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B.Sc (Gen.) / B.Sc. (Hons.) Qualifying: English Elective - Paper I (Novel)

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Part I

Duration:

3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

(Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper) Answer Question No. 1 which is compulsory and three others.

1. Write short notes on:

- a) Pip and Magwitch Relationship Or The role of social class in Great Expectations
- b) Mr. Collins Or Mr. Bennet
- c) Jay Gatsby Or The significance of the "valley of ashes"
- d) The title of The Bachelor Of Arts Or Ganpathi Sastrigal

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2. Discuss the character of Miss Havisham. How does she relate to Pip and Estella?

Or

What are the conflicts in Great Expectations? What types of conflict (physical, moral, intellectual, or emotional) did you notice in this novel?

3. Write a character sketch of Elizabeth?

Discuss the appropriateness of the title Pride and Prejudice.

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4. Can you consider The Great Gatsby as a "Great American Novel"?

Compare and contrast Gatsby and Tom. Given the extremely negative light in which Tom is portrayed throughout the novel, why might Daisy choose to remain 20 with him instead of leaving him for Gatsby?

5. Comment on the characterization of R.K.Narayan, with reference to the character of Chandran

Discuss Chandran's activities as an undergraduate student at Albert College? 20