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FLEAS: WORKSHEET

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- 2 1. A female flea may lay from _____ to _____ eggs at one time.
 - 1 2. Fleas eat the _____ of animals.
 - 2 3. Bubonic plague is a serious problem in _____ and _____.
 - 1 4. Fleas have a mouth that looks like a long _____ tube.
 - 1 5. The flea larva is about _____ mm long.
 - 1 6. Some fleas have parasites living on them called _____.
 - 1 7. Some fleas carry a dangerous _____ that causes the disease, bubonic plague.
 - 1 8. A flea has very strong legs and can leap _____ cm high!
 - 1 9. When a flea punctures your skin, it injects some of its _____.
 - 2 10. From the larva stage, the flea spins a _____ about itself and moves to the _____ stage.
 - 3 11. In the _____ century, fleas were responsible for carrying a disease that killed _____ out of every _____ people in Europe.
 - 1 12. The saliva of the flea is important to keep the blood of the host from _____.
 - 2 13. A human flea might also dine on a _____ and a cat flea might bite a _____.
 - 1 14. Flea eggs look like tiny _____.

— Score (20 max.)