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LB—252—2024

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

B.A. (First Year) (Second Semester) EXAMINATION

MARCH/APRIL, 2024

ENGLISH (Optional)

Paper—III

(Understanding Non-fictional Prose)

(Saturday, 20-04-2024)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (i) All questions are compulsory.

(ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. What is Bacon's message about revenge, in his essay 'Of Revenge' ? 10

Or

What are the aims of studies, stated by Bacon in his essay 'Of Studies' ?

2. Write in detail about the strange experience of Dr. Ambedkar at Chalisgaon.

10

Or

Write a detailed note on the autobiography 'Waiting for a Visa'.

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3. What are Johnson's views on Milton's early poems ? 10

Or

Write in detail about Johnson's criticism on Milton's *Lycidas*.

4. Describe 'Travels with a Donkey in the Cevennes' as a travelogue. 10

Or

Discuss the various themes of 'Travels with a Donkey in the Cevennes'.

5. Write short notes on any *one* from each section : 10

SECTION-I

(1) Travelogue

(2) Essay.

SECTION-II

(1) Non-fictional prose of the Renaissance

(2) Origins of non-fictional prose.