

Civil War Pacific Area Re-enactor
Infantry General Safety Test

Name: _____ Unit: _____

- 1) The front safety zone for a loaded artillery piece is:
 - a) 10 yards
 - b) 20 yards
 - c) 30 yards
 - d) 40 yards

- 2) All weapons will be field cleaned:
 - a) As needed.
 - b) At the end of the day.
 - c) At the end of the Season
 - d) Never

- 3) Knives shall not be drawn on the field and will be tied or otherwise secured to their sheaths.
 - a) True
 - b) False

- 4) Long arms are reloaded on the battlefield with
 - a) With powder flasks
 - b) Only prepared cartridges
 - c) Either way is acceptable.

- 5) Hand to hand combat scenarios are allowed:
 - a) if opposing combatants come within 5 yards of each other
 - b) if rubber bayonets are used
 - c) as long as combatants are at least 10 yards from spectators
 - d) only with the approval of the army commanders and planned in advance with the participants beforehand

- 6) A general safety zone separating the public and live weapons is
 - a) 5 yards
 - b) 10 yards
 - c) 15 yards
 - d) 20 yards

- 7) For muskets or carbines only FF or FFF grade Black Powder or equivalent will be used (absolutely no black powder substitutes are allowed).
 - a) True
 - b) False

- 8) The only participants allowed to call for a "cease fire" are:
 - a) any officer of either army
 - b) the commanding officers of each army
 - c) any nco or officer who sees a safety violation
 - d) any participant who sees a safety violation

- 9) Ramrods or bayonets can be used on the battlefield:
 - a) if an approved scenario using them is scripted and has been practiced
 - b) trick question: they cannot be used on the battlefield at any time
 - c) if you are close to spectators and want to demonstrate real loading
 - d) only if you are outside of the safety zone

10) The minimum Battlefield Side Safety Zone between a loaded artillery piece and any other non-crew person is:

- a) 5 yards
- b) 10 yards
- c) 15 yards
- d) 20 yards

11) How many long arms or shotguns may be carried by an individual at one time.

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4

12) Ramrods or bayonets will be drawn on the field during a "battle":

- a) To Ram home the charge.
- b) Under the direction of the company NCOs.
- c) At no time.
- d) Only when the weapons are loaded.

13) For 58 cal weapons the maximum powder charge is

- a) 70 grains
- b) 75 grains
- c) 80 grains
- d) 85 grains

14) For 69 cal weapons the maximum powder charge is

- a) 80 grains
- b) 85 grains
- c) 90 grains
- d) 95 grains

15) The minimum Battlefield Safety Zone in front of an artillery piece that has misfired is:

- a) 5 yards
- b) 10 yards
- c) 15 yards
- d) 20 yards

16) The minimum distance for aimed fire at horses or other livestock is:

- a) 10 yards
- b) 15 yards
- c) 20 yards
- d) 25 yards

17) When loading, only the powder will be placed in the musket or shotgun barrel, no paper or other substances.

- a) True
- b) False

18) Hard-cased ammunition, if used, is sealed with:

- a) Compressed Cream of Wheat
- b) "Crumbling" floral foam
- c) Both of the above in combination
- d) Either of the above, but not both at the same time.

19) Long arms are reloaded on the battlefield with

- a) With powder flasks
- b) Only prepared cartridges
- c) Either way is acceptable.

20) Soldiers may fire from the prone position only

- a) As their whim may take them.
- b) As the tactical situation dictates.
- c) When commanded to by their CO.
- d) Never

21) Weapons shall be clean and in good repair prior to use.

- a) True
- b) False

THANK YOU FOR TAKING THIS TEST. BE CAREFUL AND SAFE!

Pass____ Fail ____

You need at least 80% correct to pass

Unit Commander's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Unit Commander's Name: _____

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