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B.A.DEGREE EXAMINATION – **ENGLISH LITERATURE**

THIRD SEMESTER - NOVEMBER 2018

16/17UEL3MC03- NEW LITERATURES IN ENGLISH

Date: 29-10-2018	Dept. No.	Max.: 100 Marks
Time: 01:00-04:00		

I. Answer any EIGHT of the following in about 75 words each.

 $(8 \times 3 = 24)$

- 1. Similarly, without freedom you get no development, and without development you very soon lose your freedom.
- 2. ... Beneath their alimentary shawls sit like black tents their squaws; while for the tourist's brown pennies scattered at the old church door, the ragged papooses jump, and bite the dust.
- 3. Moons that glimmer above, waters that lie white under, Miles and miles of lake far out under the night;
- 4. People in the *colonies*, she said,Can't quite understand...Why, from Waiau to the mountainsIt was all father's land
- 5. The price seemed reasonable, location Indifferent. The landlady swore she lived Off premises. Nothing remained But self-confession.
- 6. Black the colour for every day
 And I have carried the World since the dawn of time
 And My laugh over the World, through the nigh, creates the Day.
- 7. Heavy with child belly an arc of black moon
- 8. As one grows older the pebbles grew too into great stones and rocks hurled with violence
- 9. Has anyone come again, sad heart? No, there is no-one there.
- 10. You wrong misha. Nobody see us. Mebbe you lucky—get away. But who believe you? You tell one story, I tell another.

II. Answer any SIX of the following in about 100 words each.

 $(6 \times 6 = 36)$

- 11. Bring out the views of Northrop Frye regarding the differences between Canadian and American societies.
- 12. Consider the portrayal of Australia in the poem "Poor Poor Country" by John Neilson.
- 13. Write a short note on the way tradition has been presented in A M Klein's poem "Indian Reservation."
- 14. How does the narrator express the pride of being a black person in the poem "I thank you God"?
- 15. Consider George Ryga's play *Indian* as a social play.
- 16. Show how Chinua Achebe describes the Igbo culture in *Things Fall Apart*.
- 17. Discuss briefly the narrative technique used by Henry Lawson in "Shooting the Moon."

III. Answer any FOUR of the following in about 250-300 words.

 $(4 \times 10 = 40)$

- 18. Attempt an essay highlighting the relationship of freedom and development as brought out by Julius K Nyerere with specific reference to Tanzania.
- 19. Using the prescribed poems as illustrations, Discuss the characteristic features of the poetry of New Literatures in English.
- 20. Analyse the theme of racial prejudice in Soyinka's poem "Telephone Conversation."
- 21. Critically evaluate the play *Indian* by George Ryga as commentary on the racial challenges faced by the minorities.
- 22. Examine in detail the aptness of the title *Things Fall Apart*.
- 23. Explain the use of symbolism in the short story by Margaret Laurence titled, "The Loons".
