Quiz Number 63 - Answers

1. Who won the Oscar for Best Actress in 1942 for her part in the movie "Mrs Miniver"?
   Greer Garson.

2. Which rank in the British Air Force comes between Squadron Leader and Group Captain?
   Wing Commander.

3. Who was the first Secretary-General of the United Nations?
   Trygve Lie.

4. Which British shipping forecast area lays directly North of Irish Sea?
   Malin.


6. What condition is caused by the Epstein-Barr virus?
   Glandular Fever.

7. Who wrote the novel "A Kind of Loving" in 1960?
   Stan Barstow.

8. Which flower shares its name with the Greek Goddess of the Rainbow?
   Iris.

9. What does the acronym BASIC mean when applied to computing?
   Beginners All-purpose Symbolic Instruction Code.

10. Which FOUR countries share a land border with Georgia?
    Armenia, Azerbaijan, Russia and Turkey.

11. Who wrote the music for the musical "Fiddler on the Roof"?
    Jerry Bock.

12. Which sporting event in 1967 was BBC2's first colour transmission?
    Wimbledon.

13. What are the only FIVE elements that have four letters in their name?
    Gold, Iron, Lead, Neon and Zinc.

14. In which year were there 42 different UK number one singles an all-time record?
    2000

15. What is the name of the hooked staff carried by a bishop?
    A Crozier.

16. What were the names of the FOUR original members of Led Zeppelin?
    John Bonham, Jimmy Page, John Paul-Jones and Robert Plant.

17. What is the name of the main protein found in cow's milk?
    Casein.

18. Who did Lewis Hamilton overtake on the last corner of the final race to secure the 2008 Formula One driver's championship?
    Timo Glock.

19. What instrument was played by Jazz musician Art Blakey?
    Drums.

20. What is the highest mountain in South America?
    Aconcagua in Argentina at a height of 6960.8m.