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B.A., Sem.-VI

General English

Text : India – A Journey through Stories

(New Course)

Time : 2 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 50

- Instructions :**
- (1) This Question paper contains **two** Sections – Section – I and Section – II.
 - (2) It is *compulsory* to attempt **both** the Sections.
 - (3) Read the instructions given for **each** section carefully.
 - (4) Please mention clearly the questions you attempt.

SECTION – I

Attempt any **three** of the following questions : 42

1. Write brief answers of any **four** of the following questions : 14

- (1) Why were the duels fought ? What were the basic rules for the duellists ?
- (2) Who visited Uncle Tarini in the evening after the auction in Lucknow ? When did he come to know the real identity of the stranger ?
- (3) What was the physical disability of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bhandari and how it caused embarrassment to the parents every day ?
- (4) What did the Bhandaris see when they went to the verandah ?
- (5) Where did the grandfather bring Tutu from and why ? How much did he pay for her ?
- (6) What did Tutu do when she felt that she would be caught and locked up once she got home ?

2. Write a short note on any **two** of the following : 14

- (1) Tutu and her mischiefs
- (2) Mr. David as the silver lining for Pramodni
- (3) Annabella's love for George Drummond

3. Write brief answers of any **four** of the following questions : **14**
- (1) Who invited the author of *The Rams* to the restaurant and why ?
 - (2) What did Captain Shaheen find while he was checking the houses after seizing Suchitgarh ?
 - (3) How did Captain Shaheen and the Indian soldiers feel after hearing the little boy's reply ?
 - (4) How did the girl's family live in Bombay before coming to Kutch ?
 - (5) How did the life of the girl's family improve after moving to earthquake-hit Kutch ?
 - (6) What did the author learn about the source of water that the girl had offered her for drinking ? Why did she finally drink it with contentment ?
4. Write a short note on any **two** of the following : **14**
- (1) The title *Bonded by Bisleri*
 - (2) The Kutch earthquake as a boon for the girl's family
 - (3) The title of the story - *The Rams*
5. Write a press report on the celebration of Holi. **14**
6. Write a press report on a road accident. **14**
7. Turn the following sentences into Indirect Speech : (any 7) **14**
- (1) Aman said, "Sakshi played well."
 - (2) The policeman said to the scooterist, "Drive to the left."
 - (3) "What an easy question paper!" Sayesha said.
 - (4) Priya said, "Asif had taught me dancing."
 - (5) The teacher said, "Ramona was teaching English once."
 - (6) He said, "Bhairavi bought a violin."
 - (7) The mother said, "My son is helping me in the kitchen."
 - (8) The teacher said to the students, "Be regular."
 - (9) Hetal said to John, "Will you give me your pen ?"
 - (10) Rajan said to me, "Thank you for your kind help."

8. Turn the following sentences into Indirect Speech : (any 7)

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- (1) They said, "The society is neat and clean."
- (2) Rahil said, "Mr. Shah is teaching Sanskrit."
- (3) She said, "Janakbhai has made this picture."
- (4) Sudhir said, "Hina sang a song."
- (5) She said, "Maitree will play cricket."
- (6) The manager said to his employee, "Why are you late ?"
- (7) I said to him, "Please give me your book."
- (8) The boss said to Dheer, "Get out."
- (9) The students said to their teacher, "Good morning."
- (10) Saurabh said, "Sugam, did you check your pocket ?"

SECTION – II

Objective Type Questions.

Choose the correct option from those given under each statement and rewrite the sentences : (any **four**)

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- (1) Annabella was the daughter of Doctor _____.
(a) George Drummond (b) Jeremiah Hudson
(c) Charles Bruce (d) Joseph Manton
- (2) In the eighteenth century the _____ replaced the sword as the duelling weapon.
(a) rifle (b) pistol
(c) knife (d) missiles
- (3) The little girl in the house looked like a miniature _____.
(a) jungle queen (b) spoilt brat
(c) coy rabbit (d) chatter box
- (4) One day when Aunt Ruby was taking her bath, she was horrified to find Tutu _____.
(a) watching her taking bath
(b) running away with her clothes
(c) splashing water on her
(d) sitting opposite her inside the bath and copying her ways

