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PART - II

Q. NO. 02.

PRÉCIS

According to the author, applying for a visa to Schengen countries is similar to getting ready for an important ceremony just to be mocked at. Their visa application process is extremely difficult and the standard ~~responses~~ comments of visa authorities show their instinct to deny visa to Pakistani citizens. Whereas, Europeans applying for Pakistani visa are treated like royalty. Despite being exhausted due to lengthy visa application processes, Pakistani visa applicants are perceived as a threat to Europe's peace. They might stop perceiving Pakistani citizens as a threat when they get a taste of their own medicine.

Suggested title:

"The struggles of Pakistani visa applicants."

Q. NO. 04.Correct any five:

1- Most of the shelves in the library is empty.

Answer: Most of the shelves in the library are empty.

2- Chocolate or vanilla: which do you like best?

Answer: Chocolate or vanilla: which one do you like better?

4- Ten mile are a long distance.

Answer: Ten miles is a long distance.

7- The student has written a 20-pages report last night.

Answer: The student wrote a 20-page report last night.

8- Learning to play piano requires a lot of efforts.

Answer: Learning to play the piano requires a lot of effort.

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Q. NO. 05.

Punctuate the Passage: (A)

Bill Gates once had coffee at a coffee shop. When the waiter was taking the dishes away, Bill Gates tipped him one dollar. "Whenever your daughter comes for coffee, she gives me a five-dollar tip," said the waiter. "She is the daughter of a billionaire," replied Bill Gates, "and I am the son of a poor carpenter." This is why it is often said: 'never forget your past, because your past is your greatest teacher.'

Re-write the sentences. (B)

- 1- He poured the water in the glass.
- 3- The people were driven to despair by the horrors of war.
- 6- The thief has run away with some money.
- 7- He wrote them a cheque for \$1000.
8. A grey mackintosh was folded on her arm.

Q. NO. 06.

(A) Pairs of words and sentences

- 1- PEEK: The students peeked into the result sheet while the teacher was away.
- 2- PIQUE: Watching the movie piqued his interest in exploring tropical regions.

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2- FLOUNDER: The dog floundered in the mud.

FOUNDER: They watched helplessly as their ship foundered.

5- SHEAR: The farmers shear their goats every summer.

SHEER: The sheer curtains made it easy to ~~watch~~ look outside.

6- DISCRETE: Every child in the school has a discrete nature.

DISCREET: The ambassador was discreet in his choice of words.

8- EPIGRAM: He used epigrams in his speech fluently.

EPIGRAPH: They plan on starting their speech with this remark as an epigraph.

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(B) PAIRS OF WORDS IN SENTENCES:

- 3- EAT CROW: He made sure that his critics ate crow after his speech.
- 4- DEAD WOOD: The manager fired the employee as he was dead wood to him.
- 5- MIDAS TOUCH: They seem to have the Midas touch when it comes to trading in stocks.
- 6- FAT AND SASSY: The new employ ~~was~~ ~~is~~ was fat and sassy before the ^{final} presentation.
- 7- AS FULL AS A TICK: He was as full as a tick and couldn't eat dessert.

Q. NO. 07.TRANSLATION:

An African thinker once said that when English came to Africa, they had innovation and we had freedom. They said that they had come to give us progress. We turned a blind eye. When we looked again, we had their innovation and they had our land. Similarly, with the advent of social media science, they had Facebook and WhatsApp. They said it's free. We turned a blind eye and when we looked again, ~~we~~ we had Facebook and WhatsApp while they had our freedom and personal information. Thus, whenever something is offered for free, we have to pay for it with our freedom.

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Q. NO. 03.

PASSAGE.

1- What were the reasons behind Foreman's transition from boxing to business?

Answer:

~~After~~ ^{Foreman} announced his retirement in 1974, after Muhammad Ali defeated him in boxing. At the time, he had a fortune of \$5 million. Due to impulsive decisions and lack of financial discipline, he was broke by 1987. He returned to the ring with a rather contrasting personality as compared to his past. He embraced his love for cheeseburgers and as soon as he got the right opportunity, he joined hands with business. Thus, his transition ~~was~~ from boxing to business was both, due to financial constraints and his love for cheeseburgers.

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2- What was the competitive advantage of George Foreman Grill?

Answer:

The competitive advantage of the George Foreman Grill was its unique design that allowed grease to drain off on one side, which promoted healthier eating.

3- What would have happened if Foreman had not sold the name rights?

Answer:

Foreman understood a crucial principle: just as it is important to know when to get in, it is equally important to know when to get out. Had Foreman not sold the name rights of George Foreman Grill, the increasing competition in the market ~~was~~ ~~making~~ would cost him a loss worth fortunes.

4- What kind of contrasted and complementary sentiments are evoked in this story?

Answer:

The contrasting sentiments in the story are Foreman's success as a boxer yet

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financial crisis after retirement.
Whereas the complementary sentiments
are his ~~set~~ resilience and consistency
in doing something great, while not
paying a heed to naysayers.

Q. How far is the text successful to
present the true picture of Foreman
and his struggle?

Answer:

~~The~~ The text has been quite
successful in presenting ~~the~~ both
pictures of George Foreman, including
his struggles and his accomplishments.