. What is the perfect active infinitive of *fero*? TULISSE  
What is the meaning of the unrelated adjective which is identical to the perfect passive participle of *fero*? WIDE  
What does the noun *latus* mean? SIDE
- XIII. What was the year of four emperors? 69 AD  
Name them. GALBA, OTHO, VITELLIUS, VESPASIAN  
Until what year did Vespasian reign? 79 AD
- XIV. How many participles does a regular transitive Latin verb have? FOUR  
How many more could it have but for which Latin has no form? TWO  
Which two participial possibilities do not exist? PRESENT PASSIVE AND PERFECT ACTIVE
- XV. Who was the author of the Ars Poetica? HORACE  
By what other title is it known? EPISTLE TO THE PISOS  
In what meter is it written? DACTYLIC HEXAMETER
- XVI. Who was the father of the Muses? ZEUS  
Who was their mother? MNEMOSYNE  
How many were there? NINE
- XVII. Who was elected sole consul in 52 BC? POMPEY  
Whose death in 54 BC had weakened the first Triumvirate? JULIA'S  
Where did Crassus die? CARRHAE, 53 BC
- XVIII. What is Ovid's longest work? THE METAMORPHOSES  
How many books? FIFTEEN  
What meter is it in? DACTYLIC HEXAMETER
- XIX. Where was Vergil's birthplace? MANTUA  
What year was he born? 70 BC  
The exact date? OCTOBER 15
- XX. What color is *albus*? WHITE  
What is the opposite? NIGER (not *niger*, the opposite of *candidus*)  
What color is *rossus*? RED

- I. What is the positive adverb of acer? ACRITER  
The superlative adverb? ACERRIME  
The positive adverb of atrox? ATROCITER
- II. How many Graces were there? THREE  
What did the Greeks call them? THE CHARITES  
Who was their mother? EURYNOME
- III. Whom does Vergil call Elissa? DIDO  
What land does he call Trinacria? SICILY  
What island does he call Ortygia? DELOS (or a small island near Syra)
- IV. Who was the commander of the Pompeian forces at the battle of Thapsus? QUINTUS METELLUS SCIPIO  
What former lieutenant of Caesar's fought on the side of the Pompeian forces? LABIENUS  
Who committed suicide after Caesar's victory? CATO THE UTICAN
- V. What was the Roman Empire's second dynasty? THE FLAVIANS  
How many Flavian emperors were there? THREE  
How were they interrelated? A FATHER AND TWO SONS
- VI. How many books are there in the Commentarii de Bello Gallico? EIGHT  
How many are Caesar's work? SEVEN  
Who wrote the eighth? AULUS HIRTIUS
- VII. What is the genitive singular of lac? LACTIS  
Of mel? MELLIS  
Of caro? CARNIS
- VIII. Who was the evil king who tried to seduce Danae? POLYDECTES  
Who was his kindly brother? DICTYS  
Where was Polydectes, and later Dictys, king? SERIPHOS
- IX. Who was Cicero's dear friend, many of Cicero's letters to whom survive? TITUS POMPONII ATTICUS  
How did he acquire the agnomen Atticus? HE STUDIED IN ATHENS  
How were his family and Cicero's joined by marriage? ATTICUS' SISTER MARRIED QUINTUS TULLIUS CICERO, BROTHER OF THE ORATOR
- X. What battle ended the Second Macedonian War? CYNOSCEPHALAE  
Who was the Roman commander? TITUS QUINCTIUS FLAMINIUS  
What was the year of the battle? 197 BC
- XI. What is the enclitic which indicates an interrogative sentence? -NE  
What introduces a question expecting the answer yes? NONNE  
The answer no? NUM
- XII. What is the perfect active infinitive of lego? LEGISSE  
Of rego? REXISSE  
Of tego? TEXISSE

- XIII. What is the present active infinitive of fero? FERRE  
Of ferio? FERIRE  
Of farcio? FARCIRE
- XIV. Who is the Roman goddess of the dawn? AURORA  
Who was she in Greek? EOS  
Who was the goddess of the rainbow? IRIS
- XV. What historian wrote an account of the Catilinarian conspiracy?  
What was his full name? GAIUS SALLUSTIUS CRISPUS  
Where was his birthplace? AMITERNUM (IN THE SABINE TERRITORY)
- XVI. What deity's lover was the mortal Anchises? VENUS'  
Who was their son? AENEAS  
What was Anchises' punishment for being indiscreet about having  
made love with a goddess? ZEUS LAMED HIM WITH A THUNDERBOLT
- XVII. What modern nation is roughly coextensive with the Roman  
province of Dalmatia? YUGOSLAVIA  
With the province of Dacia? ROMANIA  
With the province of Lusitania? PORTUGAL
- XVIII. What is the ablative gerund of do? DANDO  
The genitive gerund of eo? EUNDI  
The accusative gerund of dormio? DORMIENDUM
- XIX. What is the genitive singular of the phrase one horse? EQUI UNIUS  
The dative singular? EQUO UNI  
Double equo uni. EQUIS DUOBUS
- XX. A Latin word for winter, bruma, is a contraction of what?  
BREVISSIMA  
What Latin verb, a contraction, means prefer? MALO, MALLE  
What are the elements contained in malo? MAGIS AND VOLO

- I. What literary device would be in use if the famous quotation were, "Me Tarzan, Jane you?" CHIASMUS  
What device is the repetition of copulative conjunctions? POLYSYNDETON  
What is the repetition of a word at the beginning of several successive clauses? ANAPHORA
- II. Who was adopted by Augustus at the same time as Tiberius? POSTUMUS AGRIPPA  
Whom did Augustus compel Tiberius to adopt? TIBERIUS' NEPHEW GERMANICUS  
How many post-Tiberian emperors were flesh-and-blood relatives of Germanicus? THREE (SON CALIGULA, BROTHER CLAUDIUS, GRANDSON NERO)
- III. What is the nominative plural of Locus? LOCA  
The genitive plural of mare? MARIUM  
The neuter nominative plural of vetus? VETERA
- IV. What is the superlative of similis? SIMILLIMUS  
Of humilis? HUMILLIMUS  
Of nobilis? NOBILISSIMUS
- V. What foreign enemy referred to Rome as "a city for sale?" JUGURTHA  
What Roman commander led a successful campaign against Jugurtha but couldn't force a surrender? QUINTUS CAECILIUS METELLUS  
Who took over the command from Metellus? MARIUS
- VI. From a work by what Roman poet do we get much of our knowledge of Roman holidays? OVID  
What is the work? FASTI  
What was the site of Ovid's exile? TOMIS, IN DACIA
- XII. Who cursed a man with insatiable hunger for cutting down her sacred oaks? DEMETER  
Who was the accursed? ERYSICHTHON  
What did he finally eat before she destroyed him? HIS OWN FLESH
- VIII. Of what type of verb is odi an example? DEFECTIVE  
Using it, say I used to hate. ODERAM  
Using it, say I will hate. ODERO
- IX. Which member of the first triumvirate died first? CRASSUS  
Who was next to die? POMPEY  
Where and when? EGYPT, SEPTEMBER 28, 48 BC
- X. In what war did the disaster of the Caudine Forks occur? THE SECOND SAMNITE WAR  
What was the ordeal of the captured Romans? FORCED TO PASS IN TUNICS ONLY UNDER A YOKE OF SPEARS  
What was the year? 321 BC
- XI. What is the 2nd person plural perfect active indicative of vinco? VICISTIS  
Change vicistis to pluperfect subjunctive. VICISSETIS  
Change vicissetis to passive. VICTI ESSENT

- XII. Who was the seer of the Greeks at Troy? CALCHAS  
Calchas was fated to die when he met a greater seer than himself. Who was it? MOPSUS  
What seer understood the speech of the birds and animals? MELAMPUS  
(TIRESIAS UNDERSTOOD THE SPEECH OF BIRDS ONLY)
- XIII. What Latin word for a small child refers to his inability to speak? INFANS  
What term for themselves used by the Romans referred to their style of dress? THE GENUS TOGATÆ  
What is the Latin word for our trousers? BRACCAE
- XIV. Who was the first king of the Myrmidons? AEACUS  
What was their island home? AEGINA  
Who curse the island with the plague? HERA
- XV. Distinguish in meaning between posui and potui.  
POSUI IS I HAVE PLACED; POTUI IS I HAVE BEEN ABLE  
Change posui to passive subjunctive. POSITUS SIM  
Change potui to the present subjunctive. POSSIM
- XVI. Change to plural the ~~ferm~~ form vis. VULTIS  
Change ferunt to singular. FERT  
Change nolunt to singular. NON VULT
- XVII. Who wrote a biography called Agricola? TACITUS  
What relation was he to Gnaeus Julius Agricola? SON-IN-LAW  
ON what distant land was it a treatise? BRITAIN
- XVIII. What is the punishment in Hades of the Danaids? DRAWING WATER IN SIEVES  
What was their crime? MURDERING THEIR BRIDEGROOMS  
Who alone of them did not? HYPERMNESTRA
- XIX. What was Catullus' name for his beloved? LESBIA  
What was probably her true identity? CLODIA  
To what friend does Catullus dedicate his libellus? CORNELIUS NEPOS
- XX. What was a tonstrina? A BARBER SHOP  
In Latin, who practiced his trade within? A TONSOR  
What did a pistor do for a living? HE WAS A BAKER

- I. Name a netuer nominative plural which does not end in -a.  
QUAE, HAEC, DUO, AMBO  
How must a relative pronoun agree with its antecedent?  
IN GENDER AND NUMBER  
What is it called when a relative pronoun takes its case  
from its antecedent rather than from its function in its own  
clause? CASE BY ATTRACTION
- II. Who begins a work, "Qui fit?" HORACE  
What work? THE SATIRES (SERMONES)  
What word follows "Qui fit?" MAECENAS
- III. Who was the unjustly accused son of Theseus? HIPPOLYTUS  
Who had accused him? PHAEDRA, HIS STEPMOTHER  
Which divinity granted Theseus' wish that Hippolytus die? POSEIDON
- IV. What Latin noun is a general term for these nouns:  
torus, sella, lectus, mensa? SUPELLEX  
What Latin noun contains all of these: mala, uva, fici, pruna?  
FRUGES (or POMA)  
What Latin noun includes all of these; vesperilio, iumentum,  
caper, lepus? ANIMALIA
- V. Who is the author of the Works and Days? HESIOD  
What is the meter? DACTYLIC HEXAMETER  
What is his poem on the birth of the gods? THE THEOGONY
- VI. What Latin word used in scholarly English writing is  
abbreviated sc? SCILICET  
Of what is scilicet a contraction? SCIRE LICET  
What is the abbreviation for videlicet? VIZ
- VII. Who wrote an epic poem on the Roman civil war? LUCAN  
Although it is usually called the Pharsalia, what is its  
more proper title? THE BELLUM CIVILE  
What is the number of books? TEN
- VIII. What is the perfect active infinitive of cerno? CREVISSE  
What other verb has the same perfect active infinitive? CRESCO  
What two verbs share the same perfect active infinitive  
pendisse? PENDO AND PENDEO
- IX. Change vult to subjunctive. VELIT  
What is the tense of the archaic subjunctive form ausim? PERFECT  
What would be the more normal classical form for the archaic  
form faxim? FECERIM
- X. Which of the following is a derivative of do: dance,  
date (the fruit), date (a social occasion), dandy? DATE (SOCIAL OCCASION)  
Which of the following is not a derivative of a compound of do:  
traitor, addition, predator, condition? PREDATOR  
What Latin verb lies at the ultimate root of predator? PRAEHENDO

- XI. What is the perfect active infinitive of parco? PEPERCISSE  
Of posco? POPOSCISSE  
Of pango? PEPIGISSE (or PEGISSE or PANXISSE)
- XII. In what month and year did Octavian march upon Rome? JULY 43 BC  
What was Octavian's first consular act? TO RESCIND THE AMNESTY GRANTED THE TYRANNICIDES  
What law empowered the second triumvirate? THE LEX TITIA
- XIII. What is the comparative of idoneus? MAGIS IDONEUS  
What is the comparative of frugi? FRUGALIOR  
What two superlatives exist for pius? PISSIMUS AND PIENTISSIMUS
- XIV. Who was the first Greek to die at Troy? PROTESILAUS  
Who was his wife? LAODAMIA  
Who killed Protesilaus? HECTOR
- XV. What was the Latin term for a resolution of the plebeian assembly? PLEBISCITUM  
What law gave plebiscita the force of law? THE LEX HORTENSIA  
What law granted intermarriage between plebeians and patricians? THE LEX CANULEIA
- XVI. Where was Cicero's birthplace? ARPINUM  
What was his exact date of birth? JANUARY 3, 106 BC  
What was his first case in the courts? PRO QUINCTIO
- XVII. Which of Rome's hills contains the Tarpeian Rock? THE CAPITOLINE  
Which hill contains a peak called the Cispius? THE ESQUILINE  
Where is the Germalus? ON THE PALATINE
- XVIII. What deity did Cassiopeia anger by boasting of her daughter's beauty? POSEIDON (or the Nereids)  
What deity did Medusa offend? ATHENA  
Who out of jealousy turned Scylla into a horrible monster? CIRCE
- XIX. Who committed incest with her brother Macareus? CANACE  
Who was their father? AEOLUS (not the wind god)  
What was Aeolus' punishment of Canace? HE KILLED HER (OR SHE KILLED HERSELF ON HIS ORDERS)
- XX. Who was the Roman commander at the siege of Syracuse in 212 BC? MARCELLUS  
Who had designed the Syracusan war machines? ARCHIMEDES  
How did the Romans capture Syracuse? IT WAS DELIVERED TO THEM BY A TRAITOR



I. Distinguish by their works between Seneca the Elder and Seneca the Younger. SENECA THE ELDER WROTE A LOST HISTORY OF HIS OWN ERA AND WORKS ON ORATORY; SENECA THE YOUNGER WROTE ESSAYS, SATIRE, TRAGEDIES AND A LOST BIOGRAPHY OF HIS FATHER.

Do the same for the Plinies. THE ELDER WROTE THE NATURAL HISTORY, SCHOLARLY TREATISES AND HISTORIES; THE YOUNGER WROTE LETTERS AND SOME LOST POETRY AND RHETORIC.

What other author was a relative of the Senecas? LUCAN

II. What omen at Aulis told Calchas that the Trojan War would last at least nine years? A SNAKE CRAWLED OUT FROM UNDER THE ALTAR AND ATE A SPARROW AND HER EIGHT BABIES.

What had Agamemnon done to persuade Calchas to join the Greek army? BUILT A TEMPLE TO ARTEMIS, WHOSE PRIEST CALCHAS WAS.

What seer told the Greeks that Troy would not fall until they had rescued Philoctetes? HELENUS

III. Who in 24 BC led a conspiracy against the life of Augustus? FANNIUS RUFUS

Who was the consul implicated in the plot? VARRO MURENA

To whom did Augustus give his signet ring during his dangerous illness in 24 BC? AGRIPPA

IV. Name the three great Greek tragedians in chronological order of their deaths. AESCHYLUS, EURIPIDES, SOPHOCLES

Which of them dressed himself and his chorus in mourning at the news of another's death? SOPHOCLES SO HONORED EURIPIDES

Which of them composed a poem to his friend Herodotus? SOPHOCLES

V. What two heroes fought warriors which had sprung from dragon's teeth? CADMUS AND JASON

What two characters in mythology threw golden apples?

HIPPOMENES (MILANION) AND ERIS

Atalanta and Hippomenes (Milanion) offended Aphrodite; what was their punishment? THEY WERE TURNED INTO LIONS

VI. How many letters does the Greek alphabet contain? 24

Which one does th transliterate? THETA

Which one does z transliterate? ZETA

VII. Who was the author of a work more correctly titled Ab excessu divi Augusti? TACITUS

Which work is it? THE ANNALES

What year begins the subject matter of his Historiae? 69

VIII. Who was the Roman consul who won the battle of Cape Ecnomus and invaded Africa? ATILIUS REGULUS

Who was the commander who defeated Regulus in the Valley of Bagradas near Carthage? XANTHIPPIUS, A SPARTAN MERCENARY WORKING FOR THE CARTHAGINIANS

What happened to Regulus? ALLOWED TO RETURN TO ROME TO SUE FOR PEACE, HE TOLD THE ROMANS TO KEEP FIGHTING AND WENT BACK TO CARTHAGE; HE DIED THERE IN CAPTIVITY. PERHAPS HE WAS TORTURED TO DEATH, BUT THAT VERSION MAY HAVE BEEN INVENTED TO FORGIVE HIS WIDOW'S TORTURING PUNIC PRISONERS IN ROME

- IX. Quot ulnas habes? DUAS  
 Quot ungues habes? DECEM (or VIGINTI)  
 Quot renes habes? DUO (DUOS)
- X. Who was the author of the Mostellaria? PLAUTUS  
 What was Terence's full name? PUBLIUS TERENTIUS AFER  
 What Greek comid wrote the Dyscolus and the Girl from Samos? MENANDER
- XI. Who was the murdered brother of Medea? ABSYRTUS  
 Who was their father? AEETES  
 Who were Aeetes' sisters? CIRCE AND PASIPHAE
- XII. What praenomen is abbreviated M'? MANIUS  
 Which one is abbreviated Cn? GNAEUS  
 Which one is abbreviated Mam? MAMERCUS
- XIII. Quod nomen est animalis quod volat? AVIS  
 Quod nomen est animalis quod mel facit? APIS  
 Quod nomen est animalis quod regem silvae vocamus? LEO
- XIV. What is the perfect active infinitive of fallo? FEFELLISSE  
 What is the perfect active infinitive of pello? PEPULISSE  
 Of ballo? BALLAVISSE
- XV. Of what classical verb form is fuat an archaic form? SIT  
 Esse is to be; what is ēsse? TO EAT  
 Mēto means gather, reap; what is mēto? MEASURE
- XVI. What language is the common ancestor of Latin, Greek and our Germanic tongue? INDO-EUROPEAN  
 Derivatives are words which come to English from Latin; what is the term for words in Latin and English descended along different paths from the same Indo-European root? COGNATES  
 What English verb is cognate to gnosco? KNOW
- XVII. Name the three Fates. CLOTHO, LACHESIS, ATROPOS  
 Which one measures out life's thread? LACHESIS  
 Which one cuts it? ATROPOS (THE INEVITABLE)
- XVIII. Which Macedonian king entered into a compact of mutual assistance with Hannibal in 215 BC? PHILIP V  
 Who was the Roman general went to deal with Philip V? VALERIUS LAEVINUS  
 What king of Asia Minor allied himself with Laevinus against Philip V? ATTALUS I OF PERGAMUM
- XIX. Where were you if you were being ministered to by a slave called a perfusor? AT THE BATHS  
 What would you buy from a lanus? MEAT  
 What would you be doing if you needed the services of a caupo? TRAVELING
- XX. Where did 300 Spartans attempt to repel the Persians? THERMOPYLAE  
 Who led the Spartans? LEONIDAS  
 What was the naval victory that saved Greece? SALAMIS

I. Catholic terminology of course uses Latin extensively. Nevertheless, only one of the following nouns is of Latin origin; the rest are corrupted from Greek words. Identify the Latin derivative: priest, nun, monk, bishop. NUN

What term for a Catholic VIP comes from a Latin adjective which means pivotal or crucial? CARDINAL

Early Christians borrowed as their word for church a Greek noun Latinized to ecclesia. What did ἐκκλησία originally mean in Greek? A POPULAR ASSEMBLY

II. The first seven lines of the Iliad constitute a compact, viable unit, and it is no accident that Vergil does the same with the first seven lines of the Aeneid. The last word of the seventh line of the Iliad is Achilles; in a significant change of emphasis, what word ends line seven of the Aeneid? ROMA (Romae)

What historical event is described in Aeneid VIII:671-713, which passage includes the line, "Shapes of all sorts of gods and the barking Anubis bear arms against Neptune and Venus and Minerva?" ACTIUM

What is the last word of the Aeneid? UMBRAS

III. Who begins one of his poems: Cenabis bene, mi Fabulle? CATULLUS (#13)

As the poem goes on to say, what must Fabullus bring with him in order to dine well? HIS OWN MEAL

Catullus admits that he is poor - his purse is full of cobwebs - and can only furnish the perfume, but says that the perfume is so wonderful that Fabullus will want what? THAT THE GODS MAKE HIM ALL NOSE

IV. What classical verb form would you substitute for the archaism in di duint? DENT

What kind of subjunctive is the old formula di duint? OPTATIVE (VOL.)

What kind of subjunctive is used in quid dicerem? DELIBERATIVE

V. This is a scene taken from I, Claudius. Augustus, Livia, Tiberius, Postumus, Claudius and other members of the imperial family are lying about in sybaritic splendor listening to the poet Horace in after-dinner recitation. A breathless herald rushes in to announce to Augustus the massacre of General Varus and three legions in the forests of Germany. Point out to the scriptwriter his two gross historical errors. IN 9 AD, POSTUMUS HAD BEEN BANISHED FOR TWO YEARS AND HORACE DEAD FOR 17!!!

Where was Postumus exiled in 7 AD? PLANASIA (now Pianosa - Cathh-22)

Where was his mother exiled in 2 BC? PANDATARIA, IN THE TYRRHENIAN SEA, ALLOWED TO MOVE TO RHEGIUM IN 4 AD.

VI. Who was the father of Hippolochus, Isander and Laodamia? BELLEROPHON

Who was their mother? PHILONOE

Who falsely accused Bellerophon of rape? STHENEBOEA (ANTAA)

VII. What is the significance to Vergil of this set of numbers: 830, 2188, 12,913? THE NUMBER OF LINES IN HIS WORKS, IN ORDER

In all of Homer dactyls outnumber spondees 68% to 32%. In all of Vergil, do dactyls outnumber spondees or vice versa? SPONDEES OUTNUMBER DACTYLS

The percentages? SPONDEES 56%, DACTYLS 44%

VIII. What was unusual about the two sons of Molione? THEY WERE  
SIAMESE TWINS

What were their names? EURYTUS AND CTEATUS  
Whom did they kill? IPHICLES (and Dameon)

IX. Whom did Ares turn into a rooster? ALECTRYON

Who was turned into a turtle for refusing to attend the  
wedding of Zeus and Hera? THE NYMPH CHELONE

What playmate of the child Zeus was turned into a stone  
for calling little Zeus mortal? CELMUS

X. The Romans simply called it the Persian fruit, and our  
word for it is a corruption of the Latin adjective for Persian.  
What is it? A PEACH

Our word for the tree and its fruit comes from the Latin  
cerasus. What is it? THE CHERRY

Which of the following does not have a Latin root: onion,  
cucumber, tomato, cauliflower? TOMATO

XI. Latin-based names have been given to parts of the globe  
unknown to the Romans; Nova Scotia, for instance, means New  
Scotland in Latin. What is the Latin-based name and its meaning  
for the island now called Taiwan? FORMOSA \_ BEAUTIFUL

An African nation was founded in the nineteenth century by  
ex-slaves repatriating themselves from this continent to that  
of their ancestors. What is its name and what is its Latin root?  
LIBERIA - FROM LIBER, FREE

What is the meaning of the Latinate name Australia? THE LAND IN THE  
SOUTH

XII. What is the third person plural perfect active subjunctive of  
sepelio? SEPELIVERINT

Change sepeliverint to passive. SEPULTI SINT  
Change sepeliverint to imperfect. SEPELIRENT

XIII. Which emperor opened the ranks of the Pretorian Guard  
to provincials? SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS

With what deceased figure did Septimius Severus affiliate  
himself by a unilateral act of adoption? MARCUS AURELIUS

Whom did Septimius Severus name as his heirs? GETA AND CARACALLA

XIV. Latin names, even more than our own, usually had some  
connection to common nouns, and their owners, as are we, were  
subject to good-natured or bad-natured puns. What is the meaning  
of the common noun scipio? CANE, WALKING-STICK

Whose name came from the noun meaning chickpea? CICERO'S  
What do we call that which the Romans called the Vergiliae?  
THE CONSTELLATION PLEIADES

XV. Who gave his name to the Spanish city of Barcelona?  
HAMILCAR BARCA

What modern city did the Romans call Aquincum? BUDAPEST, HUNGARY  
What is the derivative modern name for the Roman provincial  
city of Aurelianensis? ORLEANS

XVI. When the mother of Cleobis and Biton prayed to Hera that  
her sons receive the greatest blessing available to mortals, what  
did Hera grant them? PAINLESS DEATHS

Who by writing on a piece of fruit tricked his beloved into marrying him? ACONTIUS

Who was his beloved? CYDIPPE

XVII. One the author, one the inspiration, what two writers come to mind when you hear: Nescio quid maius nascitur Iliade?  
PROPERTIUS AND VERGIL

One the author, one the inspiration, what two authors come to mind when you hear: Ille mi par esse deo videtur.? CATULLUS AND SAPPHO

One the author, one the inspiration, what two authors come to mind when you hear: Unus qui nobis cunctando restituis rem?  
VERGIL AND ENNIUS

XVIII. To what dynasty did Cleopatra belong? THE PTOLEMIES

Several Ptolemaic queens were named Cleopatra. How many? SEVEN  
Where in Europe was the Ptolemies' home? MACEDONIA

XIX. In the Third Samnite War, what ancestor of Scipio Africanus drove the Samnites out of Lucania? LUCIUS SCIPIO BARBATUS

Also in the Third Samnite War, who were the Roman commanders at the battle of Sentinum? FABIVS RULLIANVS AND DECIUS MUS

Which of these commanders rallied his wing of the army at the cost of his own life? DECIUS MUS

XX. With only indicative and subjunctives counted, how many inflected forms does a regular, transitive Latin verb have? 120

The term defective usually means a verb is missing the entire present system, but technically the word means only that the verb is missing one or more forms. How is scio defective? NO PRESENT IMPERATIVE  
What forms of quaeso occur in classical Latin? ONLY QUAESO  
AND QUAESUMUS (A QUAESIT IS ONCE IN LUCRETIVS)