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ENGLISH LITERATURE

Paper-II(A)

(Indian English Literature)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 75

Note :- Attempt all questions.

I. Give short answer of the following questions :

(i) Explain with reference to the context :

I do not want the Yogi's concentration

I do not want the perfect charity

Of saints nor the tyrant's endless power,

I want a human balance humanly

Acquired, fruitful in the common hour.

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(1)

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(ii) Explain with reference to the context :

I followed him across the sprawling sands,

My mind thumping in the flesh's sling

Hope lay perhaps in the house I lived in.

Silence gripped my sleeves, his body clawed at

the froth

His old nets had only dragged up from the

seas. 5

(iii) Explain with reference to the context :

The unrest of desire is lit up with eyes,

Whatever mask you slap upon your face,

However you tear at the soft throat of life

And probe the salt blood with your instinct

tongue. 5

(iv) What is the moral of the poem anxiety ? 4

(v) Explain the following passages with reference to the context : <http://www.mjpruonline.com>

What is there to tell ? I sing with other hijras

at weddings and when a child is born. People

give us money otherwise I will put a curse on

them (laughing) As if God is on our side.

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(2)

- (vi) Write a note on the element of suspense in the play *Seven Steps Around the Fire*. 4
- (vii) Write a note on Sohini. 4
- (viii) How are the Englishman influenced by weather? 4
- (ix) Summarise the poem *the Unrest of Desire*. 4
- (x) What is the thought content in the poem *Unclaimed*? 4
2. Write a note on the poetic qualities of K.N. Daruwala. 4
- Or*
- Write a note on Nissim Ezekiel as a poet. 8
3. Write an essay on Vikram Seth as an Indian English poet. 8
- Or*
- Describe the miserable and lonely life of the hijras as reflected in *Seven Steps Around the Fire*. 8
4. Give a pen portrait of Bakha in the light of your study of the novel '*Untouchable*'. 8
- Or*
- Discuss Mulk Raj Anand as a novelist. 8

5. Summarise the views of Nirad C. Chaudhari about the Englishmen and their weather. 8

Or

Write a note on Nirad C. Chaudhari as a Prose writer. 8