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Homework 14
Unit 5: The Greatest Inventions!
Lesson 5: Skills Time-Reading (Page 52)

Choose the correct answer.

0. What did prehistoric people use to draw pictures in caves?
 A. Brushes B. Stones C. Fountain pens D. Ballpoint pens
1. What was the first paper invented by the Egyptians called?
 A. Papyrus B. Parchment C. Cartridge D. Ink
2. What was papyrus made from?
 A. Animal hair B. Feathers C. Plants called reeds D. Animal bones
3. What did people in China use to write with?
 A. Feathers B. Brushes made from animal hair C. Plastic pens D. Metal sticks
4. What was a quill pen made from?
 A. A bird's feather B. A reed C. A tree branch D. A piece of bone
5. When did people begin using quill pens?
 A. In the 10th century B. In the 7th century C. In 1938 D. In 1965
6. What was the problem with the first fountain pen?
 A. It was too heavy. B. It could not hold ink.
 C. Its ink often came out of the pen and ruined the paper. D. It could only write underwater.
7. Who invented the ballpoint pen in 1938?
 A. Laszlo Biro B. An Egyptian scientist C. An astronaut D. A Chinese painter
8. What did the Space Pen allow people to do?
 A. Write only on paper. B. Write underwater and upside down. C. Draw pictures in caves.
 D. Make paper from reeds.
9. Where did astronauts use the Space Pen?
 A. Under the sea B. In ancient China C. In space D. In caves
10. What does the passage suggest about future pens?
 A. No more pens will be invented. B. Pens will become useless.
 C. New kinds of pens may be invented. D. All pens will be made from feathers.

Write your answer here.

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