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B. A. 5th Semester English (Hons.) w.e.f. 2014-15 Latest Scheme Examination – November, 2017

HISTORY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE (1798-1914)

Paper: XXI

Time: Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks: 80

Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.

Note: All questions are compulsory.

- 1. Write short answers (in about 150-200 words each) to any *four* of the following questions: $4 \times 4 = 16$
- "Romanticism is an escape, not from, but into reality". Discuss.
 - "Wordsworth, unlike the other Romantic poets, is essentially a poet of joy." Discuss.

- (c) Comment on the melancholy note in Romantic poetry.
- (d) Discuss the development of Pre-Raphaelite poetry in the victorian age.
- (e) Discuss the achievements and limitations of romantic poetry.
- **2.** Write short notes (in about 300 words each) in any two of the following literary works: $8 \times 2 = 16$
 - (a) The French revolution Thomas Carlyle
 - (b) Wuthering Heights Emily Brute
 - (c) The portrait of a lady Henry James
- 3. Write short notes (in about 300 words each) on any two of the following authors: $8 \times 2 = 16$
 - (a) Arthur Clough
 - (b) John Ruskin
 - (c) E. B. Browning
- 4. Romanticism is very closely associated with poetry. Why the Romantics were more drawn to poetry, as opposed to other forms of writing, like prose?
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Discuss the term "Romanticism" and the characteristic of Romanticism. Also detail the contribution of major poets of the Romantic Era of the English Literature.

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5. Detail the main characteristics of victorian literature.
Why the victorian period's often noted for being an age of great faith and at the same time an age of great doubt?

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Discuss the contribution of women novelists of 18th century in the development of English Novel.

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