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# END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER - 2018 HISTORY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE SUBJECT CODE: 11UBEN10

MAJOR: B.A (English literature)

SEMESTER : III

TIME : 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 75

#### **SECTION** – A (6 X $2\frac{1}{2}$ = 15)

## Answer any Six in about 50 words.

- 1. Define problem plays with examples.
- 2. Write a note on Canterbury Tales?
- 3. Comment on the Sonnets of Shakespeare.
- 4. Is Paradise Lost an epic? Analyse in brief.
- 5. What are the major features of Gothic novel?
- 6. What do you mean by 'Kitchen sink drama'?
- 7. Write a note on 'social realism' in the novels of Charles Dickens?
- 8. Who are called 'Lake Poets'? Why?

#### SECTION - B (5 X 4 = 20)

## Answer any Five in about 150 words.

- 9. Write a note on Spenser's medievalism.
- 10. Sketch the prose style of Addison and Steel.
- 11. Write a brief note on 'sensuousness' in Keats' Odes?
- 12. Discuss the poetry of the Pre-Raphaelites.
- 13. What is the background region of Hardy's novels?
- 14. Trace the modernist elements in The Wasteland.
- 15. Write a note on the salient features of W B Yeats's poetry.
- 16. Define Absurd Drama and Allegorical Drama with examples.

## $\underline{SECTION - C (4 \times 10 = 40)}$

#### **Answer any Four questions:**

- 17. 'Chaucer is the father of English poetry' Comment on.
- 18. Write an essay on Bacon's prose style.
- 19. Explain the heterogeneous quality of metaphysical poets.
- 20. 'John Keats as an escapist with reference to his Odes'-Elucidate.
- 21. Write an essay on Robert Browning as a writer of Dramatic monologue.
- 22. George Bernard Shaw as a dramatist- Discuss.
- 23. Assess the novels of D H Lawrence.

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