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B.A. VIth Semester Degree Examination
Optional English
(History of English Language)
Paper No : 6.6

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Text:

Course content : Origin and development of English Language.

1. Write etymological notes on any ten of the following words : **(10×2=20)**
- a) academy
 - b) bible
 - c) Cinema
 - d) English
 - e) Fiancee
 - f) Glossary
 - g) Igloo
 - h) Liqueur
 - i) Madam
 - j) Picnic
 - k) Restaurant
 - l) Tragedy

- m) Vaccum
 - n) Salon
 - o) Whisky
 - p) Hookah
 - q) Macabre
 - r) amateur
2. Answer any Four of the following : (4×15=60)
- a) Norman conquest set an epoch for the growth and development of English language. Elucidate.
 - b) Describe the Indo - Germanic family of languages and their influence on English language.
 - c) How important is word - formation in the growth and development of a language?
 - d) Lexicography is considered the back - bone of a language Elucidate.
 - e) English is considered a global language. Explain.
 - f) English language is a great support to media globally in bridging boundaries. Substantiate