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DRAFT 1

1. Ephialtes from action film 300.
2. betrays Leonidas and leads the Persian army to defeat Spartan group.
3. Writer's point of view. (Certain events lead to this incident).
4. Spartan men are born to be soldiers, if any body is imperfect or disabled they are discarded.
5. Ephialtes was born with a twisted body. Loving parents saved him and they left Sparta.
6. Ephialtes wants to serve Spartan people. His father trains him.
7. When the opportunity comes, he begs a chance from Leonidas to join the fight. He wants a noble death and his father's armour.
8. In spite of having 'a good spear', Leonidas turns him down because of his disability to defend in police.
9. Author's view. (If he would have gotten a chance, he would have fought the Persian army.) But, he is once again rejected.
10. Completely broken, he joins the Persian army, where he is offered all the materialistic things. However, he really wants a uniform from them.

Precis Title: Ephialtes : The unsung Warrior

Ephialtes, the righteous villain, emerges victorious while defeating the Spartan group with his own Persian army.

The author regards Ephialtes' actions as understandable and far from evil. Action Film 300, introduces Spartan men as soldiers. Those who are born with disabled body are discarded and Ephialtes was one of them. Due to his parents love, he is saved. He aims to become a warrior and serve his own people. One day, he follows Leonidas and requests him to give permission to join the fight. He wants Spartan men to accept him. Despite of having great fighting skills, Ephialtes is once again rejected because of his twisted body. Feeling completely rejected, he joins Persian army as he was offered materialistic things. However, he just wanted a uniform.

Comprehension:

Ans 1:

General George S. Patton was considered a controversial military figure because of his aggressive tactics and outspoken views. After World War II, he gave such controversial statements about attacking Moscow instead of Germany. In his perspective, USA should have defeated Soviets instead of Nazis and this would have ultimately prevented Cold War. Thus, he remains a controversial military leader throughout USA's history.

Ans 2:

Alan Axelrod justifies Patton's perspective in his biography; "Patton: A Biography". According to Axelrod, Patton believed that Soviet Union was proposing a greater threat to American national interest than Nazis. He also believed that USA should have defeated Soviet Union rather than Germany, Soviet Union was way more dangerous than and a long term threat to American democracy. Therefore, Axelrod justifies Patton's view in the biography.

Ans 3

Another source that explores Patton's views is a 2015 article titled "What if Patton had captured Moscow?". The author of this article, Michael Peck examines the aftermaths of this scenario in which Patton had pushed all the way to Moscow. It would have been a risky and difficult political and military move, however, it could have altered the outcome of the war and this risky move could have simultaneously prevented the Cold War from ever happening.

Ans 4

In this comprehensive text, one can find contrasting as well as complimentary ~~statements~~ sentiments regarding General George S. Patton's views of attacking Moscow rather than Germany. Alan Axelrod justifies Patton's view in the biography. On the other hand, Michael Peck examines his perspective calling it risky and difficult on one hand and on the other he calls it that it would have prevented the cold war at the same time. Hence, one can easily track the

contrasting and complimentary elements in this text.

Ans. 5

It is dependable upon the leader himself. If the leader possesses a hegemonic and aggressive personality, he would definitely agree with the controversial perspectives of Patton. However, if the leader possesses a different nature than Patton, he would disagree with Patton's destructive beliefs. Historically, some historians criticize Patton's views, others argue that his willingness to think outside of the box could be a very wise and valuable lesson for leaders in any field.

Q: 3 Correct any 5 sentences.

(1) Asham said he is not available.

Asham said that he was not available.

(2) Next Saturday my nephew do a party.

My nephew will do a party on next Saturday.

(3) My uncle arrived to Islamabad yesterday. He stay here for a week.

My uncle arrived yesterday, and he will stay in Islamabad for a week.

④ If Wasim would win the lottery, he would travel a lot.

If Wasim wins the lottery then he would travel a lot.

⑤ My grandfather grows up tomato.

My grandfather grows tomatoes.

Q:5: (A) Punctuate the following passage.

Bob excitedly burst into the living room, holding a peculiar gadget. Honey! Look, what I bought, a robot vacuum cleaner", he exclaimed. His wife, Lisa eyed it skeptically, "You spent our savings on that!". "But it will save us time.", Bob argued. As the robot whirred to life, chaos ensued, it zoomed around bumping into walls and furniture, sending objects flying. Lisa sighed, "This isn't helping!". Bob sheepishly admitted, "maybe I got carried away". They erupted into laughter, realizing some messes are best cleaned up the old-fashioned way - with team work, and a trusty pan.

(B) Appropriate Prepositions.

1. She died of Corona.
2. He jumped over the gate.
3. He is fond of reading books.
4. He is reluctant to perform his duty.
5. Translate the following text from English to Urdu.

Q:6 (B) Dialogue

Sarah ~~thought~~ asked John, if he had thought about what career path he would choose after graduation.

John sincerely replied that, he was confused between finance and technology. Sara applauded his choices, and asked that why was he interested in finance.

John replied that, he loved analyzing data and predicting market trends, however, technology had more room for innovation and creativity. Sara agreeing with

John said, technology was constantly evolving, perhaps ~~if~~ he could combine his interests by working in

financial technology. John exclaimed with joy, saying that it would allow him to leverage his skills in

both areas. John thanked Sara. Sara ~~advise~~ accepted his gratitude, and advised him to always follow his passion.