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AA—540—2016

FACULTY OF ARTS

B.A. (Third Year) (Fifth Semester) EXAMINATION

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER, 2016

(New Course)

ENGLISH (Optional)

Paper-XI

(Indian Writing in English)

(Saturday, 26-11-2016)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—40

N.B. :— (i) All questions are compulsory.

(ii) Each question carries equal marks.

1. Critically evaluate Toru Dutt's poem 'Lotus'. 8

Or

Give a critical appreciation of the poem 'Indian Weavers'.

2. Narrate the story 'Sparrows' in your own words. 8

Or

Sketch the character of Moriarty.

3. Comment on the central idea of the novel 'Fire on the Mountain'. 8

Or

Critically examine the female characters in 'Fire on the Mountain'.

4. Write a note on the impact of 'mother tongue' on Indian English Language. 8

Or

Explain different usages of Standard English in India.

5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 8

(i) Autobiographical elements in 'Background Casually'

(ii) Image of Indian woman in 'Of Mothers Among Other Things.'

(iii) Importance of the title of the novel 'Fire on the Mountain'

(iv) Development of Indian English.

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