



**GAB-215**

Seat No. \_\_\_\_\_

**B. A. (Sem. V) Examination**

**November / December - 2015**

**English : CC - 507**

*(An Introduction to Restoration Age & Age of Pope)*  
*(New Course)*

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions :

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

1 (a) How is the Restoration life mirrored in the Comedy of Manners ? Discuss. 14

OR

(b) Write an essay on the Restoration Satire with particular reference to the Satires of Dryden.

2 (a) What were the causes for the popularity of the Periodical Essay in the 18<sup>th</sup> century ? Discuss. 14

OR

(b) What were the conditions in the eighteenth century responsible for the rapid growth of the Novel ? Discuss.

3 (a) Evaluate 'Mac Flecknoe' as a mock heroic. 14

OR

(b) Comment on 'Mac Flecknoe' as a Satire prompted by personal and impersonal motives.

- 4 Show your acquaintance with the following works : 14  
(any four)
- (i) Tristram Shandy
  - (ii) Dunciad
  - (iii) Pilgrim's Progress
  - (iv) Rasselas
  - (v) Tom Jones
  - (vi) The Deserted Village.
- 5 Answer the following questions briefly : (any seven) 14
- (i) Why is Restoration Age called so ?
  - (ii) Who wrote 'Robinson Crusoe' ?
  - (iii) Who were described as the 'four wheels' of the English novels ?
  - (iv) What type of Satire is 'Absalom and Achitophel' ?
  - (v) What was the main objective of the Spectator ?
  - (vi) Mention any three reasons for the rise of the novel in 18<sup>th</sup> century.
  - (vii) Who published Coverly Papers ?
  - (viii) When did the first issue of the Spectator appear ?
  - (ix) Who is the heroine of the Rape of the Lock ?
  - (x) Who is Robinson ?
  - (xi) Who wrote Tristram Shandy ?
  - (xii) What was the time-span of the Tatler ?