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Part - II

Q.2

PRECIS:

Being a Pakistani, applying for a Schengen country visa is just like arranging an event exclusively for the elite host. The complex visa application process which include incomplete documents, insufficient bank balance and questioning applicant's intentions, often lead ^{to} visa rejection; though a huge amount of money and energy is spent on visa application requirements. Most European believes that Pakistanis may harm their culture & society. Contrary to this, Western citizens are always welcome in Pakistan and are offered traditional hospitality by the locals. This discriminatory attitude would not be realized by west until it happens to them.



Q.3 Passage Questions/Answers.

Q.1: Answer:

Foreman shifted from boxing to business due to financial ruin caused by poor decisions. After losing his fortune, he reinvented himself, which led to a successful business opportunity with George Foreman Grill.

Q.2: Answer:

The Grill's unique design which allow grease to drain off, made it a healthier cooking option. Foreman's family-focused, sub-skilled commercial also set it apart in a crowded market.

Q.3: Answer:

Without selling the name rights, Foreman might have continued earning royalties.

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but the market was becoming saturated, and the product's success could have declined. Selling at its peak ensured a large payout.

Q.4 Answer

The story contrasts Foreman's early setbacks with his later success. It complements these setbacks with themes of resilience, reinvention, and the value of authenticity in achieving lasting success.

Q.5. Answer:

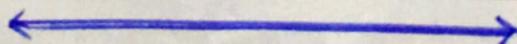
The text effectively portrays Foreman's journey from personal crisis to success, highlighting his resilience, authenticity, and smart decision-making in both his boxing career and business ventures.



Question No. 4

Sentence correction.

- 1: Most of the shelves in the library are empty.
- 3: Ten mile is a long distance.
- 5: She is one of the students who have passed competitive exams.
- 6: The student wrote a twenty-page report last night.
- 7: Learning to play the piano requires a lot of efforts.



Question No. 5 Punctuation

A

Bill Gates once had a 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 the billionaire," 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.'"



B Prepositions.

- 1: He poured the water into the glass.
- 2: The government has tided over difficulties.
- 4 His success cannot be cried over by anyone.
- 5: There were lots of shops on the main street.
- 7: He wrote them a cheque of \$1000.



Q. NO. 6. (Part A)

Discrete:

The scientist conducted discrete experiments, each focusing on a different aspects of the chemical reaction.

Discreet:

She was very discreet about her friend's surprise party.

Quaint:

The little village had a quaint charm, with stone street and old-fashioned cottages.

Queer:

The old man had a queer habit of talking to his plants as if they could understand him.



Part B

Hang up one's Hat

After years of travelling the world, John decided to hang up his hat and settle down in quiet countryside town

Fat and Sassy

After weeks of indulging foods, the cat became fat and sassy, strutting around with a confident attitude.

As Full as Tick

After the buffet, I felt as full as tick, unable to eat another bite.



Q. No. 7 Translation.

Once an African thinker said that when the British came Africa, they had modernity and we had land. They (British) said, we had come here to develop you. We (African) closed our eyes and when we opened, we found that they had innovations and the British had our land. They said, this is free, so, we closed our eyes and when we opened we found that we had whatsapp, facebook and they (British) had our freedom, and our privacy. Hence, every free offer cost one's freedom.