

**Read the text and fill in the gaps transforming capitalized words.**

Write in **BLOCK CAPITALS** without spaces between the words!!! Don't use contracted forms!  
 (ПЕЧАТНЫМИ ЗАГЛАВНЫМИ БУКВАМИ, ТОЛЬКО ПОЛНЫЕ ФОРМЫ!!!  
 без пробелов и знаков препинания!)

The \_\_\_\_\_ (1) Museum

Sir Hans Sloane collected everything: rare books and pictures, stuffed animals, birds, \_\_\_\_\_ (2), old things. He was a great \_\_\_\_\_ (3)

He died in 1753 and the King bought his \_\_\_\_\_ (4) for £20,000. This was the \_\_\_\_\_ (5) of the British Museum.

It was opened to the public in 1759 and was the \_\_\_\_\_ (6) public museum. The British Museum is a treasure house of old, interesting and magnificent objects from all over the world.

A winged lion is the \_\_\_\_\_ (7) exhibit (экспонат) in the museum. It weighs 16 tons. The stone tools from Africa are the \_\_\_\_\_ (8) exhibits. They are more than a million years old.

Today, the British Museum is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ (9) museums in the world.

**BRITAIN**

**BUTTERFLY**

**COLLECT**

**COLLECT**

**BEGIN**

**ONE**

**HEAVY**

**OLD**

**GREAT**

