

APRIL 2020

71222/BRA6C

Time : 1½ hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (15 × 1 = 15 marks)

Answer any FIFTEEN questions.

Choose the correct answer.

1. Shakespeare celebrated England's glory in his _____.
(a) Sonnets (b) History plays (c) Letters
(d) Folios
2. Shakespeare parents were _____ and Mary Shakespeare.
(a) Joseph (b) John (c) Jude (d) James
3. Richard Burbage was a leading _____ in Shakespeare's time.
(a) actor (b) playwright (c) critic (d) poet
4. Mistaken identify is a common plot in Shakespeare's _____.
(a) Comedies (b) Tragedies (c) Histories
(d) Romances
5. King Duncan in Shakespeare's Macbeth is a _____ king.
(a) Scottish (b) French (c) English (d) Welsh

6. Malcolm is the son of _____.
(a) Duncan (b) Macbeth (c) Banquo
(d) Donalbain
7. Macbeth would be safe until Birham wood comes to Dunsinane _____.
(a) Hill (b) Valley (c) Castle (d) Home
8. _____ is plagued by sleepwalking.
(a) Macbeth (b) Lady Macbeth (c) Banquo
(d) Duncan
9. In Twelfth Night, Orsino is in love with _____.
(a) Olivia (b) Viola (c) Cesario (d) Maria
10. Viola is the _____ of Sebastian.
(a) daughter (b) sister (c) mother (d) cousin
11. _____ is disguised as Cesario.
(a) Viola (b) Olivia (c) Orsino (d) Sebastian
12. _____ marries Olivia in the end.
(a) Sebastian (b) Orsino (c) Malvolio (d) Cesario
13. King Richard II _____ Henry Bolingbroke.
(a) praises (b) banishes (c) kills (d) awards

14. _____ murders Richard.
(a) King Henry (b) Exton (c) York (d) Raunt
15. Richard's queen is sent home to _____.
(a) England (b) France (c) Scotland (d) Ireland
16. King Henry plans to go on a pilgrimage to _____.
(a) Jerusalem (b) Italy (c) France (d) London
17. Lamb published "On the Tragedies of Shakespeare" in _____.
(a) 1811 (b) 1911 (c) 1821 (d) 1831
18. Lamb's second argument "On the Tragedies of Shakespeare" is about _____.
(a) characters (b) setting (c) actors (d) plot
19. Lamb says that reading Shakespeare appeals to the _____.
(a) imagination (b) emotion (c) intellect
(d) meditation
20. Lamb said "The Lear of Shakespeare cannot be _____".
(a) acted (b) read (c) learnt (d) forgotten.

PART B — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 200 words each.

21. Write a short note on Shakespearean players.
22. Sketch briefly the character of King Duncan.
23. What is the role of the Witches in Macbeth?
24. Write a note on the role of disguise in Twelfth Night.
25. How do Sebastian and Viola get united at last?
26. What is the cause of Richard's tragedy?
27. What does Arnold Kettle say of "Hamlet"?

PART C — (2 × 15 = 30 marks)

Answer any TWO questions in 300 words each.

28. Write an essay on the Shakespearean audience.
 29. Sketch the character of Lady Macbeth.
 30. Discuss Viola's use of disguise.
 31. In what ways is Richard II considered a tragic figure?
 32. Analyse Lamb's views on the tragedies of Shakespeare.
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