

B.Com. (Part—II) Semester—III Examination
SUPPLEMENTARY ENGLISH
(Optional Languages)

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 40

Note :— All questions are compulsory.

1. Attempt any **three** of the following :
 - (i) How does Forster bring out the importance of tolerance in rebuilding civilization ?
 - (ii) What does A.G. Gardiner say about the custom of shaking hands ?
 - (iii) What are the things that a traveller should see and observe in a foreign country ?
 - (iv) How according to Russell can wisdom be taught ?12
2. Attempt any **three** of the following :
 - (i) What effect does the song of the solitary reaper have on the poet ?
 - (ii) Explain the significance of the title 'The Road Not Taken'.
 - (iii) Consider the poem 'I too, sing America' as a statement of racial pride and honour.
 - (iv) Why is a teacher called 'a sparkling gem' ?12
3. Attempt any **two** of the following :
 - (i) Describe Cabulliwalah's visit to Mini's house after he was released from jail.
 - (ii) Sketch the character of Tom Sawyer.
 - (iii) What incidents in the story show Gafar's love for his bull, Mahesh ?8
4. Choose the correct alternative from those given below. Write full sentences :
 - (i) Travel, in the younger sort, is a part of education, in the elder a part of _____.
 - (a) Vividness
 - (b) Endurance
 - (c) Experience
 - (d) Enlightenment
 - (ii) Handshaking must be _____.
 - (a) Enjoyable
 - (b) Mutual
 - (c) Boastful
 - (d) Illogical
 - (iii) Tolerance is a very dull _____.
 - (a) Asset
 - (b) Goal
 - (c) Vice
 - (d) Virtue
 - (iv) The essence of wisdom is _____.
 - (a) Imagination
 - (b) Emancipation
 - (c) Thought
 - (d) Enterprise
 - (v) Rabindranath Tagore was awarded Nobel Prize for Literature in _____.
 - (a) 1920
 - (b) 1913
 - (c) 1918
 - (d) 1922

(vi) Monday morning found Tom Sawyer ____.

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| (a) Happy | (b) Elated |
| (c) Miserable | (d) Joyous |

(vii) The village described in the story Drought is ____.

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| (a) Kashi pur | (b) Kantapura |
| (c) Kannur | (d) Kasauli |

(viii) ____ wrote the famous novel Adventures of Tom Sawyer.

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| (a) Mark Twain | (b) Rabindranath Tagore |
| (c) Mulk Raj Anand | (d) R.K. Narayan |

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