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Victorian Age

M. A. English (MEG–10)

Second Year, Examination, 2017

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

Note: This paper is of sixty (60) marks containing three (03) sections A, B and C. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

Section-A

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note: Section 'A' contains four (04) long answer type questions of fifteen (15) marks each. Learners are required to answer *two* (02) questions only.

- 1. "Tennyson is the typical victorian, the poet of compromise." Discuss.
- 2. Discuss "Wuthering Heights" as a novel of passion and revenge.
- 3. Justify the title "Great Expectations".
- 4. Discuss the prose style of R. L. Stevenson.

Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note: Section 'B' contains eight (08) short answer type questions of five (5) marks each. Learners are required to answer *four* (04) questions only.

1. Discuss briefly "Andrea Del Sarto" as a dramatic monologue.

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- 2. What is the central idea expressed by Tennyson in "Ulysses"?
- 3. Write a short note on Arnold as an elegiac poet.
- 4. Write a short note on the role of fate and chance in the novels of Thomas Hardy.
- 5. Discuss briefly J. S. Mill as an advocate of women's rights.
- 6. Write a short note on the significance of "Four wheels of the English novel."
- 7. Discuss briefly the character of Becky Sharp.
- 8. Discuss briefly the autobiographical elements in Dickens "Great Expectations."

Section-C

(Objective Type Questions)

Note: Section 'C' contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (01) mark each. All the questions of this section are compulsory.

- 1. Which of the undermentioned is not one of Bronte Sisters?
 - (a) Anne
 - (b) Charlotte
 - (c) Elizabeth
 - (d) Emily
- 2. What is the real name of George Eliot?
 - (a) Mary Ann Evans
 - (b) Ifor Evans
 - (c) Mary Wolstoncroft
 - (d) Becky Sharp

3.	Hardy's	novels	are	chiefly	set	against	the	backgrou	nd
	of:								

- (a) Essex
- (b) Potteries
- (c) Wessex
- (d) Sussex
- 4. Charles Darwin is chiefly known for his work:
 - (a) The Wealth of Nations
 - (b) The Origin of Species
 - (c) Leviathan
 - (d) On Hero and Hero-Worship
- 5. Which of the following is a novel without a hero?
 - (a) Vanity Fair
 - (b) Emma
 - (c) Mill on the Floss
 - (d) Great Expectations
- 6. Telegraph was invented in:
 - (a) 1885
 - (b) 1837
 - (c) 1900
 - (d) 1918
- 7. Who is the central figure in Emily Bronte's "Wuthering Heights"?
 - (a) Hindley
 - (b) Heathcliff
 - (c) Lock Wood
 - (d) Hareton

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- 8. George Eliot's "Silas Marner" was published in the year:
 - (a) 1851
 - (b) 1855
 - (c) 1861
 - (d) 1865
- 9. Elizabeth Barrett was married to:
 - (a) Arnold
 - (b) Robert Browning
 - (c) T. S. Eliot
 - (d) Dickens
- 10. Tennyson wrote "In Memoriam" to commemorate his friend:
 - (a) Arthur Hallam
 - (b) Helen
 - (c) Elizabeth
 - (d) Wordsworth

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