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- Instructions :**
- (1) This question paper contains **TWO** Sections. **Section – I** and **Section – II**
 - (2) It is compulsory to attempt both the sections.
 - (3) Read the instructions given for each section carefully.
 - (4) Please mention clearly the questions you attempt.

SECTION – I

Attempt any **three** of the following questions from this section : **42**

1. Answer in brief any **four** of the following questions : **14**

- (1) What did the teacher of P. T ask the boys to do at the gymnasium ?
- (2) Which are the two simplest and commonest words in English ?
- (3) What is Shaw's advice to the foreign speakers of English ?
- (4) What is 'physical education', according to the author ?
- (5) How is the home similar to school ?
- (6) Does Shaw advocate listening through a keyhole ?

2. Write a short note on any **one** of the following : **14**

- (1) Shaw's views on "Correct English".
- (2) The author's views about Education.
- (3) Shaw's advice to the Foreign Speakers.

3. Answer briefly any **four** of the following : **14**

- (1) Was there really a snake in Dasa's pot ?
- (2) Why did mother give a coin to the beggar ?
- (3) What did the cyclist announce at the gate of the bungalow ?
- (4) Why did Leacock get his photograph taken ?
- (5) Describe the photographer.
- (6) What made Leacock break into tears ?

4. Write a short note on any **one** of the following : **14**
- (1) Dasa- a lazy servant.
 - (2) Leacock's experience with the photographer.
 - (3) Humour in the story 'Snake in the Grass'.
5. Change the degree in the following sentences : **14**
- (1) Honesty is the best policy.
 - (2) The kettle is hotter than the tea.
 - (3) The price rise heat the poor the hardest.
 - (4) Mohan is not as tall as Shyam.
 - (5) No river is as holy as Ganga.
 - (6) Her friend talks as loud as she.
 - (7) Our heart is as big as our fist.
6. Transform the following sentences as per instructions given in brackets : **14**
- (1) He is a clever boy. (change to negative)
 - (2) She is a kind woman. (Change to exclamatory)
 - (3) Everyone knows Sardar Patel. (change to interrogative)
 - (4) This is a new building. (Change to negative)
 - (5) What fun it is to dance! (Change to assertive)
 - (6) The student is not regular. (Change to affirmative)
 - (7) It is a crime to hoard black money. (Change to interrogative)
7. Write a paragraph in about **100** words on any **one** of the following : **14**
- (1) Mahatma Gandhi
 - (2) My favourite book
 - (3) Dowry- a Curse
8. Write a paragraph in about **100** words on any **one** of the following : **14**
- (1) Sardar Patel
 - (2) A cricket match
 - (3) Internet- a blessing or curse.

SECTION – II

9. Choose the correct option from the choices given below each option. (Attempt any **four**)

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- (1) The teacher never speaks to _____.
 - (A) the students
 - (B) people in her building
 - (C) workers
 - (2) G.B. Shaw asks foreigners to speak _____ English.
 - (A) British
 - (B) perfect
 - (C) broken
 - (3) The author Nora Rossi pleads his teacher _____.
 - (A) to be a bit humble
 - (B) to be well informed in the subjects she teaches
 - (C) to be a strict disciplinarian with rowdy students
 - (4) Dasa said, there is no snake, because _____.
 - (A) the snake had disappeared.
 - (B) he had no machine.
 - (C) he was feeling sleepy.
 - (5) The beggar said that God _____ came to visit you.
 - (A) Shiva
 - (B) Brahma
 - (C) Subramanya
 - (6) When the author says, “I was conscious of a break in my voice,” he means _____.
 - (A) his voice was not clear.
 - (B) he was about to cry.
 - (C) He did not know not what to say.
 - (7) The Photographer studied Leacock’s face with an eye of a natural scientist means
 - (A) a scientist who was born and brought up in nature
 - (B) a scientist who was an environmentalist
 - (C) a student of Botany or Zoology.
 - (8) The Photographer was a drooping man means
 - (A) a man dropped down again and again
 - (B) a man bending down
 - (C) a man who would bend down to look for something again and again.
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