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**AP-110**

**May-2016**

**M.A., Sem.-II**

**407 : English**

**(History of English Literature 1798-1914)**

**Time : 3 Hours]**

**[Max. Marks : 70**

- Instructions :** (1) Attempt all questions.  
(2) All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Critically evaluate Wordsworth's theory of poetic diction.

**OR**

- (b) "Wordsworth is not the poet of nature, but the prophet of nature." Justify.

2. (a) "Shaw's theatre is the theatre of ideas." Elaborate the statement with special reference to the significant characteristics of the theatre of ideas.

**OR**

- (b) "Candida represents Shaw's idea of a new woman". Comment.

3. Write short notes on any **two** :

- (1) Oliver Twist  
(2) Don Juan  
(3) Essays of Elia  
(4) Animal Farm

4. Tick mark the correct option :

- (1) According to Wordsworth \_\_\_\_\_ is the breath and final spirit of all knowledge.  
(a) Essay (b) History  
(c) Science (d) Poetry
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_ is the autobiographical poem of Wordsworth.  
(a) Prelude (b) Solitary reaper  
(c) Tintern Abbey (d) Song
- (3) The knowledge of both the poet and the man of science is \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) Happiness (b) Pleasure  
(c) Expression (d) Joy
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_ is the famous work of criticism by Coleridge.  
(a) Kubla Khan (b) The Study of Poetry  
(c) Biographia Literaria (d) Rime of ancient Mariner

- (5) \_\_\_\_\_ love of nature is the most distinctive characteristic of Wordsworth's poetry.
- (a) Spiritual (b) Mystical  
(c) Cynical (d) Tranquil
- (6) Wordsworth wrote \_\_\_\_\_ hundred sonnets.
- (a) two (b) four  
(c) five (d) one
- (7) \_\_\_\_\_ is the life force of the modern drama.
- (a) T.S. Eliot (b) Ibsen  
(c) Robertson (d) Ben Jonson
- (8) Shaw was associated with \_\_\_\_\_ society.
- (a) Fabian (b) Georgian  
(c) Theosophical (d) Marxist
- (9) Marchbanks was a \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) poet (b) priest  
(c) singer (d) scientist
- (10) Shaw was the editor of the magazine \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) Sunday Review (b) Lit crit  
(c) Saturday Review (d) Poetry Chronicle
- (11) \_\_\_\_\_ was the secretary of Morell.
- (a) Catherine (b) Proserpine  
(c) Elizabeth (d) Ann
- (12) Shaw won the Nobel prize for literature in \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) 1925 (b) 1935  
(c) 1933 (d) 1945
- (13) Candida has been based on the theme of \_\_\_\_\_.
- (a) The Ghost (b) The Pillars of Society  
(c) A Doll's House (d) Silence! the court is in session
- (14) \_\_\_\_\_ theory is based on the divine spirit working in us.
- (a) Life Force (b) Divine Life  
(c) Evaluation (d) Life spirit

5. Answer in brief :

- (1) Discuss in brief Wordsworth's definition of poetry.
  - (2) List the main romantic poets.
  - (3) Discuss in brief the difference between poetry and science.
  - (4) Mention the major plays of G.B. Shaw.
  - (5) Comment in brief on the auction scene of Candida.
  - (6) Attempt a brief character sketch of Marchbanks.
  - (7) Discuss the major literary influences on G.B. Shaw.
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