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Paper XII – ENGLISH

(Novels)

[Based on the Syllabus of B.A. (Pass) Elective Paper I]

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

*(Write your Roll No. on the top immediately
on receipt of this question paper.)*

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*Attempt Q. No. 1 which is compulsory
and any three other questions.*

1. Write short notes on : (10×4=40)

(a) Wemmick's house in Great Expectations

OR

Herbert Pocket

P.T.O.

(b) Elizabeth's visit to Hunsford

OR

Mrs. Bennet

(c) Dan Cody

OR

The Valley of Ashes

(d) Chandran as secretary of the History Association

OR

Kailas

2. What role does Compeyson play in bringing unhappiness in Pip's life? Comment. (20)

OR

What role do Joe Gargery and Bidly play in Great Expectations? Give a reasoned answer.

3. Compare and contrast the characters of Jane and Elizabeth Bennet. (20)

OR

Discuss the significance of the title 'Pride and Prejudice'.

4. Who is the hero of the novel Nick or Gatsby ? Give reasons. (20)

OR

Describe the circumstances that lead to Myrtle's death.

5. Why and how did Chandran face disappointment in his desire to marry Malthi ? (20)

OR

Give an account of the 'flower-thief' episode. How does it reflect the superstitions in Indian society ?

