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CS – 026

III Semester B.Com. Examination, March 2023
(CBCS) (Repeaters) (2019-20 and Onwards)

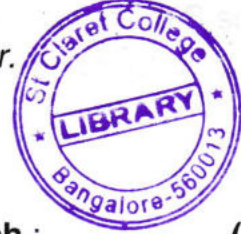
GENERAL ENGLISH
Language English – III

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

- Instructions :** 1) Answer **all** the questions.
2) Write the **correct** question number.

SECTION – A
(Course Book)



- I. Answer **any five** of the following in **2** or **3** sentences **each** : (5×2=10)
- 1) In what different ways does the poet want to address the Cuckoo ?
 - 2) The younger monk did not like the idea of helping the woman. True/False ?
 - 3) The scholar takes the boy to the _____.
 - a) garden
 - b) bush
 - c) forest
 - 4) Mention the last words of the minister which the king wasn't alive to listen.
 - 5) Why was the narrator Labhu's devoted follower ?
 - 6) Why were the silver salt-cellars sold ?
 - 7) What happened to the grain in the sack ?
 - 8) For how many people was the 'meal' cooked ?
- II. Answer **any four** of the following in about **80-100** words **each**, selecting **two** from the play : (4×5=20)
- 1) Comment on 'A Wandering Voice', 'A Tale of Visionary Hours' and 'A Mystery'.
 - 2) Narrate the events that led the older monk to carry the young woman.
 - 3) Did the king finally succeed in his mission of knowing how other kings became immortal ? Elaborate.
 - 4) Do you think the Bishop was justified in selling the silver salt-cellars? Explain.
 - 5) Explain the two incidents which changed the convict's life.
 - 6) Before leaving, the convict asks the Bishop to bless him. What brought about this change in him ?
 - 7) Draw the comparison between the man with grain and the faint-hearted devotee.

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III. Answer **any one** of the following in about **200-250** words : **(1×10=10)**

- 1) "I left her on the other side of the road, while you are still carrying her."
What according to the writer was the younger monk carrying ? Explain.
- 2) "Story-telling is an art." How is this brought out in the story 'The Liar' ?
- 3) The Bishop succeeds in healing the tormented soul and shows him the path of God and righteousness. Comment.

SECTION - B
(Letter Writing)

IV. Answer **any three** of the following : **(3×10=30)**

- 1) Imagine that a reputed magazine wants an Auditor's Assistant in a reputed company. You have been already working as an Auditor's Assistant in some other company where the pay is low and you don't find better prospects. Prepare your CV along with a Cover Letter applying for the following position to the auditor in the reputed company.
- 2) Draft a sales letter introducing a new product of your concern.
- 3) Write a letter of complaint on behalf of Jimmy's Stores, Sampige Road, Malleswaram, Bangalore to Malnad Food Products, Tirthahalli, Shimoga. District that the 12 honey bottles of the 24 consigned by the latter were received in a damaged condition and seek redressal.
- 4) Write on behalf of Fitwell furniture to Sriram Woodworks that due to the inordinate delay in the supply of the chairs, they lost their order and goodwill. Cancel the order.