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## C. U. SHAH UNIVERSITY

 Winter Examination-2021
## Subject Name: American Literature

Subject Code: 4AH05AML1

Branch: B.A. (English)

Time: 11:00 To 02:00 Marks: 70

Instructions:
(1) Use of Programmable calculator \& 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.

Select the most appropriate option from the following and rewrite it as answer
a) Identify the author of Moby Dick....
A Herman Melville
B William Faulkner
C Harriet Beecher Stowe
D Stephen Crane
b) Samuel Langhorne Clemens wrote under the pseudonym of $\qquad$
A Mark Twain
B Washington Irving
C James Fennimore Cooper
D Edgar Allen Poe
c) Who among the following writes was known as "The Sage of Concord"?
A Walt Whitman
B Henry David Thoreau
C Ralph Waldo Emerson
D William Cullen Bryant
d) Walt Whitman Leaves of Grass was published in $\qquad$ _.
A 1885
B 1871
C 1857
D 1856
e) Who said, "Leaves of Grass as the most extraordinary piece of wit and wisdom America has yet contributed".
A Ralph Waldo Emerson
B Oliver Wendell Holmes
C Henry Wadsworth Longfellow
D Henry David Thoreau
f) Which among the following is the period of American Civil War?
A 1775-1781
B 1861-1865
C 1607-1775
D 1939-1945
g) Uncle Tom's Cabin was written by $\qquad$ .
A Harriet Beecher Stowe
B Harriet Jacobs
C Frederick Douglass
D William Hill Brown
h) Which among the following is an elegy written by Whitman on the death of Abraham Lincoln?
A "Song of Myself"
B "O Captain! My Captain!"
C "I Hear America Singing"
D "I Sing the Body Electric"
i) Who among the following is the famous detective created by Edgar Allen Poe?
A James Bond
B Sherlock Holmes
C C. Auguste Dupin
D Miss Marple
j) The time period from $1820-1860$ s is known as $\qquad$ .
A American Romantic Period
B American Renaissance
C American Reformation
D All is correct except ' $c$ '
k) The American Civil War ended in $\qquad$ .
A 1864
B 1865
C 1866
D 1867

1) Whose collection of poems is called Leaves of Grass?
A Emerson's
B Frost's
C Emily Dickinson's
D Whitman's
m) Who is Eliza in Uncle Tom's Cabin?

A female slave on the Harris plantation
A female slave on the Shelby plantation
A female slave on the Haley plantation
A female slave who has run away in search of freedom
n) In Uncle Tom's Cabin, what does the character of Eva represent?
A Faith and Purity
B Cynicism and Despair
C Cruelty and Inhumanity
D Desperation and Recklessness

## Attempt any FOUR questions from Q-2 to Q-8

Q-2 What do you mean by 'Transcendentalism'? Discuss in detail how 'Transcendentalism' is found in the works of Emerson and Thoreau.
Q-3 Write short notes on:
(A) Write a character sketch of Uncle Tom
(B) Write a brief note on Nicker Bocker Writers

Q-4 Write short notes on:
(A) Character sketch of Simon Legree
(B) Emily Dickinson as a poet

Q-5 Discuss in detail the various themes narrated in the novel Uncle Tom's Cabin.
Q-6 Write short notes on:
(A) Civil War : Its impact on Literature
(B) Walt Whitman as a poet

Q-7 Write Short notes on the following:
(A) Edger Allen Poe as a story Writer
(B) Plot of the story The Black Cat

Q-8 Write Short notes on the following:
(A) Write a brief note on the analysis of character Topsy.
(B) Discuss the horror elements narrated in the story The Murder in the Rue-Morg.

