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Instructions for private candidates only: This question paper contains **two sections**. Answer **SECTION I** questions in the answer book provided. **SECTION II** Internal Examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under **SECTION II**.

SECTION I

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. Why is youth compared to a sweet smell?
2. How does the poet describe his journey on earth?
3. What made Dante descent the hill?
4. Why is Juliet dissatisfied with her lover's name?
5. "Parting is such sweet sorrow that I shall say good night till it be morrow". Explain.
6. Why does Shylock exclaim "A Daniel come to judgement!"?
7. What was the name of Don Quixote's horse?
8. Why was Jean Valjean imprisoned?
9. Who is Mr.Bingley?
10. Describe Pahom's quarrel with Simon.
11. Describe the back part of Walworth that features in the story, 'The Black Veil'.
12. What was Moon talking on the telephone?

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*





Each question carries 5 marks.

13. "Zeus made our line a line of only sons". Explain.
14. "When I consider how my light is spent, ere half my days, in this dark world and wide". Explain.
15. Give the significance of the title 'On His Blindness'.
16. "Deny thy father and refuse thy name". Why does Juliet say so?
17. Describe the circumstances which led Gratiano to cry out in delight "A second Daniel! A Daniel, Jew!"?
18. What does the bishop tell the gendarmerie, when they bring in Jean Valjean?
19. The friendship between Bingley and Darcy.
20. Why was Kabuliwala arrested by the police?
21. How did the Bashkirs treat Pahom?

(6×5=30)

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

22. Explain the themes of nature, beauty and life with respect to the poem 'Lovely is Youth'.
23. What is the dramatic twist that Shakespeare brings through Portia in 'The Merchant of Venice'?
24. Narrate the two adventures of Don Quixote as described in the extract for study.
25. Trace a similarity between the narrator and Kabuliwala.

(2×15=30)

