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B.A./B.Sc. 2nd Semester-II
ENGLISH COMPULSORY

Time Allowed-3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks-50

SECTION-A

1. Do as directed. Attempt any sixteen :
- (i) When/built/was/this house. (Correct the order)
 - (ii) I thought it was going to rain, but it _____.
(Use an auxiliary verb do/was/could etc. to complete the sentence)
 - (iii) My car isn't very reliable. It keeps _____.
(Use your own idea to complete the sentence)
 - (iv) You have lost weight. (seem)
(Make a new sentence using the verb in bracket)
 - (v) I feel lazy. I don't feel like _____ any work.
(Complete with one word)
 - (vi) Do you have to wear glasses reading ?
 - (vii) We stopped _____ petrol. (Use Preposition)
 - (viii) We wanted _____ the building.
 - (ix) We weren't allowed _____ the building.
 - (x) We were prevented _____ the building.
(Complete each sentence using the verb 'leave')
 - (xi) It wasn't your fault. It was _____ accident.

- (xii) I have seen _____ good films recently.
(Use a/an/the/some)
- (xiii) Three years are a long time to be without a job.
- (xiv) Sam's daughter is six-year old/six years old.
(Correct the sentences)
- (xv) You're tired _____ ? (Put a question tag)
- (xvi) How old are the children of Chris ?
(Use —'s or —')
- (xvii) Amy had a great holiday. She enjoyed _____ .
- (xvi) How long have you and Ben known _____ .
(complete with yourself/myself/eachother/each other)
- (xix) A cemetery is a place people are buried.
- (xx) The woman with he fell in love left him after
a month. (Use who/whom/whose/where)

1x16=16

SECTION-B

2. Attempt any FOUR questions, choosing at least TWO from each text, in about 15-20 sentences :

TALES OF LIFE

- (i) Write a note on the theme of class conflict in 'The Doll's House'.
- (ii) Write a character-sketch of Eveline.
- (iii) Write a note on the theme of frustration and hope in the story, "The Taboo".
- (iv) Write a character sketch of Bishen Singh.

PROSE FOR YOUNG LEARNERS

- (v) What do you get to know about the lifestyle of the Bhopas ?

- (vi) Write a brief summary of "My Financial Career".
(vii) Write a character sketch of Ms. Beam.
(vii) Write a note on the epidemic AIDS. 3x4=12

3. Give the meaning and use the words in sentences (any FOUR):

- (i) Access
(ii) Vigilant
(iii) Steer
(iv) Timidly
(v) Strand
(vi) Revere
(vii) Blink
(viii) Elated. 1x4=4

4. Persuade your friend in a letter asking him to participate in his college for an over all personal growth.

OR

Write a letter to your sister thanking her for the financial help she has given you for going on a college trip.

1x4=4

SECTION-C

5. Attempt any ONE of the following TWO questions :

- (i) Write a character sketch of Prabhat.
(ii) Discuss the views of the author in "Beauty and the Beast". 1x6=6

6. Read the passage and answer the questions that follow :

When I go into a bank I get rattled. The clerks rattle me; the wickets rattle me; the sight of the money rattles me; everything rattles me.

The moment I cross the threshold of a bank and attempt to transact business there, I become an irresponsible idiot.

I knew this before hand, but my salary had been raised to fifty dollars a month and I felt that the bank was the only place for it.

So I shambled in and looked timidly round at the clerks. I had an idea that a person about to open an account must needs consult the Manager.

Questions :

- (i) What is it that rattles the author on his visit to a bank ?
- (ii) Why did the author have to open an account with the bank ?
- (iii) What made him think that he must see the Manager ?
- (iv) How does the word 'rattle' become so significant ?

2x4=8