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FACULTY OF ARTS

B.A. (First Year) (Second Semester) (Backlog) EXAMINATION

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER, 2019

ENGLISH (Optional)

Paper IV

(Study of Drama : Full Length Play)

(MCQ & Theory)

(Wednesday, 20-11-2019)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—40

N.B. :— All questions are compulsory.

MCQ

1. (i) The Direction of Mystery and Miracle Plays in the hands of
 - (a) The clergy
 - (b) Ordinary layman
 - (c) Secular people
 - (d) The tradesman
 - (ii) Match the following pairs of plays and characters appeared in it suitably and choose the correct alternative :

<ol style="list-style-type: none">(i) Hamlet(ii) King Lear(iii) Macbeth(iv) The Merry Wives of Windsor	<ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) The Porter(b) The Fool(c) Falstaff(d) The Gravedigger
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- (a) (i-d), (ii-b), (iii-a), (iv-c) (b) (i-b), (ii-a), (iii-d), (iv-c)
- (c) (i-a), (ii-c), (iii-d), (iv-b) (d) (i-d), (ii-b), (iii-c), (iv-a)

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- (iii) Rowe wrote deriving its title from a central female figure who dominates the action.
- (a) Domestic tragedy (b) Romantic tragedy
(c) Heroic tragedy (d) She-tragedy
- (iv) The eighteenth century saw the rise of new type tragedy called the
- (a) Social tragedy (b) Domestic tragedy
(c) Revenge tragedy (d) Horror tragedy
- (v) Who among the following were known as 'University Wits' ?
- (a) Shakespeare, Marlowe, Webster
(b) Masterfield, Galsworthy
(c) Spenser, Sidney
(d) Lyly, Greene, Nashe
- (vi) Who has a high grade in cooking quotient in the play 'Wedding Album' ?
- (a) Vidula (b) Pratibha
(c) Hema (d) Tapasya
- (vii) Why does Rohit make a video film on Vidula ?
- (a) To prepare a television serial
(b) To mail it to a prospective gentleman from America
(c) To make Vidula's career as a TV star
(d) To become a famous film director
- (viii) What is the name of Iago's wife ?
- (a) Emilia (b) Bianca
(c) Desdemona (d) None of these

- (ix) Who used to speak with a dignified Edwardian diction in the play 'The Entertainer' ?
- (a) Billy Rice (b) Frank
- (c) Phoebe (d) Jean
- (x) Phoebe wishes that the rice family should shift to
- (a) Canada (b) France
- (c) England (d) Germany

Theory

2. How do race, age and social position affect the relations between Othello and Desdemona ? 10

Or

How does traditional Indian Wedding change into technologically advanced India as expressed in 'Wedding Album' ?

3. Describe the tragedy of music-hall performer, Billy Rice in light of the play 'The Entertainer'. 10

Or

Comment on the relationship between various characters in the play 'Wedding Album'.

4. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 10

- (i) Iago as a victim of ruling passion
- (ii) The tragedy of Archie Rice
- (iii) Mrs. Nadkarni's views on Indian marriages
- (iv) Types of comedy.