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**M. A. (Fourth Semester) (Main/ATKT)  
EXAMINATION, 2020**

ENGLISH

Paper Third

**(American Literature-II)**

*Time : Three Hours ]*

*[ Maximum Marks : 80*

**Note :** Attempt all Sections as directed.

**Section—A**

1 each

**(Objective/Multiple Choice Questions)**

**Note :** Attempt all questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. Where is the play 'The Emperor Jones' set ?

- (a) Florida Keys
- (b) West Indies
- (c) New Orleans
- (d) Hispaniola

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2. What is the basis for Smithers' authority in the palace ?
  - (a) He is the emperor.
  - (b) He is a white man.
  - (c) He is a medicine man.
  - (d) He is the emperor's right hand man.
3. Who inspired the character of Laura in 'The Glass Menagerie' ?
  - (a) William's wife
  - (b) William's mother
  - (c) William's sister
  - (d) William's cousin
4. Where the 'The Glass Menagerie' was first performed on stage ?
  - (a) Chicago
  - (b) New York
  - (c) Los Angeles
  - (d) Nashville
5. In what year was 'All My Sons' first produced ?
  - (a) 1947
  - (b) 1949
  - (c) 1951
  - (d) 1953

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6. What was Arthur Miller's religious background ?
  - (a) Anglican
  - (b) Baptist
  - (c) Catholic
  - (d) Jewish
7. What kind of animal does George compare Martha's father to ?
  - (a) a guinea pig
  - (b) a rat
  - (c) a mouse
  - (d) a hamster
8. Who is afraid to Virginia Woolf premiered in New York City in ..... ?
  - (a) 1922
  - (b) 1942
  - (c) 1962
  - (d) 1982
9. How does Quentin commit suicide ?
  - (a) he drowns himself
  - (b) he shoots himself
  - (c) he hangs himself
  - (d) he drinks himself to death

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10. One of Faulkner's major themes in the decline of southern .....
- (a) Cooking
  - (b) Aristocratic family
  - (c) Fashion sense
  - (d) Culture and fine arts
11. How does Hemingway describe Santiago's eyes ?
- (a) They are full of pain
  - (b) They are blank with defeat
  - (c) They betray the weariness of his soul
  - (d) They are the color of the sea
12. How does Santiago finally kill the Marlin ?
- (a) He harpoons it through the heart
  - (b) He stabs it between the eyes
  - (c) He lashes it to the inside of the boat
  - (d) He bashes its head with his club
13. What characteristic was typical of Expressionist Art ?
- (a) Art the conveyed emotion rather than reality
  - (b) Distorted and exaggerated subjects
  - (c) Vivid and shocking colours
  - (d) All of the above

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14. Where to Hester and Chillingworth live before coming to America ?
- (a) Amsterdam
  - (b) Paris
  - (c) Edinburgh
  - (d) Jamaica
15. How do Hester and Dimmesdale plan to escape their suffering ?
- (a) By going to live with the native Americans
  - (b) By boarding a ship bound for Europe
  - (c) By killing Chillingworth
  - (d) By committing suicide
16. Where does Huck hide the Wilks family gold ?
- (a) In Peter Wilks' coffin
  - (b) In the basement
  - (c) In a mattress
  - (d) In an old cabin in the woods
17. Where does Huck intend to go at the end of the novel 'The Adventure of Huckleberry Finn' ?
- (a) St. Petersburg
  - (b) The West
  - (c) New York city
  - (d) The Phelps farm

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18. Which of the following statements would most likely be agreed of Naturalist ?
- (a) Theatre re-imagines like as something more idyllic
  - (b) Theatre is dream
  - (c) Theatre exposes our secret desires
  - (d) Theatre is a petrie dish for humanity
19. Who is recognized as the father of realism ?
- (a) Henrik Ibsen
  - (b) Henry James
  - (c) Emile Zola
  - (d) Mark Twain
20. Sartre claims that according to existentialism, there is no reality except in .....
- (a) passion
  - (b) action
  - (c) contemplation
  - (d) appetite

**Section—B**

2 each

**(Very Short Answer Type Questions)**

**Note :** Attempt all questions.

1. What does Emperor Jones lose in the forest ?
2. For whom does Amanda want Laura to stay fresh and pretty ?
3. Who is Ann's new boy friend in 'All My Sons' ?
4. Do George and Martha love each other in Albee's play 'Who is Afraid of Virginia Woolf' ?

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5. In what American state does Faulkner set the novel ?
6. When the novella opens, how long has it been since Santiago last caught a fish ?
7. In what country did the Expressionist movement begin ?
8. Who coined the term 'The Theatre of the Absurd' ?

**Section—C**

3 each

**(Short Answer Type Questions)**

**Note :** Attempt all questions in 75 words.

1. What happened to Jones when he found himself in the forest ?
2. How did Amanda treat with Tom in 'The Glass Menagerie' ?
3. What is the significance of money in the play 'All My Sons' ?
4. Who is by the end of the play, admitting to be afraid of Virginia Woolf ?
5. What is the exposition in 'The Sound and the Fury' ?
6. What happens to Chillingworth after death of Dimmesdale ?
7. Define Naturalism.
8. How did realism differ from romanticism ?

**Section—D**

5 each

**(Long Answer Type Questions)**

**Note :** Attempt all questions in 150 words each.

1. Comment on 'The Emperor Jones' as an expressionist play.

*Or*

Elaborate the concept of American dream in 'The Glass Menagerie'.

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2. Discuss, 'All My Sons' by Arthur Miller as a morality play.

*Or*

Explain the significance of the title of the play, 'Who is Afraid of Virginia Woolf' ?

3. Sketch the character of Quentin in 'The Sound and the Fury'.

*Or*

Write a note on the role of sea in 'The Old Man and the Sea'.

4. What are some symbols in 'The Scarlet Letter' ? How do they relate to the plot and characters ?

*Or*

How does Mark Twain use satire to expose and criticize human failings in his novel 'The Adventure of Huckleberry Finn' ?

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