9 клас Англійська мова

**Контроль аудіювання**

**Niagara Falls**

falls — водоспад;

boiling — той, що кипить;

drop — падати;

horror — жах;

barrel — діжка;

force — сила.

1. **Listen to the text "Niagara Falls" and do the tasks. Mark the true (T) and false (F) sentences.**

1. The Niagara Falls are in Africa.

2 The Niagara Falls are situated on the bank of the river Niagara.

3. The Niagara Falls have a great power.

4. The roar of the falling water can be heard for 25 km.

5. The Niagara Falls throw animals into the boiling waters below.

6. Some time ago an old ship with some people on board was put into the water in the middle of the river.

7. The ship sailed down the river like a toy boat very quickly.

8. Captain Webb tried to sail across the Niagara in a boat.

9. He jumped into the water and never appeared again.

10. Miss Tailor wanted to swim across the falls.

**2. Choose the correct answer**

1. Where are the Niagara Falls situated?

a) in the USA; b) in Canada; c) both in the USA and in Canada.

2. What kind of place is the Niagara Falls?

a) exciting; b) old; c) unattractive.

3. How high is the cliff over which the Niagara waters fall?

a) 80 feet high; b) 190 feet high; c) 90 feet high.

4. What power do the Niagara falls have?

a) They move and throw big rocks.

b) The power of the Niagara Falls is not great.

c) The noise of the Falls can be heard for 40 km.

5. How much water falls from the Niagara cliff every five minutes?

a) a hundred tons; b) a thousand tons; c) a million tons.

6. What happened to an old ship that was put into the water in the middle of the river?

a) It sailed down safely.

b) It dropped into the water and never appeared again.

c) It crashed before reaching the falls.

7. What did some people do to become famous?

a) jumped into the Niagara Falls;

b) sailed over the falls in a ship;

c) swam across the Niagara River.

8. Why was a crowd of people standing near the falls one day?

a) They wanted to see the wonderful sight of the falls.

b) They watched an unknown ship crossing the Niagara River.

c) There was a man who wanted to swim across the falls.