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B.A./B.Sc. Semester—I
ENGLISH COMPULSORY

Time Allowed—3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks—50

Note :—Students are required to attempt five questions, selecting at least one question from each Section. The Fifth question may be attempted from any Section.

SECTION—A

I. (1) For each situation ask a question using the words in bracket :—

- (i) You have a friend who is learning Arabic.
(how long/learn/Arabic)
- (ii) A friend of yours is a teacher.
(how long/teach)

(2) Put the verb into the correct form, past perfect or past simple :—

- (i) I felt very tired when I got home, so I _____
(go) straight to bed.
- (ii) Was Paul at the party when you arrived ?
'No, he _____ (go) home'.
- (iii) Sorry I'm late. The car _____ (break) down
on my way here.

(3) Put in *when* or *if* :—

- (i) Don't worry _____ I'm late tonight.
- (ii) Be careful. You'll hurt yourself _____ you fall.
- (iii) I'm going away for a few days. I'll call you
_____ I get back.
- (iv) I'm going shopping. _____ you want anything, I
can get it for you.
- (v) We can eat at home or, _____ you prefer,
we can go to a restaurant. $1 \times 10 = 10$

II. (1) Complete the sentences using *could*, *couldn't* or *managed to* :—

- (i) My grandmother loved music. She _____ play
the piano very well.
- (ii) A girl fell into the river, but fortunately we _____
pull her out.

(2) Put in *must* or *can't* :—

- (i) It rained every day during their holiday, so they
_____ have had a very nice time.
- (ii) You got here very quickly. You _____ have walked
very fast.
- (iii) Bill and Sue always stay at luxury hotels, so
they _____ be short of money.
- (iv) The restaurant _____ be very good. It's always
empty.

(3) Read the situation and write a question using the word in brackets :—

(i) You want to borrow your friend's bike. What would you say to him ? (think)

(ii) You want to leave work early. What do you ask your boss ? (mind)

(4) Put in *been* or *gone* :—

(i) James is on holiday. He's _____ to Italy.

(ii) Hello ! I've just _____ to the shops. I've bought lots of things. $1 \times 10 = 10$

SECTION—B

III. (1) Write a paragraph on any one of the following topics :—

(i) My Ambition

(ii) Drug Addiction. $1 \times 5 = 5$

(2) Put the words in the correct order :—

(i) my eyes/I/two years ago/had/tested/ the last time/was.

(ii) as soon as possible/need/translated/we/to get/ this document. $1 \times 2 = 2$

(3) Put the verb into correct form :—

(i) I'd be very scared if somebody _____ (point) a gun at me.

(ii) I can't afford to buy a car. If I _____ (buy) a car, I'd have to borrow the money.

(iii) Don't lend Amy your car. If she _____ (ask) me, I wouldn't lend her mine. $1 \times 3 = 3$

IV. (1) Write a paragraph on any one of the following :—

(i) College Life

(ii) Pleasures of Reading. $1 \times 5 = 5$

(2) Complete the sentences with *say* or *tell* (in the correct form) :—

(i) Ann _____ goodbye to me and left.

(ii) _____ us about your holiday. Did you have a nice time ?

(iii) Don't just stand there! _____ something!

(iv) Gary couldn't help me. He _____ me to ask Chris.

(v) Gary couldn't help me. He _____ to ask Chris. $1 \times 5 = 5$

SECTION—C

V. Write a character sketch of Madame Orielle. 10

VI. Comment on the significance of the title 'Shroud'. 10

SECTION—D

VII. How was Grimsdyke's life deeply influenced by 'the power of women' ? 10

VIII. Who is made fun of in the essay 'Symptoms' ? 10