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THIRD SEMESTER BA DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022
(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

FUNCTIONAL ENGLISH
GFEN3C05T: LITERATURE IN ENGLISH: AMERICAN & POST COLONIAL - I

Time: 1 ½ Hours

Maximum Marks: 40

SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries *two* marks.
(Ceiling 12 Marks)

1. What is colonialism? Explain with an example.
2. What happens in the second stage of framing a national culture in native intellectual?
3. What according to Homi K Bhaba is meant by hybridity?
4. Comment on the title of the poem by Margaret Atwood?
5. "She stood behind a tree with leaves around her waist and only smiled." Explain the importance of this line with reference to Mystic Drum.
6. What are the functions that normally take place in the hall in Tendulkar's story?
7. What was Vellayi- Appan's last gift for his son?

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks.
(Ceiling 18 Marks)

8. Write a brief essay on Orientalism.
9. What is national consciousness?
10. How does the Europeans place themselves above the orients?
11. Explain the poetic devices employed in the poem Africa.
12. Substantiate your views on the injustice involved in the mock law court.

SECTION C: Answer any *one* question. Each carries *ten* marks.

13. The poem 'Nani' by Kamala Das is a powerful indictment against the complacency, indifference and rigidity prevalent in a feudalistic society. Explain.
14. Miss Benare portrays the pathetic plight of women in a patriarchal society. Elucidate.

(1 x 10 = 10 Marks)