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(CBCS)

(4th Semester)

ENGLISH

FOURTH PAPER

(Fiction—I)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

(SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 10)

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

1×10=10

1. The cross that Crusoe erected on the island served as a

- (a) journal ()
- (b) compass ()
- (c) calendar ()
- (d) scarecrow ()

2. Which of the following claimed that he was born to be his own destroyer?

- (a) Stephen Blackpool ()
- (b) Clym Yeobright ()
- (c) Robinson Crusoe ()
- (d) Heathcliff ()

3. *Wuthering Heights* was published in the year

(a) 1846 ()

(b) 1847 ()

(c) 1848 ()

(d) 1849 ()

4. Who is Linton Heathcliff's mother?

(a) Catherine ()

(b) Isabella ()

(c) Nelly Dean ()

(d) Zillah ()

5. What is the name of Mrs. Yeobright's house?

(a) Howard's End ()

(b) Mistover Knapp ()

(c) Alderworth ()

(d) Bloom's End ()

6. What is described as Eustacia's great desire in *The Return of the Native*?

(a) To have a baby ()

(b) To be loved to madness ()

(c) To drive men mad ()

(d) To dance gracefully ()

7. Who robs the bank in *Hard Times*?

- (a) Tom ()
- (b) Stephen ()
- (c) Bitzer ()
- (d) James Harthouse ()

8. Which character in *Hard Times* is a member of the Parliament?

- (a) Bounderby ()
- (b) Sleary ()
- (c) Slackbridge ()
- (d) Gradgrind ()

9. How did Gulliver earn the title of 'Nardac' in Lilliput?

- (a) By capturing the Blefuscudian fleet ()
- (b) By putting out the fire on the Empress' quarters ()
- (c) By showing leniency towards those that attacked him earlier ()
- (d) By helping the Lilliputians build a new palace ()

10. Which of the lands visited by Gulliver may be characterized as a practical and moral Utopia?

- (a) Lilliput ()
- (b) Brobdingnag ()
- (c) Houyhnhnms ()
- (d) Laputa ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWER)

(Marks : 15)

Answer the following :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

1. Briefly describe the character of Xury.

OR

2. How did Crusoe spend his first year anniversary on his island?

UNIT—II

3. Give a short description of the character of Hareton Earnshaw.

OR

4. How did Heathcliff die?

UNIT—III

5. Give a short comment on Damon Wildeve.

OR

6. Comment on the ending of the novel, *The Return of the Native*.

UNIT—IV

7. What was Bounderby's favourite speech?

OR

8. Comment on the character of Rachael in *Hard Times*.

UNIT—V

9. Briefly describe the Lilliputians.

OR

10. Describe briefly 'the flying island'.

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

Answer the following :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. Write a note on the colonial representation found in *Robinson Crusoe*.

OR

2. Comment on the spiritual growth of Robinson Crusoe.

UNIT—II

3. Write a note on the settings of *Wuthering Heights*.

OR

4. Illustrate on the theme of love and revenge in *Wuthering Heights*.

UNIT—III

5. Describe the character of Clym Yeobright.

OR

6. Comment on the role of Egdon Heath in *The Return of the Native*.

UNIT—IV

7. Is *Hard Times* a satire on English industrial society? Justify your answer.

OR

8. Critically analyse the theme of class conflict as presented in *Hard Times*.

UNIT—V

9. Discuss *Gulliver's Travels* as a satire on the social and political condition of England during Swift's time.

OR

10. Is *Gulliver's Travels* a unified book? Or does it seem to be a collection of four separate satirical voyages? Give reasons for your answer.
