

M.A. Part-I (English) Semester-II Examination
ENGLISH
(History of English Literature)
Paper-2.3

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

Note :— All questions are compulsory.

1. (A) Write short notes on any **three** of the following :
- (i) Gothic novel
 - (ii) Soliloquy
 - (iii) Utilitarianism
 - (iv) The Ode
 - (v) Hellenism
 - (vi) Problem play. 15
- (B) Choose the correct alternative from those given below. Write full sentences :
- (i) On whose tomb are carved the words "Here lies one whose name was writ in water" ?
 - (a) Shelley (b) Keats
 - (c) Byron (d) Thomas Gray
 - (ii) Who among the following writes under the pen-name 'Elia' ?
 - (a) William Hazlitt (b) Charles Dickens
 - (c) Charles Lamb (d) Emily Bronte
 - (iii) Waverly novels are associated with :
 - (a) Sir Walter Scott (b) Thomas Hardy
 - (c) De Quincey (d) Charles Dickens
 - (iv) The accession of Queen Victoria to the English throne took place in _____.
 - (a) 1832 (b) 1837
 - (c) 1839 (d) 1857
 - (v) Darwin's 'The Origin of Species' was published in _____.
 - (a) 1859 (b) 1838
 - (c) 1876 (d) 1880 5
2. Write an essay on the Theatre of Absurd
- OR**
- Discuss George Bernard Shaw's contribution to the English drama. 20
3. Discuss the main characteristics of Romanticism in English Literature.
- OR**
- Write an essay on pessimism in Victorian poetry. 20
4. Discuss the contribution of women novelists in the Victorian era.
- OR**
- Write a detailed note on 'the stream of consciousness' novel in the twentieth century. 20

