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(CBCS)
(4th Semester)

ENGLISH

FOURTH PAPER

(**Fiction—I**)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

(**PART : A—OBJECTIVE**)

(*Marks : 25*)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—A

(*Marks : 10*)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. Why was Gulliver exiled from the land of the Houyhnhnms?

- (a) He is a Yahoo ()
- (b) He steals from his masters ()
- (c) He urinates on the queen's palace ()

2. Diggory Venn is a

- (a) spy ()
- (b) farmer ()
- (c) reddleman ()

3. In Hardy's novel, the glory of Egdon Heath can be best felt when it is
(a) rainy ()
(b) windy ()
(c) dark ()
4. Crusoe came on shore on an island which he called the island of
(a) hope ()
(b) fortune ()
(c) despair ()
5. Mr. Gradgrind is a man of
(a) dreams and aspirations ()
(b) sympathy and love ()
(c) facts and calculations ()
6. Who said the following lines?
"I shall be incomparably beyond and above you all.
I wonder he won't be near me!"
(a) Heathcliff ()
(b) Catherine ()
(c) Isabella ()
7. The narration of the novel, *The Return of the Native* began on
(a) the evening of Guy Fawkes' night ()
(b) New Year's Eve ()
(c) the evening of Thanksgiving ()
8. _____ are the interests of the people of Laputa (Flying island).
(a) Language and expression ()
(b) Music and mathematics ()
(c) Measurement and calculations ()

9. The novel, *Hard Times* is divided into three books

- (a) *Sowing, Reaping, Gardening* ()
- (b) *Sowing, Gathering, Reaping* ()
- (c) *Sowing, Reaping, Harvesting* ()

10. *Wuthering Heights* is a love story between

- (a) Hareton and Zillah ()
- (b) Heathcliff and Catherine ()
- (c) Joseph and Catherine ()

SECTION—B

(Marks : 15)

Give short answers to the following questions :

3×5=15

1. Shortly describe the characters who benefited from being faithful to nature in *The Return of the Native*.

OR

Give the appearance of the reddleman in *The Return of the Native*.

2. Briefly describe Gulliver's transformation after his voyages.

OR

Give a short description of the Lilliputians.

3. How does Crusoe describe Friday?

OR

What did Crusoe do on his last voyage?

4. Describe Edgar as a husband.

OR

Why does Heathcliff disappear?

5. Briefly describe the bank robbery in *Hard Times*.

OR

What is the principle of education according to Mr. Gradgrind?

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

The questions are of equal value

1. Discuss the conditions of life and its aspects during the Victorian Age as seen in the novel, *Hard Times*.

OR

Do you agree that the novel, *Hard Times* is an allegory? Give reasons to support your answer by giving examples from the novel.

2. Analyze the novel, *Robinson Crusoe* from a moral point of view.

OR

Describe the feelings of young Robinson Crusoe during his first voyage.

3. Discuss Egdon Heath as an important entity in *The Return of the Native*.

OR

Describe the character of Eustacia Vye.

4. Bring out the difficulties faced by Gulliver in the course of his voyages.

OR

Discuss *Gulliver's Travels* as a reflection of life in the Restoration Era.

5. Write a note on the theme of supernatural elements in *Wuthering Heights*.

OR

Describe the character of Heathcliff.

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