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V Semester B.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S.-O.B.E.-Regular/Supplementary/  
Improvement) Examination, November 2023

(2019 – 2021 Admissions)

CORE COURSE IN ENGLISH

5B 07ENG : The Early Twentieth Century (1901 – 1939)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

- I. Write an essay in **250** words on **any one** of the following :
- 1) Discuss the various factors which led to the outbreak of the First World War and its consequences.
  - 2) Evaluate the emergence of Feminism and the Suffrage Movement. **(1×8=8)**
- II. Write an essay in **250** words on **any one** of the following :
- 3) "Though *The Waste Land* has depicted brokenness and loss, Eliot has also fused numerous allusions to the First World War and its social, psychological and emotional dimensions" - Explain.
  - 4) Comment on the narrative techniques employed by Virginia Woolf in the novel, *Mrs. Dalloway*. **(1×8=8)**
- III. Answer **any four** of the following in about **100** words **each**.
- 5) Modernism and its features.
  - 6) D.H. Lawrence and his major concerns.
  - 7) Poetry of the early twentieth century.
  - 8) The Boer War.
  - 9) Irish Home Rule.
  - 10) Discuss the contributions of J.B. Priestley. **(4×4=16)**

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IV. Answer **any eight** of the following in **one** or **two** sentences.

- 11) Define Epiphany.
- 12) Mention any two traits of Naturalism.
- 13) Name any two plays written by G.B. Shaw.
- 14) In which year was the Abbey Theatre in Dublin established?
- 15) Mention the names of any two poets associated with war-poetry.
- 16) Who is the author of the play, *Murder in the Cathedral*?
- 17) To which genre does the novel, *Death of a Hero* belong to?
- 18) Which are the five sections of *The Waste Land*?
- 19) How does the poem *The Waste Land* end?
- 20) What is Cubism?

(8×1=8)

