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(1) Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of Underlined idiom/phrase.

The party stalwarts have advised the President to take it lying down for a while.
[A] to be cautious
[B] to be on the defensive
[C] to take rest
[D] to show no reaction
Answer : [D]
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(2) Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of Underlined idiom/phrase.

Sanjay was the real power behind the throne and all politicians were aware of this.
[A] The person who had the real control and power
[B] The acknowledged leader
[C] The person who controlled the monarch
[D] The person who advised the queen
Answer : [A]
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(3) Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of Underlined idiom/phrase.

We were in hurry. The road being zigzag we had to cut off a corner to reach in time.
[A] To cut a portion of the road
[B] To take a short cut
[C] To go fast
[D] To take an alternative route
Answer: [B]
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(4) Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of Underlined idiom/phrase.

If you give John all your money, you are likely to burn your fingers.
[A] be unhappy
[B] be happy
[C] suffer
[D] be ill
Answer: [C]
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(5) Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of Underlined idiom/phrase.

I cannot get along with a man who plays fast and loose.
[A] behaves in an unreliable and insincere way
[B] has a loose tongue
[C] lives a life of ease and luxury
[D] does not know how to behave himself
(6) Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of Underlined idiom/phrase.

This regular absenteeism is a bad business since on work is being completed.
[A] Bad for business
[B] Non-business like
[C] An unfortunate event
[D] Creating ill-will
Answer: [C]
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(7) Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of Underlined idiom/phrase.

Jaya had a chequered career. since I first knew him as an office assistant in the insurance company.
[A] Had a variety of jobs and experiences
[B] A career which helped him make lot of money
[C] A career where he signed a lot of cheques
[D] Did odd jobs
Answer: [A]
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(8) Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of Underlined idiom/phrase.

He went back on his promise to vote for me.
[A] withdrew
[B] forgot
[C] reinforced
[D] supported
Answer : [A]
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(9) Pick up the correct Synonyms for the given word.

## CORPULENT

[A] Lean
[B] Gaunt
[C] Emaciated
[D] Obese
Answer : [D]
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(10) Pick up the correct Synonyms for the given word.

INDICT
[A] Condemn
[B] Reprimand
[C] Accuse
[D] Allege
Answer : [C]
Explanation: Meanings: formally accuse of a crime (Law); accuse, charge, criticize
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## (11) Pick up the correct Synonyms for the given word.

## RECKLESS

[A] Courageous
[B] Rash
[C] Bold
[D] Daring
Answer: [B]
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(12) Pick up the correct Synonyms for the given word.

## CONSEQUENCES

[A] Results
[B] Conclusions
[C] Difficulties
[D] Applications
Answer: [A]
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## (13) Pick up the correct Synonyms for the given word.

## TIMID

[A] Fast
[B] Slow
[C] Medium
[D] Shy
Answer : [D]
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(14)
$\mathrm{S}_{1}$ : For some time in his youth Abraham Lincoln was manager for a shop.
P: Then a chance Customer would come.
Q : Young Lincoln way of keeping shop was entirely unlike anyone else's
$R$ : Lincoln would jump up and attend to his needs and then revert to his reading.
$S$ : He used to lie full length on the counter of the shop eagerly reading a book.
$S_{6}$ : Never before had Lincoln had so much time for reading as had then.

## The Proper sequence should be:

[A] SRQP
[B] QSPR
[C] SQRP
[D] QPSR
Answer: [B]
(15)
$\mathrm{S}_{1}$ : Politeness is not a quality possessed by only one nation or race.
P: One may observe that a man of one nation will remove his hat or fold his hands by way of greetings when he meets someone he knows.
Q : A man of another country will not to do so.
R : It is a quality to be found among all peoples and nations in every corner of the earth.
S: Obviously, each person follows the custom of his particular country.
$\mathrm{S}_{6}$ : In any case, we should not mock at others habits.

## The Proper sequence should be:

[A] RPQS
[B] RPSQ
[C] PRQS
[D] QPRS
Answer: [B]
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(16)
$\mathrm{S}_{1}$ : Minnie went shopping one morning.
P : Disappointed She turned around and returned to the parking lot.
Q : She got out and walked to the nearest shop.
R : She drove her car into the parking lot and stopped.
S: It was there that she realised that she'd forgotten her purse at home.
$S_{6}$ : She drove home with an empty basket.

## The Proper sequence should be:

[A] RSQP
[B] RQSP
[C] PQRS
[D] QPRS

## Answer: [B]

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(17)
$\mathrm{S}_{1}$ : For decades, American society has been calling a melting pot
P: Differences remained - in appearence, mannerisms, customs, speech, religion and more.
Q: The term has long been a cliche and half-truth.
R: But homogenisation was never acheived.
S: Yes, immigrants from diverse cultures and traditions did cast off vestiges of their native lands and become almost imperceptibly woven in to the American fabric.
$\mathrm{S}_{6}$ : In recent years, such differences accentuated by the arrival of immigrants from Asia and other parts of the world in the United States - have become something to celebrate and to nurture.

## The Proper sequence should be:

[A] QRSP
[B] SQRP
[C] SQPR
[D] QSRP
Answer: [B]
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## (18) Choose the correct combination of the given words.

1. of 2. we 3. heard
2. him 5. had
[A] 42351
[B] 52341
[C] 25341
[D] 25431
[E] 25314
Answer: [E]
Explanation: "We had heard of him."
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(19) Choose the correct combination of the given words.
3. do 2. today 3. you
4. must 5. it
[A] 34152
[B] 25413
[C] 12543
[D] 51324
[E] 45213
Answer: [A]
Explanation: "You must do it today."
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(20) Choose the correct combination of the given words.
5. not 2. hotel 3. comfortable
6. was 5. the
[A] 34521
[B] 53412
[C] 34152
[D] 41352
[E] 52413
Answer: [E]
Explanation: "The hotel was not comfortable."
