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E-3427

M. A. (Final) EXAMINATION, 2021

ENGLISH

Paper Third

(American Literature)

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 100

Note : All questions are compulsory and carry equal marks.

Unit—I

1. Discuss “When Lilacs Last in the Deoryard Bloomed” as an elegy.

Or

Write a note on the treatment of love, death and immortality in the poems of Emily Dickinson.

Unit—II

2. Attempt a general estimate of Robert Frost as a poet.

Or

Critically evaluate Sylvia Plath’s poem “To Daddy”.

Unit—III

3. Write a note on Emerson as a Transcendentalist.

Or

Write a critique on *either* Emerson’s “Self-Reliance” *or* Thoreau’s “Civil Disobedience”.

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Unit—IV

4. What do you know about the use of animal imagery in *The Hairy Ape* ?

Or

Discuss *The Glass Menagerie* as an expressionistic play.

Or

Discuss *Death of a Salesman* as a social tragedy.

Or

Write a note on *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf* as an absurd play.

Unit—V

5. Trace the autobiographical element in Faulkner's *The Sound and The Fury*.

Or

Sketch the character of *either* Santiago *or* Huckleberry Finn.

Or

Discuss *The Scarlet Letter* as a romance.