



Alibhai was a traveller, who covered long distance on foot, in the Himalayan Mountains. He loved to observe nature. He went from village to village, town to town in the mountains, selling dried apricots, herbs and medicine and precious stones he had collected during his travelling.

**15. Who was a traveller?**

**16. What did Alibhai sell in villages of the Himalayas?**

❖ **Read the extract and answer the questions.**

[3]

Penguin is a bird that doesn't fly but walks and swims. They live on the snow in Polar Regions where there is no vegetables as it can't stand freezing cold. There days and nights are very long. Here a day means our weeks or even months and night is dark for our months, you may ask why they don't. I suppose they shouldn't as they are safe away from us.

**17. Where do the Penguins live?**

**18. How are the days and nights in the Polar Regions?**

**19. Find out the similar words from the passage: A) plants B) Chill**

### **SECTION-C**

**20. Read following passage and write its summary, suggest a suitable title to it.**

[3]

In 1883, a creative engineer named John Roebling was inspired by an idea to build a spectacular bridge connecting New York with the Long Island. However bridge building experts throughout the world thought that this was an impossible feat and told Roebling to forget the idea. It just could not be done. It was not practical. It had never been done before. Roebling could not ignore the vision he had in his mind of this bridge. He thought about it all the time and he knew deep in his heart that it could be done. He just had to share the dream with someone else. After much discussion and persuasion he managed to convince his son Washington, an upcoming engineer, that the bridge in fact could be built.

❖ **Read the news clipping and answer the questions.**

[3]

#### **Promoting the art of healthy living**

More than 20 people enjoyed a relaxing Sunday morning when they took part in a free yoga class at The Star Pitt St. in George Town Penang. They learnt breathing techniques and some yoga postures involving the spinal back, shoulders, wrists and elbows. The two-hour class from 9am to 11am yesterday was conducted by yoga teacher, therapist and consultant, Sri Ajaya Kumar Sahoo. He has 15 years of yoga teaching experience. the event was jointly organised by Think City and the Indian Cultural Central (the cultural wing of the High Commission of India in Kuala Lumpur), with the support of the Little India Joint Action Committee and The Star Pitt St.

Indian Cultural Centre Director Y. Lakshmajji Rao said that the event was beneficial to the community in term of promoting good health.

"Yoga helps promote a healthy body and a healthy mind. We received good response from the public for the event." He Said.

**21. What sis the people learn from the free yoga class?**

**22. How does Yoga help?**

**23. Who conducted the class?**

❖ **Read the stanza and answer the questions.**

[2]

Some water, coal and oil is all we ask,  
And a thousandth of an inch to give us play:  
And now, if you will set us to our task,  
We will serve you four and twenty hours a day!

**24. What are the humble needs of the machines?**

**25. What assurance is given by the machines?**

**26. Do as directed****[2]**

Ritu gets at 0' clock. She does not do yoga exercise in the morning. She listens to the classical music for an hour.

Start like this: Ritu has got up .....

**SECTION-D****27. Render the following dialogue into indirect speech.****[3]**

"Let's go for a walk." said Anju.

"Where shall we go?" said Rinku.

"We will go to nearby garden." said Anuj.

**❖ Complete the sentences using the functions given in the brackets.****[3]**

28. \_\_\_\_\_, she missed the train. [Though-Showing Contract]

29. They could not get proper education \_\_\_\_\_ [because -Showing Reason ]

30. My father \_\_\_\_\_ [used to - Habitual Past]

**31. Rewrite the paragraph correcting the errors.****[2]**

A good person is always cheats another person. It is our duty to be good. Let us never quarrel with each other.

**SECTION-E****32. Study the following table and write in about 80 words to describe it.****[3]**

Name of Student	English	Maths	Science
Vatsal	85	92	89
Keyur	82	96	84
Satwik	89	99	93

**33. Write a paragraph in about 150 words using the key words.****[5]****The Person You Admire The Most****33.**

Trees our best Friends

(Points: Weakning eye - sight, becoming lazy, less social communication, no time for reading, addiction)

Or

The ill effect of watching television too much.

(Points: weakening eye - sight, becoming lazy, less social communication, no time for reading, addiction)

**34. Prepare a brief report on celebration of Republic Day in your school.****[5]**