

# Chapter 26 Civilizations in Crisis: The Ottoman Empire, the Islamic Heartlands, and Qing China

1) In the later 1700s what power became the main threat to the Ottomans survival?

*Russian Empire*

2) What was the first region to successfully rebel and achieve independence from the Ottoman Empire?

*Greece*

3) By the 1870s, the Ottoman Empire declined where?

*Balkans*

4) What European nation supported the Ottoman Empire in order to prevent other European powers from gaining access to the Mediterranean?

*Britain*

5) What was the result of the reforms of Sultan Selim III (1789-1807)?

*Sultan toppled from throne by Janissary Revolt*

6) What Ottoman sultan successfully eliminated the Janissary corps as a military and political influence?

*Mahmud II*

7) In what year was the revised constitution introduced as part of the Tanzimat reforms?

*1876*

8) What group within the Ottoman Empire actually suffered as a result of the Tanzimat reforms?

*Artisans*

9) What Ottoman sultan attempted to roll back the Tanzimat reforms and reinstitute an absolute monarchy in 1878?

*Abdul Hamid*

10) With what European power did the Ottomans contest the control of Libya just prior to World War I?

*Italy*

11) What nation's invasion of Egypt in 1798 signaled the beginning of European penetration of the Islamic heartland?

*France*

12) What Islamic group ruled Egypt in 1798?

*The Mamluks*

13) By 1801 what ruler had succeeded in establishing his dominance over Egypt?

*Muhammad Ali*

14) What prevented Muhammad Ali from overthrowing the Ottoman Empire?

*Opposition of European powers*

15) Muhammad Ali's successors as rulers of Egypt were referred to as what?

*Khedives*

16) European financiers lent money to the profligate successors of Muhammad Ali because they desired access to Egypt's cheap cotton and, by the 1850s, a share in what landmark?

*Suez Canal*

17) The Khedival government of Egypt was threatened in 1882 by a rebellion of Egyptian military officers under whose rule?

*Ahmad Orabi*

18) What was the result of the rebellion by Egyptian army officers in 1882?

*Khedives called on British to crush rebellion resulting in British overlordship of Egypt*

19) What was the center of Egyptian administration in the Sudan?

*Khartoum*

20) On what basis did Muhammad Achmad claim leadership of the Sudanic resistance to Egyptian rule?

*Claimed direct descent from Muhammad*

21) Who was responsible for the unification of the Manchu tribesmen prior to the invasion of China in the 17th century?

*Nurhaci*

22) In what area did the Manchus attempt to take strong measures of reform?

*Alleviating rural stress and unrest*

23) What accounts for the general failure of Manchu attempts at reform?

*Enormous population growth, disappearance of land*

24) What was the impact of the British opium trade on China?

*Silver began to flow out of country*

25) What was the outcome of the Opium War?

*The British victory in the Opium War allowed European powers to force China to open trade*