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**B.A. (Part I) (Improvement)
Examination, 2019**

(Three-year Degree Course)

(New Course)

GENERAL ENGLISH

Paper-I

(Text)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 50

Note :- Attempt all Sections as directed.

Section-A

(Long Answer Type Questions) 10 each

Note :- Attempt any *three* questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Give a critical analysis of L. Dudley Stamp's views in 'Using Land Wisely'.

Or

Bring out the good and the bad of the old and new systems of education.

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(1)

Turn Over

2. Show how Tagore emphasises the value of art in the burdensome activities of life in 'A Wrong Man is Workers Paradise'.

Or

Bring out the note on satire and humour in the story 'A Pair of Mustachios'.

3. Bring out the elements of humour and irony in the story 'The Luncheon'.

Or

Critically evaluate the story 'An Astrologer's Day'

Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions) 2 each

4. Attempt any *five* questions. Each question carries **2 marks** : <http://www.mjpruonline.com>

(i) Show how Joad Laments our belief in 'Might is Right'.

(ii) Write a note on the role of heart beat in the life of an infant as well as of a grown up man.

(iii) Why does the girl choose to go with the man in 'A Wrong Man in Worker's Paradise' ?

(iv) Write a note on the moral in the story 'The Diamond Necklace'.

(v) Value of gifts cannot be overlooked despite the ironies of life. Comment.

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(2)

- (vi) Write a note on the message of the story 'The Home-Coming'.
- (vii) What do you learn from the story 'Three Questions' ?
- (viii) Bring out the element of father in the story 'The Home-coming'.

Section-C

(Objective Type Questions) 1 each

5. (a) Change any *four* of the following sentences as directed : <http://www.mjpruonline.com>
- (i) 'Gee', said Tommy, "What a waste !" ?
(Change the narration)
 - (ii) The screen was lit up.
(Change the voice)
 - (iii) He vowed to shake off his whims, but they lingered in his mind.
(Change into Complex Sentence)
 - (iv) If you are seriously ill, there is an ambulance to take you to a modern hospital.
(Change into a Simple Sentence)
 - (v) He dressed plainly. (Change into negative without changing meaning)

- (b) Use any *three* of the following in your own sentences :
 - (i) A great deal of
 - (ii) Delicious
 - (iii) Look up at
 - (iv) Taken aback
- (c) Do any *three* of the following as directed :
 - (i) Satisfactory (Adverb)
 - (ii) Consider (Adjective)
 - (iii) Maximum (Antonym)
 - (iv) Notorious (Synonym)