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I. Multiple Choice:

- ___1. What is the name of the creatures who live above ground?
- (A) Eloi
 - (B) Morlocks
 - (C) Weena
 - (D) Porcelains
- ___2. Where is the time machine hidden?
- (A) In the Morlocks' underworld
 - (B) In the Palace of Green Porcelain
 - (C) In the woods near the Palace of Green Porcelain
 - (D) In the pedestal of the sphinx
- ___3. In this novella, what is the fourth dimension?
- (A) Hope
 - (B) The past
 - (C) Space
 - (D) Time
- ___4. Which of the following brushes the Time Traveller with its antennae?
- (A) A giant crab
 - (B) A huge white butterfly
 - (C) An Eloi
 - (D) A tentacled black thing
- ___5. As time passes faster, what happens to the sun?
- (A) It gets smaller
 - (B) It stops moving
 - (C) It becomes dimmer
 - (D) It moves quickly across the sky
- ___6. Which of the following does the Time Traveller not retrieve from the museum?
- (A) Camphor
 - (B) A lever
 - (C) Sulphur
 - (D) Matches
- ___7. What do the Morlocks fear most?
- (A) The time machine
 - (B) The Time Traveller
 - (C) The Eloi
 - (D) Light

- ___8. Why does the Time Traveller remove the levers from his machine?
- (A) To use them as weapons
 - (B) To prevent anyone from using the machine
 - (C) To turn off the machine
 - (D) To prove he had made his journey
- ___9. What does the Time Traveller bring back from the future?
- (A) Weena
 - (B) A giant crab
 - (C) Two Flowers
 - (D) Camphor
- ___10. The Eloi remind the Time Traveller of:
- (A) Fairies
 - (B) Cavemen
 - (C) Lawyers
 - (D) Victims of tuberculosis
- ___11. Weena seems to love the Time Traveller. Why?
- (A) He is big and strong
 - (B) He saved her life
 - (C) He is not afraid of Morlocks
 - (D) He is exotic
- ___12. What is the narrator's position in relation to the Time Traveller?
- (A) The narrator is the Time Traveller
 - (B) The narrator is Weena, and loves the Time Traveller
 - (C) The narrator does not believe the Time Traveller
 - (D) The narrator believes the Time Traveller
- ___13. The Time Machine was first published in book form in what year?
- (A) 1895
 - (B) 1905
 - (C) 1915
 - (D) 1925
- ___14. Before he discovers the Morlocks, the Time Traveller ascribes the weakness of humankind's descendents to what?
- (A) Fate
 - (B) Communism
 - (C) Religion
 - (D) Capitalism
- ___15. The Time Traveler sees the Eloi and the Morlocks in the year:
- (A) 2001 AD
 - (B) 802,701 AD
 - (C) 1984 AD
 - (D) 30,000,000 AD

- II. ___ 1. recondite A. machine, tool
 ___ 2. fecundity B. clear, can see through
 ___ 3. intermittently C. fruitfulness
 ___ 4. indifferently D. unending, lasting too long
 ___ 5. humbug E. section, span of time
 ___ 6. transparent F. difficult to understand
 ___ 7. apparatus G. sometimes, occasionally
 ___ 8. interminable H. unbelieving
 ___ 9. interval I. nonsense
 ___ 10. incredulous J. uncaringly
 ___ 11. potentialities K. not clear, undefined
 ___ 12. plausibility L. certain, no doubt
 ___ 13. preoccupied M. absorbed in thought
 ___ 14. articulation N. clear expression of ideas
 ___ 15. velocity O. expectation
 ___ 16. anticipation P. very large
 ___ 17. peculiar Q. plentiful
 ___ 18. solstice R. improving
 ___ 19. colossal S. speed
 ___ 20. abundant T. odd, strange
 ___ 21. ameliorating U. when the sun is farthest from Earth
 ___ 22. vague V. possibilities
 ___ 23. assurance W. advanced societal system
 ___ 24. inadequacy X. disappeared
 ___ 25. intervention Y. abandonment, left alone
 ___ 26. vanished Z. decaying, worse
 ___ 27. desertion Aa. believability
 ___ 28. figurative Ba. disaster
 ___ 29. civilization Ca. insufficiency
 ___ 30. decadent Ha. Involvement, interference
 ___ 31. tumult Ia. strategic plans
 ___ 32. catastrophe Ja. not literal, metaphorical
 ___ 33. perplexity Ka. slow change over time
 ___ 34. nausea La. everything that exists
 ___ 35. grotesque Ma. light can go through it but you can't see through it
 ___ 36. aristocracy Na. never ending, cyclical
 ___ 37. evolution Oa. a puzzle, bewilderment
 ___ 38. intolerable Pa. horrifying, appalling
 ___ 39. subterranean Qa. upper, leisure class
 ___ 40. narrative Ra. extensions insects use for feeling
 ___ 41. cannibal Sa. having an equal effect between two parties
 ___ 42. schemes Ta. agitation, trouble
 ___ 43. universe Ua. feeling before vomiting
 ___ 44. atrocious Va. unbearable
 ___ 45. alternations Wa. story
 ___ 46. perpetual Xa. thankfulness
 ___ 47. antenna Ya. changes
 ___ 48. gratitude Za. underground
 ___ 49. mutual Ab. a person who eats people
 ___ 50. translucent Bb. ugly, monstrous

III. All statements are related to the book (not the movie(s)!) True or False:

1. ___ The Time Machine by HG Wells is considered to be the first science fiction novel.
2. ___ The Time Traveler's office/studio was in New York City.
3. ___ The Time Traveler invented his machine so that he could travel into the past so that he could prevent the murder of his fiancé.
4. ___ The Time Machine could travel to any place in the world.
5. ___ The Time Traveler went to Egypt where he saw the sphinx that the ancient Egyptians built.
6. ___ Jules Verne was the author of the Time Machine.
7. ___ The Morlocks had large pinkish-gray eyes.
8. ___ The Time Traveler used a television monitor and radar screen to navigate his journey.
9. ___ The Time Traveler found camphor in a sealed jar.
10. ___ The Morlocks were carnivorous.
11. ___ The Eloi wore orange-colored robes.
12. ___ After the Time Traveler discovers that his time machine was missing, he found humor in that he spent years in developing the machine to go into the future only to find he frantically wanted to return home.
13. ___ The Morlocks lived underground and did not like light.
14. ___ The Time Traveler wished he had brought a Kodak camera with him to record the Morlocks and Eloi.
15. ___ The Time Traveler carried a digital watch with him so that he would know what day and time it was back in his office/studio.
16. ___ The river in the novel is the Thames River.
17. ___ The Time Traveler thought that the Palace of Green Porcelain might have been a library or museum at some point in the past.
18. ___ The Time Traveler used laser beams to calculate distances and determine accurately straight lines.
19. ___ After he found the Time Machine that had been moved by the Morlocks, he fights off the Morlocks, then jumps into the machine, pushes the lever forward causing him to travel into the future where he gets a glimpse of what the Earth will look like 30,000,000 years in the future.
20. ___ The Time Traveler was able to personally meet Luke Skywalker and see R2D2 and 3CPO.

Who was Weena?

What does The Time Machine imply about the social and economic system of capitalism?

Why do you think the Time Traveler traveled again with the time machine and never returned?