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[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :** (1) Q. 1 carries MCQs.
(2) All questions are compulsory.
(3) Write MCQs in main answer sheet.

1 Choose the right option : 20

- (1) How did Meena reward her mentor?
- (A) she gave him some money
(B) she gave him a pair of dress.
(C) she blessed him sincerely
(D) she sponsored his grand daughter to a boarding school.
- (2) What did Meena lack in?
- (A) she lacked in prosperity
(B) she lacked in comforts.
(C) she lacked in close friends
(D) she lacked in pleasing and happy nature.

- (3) Rani Laxmibai bore up martyrdom against British army in....
(A) 1942 (B) 1856
(C) 1857 (D) 1947
- (4) Rani Laxmibai has been an icon of.....
(A) a horse rider
(B) women's freedom movement.
(C) the Indian people's love of freedom
(D) a best ruler of her kingdom.
- (5) The writer's nature is
(A) friendly and outgoing
(B) reserve
(C) narrow-minded
(D) complex
- (6) The woman had extensive knowledge of
(A) computer science
(B) medicines
(C) film industry
(D) flora and fauna of Bangalore
- (7) In the past social problems were solved by -
(A) the village panchayat
(B) legal procedure
(C) lawyers
(D) the friends and relatives
- (8) The sweeper woman cried because
(A) a bike rider knocked her down
(B) the narrator quarreled to her.
(C) she was suffering from headache
(D) her drunkard husband beat her.

- (9) There was a ceremony of
- (A) wedding at Suma's house
 (B) threading at Suma's house
 (C) birth anniversary at Suma's house
 (D) house warming at Suma's house
- (10) Insensitive index means
- (A) the mark position
 (B) the mark of feelings
 (C) the rank of good feelings
 (D) decreasing level of compassion
- (11) Farmer is to plough as carpenter is to
- (A) needle (B) brush
 (C) saw (D) razor
- (12) Mango is to fruit as ant is to
- (A) animal (B) insect
 (C) mammal (D) beast
- (13) Take is to took as give is to
- (A) gave (B) given
 (C) gives (D) giving
- (14) Bark : Dog ::
- (A) Skin : Cat (B) Nest : Bird
 (C) Egg : Chicken (D) Hoot : Owl
- (15) The synonym of 'slim' is
- (A) thin (B) thick
 (C) fat (D) small
- (16) The antonym of 'light' is
- (A) dark (B) white
 (C) bright (D) dart

(17) A child without parents is called

- (A) naughty (B) smart
(C) orphan (D) illegal

(18) _____ means study of earthquakes.

- (A) Seismology (B) Biology
(C) Ideology (D) Geology

(19) One who sacrifices his life for a noble cause is called

- (A) martyr (B) patriot
(C) leader (D) warrior

(20) _____ Means study of word origins.

- (A) Ornithology (B) Ecology
(C) Etymology (D) Ideology

2 Write detailed note on the following : (any two)

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- (1) Describe the conversation between the writer and the youngster in the lesson 'Forgetting Our Own History'.
- (2) Draw the character sketch of Meena in 'A lesson in Life from a Beggar!'
- (3) Explain the title of the lesson, 'Cause Then Cure'
- (4) Explain the events of past simplicity in the lesson 'Once Upon a Time, Life was Simple'

3 Answer the following questions in brief : (any three) 15

- (1) Who tied up the narrator's cow? Why?
- (2) Explain the woman's preparation for her daughter's coming marriage.
- (3) Who entered the compartment? How did she look like?
- (4) Why did the writer go to Delhi?
- (5) What was the secret of a change in Meena's life"

4 (a) Translate from English into Gujarati : 5

Experience is the best teacher. It does not teach everything. It doesn't teach History, Geography or Chemistry. What it teaches is the act of living. Nothing else can teach this subject as good as experience does. Experience is a strict teacher and it charges very high fees. It punishes severely for mistakes, but it teaches its lessons thoroughly.

(b) Translate from Gujarati into English : 5

દહેજ એ એક સામાજિક દૂષણ છે. વર પક્ષવાળા લગ્ન વખતે કન્યાનાં મા-બાપ તરફથી સોનું ચાંદી કે રોકડા નાણાં મળે તેવી આશા રાખતા હોય છે. કેટલાક વર જાતે સ્કુટર કે કાર મળે કે વિદેશના એક પ્રવાસનો બંદોબસ્ત થઈ જાય તેવી અપેક્ષા રાખતા હોય છે. આપણા સમાજમાં અનેક કુટુંબોમાં મોટો દાયજો લાવનાર વહુનું વધુ માન રખાય છે. લગ્નમાં પોતાની દીકરીઓને બહુ આપી શકવાની સ્થિતિ ન હોય તેવા લોકો પર દહેજના રિવાજની અત્યંત બુરી અસર થતી હોય છે એવા પણ કેટલાક દાખલા છે કે જેમા સંતોષદાયક દાયજો મળ્યો ન હોય તેવી છોકરી સાથે તેમના સાસુ સસરા જ નહી પરંતુ તેનો વર પણ ખરાબ રીત વર્તતા હોય છે.

- 5 Read the following share market report and answer the following questions :

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Global cues pull Sensex up 136 points

Mumbai, 2 February

The Bombay Stock Exchange's benchmark Sensex and the broad based S and P CNX Nifty today scaled new heights as the stock market extended gains for the second straight day on the-back of strong global cues, setting aside worries over rising inflation.

Driven higher by sector specific activity, the bellwether Sensex touched a new intraday high of 14,462.77. It later ended the day at an all-time high of 14,403.77, up 136.59 points or 0.96 per cent over yesterday's close of 14,267.18.

Similarly, the National Stock Exchange's (NSE) Nifty scaled a new trading peak of 4,198.70 and closed at a record high of 4,183.50, recording a rise of 46.30 points or 1.12 per cent over the last close of 4,137.20.

The market sentiment was enlivened by good buying support from operators and fresh buying by foreign institutional investors in select countries like L and T, BHEL, Bharati Airtel, Reliance Communications. HDFC, Wipro, Styam Computers, ACC, GACL and Grasim, brokers said.

Despite concerns overstretched valuations and high inflation pressure, investors seemed to be encouraged by record net profits earned by a majority of corporate in the third quarter of this fiscal. Major companies have mostly reported robust growth in December quarter earnings, and the central bank raised its 2006/07 economic growth forecast this week to 8.5-9.0 per cent from 8 per cent.

"The market is clearly being driven by fundamental developments and easy global liquidity – profit growth has been fantastic", said Jigar Shah, director at KR Choksey Shares and Securities. "It looks like the momentum will continue."

Questions :

- (1) Explain the title of the given share market report.
- (2) Arrange the movement of the Sensex in a table format.
- (3) How many points were gained by Nifty?
- (4) Which scripts were in demand on the BSE?
- (5) Explain the following terms :
 - (1) Bellwether
 - (2) Counter.
