

**MAHARASHTRA STATE COUNCIL OF EXAMINATION, PUNE**

Government Commercial Certificate Examination

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[Time : 11-30]

(Total Marks for Sections I and II : 100)

**ENGLISH TYPEWRITING**

(40 Words Per Minute)

**SECTION - II**

[Time Allowed : 7 Minutes]

**Note :** Do not type the 'Speed Passage' again.

Type the following passage in SEVEN MINUTES. Use DOUBLE LINE or ONE and HALF LINE SPACING and Margin of FIFTEEN SPACES on the left.

**[Marks : 40]**

All of us know the Spiderman. It is very interesting to get the information about the spiders.

There are two main groups of spiders; the weaving spiders and the hunting spiders. There two groups differ in various ways. The weavers have bigger spinnerets, those parts of the body from which the silk comes out and their legs are generally much longer, with special claws at the end.

The hunting spiders which do not spin webs, have smaller spinnerets and strong, thicker legs. They have better eyesight than the weavers, but the weavers' sense of touch is more developed and they are more highly evolved than the hunters. The weavers do not take the trouble to hunt their prey, instead they set a trap and wait for the prey to get caught in it.

This trap is, of course, the web, which is made from the spider's silk. The silk is produced in glands in the back half of the body and pushed at through jets or nozzles called spinnerets.

These can be moved in any directions and they also control the quantity of silk that comes out. It is liquid when it some out and hardens when it meets the air, through it remains sticky. This is every important for the spider, since the stickiness helps to prevent his prey from escaping. The spider itself however, can run across the web because it has a kind of oil on its feet.