

Précis 35: CSS 1988

- Q.2: Write a précis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title: (20)
- The touring companies had set up their stages, when playing of town folks and not for the nobility in the large inn yards where the crowd could sit or stand around the platform and the superior patrons could seat themselves in the galleries outside the bedrooms of the inn. The London theatres more or less reproduced this setting; though they were usually round or oval in shape and stage was more than a mere platform having entrances at each side, a curtained inner stage and an upper stage or balcony. For imaginative Poetic drama, this type of stage had many advantages. There was no scenery to be changed; the dramatist could move freely and a swiftly form place. Having only words as his command, he had to use his imagination and compel his audience to use theirs. The play could move at great speed. Even with such limited evidence as we possess, it is not hard to believe that Elizabeth audience, attending a poetic comedy, found in the theatre an imaginative experience of richness and intensity that we cannot discover in our own drama.

Title: ~~Implications of Stage Setting~~
~~on Audience's Experience~~
of The London Theatre Stage Setting ✓

The London theatre setting resembled much to the stage setting set up by the touring companies for playing of town folks. Such type of poetic dramas highly favoured the imagination more charming. It makes it clear that the essence of poetic comedy experienced by At Elizabeth audience owing to such setting is what lacks in today's dramas.

you have written the whole precis in 2 sentences almost

sentence structure is incorrect
need improvement in expression
main idea is picked and discussed
over all content is average
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Total words = 186
Required = 62
Precis = 63