

AQ-05

**B.A. (Part—I) Examination**  
**SUPPLEMENTARY ENGLISH**

**(Optional)**

**(Modern Indian Language)**

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 100

**Note :— Answer ALL questions.**

1. Write an essay of about **400** words on any **ONE** of the following :— 15
  - (a) Computer Literacy
  - (b) The Problem of National Integration
  - (c) India's War on Terrorism
  - (d) Value of Discipline
  - (e) Woman and Career.
2. Answer any **THREE** of the following :— 45
  - (a) Summarise the story 'A Cup of Tea'.
  - (b) Describe in brief Lynd's views on Trains.
  - (c) Give an account of the rumour of the broken dam in 'The Day the Dam Broke'.

- (d) Write an essay on Walter Lippmann's arguments in defence of the opposition.
- (e) Discuss the ideas and principles which confirm Huxley's belief and disbelief.
3. Answer any **TWO** of the following :— 30
- (a) What is the significance of the title of the story 'A Day's Wait' ?
- (b) Narrate the circumstances that led the banker to feel a great contempt for himself.
- (c) How did the 'Doctor's word' play a significant role in Gopal's recovery from illness ?
- (d) Describe Chang Feng's experiences when he was transformed into a tiger.
4. Make a precis of the following passage in your own words and suggest a suitable title :— 10

When freedom is threatened and territorial integrity is endangered, there is only one duty — the duty to meet the challenge with all our might. We must all fully realise that the country faces its severest trial today. At this hour, across our vast borders are massed forces which threaten our continuance as a free and independent country. We have all to stand together firmly and unitedly to make any sacrifice that may be

necessary. In normal times, we may well have our individual loyalties, loyalties to politics and programmes about which there can be genuine differences of opinion amongst different sections and groups. That is an essential part of our democratic set-up. But when our very freedom and sovereignty are threatened, all these loyalties have to be, subordinated to that ultimate loyalty—loyalty to the motherland. I appeal to all my countrymen to ensure that our unity, strength and our internal peace and harmony are not disturbed in any manner. Anyone who acts to the contrary will be acting against the interest of the country. I want to make it known that we shall allow no quarter to anyone who indulges in anti-national activities.