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B—308—2019

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

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

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER, 2019

ENGLISH (Optional)

Paper VIII

(Study of Prose : Autobiography)

(MCQ & Theory)

(Wednesday, 20-11-2019)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—40

N.B. :— (i) Attempt all questions.

(ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

MCQ

1. Attempt the following multiple choice questions : 10
- (i) “Left Hand, Right Hand” is an autobiography written by.....
- (a) Sir Osbert Sitwell (b) Rudyard Kipling
- (c) Winston Churchill (d) Mahatma Gandhi
- (ii) Who said, “Autobiography is a product of first hand experience, biography of second hand knowledge” ?
- (a) Dr. Johnson (b) Longfellow
- (c) Stevenson (d) Rousseau
- (iii) Rousseau's outspoken “Confessions” published.....
- (a) in the latter half of the 15th century
- (b) in the latter half of the 16th century
- (c) in the latter half of the 18th century
- (d) in the latter half of the 17th century.

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- (iv) Which of the following is the difficulty in the way of writing autobiography ?
- (a) Care has to be taken making comments about the people
 - (b) It is difficult to recapture impressions of the distant past.
 - (c) Almost impossible for anyone to be entirely objective and detached
 - (d) All of the above
- (v) Who preferred Autobiography to Biography ?
- (a) Dr. Johnson
 - (b) David Hume
 - (c) Stephenson
 - (d) Rousseau
- (vi) What is the name of Prakash Amte's wife ?
- (a) Suma
 - (b) Manda
 - (c) Bharti
 - (d) Shobha
- (vii) Who of the following conferred the title of the milkmaid of Anandwan on Sadhanatai ?
- (a) Vasantnao Naik
 - (b) Sudhakar Naik
 - (c) Annasaheb Sahasrabuddhe
 - (d) Vinobaji
- (viii) Identify the year from the following, the opening of the school Tuskegee.
- (a) July 4, 1882
 - (b) July 4, 1883
 - (c) July 4, 1884
 - (d) July 4, 1881
- (ix) What was the name of Booker T. Washington's first wife ?
- (a) Margaret James Murrey
 - (b) Olivia A. Davidson
 - (c) Fannie N. Smith
 - (d) Portia
- (x) Who was Portia Washington ?
- (a) Washington's mother
 - (b) Washington's wife
 - (c) Washington's friend
 - (d) Washington's daughter

Theory

2. Write a detailed note on the contribution of Baba and Sadhanatai for rehabilitation and empowerment of people. 10

Or

Sketch the character of Baba Amte.

3. Comment on Booker T. Washington's contribution for upliftment of black people. 10

Or

How did Booker T. Washington become Negro leader of America ?

4. Write short notes choosing any *one* from each group : 10

Group 'A'

- (i) Limitations of Autobiographer
(ii) Autobiography as a genre of Literature

Group 'B'

- (i) Childhood of Sadhanatai Amte
(ii) Booker T. Washington's first experience at school.