

- (e) The peasants came like swarms of flies and buzzed the name of God a hundred times to paralyze the evil one.
- (f) Lightly, O lightly we glide and we sing,
We bear her along like a pearl on a string.

2. Scan **any one** of the following passages and comment on its prosodic features : **6**
- (a) I wandered lonely as a cloud
That floats on high o'er vales and hills,
When all at once I saw a crowd,
A host of golden daffodils ;
 - (b) Merrily, merrily shall I live now
Under the blossom that hangs on the bough.
3. Write brief notes on **any two** of the following : **2x3=6**
- (a) The Ballad
 - (b) The Lyric
 - (c) The Dramatic Monologue
 - (d) The English Sonnet
4. Discuss how Shelley presents the West Wind both as Destroyer and Preserver in the poem 'Ode to the West Wind'. **20**
5. What is the theme of the poem 'The Road Not Taken' ? Discuss. **20**
6. Discuss the development of the thought in 'Ode to a Nightingale'. **20**

7. Attempt a critical appreciation of the poem 'Ulysses'. 20
 8. How does the poem 'The Bangle Sellers' throw light on Sarojini Naidu's conception of Indian women ? Discuss. 20
 9. What idea does Jayanta Mahapatra put across in his poem 'A Missing Person' ? 20
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