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**B. A./ B. Sc DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - OCTOBER 2022**

**SEMESTER 1 : ENGLISH**

**COURSE : 15U1CCENG2 : READING LITERATURE IN ENGLISH**

*(Supplementary for - 2015/2016/2017/2018 Admissions)*

Time : Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

**PART A**

**Answer All (1 mark each)**

1. Name the weekly of which EV Lucas was the editor?
2. Who, according to Nehru, is the greatest Hindu of the age?
3. When was the economic reforms introduced in India?
4. What is the figure of speech used in the lines,  
"Forlorn! the very word is like a bell,  
To toll me back from thee to my sole self!"?
5. What is the theme of the poem, "Mending Wall"?
6. What does the phrase "laugh with teeth" in the poem *Once Upon a Time* mean?
7. Where did Ivan and wife plan to go for summer if they had won the lottery ticket?
8. What is the name of the girl who was locked up in the vault of the Bank at Elmore?
9. From which English writer did A.J. Cronin adopt the title of the story 'Two gentlemen of Verona'?
10. Who among Wasserkof's teachers was called the cannibal?

**(1 x 10 = 10)**

**PART B**

**Answer any 8 (2 marks each)**

11. Why does Russel caution us against getting angry about a difference of opinion?
12. Mention two words in Sonnet XXX that are associate with the language of trade and commerce.
13. What is the theme of the poem "Poor Girl"?
14. Comment on the repeated use of the word 'transient' in the poem "The Mask."
15. Why does the speaker say that Miss Pushpa is a popular lady?
16. 'From that time on he seemed to be unconscious of the presence of any one'. Which occasion did Jimmy Valentine was so involved in?
17. Why was Sambu delighted to see films?
18. 'His authority is only tyranny in disguise' what does old Varma mean by this?
19. Why is the old woman excited when the spinster reads out the letter?
20. Why did fakir place a spell on the paw?

**(2 x 8 = 16)**

**PART C**

**Answer any 5 (5 marks each)**

21. Why, according to Lucas, will bores always flourish?
22. Lack of observation leads to intellectual rubbish. Illustrate with examples.
23. Comment on the helplessness of the beloved in the poem "The Mask"
24. What are the wishes of the poet in *Once Upon a time*?
25. What were the revealing thoughts of Ivan on his wife for the first time when he dreamt of having won the lottery ticket?
26. Why was the author surprised to see Nicola and Jacopo working as shoeshine boys?
27. What did Sergeant Major Morris say about the monkey's paw?

**(5 x 5 = 25)**

**PART D**

**Answer any 2 (12 marks each)**

28. What, according to Amartya sen, are the advantages of globalization?
29. Compare and contrast the nature of the lover and the beloved in the poem "The Mask"
30. Write an appreciation of the poem "Poor Girl".
31. What are the elements of horror, mystery and the supernatural in "The Monkey's Paw"?

**(12 x 2 = 24)**