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M.A. (ENGLISH)

1ST SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATIONS, FEBRUARY-2020

ENG-CC-102

DRAMA: COMEDY AND ROMANCE

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

SECTION – A

Q.1. Annotate / Answer **ANY FOUR** questions

(4 x 4 = 16)

- a. Oh, she is
Ten times more gentle than her father's crabbed,
And he's composed of harshness.
- b. I prithee
Remember I have done thee worthy service,
Told thee no lies, made thee no mistakings, served
Without or grudge or grumblings. Thou did promise
To bate me a full year.
- c. And I'll make you a gentlemanly offer: / take my slave here and torture him, and if you catch me /
in any wrongdoing, then take me and put me to death.
- d. Oh, God and his good angels! Whither, whither Is shame fled human breasts? That with such ease,
Men dare put off your honours and their own? Is that, whichever was a cause of life, Now placed
beneath the basest circumstance? And modesty an exile made, for money?
- e. I'll tell thee, Fainall, she once used with that insolence, that in revenge I took her to pieces; sifted
her, and separated her failings
- f. Friendship without freedom is as dull as love without enjoyment, or wine without toasting."

(OR)

Q.2. Answer all the questions

(8 x 2 = 16)

- a. *The Frogs* tells the story of the God.....
 - a) Dionysus
 - b) Faust
 - c) Frogs
 - d) Lucifer
- b. Dionysus brings the playwright back from the dead.
 - a) Euripides
 - b) Heracles
 - c) Cerberus
 - d) Xanthias
- c. Volpone is a/angentleman who pretends to be on his deathbed.
 - a) Scottish
 - b) Italian
 - c) Venetian
 - d) American
- d. Volpone insists on disguising himself and having it announced that he has died and willed his
wealth to
 - a) Voltore
 - b) Mosca



- c) Corbaccio
- d) Corvino
- e. Prospero is a.....with incredible supernatural power.
 - a) Lawyer
 - b) Sorcerer
 - c) Merchant
 - d) Witch
- f. Ariel was a.....
 - a) Antonio's spirit servant
 - b) Duke of Venice's spirit servant
 - c) Prospero's spirit servant
 - d) Ferdinand's spirit servant
- g. *The way of the world* is centred on the two lovers.....
 - a) Mirabell and Millamant
 - b) Mirabell and Wilfull
 - c) Lady Wishfort and Mirabell
 - d) Sir Rowland and Lady Wishfort
- h.is the daughter of Lady Wishfort.
 - a) Mrs. Marwood
 - b) Mrs. Waitwell
 - c) Mrs. Rowland
 - d) Mrs. Fainall

PART – B (4 x 16=64 Marks)

Answer ALL the questions

- 3. a. Analyse the significance of the title of the play *The Tempest*.
(OR)
b. Give a pen portrait of Miranda who appears in *The Tempest*.
- 4. a. Is *The Way of the World* a comedy of manners? Justify
(OR)
b. Discuss the theme of social criticism in *The Way Of The World*?
- 5. a. Explain the features of Jacobean comedy in accordance with Ben Jonson's play *Volpone*
(OR)
b. How would you describe the theme of avarice in *Volpone* by Ben Johnson?
- 6. a. What are the canonical messages and themes of the play *Frogs*?
(OR)
b. What are some of the problems that Athens faces at the time of the play *Frogs*, according to Aristophanes?