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B.Com. 6th Semester

ENGLISH COMPULSORY

Paper : BCG-601

Time Allowed—Three Hours] [Maximum Marks—50

SECTION—A

1. Attempt any **FIVE** of the following questions very briefly (in **one** or **two** sentences each) :—
- (i) Comment on the title 'The Will'.
 - (ii) Why does Mrs. Al Smith want to buy a Villa ?
 - (iii) Why does Prof. Corrie call his invention 'a most humanitarian invention' ?
 - (iv) How is Mrs. Stevenson murdered ?
 - (v) Why does Krishnan give his monthly salary to his wife ? <http://www.gnduonline.com>
 - (vi) What was the essence of existence of Krishnan's mother ? 2×5=10

SECTION—B

2. Answer any **TWO** of the following questions briefly (about **150** words each) :—
- (i) Give a character sketch of Al Smith.

(ii) Trace the irony and its function in the play 'Progress'.

(iii) Write a note on the inhumanity of various agencies of society. (Sorry Wrong Number). $6 \times 2 = 12$

3. Answer any **TWO** of the following :—

(i) How did Krishnan manage to teach the composition period when he was not prepared ?

(ii) Give a detailed account of Krishnan and Susila over the old clock. How was it patched up ?

(iii) How was Krishnan advised to remarry ? What was his reaction ? $6 \times 2 = 12$

SECTION—C

4. Write an essay on R.K. Narayan's Style and Language.

OR

The English Teacher is the song of love in marriage.

Discuss. $8 \times 1 = 8$

5. Write an essay in about **400** words on any **ONE** topic :—

(i) Unemployment

(ii) Corruption in Public Life

(iii) Disaster Management. $8 \times 1 = 8$