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( 4th Semester )

ENGLISH

FOURTH PAPER

( Fiction—I )

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

( PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE )

( Marks : 50 )

*The questions are of equal value*Answer any **five** questions

1. *Hard Times* is a criticism on Utilitarianism. Do you agree with this statement?
2. Comment on Dickens' art of characterisation in *Hard Times*.

3. Analyze Egdon Heath as an important force in *Return of the Native* in connection with the other characters.
4. Critically assess the character of Clym Yeobright and Eustacia Vye in *Return of the Native*.
5. What role does the Supernatural play in the novel *Wuthering Heights*?
6. "... that this was all my own, that I was king and lord of all this country indefeasibly, and had a right of possession ... ." Comment on the theme of possession and power in *Robinson Crusoe*.
7. Write a character sketch on any *one* of the following :
  - (a) Josiah Bounderby
  - (b) Heathcliff
  - (c) Friday
  - (d) Mrs. Yeobright

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**Booklet No. A**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- 1. **The Booklet No. of this script should be quoted in the answer script meant for descriptive type questions and vice versa.**
- 2. **This paper should be ANSWERED FIRST and submitted within 1 (one) Hour of the commencement of the Examination.**
- 3. **While answering the questions of this booklet, any cutting, erasing, overwriting or furnishing more than one answer is prohibited. Any rough work, if required, should be done only on the main Answer Book. Instructions given in each question should be followed for answering that question only.**

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( PART : A—OBJECTIVE )

( Marks : 25 )

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions*

SECTION—A

( Marks : 10 )

Answer **all** questions

**I.** Put a Tick (✓) mark against the correct answer in the  
brackets provided : 1×10=10

1. The workers in *Hard Times* are referred to as

(a) hands ( )

(b) empty vessels ( )

(c) labourers ( )

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2. *Hard Times* is divided into three books, namely

(a) Sewing, reaming, making ( )

(b) Sowing, reaping, garnering ( )

(c) Seeding, weeding, gardening ( )

3. Mrs. Pegler turns out to be Bounderby's

(a) lover ( )

(b) enemy ( )

(c) mother ( )

4. For Eustacia, the 'heath' is

(a) beautiful ( )

(b) detestable ( )

(c) delectable ( )

5. After marrying Eustacia, Clym Yeobright takes up

(a) furze-cutting ( )

(b) diamond trade ( )

(c) sheep-rearing ( )

6. What is the name of the estate that Mr. Lockwood rented from Mr. Heathcliff?

(a) Ridley's Park ( )

(b) Wuthering Heights ( )

(c) Thrushcross Grange ( )

7. "An unwelcomed infant it was, poor thing! It might have waited out of life and nobody cared a morsel, during those first hours of existence." Who is the 'infant' referred to here?

(a) Catherine Linton ( )

(b) Heathcliff ( )

(c) Linton Heathcliff ( )

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8. Robinson Crusoe was alone on the island for

(a) twenty-five years ( )

(b) twenty-eight years ( )

(c) twenty-nine years ( )

9. Robinson Crusoe celebrates the anniversary of his landing on the island on

(a) 30th of September ( )

(b) 28th of August ( )

(c) 19th of July ( )

10. Blackpool wanted to divorce his wife because

(a) she is unfaithful to him ( )

(b) she is a drunkard ( )

(c) she is too ugly ( )

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SECTION—B

( Marks : 15 )

**II.** Answer the following questions in not more than  
5 sentences each (any *five*) : 3×5=15

1. (a) How did Stephen Blackpool die?

*Or*

(b) Why was Stephen ostracised/cast out by the  
citizens of Coketown?

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2. (a) Give a short description of Friday when Robinson Crusoe saw him for the first time.

*Or*

(b) "My island was now peopled." Who are Robinson Crusoe's people on the island?



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3. (a) What did Heathcliff do on his visit to Catherine's grave?

*Or*

(b) Describe the first meeting between Heathcliff and the younger Catherine.

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4. (a) How did Mrs. Yeobright die?

*Or*

(b) Briefly describe the character of Diggory Venn.

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5. (a) How did Crusoe escape from the hands of the Turkish pirates?

*Or*

(b) What is the relationship between Lockwood and Heathcliff?

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