

## English (New Book) - FSC Part 1 English Chapter 9 Short Questions Online Test

Q1. What did the quack pretend to cure.

**Ans 1:** The quack pretended to be a physician. He told the people that he could cure goitre.

Q2. What is a clump of trees.

**Ans 1:** The word "clump" means a group of growing things therefore, a clump of trees means "a cluster of trees growing together".

Q3. What was the punishment inflicted upon the quack by the villagers.

**Ans 1:** The villagers forced the quack to dig the grave of the old woman. After funeral rites, they beat the quack severely.

Q4. What was stuck in the camel's throat.

**Ans 1:** A melon was stuck in the camel's throat.

Q5. How did happen to the camel and how did the camel man cure it.

**Ans 1:** A melon was stuck in the grazing camel's throat. The owner tied a blanket round its neck, and struck the place with all his might.

Q6. Why didn't the villagers let the old man be cured.

**Ans 1:** The villagers were suspicious of the quack's treatment. So, they did not let him cure the old man.

Q7. How did the quack try to cure the old woman.

**Ans 1:** The quack tied up the woman's throat, and struck the swollen part with a mallet with so much force that the old woman instantly died at the spot.

Q8. How did the camel-men cure their camel.

**Ans 1:** The camelman tied a blanket round the neck of their camel and struck the place with full force at once, the melon broke in the throat and the camel swallowed it easily.

Q9. What did the quack do in the next village.

**Ans 1:** In the second village, the quack agreed to cure the patient provided he was not compelled to dig the man's grave

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Q10. How did the quack come to realize his error.

**Ans 1:** A camelman struck the quack with great force with a stick. The quack fell down and became unconscious when he came to senses, he realized his error.

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