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BBAENL 231

**Choice Based Credit System III Semester B.B.A. Examination, April/May 2022
(2020 – 21 Batch Onwards) (Group – III)
COMPULSORY FOUNDATION COURSE IN ENGLISH**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

**SECTION – A
(One Act Plays)**

I. Answer **any two** of the following in **not** more than **two** pages **each** : **(2×10=20)**

- 1) How do you explain the difference in the characters of the mother and the daughter in the play, 'Ilthuania' before the murder of the stranger and after his brutal killing ?
- 2) The 'Man' in the play, 'The Rising of the Moon' is a convict. What is he guilty of ? Discuss with reference to the play.
- 3) How does the Bishop in 'The Bishop's Candlesticks' make the convict realise that the "body is the temple of the living God" ?
- 4) Depict the grief of Mrs. White when fate takes away her only son permanently for a small game of wish that was played between them with the monkey's paw ?

II. Answer **any five** of the following in **one** page **each** : **(5×6=30)**

- 1) Why is Persome often annoyed with the Bishop in the play 'The Bishop's Candlesticks' ?
- 2) What circumstances made the daughter in the play 'Ilthuania' rough and ruthless ?
- 3) Who was the stranger who visited the family of the Whites in "The Monkey's Paw" and why ?
- 4) Why did the convict break into the Bishop's house ? How was he treated by the Bishop ?

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- 5) Describe the plans and actions the sergeant and his two men were carrying out in capturing the escaped convict in the play, 'The Rising of the Moon' ?
- 6) Comment on the ending of the play 'Ilthuania'.
- 7) Explain the mysterious power of the Monkey's Paw.

III. Choose **any two** of the following passages and answer the questions set on them :

- 1) "What, the old witch who lives at the top of the hill, and who says she is bedridden because she is too lazy to do any work ?"
 - a) Who is the speaker of the lines ? 1
 - b) Who is referred to as the "old witch" here ? Why ? 2
 - c) What do you feel about the speaker from the incident ? 2
- 2) "Now wouldn't you as a mother welcome him if ever he came back again to help you in your old age ?"
 - a) Who is the stranger here ? 1
 - b) What intentions are shown towards the mother from the above lines ? 2
 - c) How does the mother feel when the stranger addresses her in this manner ? 2
- 3) "He didn't say It would all happen so naturally, you might think it a coincidence if so disposed."
 - a) Who is the speaker referring to in the given lines ? 1
 - b) What is the mystery the speaker is trying to convey ? 2
 - c) What would occur so naturally that it seems a coincidence ? 2
- 4) "Maybe, sergeant, it comes into your head sometimes, in spite of your belt and your tunic, that it might have been as well for you to have followed Granuaile."
 - a) Who is the speaker of the lines ? 1
 - b) What is the reference to Granuaile here ? 2
 - c) What do the belt and the tunic do to the Sergeant ? 2



SECTION - B
(Composition)

IV. Do as directed :

- 1) Write an essay on **any one** of the following in around **200** words : (1×10=10)
- a) Life at the time of Covid-19 pandemic.
 - b) Social Media: A boon or Bane.
 - c) The importance of daily exercise in leading a healthy life.
- 2) The management club of your college is planning to go on an industrial visit to KMF Dairy Plant. Write a letter of inquiry to the Public Relations Manager, KMF Dairy, Mysore asking permission for the visit. Mention the number of students, time and the date. 5

OR

- You are the sales manager of Greenwood Furniture. Write a letter of reply to The Manager, Hotel River View, who has sent you a letter placing an order for 25 tables and 150 chairs. Specify the date and mode of delivery.
- 3) You are the secretary of the Students' Council of your college. Draft the minutes of the meeting for the following agenda : 5

STUDENTS' COUNCIL
COLLEGE DAY CELEBRATION
AGENDA

Date : 20 March 2022

Time : 10 – 11 a.m.

- 1) Inviting the chief guest
 - 2) Selection of cultural events
 - 3) Distribution of duties
 - 4) Various arrangements.
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