

Q1 What leads us to believe that this passage is from science fiction story?

Ans: The very setting of the whole story is romantic and imaginary. Secondly, the projection of sun and the total capture of the scenario is impossible. No possibility of an object behaving like the one came out of the pit.

Q2 How was the crowd behaving?

Ans: The crowd behaving without uniformity and voices were roaring everywhere. No care was taken of gender sanctity. All screaming faster and faster with high note, which projects the picture of not humans but some other unsocial creature.

Q3 Why did the mood of crowd alter?

Ans: All of a sudden the mood of the crowd alter because they were anticipated a man of normal stature coming out of the pit. But the emerging man was not like human being but some other terrifying creature.

Q4 What was the narrator's initial reaction to the thing?

Ans: The narrator's initial reaction was shocking after looking at the

thing. Because he never expected such a creature coming out of the cylinder. Firstly, it was black that made the eyes of the narrator black and secondly, it was not like humans.

Q5 why did the writer feels disgusted?

Ans the writer feels disgusted because of the chaos and irregular voices of the crowd. And the negation of gender identity along with believing meta-realistic objects. Lastly, the shocking picture of the body being out of the pit disgusted the writer.

Sentence correction.

1 Sentence: He enjoyed during the holidays.  
Correction: He enjoyed ~~during~~ the holidays.

3 Sentence: He is abusing the money of his father.  
Correction: He is wasting the money of his father.

4 Sentence: I regret at the delay.  
Sentence: I regret the delay.

5 Sentence: I could not help but laugh.  
Correction: I could not help laugh.

8 Sentence: He cried as if he was mad.  
Correction: He cried as he was mad.



Q5 Punctuation: (a)

A hungry lion slipped out of the forest into a barnyard one evening. When he saw a plump donkey, his mouth began to water, but just as he was ready to jump on the donkey. A rooster crowed. He was frightened and so turned away into the forest again. They looked at that cowardly lion. The donkey brayed to the rooster "I am going to chase him" and the donkey ran after the lion, "wait" the rooster shouted "you don't know that", but it was too late. The lion had turned and killed the donkey. "Ah! my poor stupid friend" the rooster said as he watched the lion eating the donkey, "the lion wasn't afraid of you but of my crowing!"

(b) Prepositions:

- (i) what time do we arrive at our destination.
- ii) It is warming up: at noon we should be able to go swimming.
- iii) My parents are not responsible for my actions.
- iv) The police took the man in to questioning.
- v) The woman you gave the book to, is my aunt.

## Q6. Idioms:

1. To cast pearls to the swine:

Socrates teachings was just casting pearls to the swine.

2. To step into one's shoes:

Young men are ambitious enough to step into one's shoes.

3. Stuff and nonsense:

The freedom drum to slave is a stuff and nonsense.

4. Sit on the fence:

After graduation, the non-serious students sit on the fence for future.

5. To preen oneself:

While doing generosity, no one should preen oneself.



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## Translation:

Pakistan is determined on peace in Afghanistan. Because, peace in Afghanistan is most important for Pakistan. Looking upto history, being neighbors of each other, Pakistan and Afghanistan share historic, culture and linguistic affinity. And these relations are unbreakable and both are dependent upon each other. They could not sustain separate. The stance of Pakistan on Afghan issue is to offer a political solution. And China has also claimed the same stance. China said that the Afghan issue could only be solved through negotiation with top ~~leaders~~ Afghan's leaders. ~~And~~ And Pakistan and China will struggle to find out a solution to Afghan issue because both of these countries share a strategic interests in peaceful Afghanistan.