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## AS-106

# May-2016

**B.A., Sem.-II**

**CC-112 : English**

**(History of English Literature : 1625 – 1660)**

**Time : 3 Hours] [Max. Marks : 70**

**Instructions :** (1) Mention clearly the options you attempt.

(2) Figures on the right indicate the marks.

1. (A) Discuss the chief literary characteristics of the Age of Milton. **(14)**

**OR**

(B) Evaluate John Milton as a poet.

2. (A) Discuss the metaphysical poetry with special reference to John Donne. **(14)**

**OR**

(B) Evaluate Andrew Marvell as a metaphysical poet.

3. (A) Appreciate critically Milton's sonnet “On His Blindness”. **(14)**

**OR**

(B) “*Pulley* conveys the relationship between God and His creation.” – Discuss.

4. Show your acquaintance with the following works mentioning the name of the author, the year of publication, the form of the work and the age to which it belongs : (Any **Seven**) **(14)**

(1) Lycidas

(2) The Mistress

(3) The Rehearsal Transposed

(4) Leviathan

(5) A New Way to Pay Old Debts

(6) Holy Living

(7) The Lady of Pleasure

(8) The Compleat Angler

(9) Noble Numbers

5. Choose the correct answer from the options given below each question : **(14)**

(1) All metaphysical poets were to greater extent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(a) Religious poets (b) Romantic poets

(c) Love poets (d) None of the above

(2) Which of the following kings was executed in the year 1649 ?

(a) Charles I (b) Charles II

(c) James I (d) James II

(3) The Puritan Age was covered by the conflict of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(a) World War-I (b) World War-II

(c) Civil War (d) Cold War

(4) The Age of Milton saw decline from the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ standards.

(a) Elizabethan (b) Victorian

(c) Classical (d) Augustan

(5) Which of the following is the writer of *Comus* ?

(a) John Milton (b) George Herbert

(c) Abraham Cowley (d) James Shirley

(6) Which literary form does John Ford's *Perkin Warbeck* belong to ?

(a) Epic (b) Novel

(c) Tragedy (d) Comedy

(7) Donne revolted against the conventions of the followers of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(a) Dryden (b) Spenser

(c) Chaucer (d) Milton

(8) The theatres were closed in 1642 due to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(a) Unemployment (b) Civil disturbances

(c) Puritan opposition (d) Both (b) & (c)

(9) The term 'metaphysical' was first used for the poets Cowley and Donne by \_\_\_

(a) Pope (b) Dryden

(c) Dr. Johnson (d) Spenser

(10) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was known as the saint of the metaphysical school of poets.

(a) George Herbert (b) Andrew Marvell

(c) John Donne (d) Richard Crashaw

(11) Which blessing did God not give man in the poem "The Pulley" ?

(a) Wisdom (b) Rest

(c) Beauty (d) None of the above

(12) Who wrote "The Temple"?

(a) George Herbert (b) John Milton

(c) Abraham Cowley (d) Thomas Hobbes

(13) The most distinctive feature of the metaphysical poets is their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(a) lyric (b) imagery

(c) philosophy (d) romance

(14) Milton's "On His Being Arrived to the Age of Twenty- three" is a/an

(a) Ode (b) Elegy

(c) Epic (d) Sonnet

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