

English (New Book) - FA Part 1 English Chapter 14 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. How did the young man follow the young couple.

Ans 1: The young man followed the couple because he wanted to get a glimpse of their face. He also wanted to hear their talks during the walk.

Q2. Who took the young man after accident to the hospital.

Ans 1: The accident took place at night. Some of the passers -by and one of the traffic inspectors loaded his body into a car and shifted it to a nearby hospital

Q3. Why did the driver of the truck speed away after the accident.

Ans 1: The driver escaped from the site of the accident taking the advantage of the darkness around him.

Q4. What was there in the pockets of young man's overcoat.

Ans 1: A small comb, a handkerchief six annas and a few pies a half smoked cigarette and a little diary a list of gramophone records and a few handbills were found inside the pockets of the young man overcoat.

Q5. How did the young man die.

Ans 1: The young man died of a road accident. He was hit by a truck.

Q6. What is the moral of the story "overcoat"?

Ans 1: Every man wants to be a respectable citizen but poverty is a great enemy to human happiness. It also makes some virtues impracticable and others extremely difficult.

Q7. How did the nurses of the hospital comment on the youngman.

Ans 1: The nurse of the hospital commented that the young man seemed to be quite well -to -do

Q8. Why did the people come out on the Mall?

Ans 1: Almost people of all walks of life came on the mall to spend their leisure time. They include students, office worker, drivers, labourers, beggars and vendors. They came there to amuse themselves.

Q9. What was the condition of the young man after the accident.

Ans 1: The young man was badly hurt in the accident. He was in a very critical state when he was taken to the hospital.

Q10. What was the condition of the dead-body of the young man when his clothes were taken off.?

Ans 1: When the clothes of the young man were removed, there were layers of dirt over his body. He could not have had a bath for a least two months. Only the upper part of his neck was clean and well powdered.
