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Degree Examination

OPTIONAL ENGLISH

Paper : ENGDSC02-A-2

(New)

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Text: Indian Writing in English-Part-I

Instructions to Candidates: Answer All the Sections.

SECTION - A

I. Answer any Two of the following (2×10=20)

- 1) Explain the Nature and Scope of Indian English Literature.
- 2) Critically analyse the charges against Indian English Literature.
- 3) Illustrate the Pre-Independence Indian English poetry and prose.
- 4) Introduce the following authors and their Texts: Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, Swami Vivekananda and Mahatma Gandhi.

SECTION - B

II. Answer any Two of the following. (2×10=20)

- 5) Sketch the character Bakha.
- 6) What is the Central theme of the Novel 'Untouchable' ?
- 7) The Novel 'Kanthapura' Shows the political and social awakening of the Indian society - justify.
- 8) How are the women represented in the novel 'Kanthapura' ?

SECTION - C

II. Answer any Four of the following.

(4×5=20)

- 9) What is the central theme of Toru Dutt's the Poem our casuarina Tree?
 - 10) Write in your own words the idea of the poem 'Coromandel Fishers'.
 - 11) What does the poet Henry Derozia wish in the poem 'To India-My Native Land' ?
 - 12) Summarise Mahatma Gandhi's view in the essay "The Great Sentinal".
 - 13) Make a critical appreciation of the essay 'Chicago Address'.
 - 14) Discuss B.R. Ambedkar's essay "A Childhood journey to Koregaon".
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