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Seat No. _____

B. A. (Sem. VI) Examination

March / April - 2018

English (Main) : CC - 606

(Introduction to Romantic & Victorian Age)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions :

- (1) All questions carry equal marks.
- (2) Indicate your options clearly.

- 1 (a) The Victorian age witnessed the flowering 14
of poetry, marked the growth of the English
Novel and laid the foundation of English
prose – Discuss.

OR

- (b) English romanticism is a revolt against 14
18th century traditions and a revival of
ancient matters of poetry – Discuss.

- 2 (a) Shelley's heart dances with joy, hearing the music of the skylark – Discuss the statement with reference to Shelley's Ode to a Skylark. 14

OR

- (b) Matthew Arnold's Dover Beach is "at once religious and sceptical, philosophical and emotional" – Discuss. 14

- 3 (a) Examine Hard Times as a social novel. 14

OR

- (b) Louisa's simple dignity, quiet manners, rare self control and delicate conscience make her one of the most likable characters in the novel 'Hard Times' – Elaborate. 14

- 4 Show your acquaintance with any four of the following : 14

- (1) Lyrical Ballads
- (2) Vanity Fair
- (3) Jane Eyre
- (4) Great Expectation
- (5) The Rime of the Ancient Mariner
- (6) Unto This Last.

questions :

- (a) How did Walter Pater define the term Romanticism ?
- (b) Write names of any three women novelists of the Victorian era.
- (c) What is the Oxford movement also known as?
- (d) With whom did Arnold visit Dover ?
- (e) "Thus leant she lingered – joy and fear! Thus lay she a moment on my breast". In which poem do these lines appear ?
- (f) Who wrote the poem 'The World is too much with Us' ? What is its genre ?
- (g) When was the novel *Hard Times* published ?
- (h) Who tells a new school master that he wants "facts" ?
- (i) What is the nick-name of Cecilia Jupe ?
- (j) What type of ballad is the *Rime of the Ancient Mariner* ?
- (h) Who are called the Lake Poets ?
- (l) Who wrote *Kenilworth* ? What type of novel is it ?