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M. A. EXAMINATION, 2020

(Second Semester)

(B Scheme) (Re-appear)

M.A.(ENGLISH)

ENG902B

History of English Literature-II

Time: 2½ Hours] [Maximum Marks: 75]

Before answering the question-paper candidates should ensure that they have been supplied to correct and complete question-paper. No complaint, in this regard, will be entertained after the examination.

Note: Attempt *Four* questions in all. All questions carry equal marks.

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- **1.** Write short notes of about **150** words on any *four* of the following :
 - (a) 'Vers de Societe'
 - (b) Satire
 - (c) French Revolution
 - (d) Pre-Romantic Poetry
 - (e) Comedy of Manners
 - (f) Gothic Novel
 - (g) Heroic Tragedy
 - (h) Picaresque Novel.
- 2. Describe the salient features of the Neoclassical poetry with special reference to the poetry of major poets.
- **3.** What is meant by the heroic couplet ? Elaborate with reference to famous poems and poets.
- **4.** To what extent can the Romantic Movement of English poetry be described as a return to nature ?

- **5.** How do you account for the prevalence of melancholy and medievalism in Romantic poetry?
- **6.** What are the factors responsible for the decline of drama in the eighteen century?
- 7. What were the salient features of Sentimental Comedy of the eighteen century? Give account of major dramatists.
- **8.** Write a detailed note on the women novelists of the eighteen century and their contribution to the English novel.
- **9.** Account for the popularity of the periodical essay in the eighteen century.