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**SIXTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH 2021**

(CUCBCSS—UG)

English

ENG 6B 5 (E2)/DM ENG 6B 3 (E2)—REGIONAL LITERATURE IN TRANSLATION  
(Common for Single and Double Main)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

**Section A**

*Answer all questions.*

*Each question carries 1 mark.*

1. Naranappa donated a ————— to Parijata Drama Troupe.  
(a) Curtain. (b) Costumes.  
(c) Harmonium. (d) Money.
2. What is the after effect of reading and reading ?  
(a) Book looks aged. (b) Eyes get tired.  
(c) Eyes look aged. (d) Sight gets shorter.
3. Who is the founder of Katha Books ?  
(a) Geeta Madhuri. (b) Geeta Dharmarajan.  
(c) Geeta Desai. (d) None of these.
4. Who is the most respected person of the Agrahara in 'Samskara' ?  
(a) Naranappa. (b) Praneshacharya.  
(c) Mahabala. (d) None of these.
5. Who came in search of the lost rosary ?  
(a) St. Flora of Georgia. (b) Forgetful angel.  
(c) Saint Peter. (d) None of these.
6. "I eat this for the sake of nostalgia!" Whose words are this ?  
(a) Mohini. (b) Mohasundaram.  
(c) Kamala. (d) Kafka.

**Turn over**

7. Which singer is mentioned in *Ghazal* ?
- (a) Pankaj Udhas. (b) Nusrat Fateh Ali Khan.  
(c) Amjad Ali Khan. (d) Gulam Ali.
8. According to mythologies, Yama is the god of \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) Sea. (b) Sky.  
(c) Life. (d) Death.
9. Which river is mentioned in 'Boatman Tarini' ?  
(a) Yamuna. (b) Mayurakshi.  
(c) Ganga. (d) Kaveri.
10. Who cursed Sakuntala ?  
(a) Durvasa. (c) Viswamitra.  
(b) Vasishta. (d) Kanwa.

(10 × 1 = 10 marks)

### Section B

*Answer at least seven questions.  
Each question carries 3 marks.  
All questions can be attended.  
Overall Ceiling 21.*

11. From where does the drop of milk drip ?
12. Why did Praneshacharya marry Bhagirathi ?
13. Who are Kal- kanya and Kama kanya ?
14. Mention two things the speaker of the poem 'Experience' wants to avoid ?
15. What is the after effect of reading and reading ?
16. What is the role of Ahmed Bari in the novel *Samskara* ?
17. What feeling is filled in the mind after the completion of the gazal ?
18. What does the title of the poem 'Houses' suggests ?
19. According to the beliefs, what was the cause of the epidemic plague in the village ?
20. Who was the terrorist ?
21. Why did Madhava Rao curse the workers in telephone and drain departments ?
22. Comment on the lines : last night alone did I dole out/my body that is bread.

(7 × 3 = 21 marks)

**Section C**

*Answer at least **three** questions.*

*Each question carries 7 marks.*

*All questions can be attended.*

*Overall Ceiling 21.*

23. The character of Praneshacharya.
24. Mohini in 'The story of the Fire-Bird, Red Rabbit and Endangered Tribes'.
25. The death of Jocasta.
26. What is the theme of the poem "Experience" ?
27. Comment on the refrain in Amrita Pritam's poem.
28. What are the confessions of St. Flora of Georgia ?

(3 × 7 = 21 marks)

**Section D**

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries 14 marks.*

29. Attempt a critical analysis of the poem "Judas of the Arunerian Miniature".
30. Discuss the theme of the play 'The Terrorist'.
31. *Samskara* is a novel that analyses the backwardness of Brahmin society. Discuss.
32. Write an essay on the theme of the Act IV of *Abhinjanasakuntalam*.

(2 × 14 = 28 marks)