

English Precis & Composition

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Q4

Correction of Errors:

- iii) The bag was so heavy that I couldn't lift.
- vii) Ahsan neither want to study, nor he wants a job.
- i) We accepted their offer in the ground because something is better than nothing.
- vii) Neither of the two applicants had suitable qualifications.
- ii) Use one cupful or half bowl of water.
- v) Innings is one of the divisions of match during which one team takes its turn to bat.

Q5(A)

Punctuation

The prisoner looked through the narrow window and said, "They call this justice, yet I have never been heard." The guard replied softly, "Orders are orders, Sir. Freedom is n't decided here."

A journalist outside shouted, "The minister claimed no one is above the law, but who decides what law means when truth is behind

bars." The cell felt silent; the prisoners smiled faintly and whispered, "They can cage a man, but not his conviction."

Q5(B)

Appropriate Proposition

- ii) She died of starvation
- iii) Look at the left and you will see ~~our~~ destination.
- iv) We saw a movie in/inside the theatre
- v) You can go for you have done your work.
- vi) We all sat on the dinner table
- vii) I pushed away the crowd.

Q3

Comprehension Passage

Q1 Why did Timothy Denters rivals advise him to ship coal to Newcastle, what was the intended outcome of this suggestion?

Ans: Timothy Denters rivals, envious of his success, suggested him to trade coal to Newcastle — a city in England famous for its rich production of coal. His rivals wanted to humiliate him and trap him in losses.

Q2 What unexpected event in England transformed Denters apparently foolish coal venture into a profitable success?

Halted ^{local} Coal production in England due to miners strike turned Timothy Denton's apparently bizarre decision into a highly profitable venture

- 3- What does the author imply about the relationship between luck and intelligence in Timothy Denton's success?

Through Timothy Denton's multiple ventures, Author implied that luck ^{has} always turned Timothy's foolish decisions into profitable business. Therefore, In Timothy Denton's ~~case~~ success, luck played important role and overpowered the intelligent suggestions of his rivals

- 4- How does Denton's repeated success in turning mockery into profit challenge conventional ideas about business wisdom and education?

Denton's repeated apparently foolish ideas ~~saved him~~ transformed into greatest victories. This success ^{of his} challenges the conventional ideas of business that emphasize ^{the} necessity of wisdom and education for successful business ventures.

- 5- What can be inferred about human perception of "foolishness" and "genius" from the way Denton's rivals reacted to his achievements? From Denton's rivals reaction to his achievements,

It could be inferred that human's idea of "foolishness" and "genius" is related to outcome and results. Human consider successful person genius even though his decisions are foolish and ~~luck is to one~~ ^{his} success is only luck based.

(Q2)

- 1) Green Revolution: an illusory sustainability
- 2) Zero emission: A deceptive slogan
- 3) Renewable Energy: Degrading Planet

Politicians, Corporations and Environmental activist have been presenting renewable energy sources as means of healing environmental degradation caused by fossil fuels. However, the green revolution - the use of clean technology in the form of solar panels, wind turbines and electric vehicles - ~~is~~ itself is ruining ecosystem in the pursuit of so-called sustainable materials. This ^{apparently} sustainable technology pose hidden toll to environment because its manufacturing, transportation, disposal and recycling demands fossil fuel use. Therefore, idea of zero emission, net zero, carbon neutrality are deceptive. One environmental crisis is being mitigated at the cost of another. Human's obsession with "green label" is now being ^{exploited} ~~used~~ by marketing companies. True sustainability lies in efficiency and restraint. Planet is being wounded instead of healing by renewable energy. (122)

(Q7)

Translation

If any professor of Urdu ~~is~~ claims that he understands ghalib's work quite well and he can create a suitable environment by discussing his artistic qualities, then he is surely showcasing his educational command/abilities.

But If he is demanded of ^{composing} ~~creating~~ a single piece of poetry like ghalib, then he will ^{become} ~~be~~ helpless.

Because ^{Understanding} ~~Intellect~~ and creation are two different worlds/things. Understanding is the outcome of Intellect, but Creation is the result of Intuition and

The level Ghalib was blessed with, was not only due to research and hardwork but ~~it~~ was symbol of an extraordinary intelligence, empathy and God's blessings. This is the

reason that his poetry has similar impact ^{as in his own} ~~time~~ on people ^{even} after centuries.