

QUARANTINE PUB QUIZ - BOOKWORM EDITION

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CLOSED CAPTIONS

What are the oft-omitted sub-titles of the following texts?

1. Moby Dick
2. Twelfth Night
3. Frankenstein
4. A Christmas Carol
5. Slaughterhouse Five
6. Pamela
7. Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Seas
8. Black Beauty
9. The Hobbit
10. The Palm-Wine Drinkard

SMALL TYPE BIG SCREEN

Name the author of the original work and the director of their big-screen adaptation.

1. A Clockwork Orange
2. The Fellowship of the Ring
3. Sense and Sensibility
4. Trainspotting
5. To Kill A Mockingbird
6. Gone Girl
7. Inherent Vice
8. Little Women
9. The Wizard of Oz
10. The Princess Bride
11. No Country for Old Men
12. Metropolis
13. Breakfast at Tiffany's
14. 12 Years a Slave
15. Strangers on a Train

OOOH, SHINY!

Bits and bobs of literary prize trivia.

1. Name one of the four authors to win the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction twice.
2. Name one of only three black authors to win the Nobel Prize in Literature.
3. The Booker Prize is named after Booker, McConnell Ltd, a company famous for what?
4. The World Fantasy Award changed their trophy to a tree and moon after outcry about the racism of which famous author whose bust previously adorned the award?
5. Where do the annually awarded science fiction and fantasy Hugo Awards get their name from?

YOU DON'T SAY?

Minutiae and oddities of the literary world.

1. Who is the most adapted novelist in film and television history?
2. Douglas Adams does not refer to his five-book *Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy* collection as a series or a pentalogy. Instead, he describes it as what?
3. Charlotte Bronte's first novel, *The Professor*, was initially submitted to publishers under what *nom de plume*?
4. What is the longest novel ever published?
5. Which famous writer of detective fiction was a staunch spiritualist, and in 1920 penned an article defending the veracity of the Cottingley Fairies?

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ANSWER KEY

CLOSED CAPTIONS

What are the oft-omitted sub-titles of the following texts?

1. Moby Dick; **or, The Whale**
2. Twelfth Night, **or What You Will**
3. Frankenstein; **or, The Modern Prometheus**
4. A Christmas Carol: **A Ghost Story of Christmas**
5. Slaughterhouse Five: **or The Children's Crusade: A Duty-Dance With Death**
6. Pamela: **Or, Virtue Rewarded**
7. Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Seas: **A World Tour Underwater**
8. Black Beauty: **His Grooms and Companions, the Autobiography of a Horse**
9. The Hobbit, **or There and Back Again**
10. The Palm-Wine Drinkard **and His Dead Palm-Wine Tapster in the Dead's Town**

SMALL TYPE BIG SCREEN

Name the author of the original work and the director of their big-screen adaptation.

1. Anthony Burgess and Stanley Kubrick
2. J.R.R. Tolkien and Peter Jackson
3. Jane Austen and Ang Lee
4. Irvine Welsh and Danny Boyle
5. Harper Lee and Robert Mulligan
6. Gillian Flynn and David Fincher
7. Thomas Pynchon and Paul Thomas Anderson
8. Louisa May Alcott and Greta Gerwig
9. L. Frank Baum and Victor Fleming
10. William Goldman and Rob Reiner
11. Cormac McCarthy and The Coen Brothers
12. Thea von Harbou and Fritz Lang
13. Truman Capote and Blake Edwards
14. Solomon Northrup and Steve McQueen
15. Patricia Highsmith and Alfred Hitchcock

OOOH, SHINY!

Bits and bobs of literary prize trivia.

1. Booth Tarkington, William Faulkner, John Updike, and Colson Whitehead
2. Wole Soyinka, Derek Walcott, Toni Morrison
3. Sugar importation, largely from Guyana, which, of course, included a myriad of human rights violations.
4. H.P. Lovecraft
5. Hugo Gernsback, the founder of Amazing Stories

YOU DON'T SAY?

Minutiae and oddities of the literary world.

1. Charles Dickens
2. An (increasingly) inaccurately named trilogy of five.
3. Currer Bell
4. *Artamène, or Cyrus the Great* by Madeleine de Scudery has a good case, though the Guinness Book of World Records credits Marcel Proust's *In Search of Lost Time*
5. Sir Arthur Conan Doyle