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**CLASS-VII**  
**Sub: Social Science**  
**Ch-9, Life in the Temperate Grasslands**

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Q1. State True (T) or False (F):

- i. Climate plays an important role in the formation of grasslands. \_\_\_\_\_
- ii. The temperate grasslands of North America are known as the Velds.  
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- iii. The Velds have a mild climate due to the influence of the Indian Ocean. \_\_\_\_\_
- iv. The prairies are bound by the Himalayan Mountains in the West.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- v. Prairies are practically tree-less. \_\_\_\_\_

Q2. Fill in the blanks:

- i. River Mississippi drains \_\_\_\_\_.
- ii. Drakensburg Mountains bound the \_\_\_\_\_.
- iii. Merino is a species of \_\_\_\_\_.
- iv. Kimberley is famous for its \_\_\_\_\_.
- v. The Canadian prairies are drained by the tributaries of \_\_\_\_\_.
- vi. The Veld name was given by the \_\_\_\_\_ settlers before South Africa was colonized by the British.

Q3. Answer the following:

- a. In which hemisphere do the Velds lie?
- b. What are Velds?
- c. What are the Temperate Grasslands of North America called?

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