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**ENGLISH**

( Minor )

Paper : MINENG5

**( British Literature : 19th Century )**

*Full Marks : 60*

*Time : 2 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

**UNIT—I**

**1. Answer any one of the following : 10**

(a) Discuss the main characteristics of Victorian Age.

(b) Discuss the important features of 19th Century Novel.

(c) Write short notes on any two of the following : 5×2=10

(i) Utilitarianism

(ii) Darwinism

(iii) Thomas Hardy

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UNIT—II

2. Answer any *one* of the following : 10
- (a) Discuss *Jane Eyre* as a Gothic Novel.
  - (b) Give a character sketch of *either* Mr. Edward Rochester *or* John Rivers.
  - (c) Discuss *Jane Eyre* as an important social document.
3. Answer any *one* of the following : 5
- (a) Write a note on the character of Grace Poole.
  - (b) Briefly discuss the importance of Red Room in *Jane Eyre*.
  - (c) Give a brief description of Lowood School in *Jane Eyre*.

UNIT—III

4. Answer any *one* of the following : 10
- (a) Write a note on the appropriateness of the title, *Hard Times*.
  - (b) Discuss Dickens' use of Irony and Satire in *Hard Times*.
  - (c) Give a character sketch of Cecilia Jupe (Sissy).

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5. Answer any *one* of the following : 5
- (a) Write a brief note on the Trade Union in *Hard Times*.
  - (b) Give a short character sketch of Tom Gradgrind.
  - (c) Write briefly about the significance of the Circus People.

UNIT—IV

6. Answer any *one* of the following : 10
- (a) Attempt a critical appreciation of Tennyson's *The Defence of Lucknow*.
  - (b) Discuss *My Last Dutes* as a Dramatic Monologue.
  - (c) Write a note on the title of *Goblin Market*.
7. Answer any *two* of the following : 5×2=10
- (a) Comment on the theme of *Ulysses*.
  - (b) Briefly discuss the role of Art and Artist in *Fra Lippo Lippi*.
  - (c) What monastic life problem does Friar discuss in *Fra Lippo Lippi*?
  - (d) Why cannot Laura see or hear the goblins after eating the fruits in *Goblin Market*?

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