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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (25 marks)

SECTION I

1. Answer any FIVE of the following questions in about 50 words each : $(5 \times 2 = 10)$
 - (a) What does 'Non-discrimination' mean by in Human Rights?
 - (b) Explain the concept of slavery and freedom in 'A Negro Labourer in Liverpool'.
 - (c) What is remarkable about prayer?
 - (d) What are the factors causing air and water pollution?
 - (e) Why is Prometheus punished, according to the old myth?
 - (f) Who is the 'cousin' A.K. Ramanujan looking for on a swing?

- (g) Where did the Astrologer have his shop?
Why?
- (h) What was the condition laid down by the retired colonel for Hugie to Mary Laura?

SECTION II

2. Answer any TEN of the following questions as directed : (10 × 1 = 10)

Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with suitable tense forms.

- (a) We _____ (visit) kodaikkanal last month.
- (b) It _____ (be) raining heavily yesterday.
- (c) I am unhappy (Complete the sentence with a suitable clause)
- (d) The baby was examined by the doctor
(Change it into active voice)
- (e) They cannot admit you without a ticket
(change it into passive voice)
- (f) This wheel makes a hundred revolutions every minute (change it into passive voice)
- (g) To choose a life partner is not so easy.
(Rewrite the sentence using an introductory 'It'.
- (h) The film was boring. The songs were good
(combine the sentences using a conjunction)

- (i) One who is all powerful —————
- (i) Omnipresent
 - (ii) Omnipotent
 - (iii) Omniscient
 - (iv) Omnivorous
- (j) Give one word substitute for the following one who treats the diseases of the eye.
- (k) Change the nouns into their other forms
- (i) classification
 - (ii) legality.
- (l) Change the following into a compound sentence.
- Sasi ran into the house. She switched on the T.V.

SECTION III

3. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below. (5 × 1 = 5)

It took some days for the extent of the damage to Hiroshima to be known immediately after the bomb had exploded on that fateful morning of 6th

August, 1945. It was evident that the destruction in the city was beyond all living experience. A single atomic bomb and a small one at that, had had an effect similar to the simultaneous explosion of 20,000 tons of high explosive. It was estimated that about 1,00,000 people were killed by that one explosion-more than the population of a town the size of Cambridge. Another 40,000 people were injured more than two thirds of the buildings in Hiroshima were destroyed and thousands more were damaged beyond repair. It was found that telegraph poles about two and a half miles from the centre of the explosion were charred by the intense heat.

Statesmen as well as ordinary men and women all over the world were shocked and frightened by the news of the terrible devastation caused by this single atomic explosion. Ever since, the people of the world have lived in the fear that one day the final catastrophe will happen. As one newspaper writer puts it. The atomic bomb means the end of war or the end of the human race.

- (a) When did the atomic bomb explode?
- (b) How did the single atomic bomb explode?
- (c) How many people were killed and how many were injured?
- (d) Name the town that was destroyed.
- (e) What does mean by 'atomic bomb', according to a newspaper?

PART B — ($5 \times 4 = 20$ marks)

Answer any FIVE of the following in about
150 words each.

- 4. Where and when can the human rights be respected?
- 5. In what way is society responsible for eve-teasing?
- 6. How does the power of prayer solve the personal crisis?
- 7. Say how 'Looking for a cousin on a swing' gives a double picture of the cousin.
- 8. Why does Kamala Das glorify her Grandmother's House?
- 9. Sketch the character of Alan Trevor.
- 10. Describe the pathos of the scene of the narrator meeting his real mother in 'Search for a Stranger'.

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE of the following in about
300 words each.

11. Evaluate critically the poem 'A Negro Labourer in Liverpool'.
 12. How does 'On Not Answering the Telephone' express Plomer's unwillingness to work with modern inventions?
 13. How does Barry Commoner's 'Ecology' deal with the hazards of modern pollutants?
 14. Bring out the ironic criticism in A.D. Hope's 'Prometheus unbound'.
 15. Narrate the story of 'The Model Millionaire'.
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