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M. A. (Sem. II) Examination

July - 2022

English : ECT-2D

(European Classics - From Medieval to 17th Century)

Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions :

- (1) Questions **1** to **4** each has an option, Indicate your option clearly.
- (2) Read question **5** carefully and indicate your options clearly.
- (3) Figures on the right indicate marks.

1 (a) Enumerating the key aspects of epic heroic writing, 14
exemplify Beowulf.

OR

1 (b) Explain the significance of three important personages apart from Beowulf from the text.

2 (a) Analyse Purgatorio as an allegory. **14**

OR

2 (b) Delineate the depiction of Virgil in Purgatorio.

3 (a) On the basis of your reading *Le Morte d'Arthur*, 14
enumerate the qualities that a knight ought to have
with examples from the text.

OR

3 (b) Discuss the major theme(s) in Vol. 1 of *Le Morte d'Arthur*.

4 (a) Analyse *The Misanthrope* as a comedy of manners. 14

OR

- 4 (b) Does *The Misanthrope* only satirize hypocrisy in the French Aristocratic society, or does it also indicate human flaws in general ? Elaborate your point of view.

5 Attempt short notes on any two of the following : 14

- (1) Narrative sources in *Beowulf*.
 - (2) Beatrice.
 - (3) The title '*Le Morte d'Arthur*'
 - (4) Any one round character in *The Misanthrope*.
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