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(July)

ENGLISH

(Honours)

(Fiction—I)

Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer Question No. **1** and *any four* from the rest

1. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 5×3=15
- (a) The character of Sissy Jupe
 - (b) The circumstances leading to the death of Justine Moritz
 - (c) The role of the 'Governess' in Moll Flanders' life
 - (d) The first encounter of Lockwood with Heathcliff
 - (e) The role of Mrs Norris in the upbringing of the Bertram children

2. "A penitent woman reproaching herself for her misdeeds and a ruthless pursuer of ill-gotten wealth."
Examine this duality in the character of Moll Flanders in the light of the above remark. 15
3. "Humans have certain limits despite their grand ambitions. When these limits are crossed, the natural order is destroyed."
Consider this statement in relation to *Frankenstein*. 15
4. Critically discuss the significance of the title of Charles Dickens' *Hard Times*. 15
5. "Heathcliff was a very unhappy man who poured his unhappiness upon the lives of all who knew him."
Analyse Heathcliff's character in the light of the above statement. 15
6. Critically evaluate the theme of marriage and social mobility in *Mansfield Park*. 15
