

RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIDYAMANDIRA

(Residential Autonomous College affiliated to University of Calcutta)

B.A./B.Sc. SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION, MAY 2017

FIRST YEAR [BATCH 2016-19]

ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH

Paper : II

Date : 15/05/2017

Time : 3 pm – 4 pm

Full Marks : 25

1. Answer **any one** question of the following : (1 × 5)
 - a) How long had Srijut Sudarshan served Henry King & Co.? Why was he invited to the office of the company?
 - b) Why did Mr. Acton present a gold watch to Srijut Sudarshan? Did Srijut feel the utility of his silver watch after his retirement? Give reasons for your answer.
2. Answer **any one** question of the following : (1 × 2)
 - a) What was Hari's demand?
 - b) Who was to fill up the vacant post of Srijut?
3. Answer **any one** question of the following : (1 × 6)
 - a) "And I shall have some peace there, for peace comes dropping slow,
Dropping from the veils of the morning..."
Explain with reference to the context the quoted lines above.
 - b) How did the pilgrims start their journey? What was their ultimate realization at the end of the journey?
4. Answer **any one** question of the following : (1 × 2)
 - a) Why did Yeats decide to go to Innisfree?
 - b) When did a section of the pilgrims claim its liberty?
5. Check the proof provided in the separate sheet and attach it with the main Answer-Book. (10)

————— × —————

RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIDYAMANDIRA

(Residential Autonomous College affiliated to University of Calcutta)

B.A./B.Sc. SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION, MAY 2017

FIRST YEAR [BATCH 2016-19]

ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH

Paper : II

Date : 15/05/2017

Time : 3 pm – 4 pm

Full Marks : 10

Admit Roll No.....

Registration No.....

5. Read the following manuscript and check the proof of the printed text using necessary proof-reading signs. Attach this sheet at the end of your answer book. (10)

Manuscript

I came to be called Railway Raju Perfect strangers, having heard of my name, began to ask for me when their train arrived at the Malgudi railway station. It is written on the brow of some that they shall not be left alone. I am one such, I think. Although I never looked for acquaintances, they somehow came looking for me. Men who had just arrived always stopped at my shop.

Text for Proof-Reading

I came to be called railway Raju. Perfect strangers, having heard of my name began to ask for me when there train arrived at Malgudi railway station. It is written on the prow of some that they shall not be left alone. I am one such I think. Although I never looked for acquaintences, they somehow came looking for me men who had just arrived always stopped at my shop.

————— × —————