EG-04

June - Examination 2018

BA Pt. II Examination Prose & Fiction - II Paper - EG-04

Time: 3 Hours [Max. Marks: - 100

Note: The question paper is divided into three sections A, B and C. Write answers as per given instructions.

Section - A

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

(Very Short Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **all** questions. As per the nature of the question delimit your answer in one word, one sentence or maximum upto 30 words. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1) (i) Which, according to Ruskin, are five great intellectual professions in every civilized nation?
 - (ii) What price did the narrator pay for the drawing to the dealer? How much profit did he earn by selling it?
 - (iii) Why are machines valued according to Russell?
 - (iv) How did Douglas make sure that he had conquered the old terror?
 - (v) What are the two kinds of art snobbery according to Huxley?

- (vi) What does a Hindu seek in his worship according to Nirad C. Chaudhuri?
- (vii) What is the symbolic significance of the chain in which the ghost of Marley is bound in 'Christmas Carol'?
- (viii) Give the title of the extract from which Lewis Carroll's 'Humpty Dumpty' has been taken.
- (ix) With whom does Iona share his grief at the end of the story 'The Lament'?
- (x) Who is the narrator in the story 'The speckled Band'?

Section - B

 $4 \times 10 = 40$

(Short Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **any four** questions. Each answer should not exceed 200 words. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 2) Describe the religious celebrations going on in Chandrapore. (A passage to India)
- 3) How does Tom blackmail George? Why does George help Tom first? (The Ant and the Grasshopper)
- 4) Write a note on the theme of the story 'The Rocking Horse Winner'.
- 5) Discuss the son's views on glory, women and children in 'The Mother of a Traitor'.
- 6) Discuss 'Rattrap' as a story suggestive of human tendency to redeem oneself from dishonest ways.
- 7) How does Holmes conclude the whole case of the murder of Julia and the role of Dr. Roylott in it?

- 8) Draw a character sketch of Iona in the story 'The Lament'.
- 9) How does Alice cope with Humpty Dumpty during the various argument?

Section - C

 $2 \times 20 = 40$

(Long Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **any two** questions. You have to delimit your each answer maximum upto 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

- 10) What all events in Scrooge's life brought a sea-change in his attitude towards life in 'Christmas Caroll'?
- Discuss 'Emma' as a comic novel about the perils of misconstrued romance.
- 12) Write an essay on Nirad C. Chaudhuri's literary style with reference to the essays you have read.
- 13) Discuss 'Deep Water' as a saga of perseverance and courage.

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