

NRT/KS/19/5810

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Semester–III Examination
COMPULSORY ENGLISH
Compulsory

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

Note :— All questions are compulsory.

1. (A) Punctuate the following :
he took it very well and when i got off the bus he said good night quite amiably 5
- (B) Change the narration of any **five** of the following :
- (i) He said, "The film is interesting".
 - (ii) "I have finished my work", said Gopal.
 - (iii) "Post these letters", he said to his servant.
 - (iv) Mary said she was going to Mumbai.
 - (v) She said, "How lovely the house is!"
 - (vi) "Thank you", he said.
 - (vii) He said, "I am waiting for my brother".
 - (viii) "You may go home", said the boss. 5
- (C) Write a letter to your friend, describing the Independence Day celebrations in your College.

OR

Write a letter to your Principal requesting for a transfer certificate. 10

2. (A) Answer the following questions in about **75** words each :
- (i) When and how did Todd borrow a dollar from Leacock ?
OR
How did the conductor try to justify his conduct to the author ? 5
 - (ii) What was the painful thought that disturbed Leacock ?
OR
What happened when the lady with the dog re-entered the bus ? 5
 - (iii) In what ways does Leacock try to remind Todd about the dollar after his return from Bermuda ?

OR

Describe the circumstances that made the conductor stop the bus. 5

- (B) Answer the following questions in **one or two** sentences each :
- (i) What did Todd say to Leacock about Poland ?
 - (ii) Why is the bus conductor described as a "Resentful Employee" ?
 - (iii) What did the bus conductor tell the lady, when she entered the bus with a little dog ?
 - (iv) Why was the woman with the dog unwilling to go on the top ?
 - (v) What movement does Leacock want to start and why ? 5

3. (A) Answer the following questions in about **75** words each :

(i) What feelings were roused in Wordsworth's heart after hearing the song of the reaper ?

OR

How, according to H. W. Longfellow, should one treat his life ? 5

(ii) Give a brief summary of the poem "The Solitary Reaper".

OR

What does H. W. Longfellow say about the purpose of life ? 5

(iii) How does Wordsworth compare the reaper's song with that of the Cuckoo and Nightingale ?

OR

What, according to H. W. Longfellow, do the lives of great people remind us of ? 5

(B) Answer the following questions in **one or two** sentences each :

(i) What is the solitary reaper doing while singing ?

(ii) What does H. W. Longfellow say about "Art" and "Time" ?

(iii) What effect did the reaper's song have over the surroundings ?

(iv) What according to H. W. Longfellow, is not the goal of life ?

(v) What did the poet tell the passers-by ? 5

4. (A) Answer the following questions in about **75** words each :

(i) Describe what happened when Chandu dressed himself in imitation of Kallan Khan.

OR

How did the narrator spend the morning time while he was at Bachhouta with his grandparents ? 5

(ii) Give a description of Kallan Khan, the dentist.

OR

Why did the narrator try to desist Moti from following them to the railway station ? 5

(iii) Describe the friendship between the narrator and Chandu.

OR

Why was the mother not ready to bring Moti with them ? 5

(B) Answer the following questions in **one or two** sentences each :

(i) Describe Chandu's skill in doing sums and reciting poems.

(ii) What did the narrator promise Moti ?

(iii) Why did Chandu start a hair cutting shop ?

(iv) Where did the narrator's mother work and in what capacity ?

(v) Why was the landlord angry with Chandu ? 5