

**SECTION—II**  
**Language-II—English**

Choose the correct antonym of the given word :

21. **zenith**
- (A) nadir  
(B) extinct  
(C) top  
(D) extant

22. The environment has been destroyed completely. The phrasal verb that can replace the underlined portion is

- (A) wiped over  
(B) destroyed out  
(C) wiped out  
(D) rooted out

Choose the correct alternative :

23. 'A Passage to India' is a novel written by
- (A) E.M. Forster  
(B) Emily Brente  
(C) Walter Scott  
(D) Mary Shelley

Choose the correct synonym of the given word :

24. **slender**
- (A) sharp  
(B) dull  
(C) fat  
(D) slim

Choose the correct alternative :

25. She was singing a song. (Active)  
A song \_\_\_\_\_ by her. (Passive)
- (A) was sung  
(B) was being sung  
(C) sung  
(D) was sang

Choose the correct alternative :

26. Which of the following short stories was written by James Joyce ?
- (A) Araby  
(B) Fly  
(C) Doll's House  
(D) The Signalman

Choose the correct alternative for the underlined expression:

27. The situation left him in the horns of dilemma.
- (A) unable to recognize  
(B) unable to speak  
(C) unable to decide  
(D) unable to feel

Identify the incorrect part of the sentence. If the sentence is correct, choose the 'No error' option :

28. A tank can be / filled by a tap / in twenty minutes.
- (A) (B) (C)  
No error  
(D)

Choose the correct alternative :

29. 'Look Back in Anger' was written by
- (A) Harold Pinter  
(B) G.B. Shaw  
(C) John Osborne  
(D) J.M. Synge

Choose the correct alternative :

30. If I \_\_\_\_\_ a bird !
- (A) am  
(B) were  
(C) was  
(D) shall

Choose the correct antonym of the given word :

31. urban  
 (A) modern  
 (B) rapid  
 (C) rural  
 (D) remote

Choose the correct alternative :

32. Please, don't \_\_\_\_\_ the truth.  
 (A) hold over  
 (B) hold back  
 (C) hold to  
 (D) hold in

Choose the correct alternative :

33. I have never travelled \_\_\_\_\_ air.  
 (A) by  
 (B) in  
 (C) with  
 (D) from

Identify the incorrect part of the sentence. If the sentence is correct, choose the 'No error' option :

34. The host of reputed national and multinational /  
 (A)  
clients are / a better testimonial than the best  
 (B) (C)  
spoken words. / No error  
 (D)

Choose the correct synonym of the given word :

35. mould  
 (A) shape  
 (B) calculate  
 (C) argue  
 (D) blow

Choose the correct alternative :

36. My sister said to me, "Are you well ?" (Direct)  
 My sister \_\_\_\_\_ me if I \_\_\_\_\_ well.  
 (Indirect)  
 (A) asked, am  
 (B) asks, was  
 (C) asks, am  
 (D) asked, was

Choose the correct alternative :

37. I usually go to bed \_\_\_\_\_ midnight.  
 (A) in  
 (B) at  
 (C) on  
 (D) to

Choose the correct alternative :

38. Who wrote 'Arms and the Man' ?  
 (A) Samuel Beckett  
 (B) William Shakespeare  
 (C) G. B. Shaw  
 (D) Emily Bronte

Choose the correct alternative :

39. The weather office had predicted that it  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) soon.  
 (A) had rained  
 (B) have rained  
 (C) would rain  
 (D) rains

Choose the correct alternative :

40. I know the man. (Active)  
 The man \_\_\_\_\_ to me. (Passive)  
 (A) known  
 (B) is known  
 (C) is knew  
 (D) knew