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MONTHLY TEST - JULY -2023

X - STANDARD

ENGLISH

PORTION: UNIT 7 **TIME: 1.30** MAXIMIUM MARKS: 50 PART - A I. Choose the appropriate Synonyms of the word underline. 3 X 1 = 31. I was "Horrified" for I had not heard about it a) Shocked b) fearlss c) calm d) rejected 2. I saw Mrs.Hudson waiting outside, "trembling" a) Steady b) Shiver c) Calm d) Stabilize 3. In the dim light of a foggy November day, the sick - room was a *gloomy* spot. a) Dark b) Bright c) Short d) Known PART - B II. Choose the appropriate Synonyms of the word underline. 3 X 1 = 34. "Let me at least have someone in whom I have **Confidence**". c) boldness a) Uncertainty b) certainty d) sadness 5. But it was the *gaunt* face staring form the bed that brought chill to my heart. c) clean a) fat b) lean d) part 6. He lay listless. a) Inactive b) Bold c) active d) speaking <u>PART – C</u> III. Answer any five of the following questions in one or two sentences. 5 X 2 = 107. How did according to Smith Holmes get the disease? 8. What explanation did Holmes give for speaking rudely to watson? 9. Who is Mr.Culverton Smith? 10. Why didn't Holmes let Watson examine him? 11. Who arrested Smith? What were the charges against him? 12. What were the instruction given by Holmes to Watson? 13. How did Watson feel when he heard of Holme's illness? PART - D IV. Answer the following questions in a paragraph of about 100 - 150 words. $1 \times 5 = 5$ 14. How did Watson help his friend to arrest the criminal? PART - E V. Read the given lines and answer the questions given below. $2 \times 2 = 4$ 15. It never grows leaves,

Not in the winter, spring, summer or fall

It just sits there never getting small or ever growing tall

- a. What does 'it' refer to?
- b. In what way the tree is a mystery?
- 16. Beside the house sits a tree.

It never grows leaves,

Not in the winter ,spring ,summer or fall.

- a) Do leaves grow in the leaves?
- b) What is near the house?

<u>PART - F</u>

VI. Answer the following in a paragraph:

17. How is mystery depicted in the poem?

PART - G

VII.MEMORIZATION:

5 X 1 = 5

25.Poem - "No men are foreign".

FROM: "Rememberstrange".

<u>PART - H</u>

- <u>VIII. Complete the following sentences by choosing the correct options given.</u> $4 \times 1 = 4$
- 26. Priya has broken her (four / fore) limbs.
- 27. Leaders of the world must work towards the (peace /piece) of human race.
- 28. The shepherd (herd /heard) the cry of his sheep.
- 29. Lakshmi completed her baking(course /coarse) successfully.

<u>PART - I</u>

IX. Transform the following sentences as instructed.

 $3 \times 2 = 6$

- 30. As Karthik is a voracious reader, he buys a lot of books. (Into simple)
- 31. If Bhuvana reads more, she will become proficient in the language. (Into Compound)
- 32. Run carefully lest you will fall down. (Into Complex)

PART - J

X. Rearrange the sentences on coherent order.

 $5 \times 1 = 5$

33.

- i) Along with them it had a dynamite which would explode when the box was opened.
- ii) Before opening the box he should read the letter kept on the box.
- iii) So he could own the stones, he could not take them out of the box.
- iv) Tom's uncle told him that the box containing precious stones would belong to him.
- v) The letter said that the box contained many valuable stones.