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(Security & Detective Science) Examination, October/November 2016  
ENGLISH

(New Syllabus) (2014-15 Batch Onwards)  
General Proficiency and Communicative English

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION - A  
(Prose)

- I. Answer **any one** of the following in **not** more than **two** pages : (1×10=10)
- 1) What made Lovis Pasteur announce, 'My treatment works .....' Explain.
  - 2) "The important thing in the Olympic Games is not winning but taking part ....."  
How true is this statement with regard to Luz Long's behaviour in the 1936 Olympic Games ?
  - 3) Narrate the incidents that force the King of Monaco to reward the murderer with a pension.
  - 4) Narrate the incident that makes Schatz think he was dying.
- II. Answer **any three** of the following in **not** more than a page **each** : (3×5=15)
- 1) According to Jawaharlal Nehru, in what sense is a little stone a page in nature's book ?
  - 2) Write a note on the European Yard in the Yeravda Central Prison.
  - 3) What made Lovis Pasteur feel the need to look in the brain and spinal chord for the rabies germ ?
  - 4) Why did everyone expect Jesse Owens to 'Win the Olympic event hands down' ?
  - 5) How did Gandhiji help Patrick Quinh ?



SECTION – B

(Poetry)

III. Answer **any one** of the following in **not** more than **two** pages : (1×10=10)

- 1) Explain how the moonlight transform the landscape as presented in the poem 'Silver' ?
- 2) Explain 'Coromandel Fishers' as a song sung by the 'sons of the sea'.
- 3) Explain the different things that William Wordsworth thinks of in order to get sleep.
- 4) Describe the traveller's account of the broken statue of Ozymandias in the desert in Egypt.

IV. Select **any three** of the following passages and answer the questions given below them in **one** or **two** sentences **each** :

1) It is not growing like a tree  
 In bulk, doth make men better be;  
 Or standing long an oak, three hundred year,  
 To fall a log at last, dry, bald and sere;

- a) What does not make men better ? 1
- b) What stands for a long time ? How long does it stand ? 2
- c) Explain the last two lines. 2

2) Rise, brothers, rise, the wakening skies  
 Pray to the morning light,  
 The wind lies asleep in the arms of the dawn.  
 Like a child that has cried all night.

- a) Who does 'brothers' refer to ? 1
- b) Explain the line 'the wakening skies pray to the morning light'. 2
- c) Explain the figure of speech in the last two lines. 2

3) Without Thee what is all the morning's wealth ?  
 Come, blessed barrier between day and day,  
 Dear mother of fresh thoughts and joyous health !

- a) What does 'mornings wealth' refer to ? 1
- b) Who is the 'blessed barrier' ? How is it a barrier ? 2
- c) Explain the phrase 'Mother of fresh thoughts and joyous health'. 2

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- 4) Walks the night in her silver shoon  
This way, and that, she peers and sees  
Silver fruit upon silver trees;
- a) Who does 'here' refer to ? 1  
b) What does 'Silver fruit upon silver trees describe ? 2  
c) Explain the figure of speech in these lines. 2
- 5) Two vast and trunkless legs of stone  
Stand in the desert. Near them, on the sand,  
Half sunk, a shattered visage lies, whose frown,  
And wrinkled lip, and sneer of cold command,  
Tell that its sculptor well those passions read
- a) Whose statue do these lines refer to ? 1  
b) What is the condition of the statue ? 2  
c) What do the expressions on the 'shattered visage' tell us about the person ? 2

SECTION – C  
(Grammar)

V. Do as directed :

- 1) a) I always use \_\_\_\_\_ H.B pencil (Fill in the blanks with the appropriate article). 1  
b) She is my mother. (Name the part of speech of the underlined word). 1
- 2) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate form of the verb given in brackets. (2x1=2)  
a) The Cinnamon roll \_\_\_\_\_ heavenly. (taste)  
b) She \_\_\_\_\_ upset about the announcement. (appear)
- 3) Rewrite as directed : (2x1=2)  
a) I will always love you (convert into negative sentence without changing the meaning of the sentence).  
b) Ravi has gone home (Frame a question so as to get the underlined word as answer).
- 4) Choose the correct alternative from those given in brackets and fill in the blanks : (3x1=3)  
a) No news \_\_\_\_\_ good news. (is/are)  
b) The quality of the fruits \_\_\_\_\_ not good. (was/were)  
c) One must not boast of \_\_\_\_\_ success. (One's/his)

- 5) A) Identify the underlined verb as transitive or intransitive. (2x1=2)
- a) Tom played football. (transitive/intransitive)
  - b) He talks loudly. (transitive/intransitive)
- B) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate forms of verbs in brackets : (3x1=3)
- a) She \_\_\_\_\_ (hang) the picture in her room.
  - b) The burglars \_\_\_\_\_ (steal) the money when everyone was asleep.
  - c) Last evening I \_\_\_\_\_ (walk) five miles.
- 6) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate forms of verbs in brackets : (2x1=2)
- a) Ramu \_\_\_\_\_ (drink) tea every morning.
  - b) My friends \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) the Prime Minister last evening.
- 7) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate auxiliary/modal auxiliary. (2x1=2)
- a) Rockey is a strong boy. I'm sure he \_\_\_\_\_ carry thin bag (May, Can)
  - b) They \_\_\_\_\_ their work in time. (do, does)
- 8) Rewrite the following as directed : (5x1=5)
- a) I found the book which was lost. (Convert into a simple sentence)
  - b) Gopi said, 'I know her address'. (Rewrite using indirect speech)
  - c) The peon opened the gate. (Rewrite using passive voice)
  - d) Usha is the tallest girl in the class. (Change into positive degree without changing the meaning of the sentence)
  - e) Abdul is stronger than Imran. (Change into positive degree without changing the meaning of the sentence)
- 9) Add suitable question tags : (2x1=2)
- a) I am your best friend, \_\_\_\_\_
  - b) The flowers are beautiful, \_\_\_\_\_
- 10) Write a paragraph of about 100 words on **any one** of the given topics : 5
- a) My favorite hobby.
  - b) Advantages of wearing helmet.
  - c) The profession that I wish to pursue.

OR

Write a letter of application for the post of Junior Manager at Kamath Enterprises, Sullia. Your name and address will be Shakthi R., Flat No. 212, Darmesh Apartments, Mangalore.

Enclose your C.V.

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