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INTERNAL EXAMINATION-2020

B.A SEMESTER-II (GEN)

ENGG

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Full marks:50

Time: 1hr30mins

Group A

1. Answer any two (any 2): 16x2=32

- a. What are the main themes in the essay *Dream Children* by Charles Lamb?
- b. Discuss the significance of the title of the play *Arms and the Man* by George Bernard Shaw.
- c. Attempt character sketches of any four characters in the novel *The Mayor of Casterbridge* by Thomas Hardy.
- d. In the play *As You Like It* Jacques monologue in Act II begins with the famous line "All the world's a stage". What are the seven stages of man that Shakespeare talks about in this monologue?

Group B

2. Answer any one (any1): 10x1=10

- a. Discuss the idea of "disillusionment with war" in the play *Arms and the Man* by George Bernard Shaw.
- b. What kind of a character is Rosalind in the play *As You Like It* by Shakespeare?

Group C

3. Answer any one (any1): 8x1=8

- a. Write a short note on the role that peasants of Casterbridge play in the novel *The Mayor of Casterbridge* by Thomas Hardy.
- b. With reference to his personal life, discuss why you think Lamb titled his essay "Dream Children"?