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Summer Examination-2016

Subject Name: 19th Century English Novel

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Branch: M.A.(English)

Semester: 2

Date: 06/05/2016

Time: 10:30 To 01:30

Marks: 70

Instructions:

- (1) Use of Programmable calculator and any other electronic instrument is prohibited.
 - (2) Instructions written on main answer book are strictly to be obeyed.
 - (3) Draw neat diagrams and figures (if necessary) at right places.
 - (4) Assume suitable data if needed.
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SECTION – I

Q-1 Answer the following questions in one or two sentences: (07)

- a. What was Oliver's success?
- b. What is Mr. Gardiner's profession?
- c. Who adopted Oliver as his son?
- d. Who pays off Wickham, convincing him to marry Lydia?
- e. What things were in Fagin's small box?
- f. Where do the Bingleys and Darcy go for the winter?
- g. How does the novel '*Pride and Prejudice*' end?

Q-2 Discuss the importance of social class in '*Pride and Prejudice*', especially as it impacts the relationship between Elizabeth and Darcy. (14)

OR

Q-2 *Pride and Prejudice* is a novel about women who feel they have to marry to be happy. Taking Charlotte Lucas as an example, do you think the author is making a social criticism of her era's view of marriage? - Elaborate (14)

Q-3 Discuss the portrait of the criminal justice system presented in *Oliver Twist*. (14)

OR

Q-3 Writ short notes on the following: (14)
i) The Character sketch of Fagin
ii) Importance of Symbols used in *Oliver Twist*



SECTION – II

- Q-4** **Answer the following questions in one or two sentences each:** **(07)**
- a. Who are the two preachers at Lowick during the course of the book?
 - b. What is an epigraph?
 - c. How does Tess die?
 - d. What is the real name of the author George Eliot?
 - e. In what area of England the action of the novel *Tess of the d'Urbervilles* takes place?
 - f. What does Tess confess to Angel on their wedding night?
 - g. Who is Celia Brooke?

- Q-5** Discuss the character of Alec. Is he the villain of the novel *Tess of the d'Urbervilles*? In what ways does he exemplify the novel's critique of the upper class? **(14)**

OR

- Q-5** What is the role of fate in *Tess of the d'Urbervilles*? What does Hardy mean by "fate"? To what extent does Tess's tragedy center on improbable coincidence? **(14)**

- Q-6** How do secrets drive the plot of *Middlemarch*? Justify your answer by considering Will Ladislav's family history and Bulstrode's sins. **(14)**

OR

- Q-6** **Write Short notes on:** **(14)**
- i) The Central theme of the novel *Middlemarch*
 - ii) Comparison of the characters of Dorothea and Rosamond

