

PART - II

Q2: PRECIS

Title: The Persistence of Ad Hominem
Fallacy

Precis:

Ad hominem is the fallacy of attacking a person instead of addressing the argument. In one instance, a lawyer was advised to insult the plaintiff's attorney when lacking a strong case. Lincoln, in an early trial, swayed the jury by mocking his opponent on his back-buttoned shirt rather than debating legal points, exploiting the biases of jurors. This tactic has existed since ancient times used by sophists and others. While questioning the health of leaders as in the cases of Eisenhower and Roosevelt can be relevant but attacking Roosevelt's disability to discredit his policies represented a cruel and malicious use of ad hominem.

Showing how personal attacks can replace rational debate.

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Q-3: Reading Comprehension

ANSWERS:

1. The Village of Kamalpur was defended by 140 soldiers from 31 Baluch. This task was assigned to Ahsan Malik who headed these soldiers to defend this village on the East Pakistan border. After the war, Ahsan Malik was awarded with Sitara-e-Jurat for his bravery and courage on the request of Pakistani counterpart namely Maneekshaw.

2. Two pilots reunited after forty years and their friendship continued until death. In 1943 American pilot Charles Brown plane was severely damaged by German fighters after bombing Bremen Germany. ^{The Pilot} Franz considered Charles' plane as defenseless parachutists and recalled his commander warning of not shooting any helpless parachute. Due to this both ~~pilots~~ pilots became friends and their friendship lasted till death.

3. The story shows that real bravery is not only about physical courage or battlefield success. It includes making moral choices even when violence is expected. True bravery means protecting life when possible even if the enemy is involved. The examples in the story show soldiers choosing ethics over cruelty. These actions reveal a deeper form of courage that values humanity. Such bravery leaves a stronger legacy than any military victory.

4. Acts of kindness can transform enemies into lifelong friends. When a soldier chooses compassion over violence, it creates emotional bonds that last long after the war ends. Zahid Hattaraj saving Najin Abud's life is one such example that turned strangers from rival armies into brothers. Similarly, Franz Stigler's mercy created a friendship with Charles Brown that lasted forty years. These gestures show that humanity can overcome national and military divisions. Once kindness is shown, hostility loses its power. This shows war does not have to destroy human connection.

5. If Stigler had shot down Brown damaged plane the American crew would certainly have died. Brown would never have lived to tell the story of mercy shown by an enemy pilot. Their later friendship which inspired thousands would not exist. The powerful message of humanity would have been lost. History would have remembered only another wartime death not an act

of grace. The example of moral courage under fire would have disappeared. Their story proves how one compassionate decision can change the future.

Q.4: Correction

- (a) Hundred of student gathered to attend the conference by Hameed Ali Gondal.
 - (b) I am one of those person who cannot describe what I feel.
 - (c) The Professor and orator is dead.
 - (d) I never had and never will abuse anyone.
 - (e) You need not rebuke him.
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Q.5(A): Preposition

i- The doctor gave me a prescription
for my cough.

ii- Throw this pen in the dustbin.

v. While walking on the bank of river,
Wordsworth saw a large number of
daffodils.

vii- The bird flew over my head.

viii- In the examination you have to
answer all the questions in an hour.

Q-5(B): PUNCTUATION

Two little frogs were playing about at the edge of a pool. When an ox came down to the water to drink and by accident trod on one of them and crushed the life out of him. When the old frog kissed him she asked his brother, "Where he was?" "He is dead", mother said. "The little frog, an enormous big creature with four legs came to our pool this morning and trampled him down in the mud." "Enormous! Why he?"

was he, as big as, this?", said the frog puffing herself out to look as big as possible. "Oh yes!" Much bigger was the answer. The frog puffed herself out still more. ~~was~~ "Was he as big as this?", said she. "Oh yes yes! much much bigger", said the little frog and yet again she puffed and puffed herself out till she was almost as round as a ball, as big as she began but then she burst.

Q.6: Narration

- (1) Majid asked if that was my house.
 - (2) The taxi driver asked where I wanted to be dropped.
 - (3) The judge ordered them to call the first witness.
 - (5) He said that he had knocked on the door but she had not answered.
 - (8) He exclaimed with regret that it was a pity I had missed such an important meeting.
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Q-7: TRANSLATION

If only we could play again the games like gilli-danda, treasure hunt, hopscotch and hide and seek. If those old days returned, we would be able to feel the same happiness and carefree moments once again. We would run through the lanes with our friends, laughing and letting go of the little quarrels that came up during our games. Those days now live only as memories and the heart often longs for those moments when life was simple, joyful and free of worries.
