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(1129)

ENGLISH (COMPULSORY)

Paper : For B.A. & Shastri 5th Sem. only

Time Allowed : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 45

Note :— (1) Attempt ALL questions.

(2) Attempt all the parts of the question together.

SECTION—A

1. Explain with reference to the context :

Life piled on life

Were all too little and of one to me

Little remains : but every hour is saved

From that external silence, something more,

A bringer of new things ; and vile it were.

OR

Put away the road maps now.

To go there

You do not need

helicopters any more ;

Wherever there is hunger,

there Kalahandi is.

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2. Answer any **FIVE** questions in **60-80** words selecting at least **TWO** from Poetry and **TWO** from Prose :

- (i) What did the holy man do to "tame the poison" of the scorpion ?
- (ii) Ulysses still desire to roam with a 'hungry heart'. Explain.
- (iii) What are the painful losses that people suffer in times of famine ?
- (iv) How does the writer define climate ?
- (v) What, according to the writer, are the causes and consequences of corruption ?
- (vi) Why is self-evaluation significant ?
- (vii) What does Hoke do for Daisy at the end of the play ?
- (viii) What was Boota Singh's last wish ? 2×5=10

3. Answer any **TWO** questions in **150-180** words, selecting **ONE** from Poetry and **ONE** from Prose :

- (a) What does the extract from 'Freedom at Midnight' tell you about human relationships ?
- (b) Is the writer optimistic about finding solutions to the climate problems ? Give reasons for your answer.
- (c) What are the effects of drought and famine on Kalahandi and its people ?
- (d) On the basis of your reading of the poem 'Ulysses', give a brief character sketch of Ulysses. 5×2=10

SECTION—B

4. Write an essay in **400-500** words on any **ONE** of the following :

- (a) Communal Harmony
- (b) Art of Living
- (c) Global Warming
- (d) Racial Discrimination 10

5. (i) Give the antonyms of any **TEN** of the following :

Dynamic, Wisdom, Submissive, Knowledge, Ancestor, Haughty, Stationary, Sin, Indolent, Landlord, Monogamy, Giant, Robust, Prosperity, Marriage. 5

- (ii) Correct any **TEN** of the following sentences :

- (a) He runs fastly.
- (b) She burst in tears.
- (c) You can't pass unless you do not work hard.
- (d) Kalidas is Shakespeare of India.
- (e) No sooner he entered the bus, it started.
- (f) He is devoted to gambling.
- (g) He is too weak that he can't pass.
- (h) Close the door at once.
- (i) The thief escaped before I opened the door.
- (j) This house is for letting.
- (k) The teacher needed a chalk.
- (l) He is enough rich to help you.
- (m) He is an artist, is it not ?
- (n) I saw a flock of sheeps.
- (o) He had gone to Delhi yesterday. 5