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B. Com. (Sem. VI) (CBCS) Examination

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English Language - VI

Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours / Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :** (1) All the questions are compulsory.
(2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- 1** (a) Answer in one or two sentences : (any **five**) **5**
- (1) Who was the owner of the jewellery shop where William Morris worked ?
 - (2) How did the lighthouse keeper's job fall vacant ?
 - (3) Where did the author and Larry work in the story 'Senor Payroll' ?
 - (4) Who is the author of the story 'A Real Good Smile' ?
 - (5) Why did Govind Singh go to the X-ray institute ?
 - (6) What did Govind Singh discover about himself after retirement ?
 - (7) How old was Skavinski when he applied for the job of lighthouse keeper ?
- (b) Write short notes : (any **two**) **15**
- (1) William Morris.
 - (2) The Mexican Stokers.
 - (3) Govind Singh.
- 2** Answer in brief any **five** questions : **20**
- (1) Why William Morris observed people whenever he travelled ?
 - (2) Why was it important to find a suitable candidate for the job of the lighthouse keeper in twelve hours ?
 - (3) Why did the company issue the first memo ? Why did the stokers start making up excuses ?
 - (4) Why was Billy in trouble in the story 'A Real Good Smile' ?
 - (5) What were the two career choices open to Billy at the end of the story and which one did he choose ?

- (6) Why was Govind Singh disturbed when he received a letter from the company ?
- (7) What were the contents of the letter that Govind Singh received from the company ?
- 3 (a) Prepare a questionnaire on any **one** : **10**
- (1) A survey of people's response to a newly launched smart phone.
- OR**
- (2) A survey of the saving habits of middle class people in cities.
- (b) Write an essay on any **one** of the following : **10**
- (1) Role of media in democracy.
- (2) E-commerce.
- 4 Read the following share market report and answer the questions **10** that follow :

Sensex Up 563 pts; RIL, HDFC twins shine

Equity bench marks shrugged off lackluster global cues to clock smart gains on Tuesday, buoyed by strong buying interest in index heavy weights Reliance Industries and HDFC twins. However, a depreciating rupee and unabated foreign fund outflows capped the gains, traders said. The sensex rallied 563 points to settle at 60,656. The Nifty climbed 158 points to 18,063.

Larsen and Toubro topped the sensex gainers chart with a jump of 3.5% followed by HUL, HDFC, HCL Technologies, HDFC Bank and RIL. In contrast, SBI, Bajaj Finserv, IndusInd Bank, Wipro, Tata Steel and Bajaj Finance were among the laggards, shedding up to 1.6%. The market breadth was in favour of the bulls, with 22 advances and 8 declines.

Questions :

- (1) What is the trend of the market ?
- (2) In which stocks did the investors show buying interest ?
- (3) At which point did the sensex settle ?
- (4) Who topped the sensex gainers chart ? Which other stocks gained ?
- (5) Shares of which companies showed loss ?