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2017

Part II 3-Tier

ENGLISH

PAPER—III

(General)

Full Marks : 90

Time : 3 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Section-I

Answer any *two* of the following : 2×15

1. (a) Comment on the theme of friendship in *Julius Caesar* with close reference to the text.

Or

(Turn Over)

(b) Who is the protagonist of *Julius Caesar*? Is it Caesar or Brutus? Give reasons in support of your choice.

2. (a) Does Frome make a strong defence for *Falder* in Galsworthy's *Justice*? Justify your stance.

Or

(b) Consider *Justice* as a tragedy.

3. Answer any two of the following questions : 2×10

(a) How does *Julius Caesar* deal with the notions of power and statehood? Discuss.

Or

(b) Write a note on Shakespeare's use of the supernatural in the play *Julius Caesar*.

(c) Comment on the aptness of plot construction in Galsworthy's *Justice*.

Or

(d) 'Galsworthy's *Justice* is a problem play that satirises crime law and divorce law in the-then England.' — Elucidate.

Section-II

4. Write an essay on any *one* of the following topics :

1×20

- (a) Children's Literature.
- (b) Natural Disaster and our responsibility.
- (c) Secularism vs Fanaticism.
- (d) Literature in the Age of Science.

5. Write a short note on any *four* of the following : 4×5

- (a) Stream-of-Consciousness ;
- (b) Comdey ;
- (c) Image ;
- (d) Ballad ;
- (e) Ode ;
- (f) Round and Flat Character.