

**PRACTICE: NARRATION**

(b) Rewrite **One** of the following passages, converting what is in direct speech into indirect, and what is in indirect speech into direct. (05)

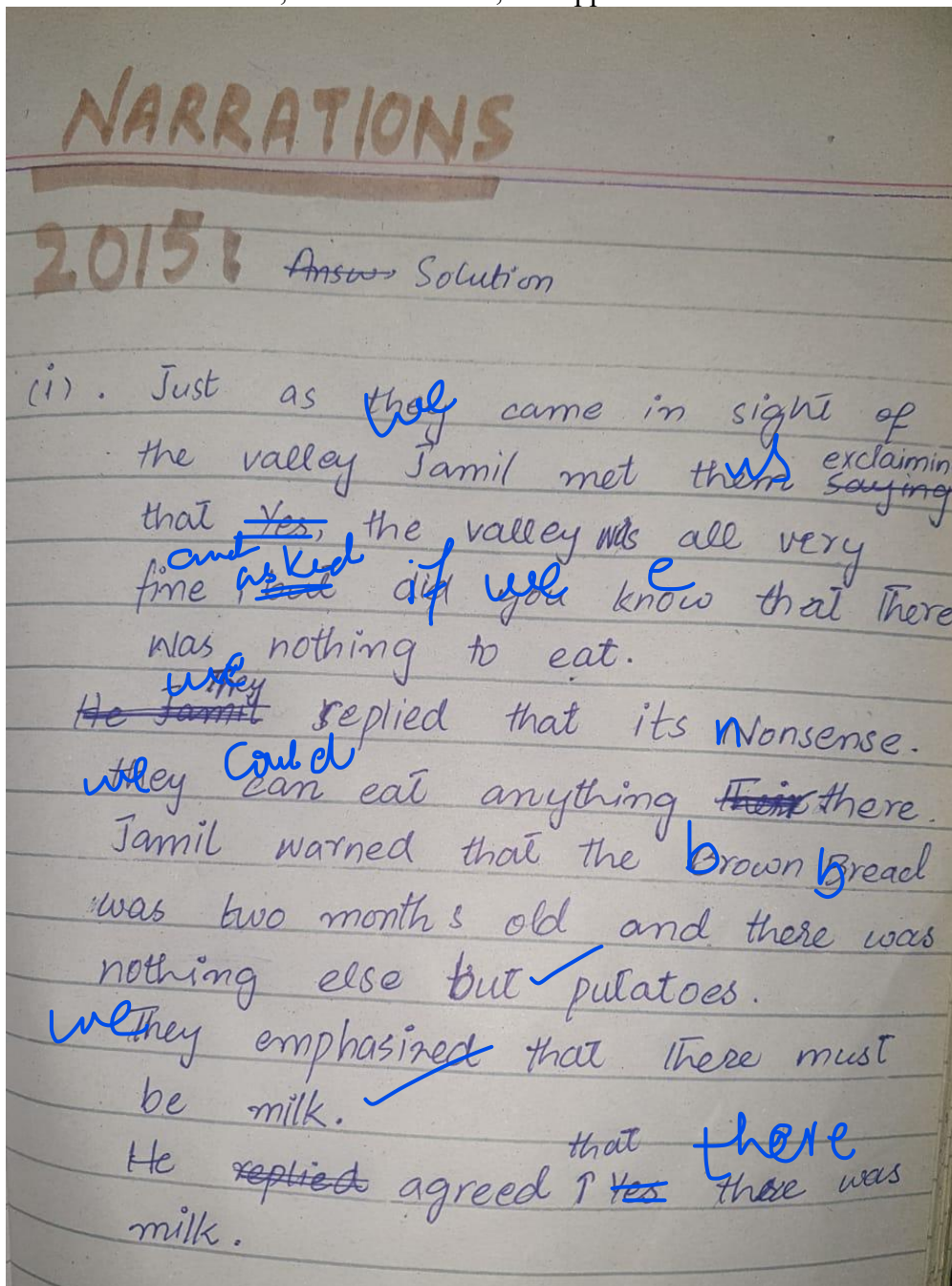
(i) Just as we came in sight of the valley Jamil met us,--“yes, the valley is all very fine, but do you know there is nothing to eat?”

“Nonsense; we can eat anything here.”

“Well, the brown bread’s two months old, and there’s nothing else but potatoes.”

“There must be milk anyhow.”

“Yes, there was milk”, he supposed.



(ii) Miss Andleeb said she thought English food was lovely, and that she was preparing a questionnaire to be circulated to the students of the university, with a view to finding out their eating preferences.

“But the students won’t fill up questionnaires,” said Miriam.

“Won’t fill up questionnaire?” cried Miss Andleeb, taken aback.

“No”, said Miriam, “they won’t. As a nation we are not, questionnaire-conscious.” “Well, that’s too bad,” said Miss Andaleeb.

(ii) Solution:

Mis Andleeb said, “I thought English food is lovely, and I am preparing a questionnaire for <sup>circulating in</sup> university students, for finding their eating preferences”

Miriam contradicted that students will not fill questionnaires

Miss Andleeb asked surprisingly why they will not fill up questionnaire.

Miss Miriam ~~uttered that~~ <sup>stating</sup> ~~refusal~~ of ~~student~~ added The students will not fill because as a nation we are not questionnaire consious.

Miss Andaleeb sad heartly said that it's to bad. <sup>heartedly</sup>

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