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Tennis ranks as one of the most popular sports in the world, with fans and competitors in more than 100 countries. Let us see how much you know about this wonderful game.

A. Some common terms used in the game of tennis are given below. Write them against their definitions.

rally, let, walkover, love, fault, lob, ace, deep, deuce, volley

1. A serve that the opponent cannot return
2. When one of the players has a score of zero
3. When players are tied at 40 (three points each)
4. An extended exchange of shots between players
5. A shot hit by a player before it bounces on his side of the court
6. A stroke that doesn't count and must be replayed
7. A shot that is hit in a high arc, usually over the opponent's head
8. A serve that fails to land the ball in the correct area of play
9. A shot that lands near the baseline, as opposed to near the net
10. An unopposed victory awarded when the opponent fails to start the match for any reason, such as injury

B. Given below are pictures of some former tennis players. Write their name and the country to which each of them belongs.

