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B. Sc./B. H. Sc. (Second Year) Examination, 2021-22

(For Regular Student)

(Foundation Course)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Paper : Second

Time Allowed : Three hours

Maximum Marks : 30

Note : Attempt questions of all three sections as directed. Distribution of marks is given with questions.

Section-‘A’

(Objective Type Questions) 4×1=4

Note : Attempt any four questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

1. Choose the correct answer :

- (i) What gives colour to the twigs in the poem ‘Tree’ :
- (a) Buds
 - (b) Plastic leaves
 - (c) Local environment
 - (d) Season
- (ii) What drove the scorpion inside the house :
- (a) Noise
 - (b) Snake
 - (c) Steady rain
 - (d) Water
- (iii) What did Hamid buy?
- (a) Washer-woman
 - (b) Policeman
 - (c) Water-man
 - (d) Tongs

- (iv) Lencho's profession was
- Reading
 - Cattle rearing
 - Forming
 - Brick making
- (v) What did the police officer find in Aksionov's bag :
- Money
 - A blood-stained knife
 - A towel
 - Clues for the murderer
- (vi) The peasants came like 'swarms of flies'. The figure of speech is
- Simile
 - Metaphor
 - Personification
 - Alliteration

Section-'B'

(Short Answer type Questions)

2. Attempt any **three** questions : 3×2=6
- What did Aksionov's wife dream at night before he began his travel?
 - What were the charges Aksionov was accused of?
 - Why did Lencho write a letter to God?
 - What was the concern of Ameena for Hamid?
 - What attempts were made by the holy man to tame the poison?
 - What will be the result if trees are not taken care of ?
3. Do as directed : (any **eight**) 8×1=8
- fill the blanks with suitable word given in bracket :
- He wrote article for the paper.
(a/an/the)

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- (ii) I read Indian Express.
(a/an/the)
- (iii) Politics lost its moral character.
(has/have)
- (iv) The news good.
(is/are/am)
- (v) I want to read more books.
(some/any)
- (vi) milk he had has turned sour.
(little/a little/the little)
- (vii) I shall call you tomorrow.
(in/on/at)
- (viii) The dog is very faithful to master.
(his/its/your)

Use the following idioms/proverbs in your own sentences :

- (ix) Brush under the carpet.
- (x) Time and tide wait for no man.

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4. Write a short essay on any **one** of the following topic : 6
- (i) Mobile Phones : A modern utility or a Health Hazard.
- (ii) The impact of Russia-Ukraine war on Indian economy.
- (iii) Terrorism : A threat to Humanity.

Or

Write an application to the Registrar of the University to provide an eligibility certificate.

5. Translate the following passage into English : 6

कुछ लड़कों ने एक बाग देखा। बाग में बहुत से फलों के पेड़ थे। वे सब टोकरियाँ लेकर बाग में घुसे। वे जहाँ-तहाँ पुल तोड़ने और खाने लगे। इसी बीच बाग में माली आ गया। वे सब भाग खड़े हुए।

Or

Draft as resume for the post of a Software Engineer.