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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (20 × 1 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. The term 'Idyll' from the Greek word means
(a) little form (b) little idea (c) little saying
2. _____ coined the term theatre of the Absurd
(a) Eugene Jones (b) Jean Genet (c) Martin Esblin
3. Father Brown is a famous detective of _____ works
(a) Agatha Christie (b) Arthur Conan Doyle
(c) G.K. Chesterton
4. "The still unravished bride of quietness" is an example of _____
(a) Personification (b) apostrophe (c) irony
5. Standard English, according to Daniel Jones, was the every day speech of _____
(a) Southern England (b) Northern England
(c) Western England

6. Fear and trembling, hammer and tongs are examples of _____
(a) alteration (b) opposed ideas (c) conjunction of similar ideas
7. Parole and brigade are words of _____ origin
(a) German (b) French (c) Spanish
8. Italian words were introduced into English by _____
(a) Shakespeare (b) Wyatt (c) Both
9. The imagists adopted the verse libre of _____
(a) German formalists (b) French symbolists
(c) French expressionists
10. 'The Dance of Death' was written by _____
(a) Dylan Thomas (b) W.H. Auden (c) Spencer
11. 'Ulysses' deals with the events of one day in _____
(a) London (b) Glasgow (c) Dublin
12. _____ is a poetic drama
(a) Ash Wednesday (b) The family Reunion
(c) Murder in the Cathedral
13. Franz Ferdinand was assassinated on _____
(a) 28 June (b) 28 July (c) 28 August
14. General Allenby captured _____
(a) Bethune (b) Yprey (c) Jerusalem

15. The Bolshevik revolution was encouraged by the
(a) Serbs (b) Italians (c) Germans
16. The British commander _____ relieved his allies across the River Somme
(a) Lloyd George (b) General Allenby (c) Douglas Haig
17. The operation sea-lion was directed towards _____
(a) Russia (b) America (c) England
18. The new labour government was elected in _____
(a) 1945 (b) 1946 (c) 1947
19. The explosion of the atom bomb killed _____ people in Japan
(a) 70,000 (b) 80,000 (c) 90,000
20. Japanese aircraft attacked the great American naval base at _____
(a) New York (b) Pearl Harbour (c) Boston Harbour

SECTION B — (25 marks)

Answer any FIVE of the following in 100 words each.
(5 × 5 = 25)

21. Write brief notes on Epic theatre.
22. Define personification, Oxymoran and Zeugma. Give example for each.

23. Write briefly on the Portuguese and Dutch contribution to English language.
24. Consider 'Murder in the Cathedral' as a poetic drama.
25. Critically appreciate E.M. Forster's Cathedral passage to India.
26. Write briefly on the Russia 'Civil War' and its results.
27. Attempt a paragraph on the Rise of Adolf Hitler and Nazism.

SECTION C — (30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 300 words.

(3 × 10 = 30)

28. Write an essay on Regional social and Bildungsroman novels.
 29. Trace the evolution of standard English.
 30. Assess 'Ulysses' as a stream of consciousness novel.
 31. Bring out the results of the First World War.
 32. Describe in detail the events of the Second World War.
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