

Quiz No.4 Answers

Q1: When was the Great Screen restored, and when were the statues added?

A: 1885-88; 1889-91. (20:18, 20)

Q2: What was the "Gumble Affair"?

A: There was a protracted dispute between Dean & Chapter and Dr Thomas Gumble over the maintenance (or not) of buildings in The Close from soon after Restoration in 1660 until Gumble's death in 1676. (52.5-16)

Q3: In which year was the Inigo Jones-designed screen installed between the Nave and the Quire? How much did it cost?

A: 1640; £234.4.0 [Equivalent to £27,500 today]. (45.10-15)

Q4: For how many years was William Lampard a bell-ringer at the Cathedral?

A: He was "associated with the Cathedral Ringers for over 69 years". (29.23)

Q5: Name the article in which Eve and Robert Baker tell of the hidden fresco found in the Holy Sepulchre Chapel? And give the approximate date when the Chapel was built?

A: PAINTINGS IN THE CHAPEL OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE; "built about the middle of the 12th Century". (36.21-25)

Q6: Which member of the Royal Family inspected the Broderers' work in 1934?

A: "Her Majesty the Queen" [In 1934 this was Queen Mary, Consort of George V]. (3.9-11)

Q7: Who was Thomas Dackomb? What great event took place during his lifetime?

A: Dackomb (1495 – 1572) was City Rector, Minor Canon and Bibliophile. "His life spanned the Reformation in Winchester". (45.19-21)

Q8: HMS Calliope features in a memorial plaque in the North Transept. When and where did it make its name and who was its navigating officer?

A: HMS Calliope survived a tropical cyclone in Samoa on 16 March 1889, sailing out to sea from Apia harbour. The ships that remained in harbour foundered; The navigating officer commemorated was Captain Henry Pearson RN. (46.20-22)

Q9: Who was Jean Serres and what fate befell him aged 18? Where is a memorial plaque to him?

A: Jean Serres was a Huguenot of Montauban who was sentenced by the French in 1685 to service in galleys where he remained for 27 years. On release he came to Winchester in 1714 where he lived for a further 40 years. Serre is commemorated in the Epiphany Chapel. (9.12)

Q10: On what date did Mary marry Philip II of Spain in the cathedral? Who conducted the marriage ceremony?

A: July 25, 1554; Bishop Stephen Gardiner. (42.40-54)