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SUDDEN REALIZATION

It was a wonderful ~~Sunday~~ morning when Clara called. Perhaps a call was early for Sunday, but I was okay with that. We haven't talked for a while and I was thrilled to hear from her.

I was sure Clara'd propose a sleepover at her place, which she did, after announcing her plans on today: "I've found this terrific town at the coast, it's like 2 hours bus ride. Let's go!" I was charmed by the town's description and agreed in no time.

So, it started with a bus trip. The oldest buses imaginable served the route, so we wasted more time we thought we would. But as uncanny as we were, we enjoyed talking through all the way.

When we finally got there, we were stunned. The town wasn't looking alive! It was a great weather, but no one ^{except} ~~except~~ an old man, ~~scuttling~~ ~~along~~ the embankment, was outdoors.

As we got to know from this man, the town lived through its darkest times. "Tourism industry's practically dead and fishing gives us money no more", he said.

Then the rain started. It actually complemented our mood – we felt so soft for the town, we couldn't reel about the trip anymore. We walked in the town ~~and~~ thinking about such towns, though we could ^{just} think of ourselves living prosperously in a huge ~~city~~ ~~city~~. The story got to us. Already in the bus Clara decided her next photography ~~project~~ ^{project} will be dedicated to the problem of such



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turns! decline.

The trip did work out. We got back home in one piece: cold, drenched, but having learnt an important lesson.



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Listening Answer Sheet

Task 1

For questions 1-8 choose the correct answer or answers A, B, C or D.

For questions 9-10 complete the sentences using 1 word from the recording.

1.	B
2.	B
3.	A
4.	CD
5.	D
6.	B
7.	A
8.	BD
9.	brief
10.	ready

Task 2

Letters A-H list the reasons for attending the course. As you listen, put them in order in which you hear them by completing the boxes numbered 11-15.

For questions 16-20, choose from the list A-H what surprised the speaker about the course.

11.	D
12.	F
13.	C
14.	A
15.	E
16.	E
17.	F
18.	A
19.	C
20.	D



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Use of English

1.	P
2.	X
3.	O
4.	A
5.	D
6.	M
7.	V
8.	G
9.	W
10.	U
11.	Edinburgh
12.	League Tables
13.	1707
14.	Peter Pan
15.	Black Beauty
16.	benefits
17.	purple
18.	mentoring
19.	loose
20.	heft



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Reading Answer Sheet

1.	F
2.	C
3.	A
4.	E
5.	D
6.	B

7.	D
8.	C
9.	C
10.	B
11.	A
12.	C
13.	B
14.	A
15.	C
16.	A
17.	X D
18.	A
19.	D
20.	B

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