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English first test of the second term

Hamdi Bennani

Hamdi Bennani is a famous Algerian singer of « Malouf El Annabi ». He was born on January 1st, 1943 in Annaba. While very young, he showed abilities for singing thanks to the encouragements of his uncle « Mohamed El Kourd ». At the age of 16, he won the first prize. In 1963, his career of musician and singer took a large proportion. Hamdi Bennani nicknamed « The White Angel » because of the colour of his violin.

Part one (14pts)

A/ Reading comprehension (7pts)

Activity 01 : Read the text : (3pts)

- 1- Hamdi Bennani was an actor.....
- 2- He sang well.....
- 3- He played trumpet.....

Activity 02 : Read the text and answer the questions (2pts)

- 1- How long ago did Hamdi Bennani win his first prize?
- 2- Was he called « The Black Angel »?

Activity 03 : Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following words : (2pts)

- 1- Well-known = called ~~the~~

Find in the text words that are opposite to the following words :

- 2- Old ≠ the last = / =