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Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

ENG 2560

Trends in Contemporary Literature

Time: 3Hrs

Marks: 75

Answer any Five of the following in about 350 words each

(5x15=75)

1. Prove that Gabriel Okra’s “Once Upon a Time” mourns the disintegration of society.
2. Analyze Maheshwata Devi’s “Dhouli” as a study of caste and gender discrimination.
3. Explain that Jhump Lahiri’s “A Temporary Matter” is about family and its problems.
4. D. H. Lawrence’s “Sons and Lovers” is an autobiographical work- validate.
5. Explain that “Borges and I” is a study of self-analysis.
6. Discuss that Seamus Heaney’s “Digging” is about memory of the past.
7. Write a critical analysis of “Buffalo Bills” by E.E.Cummings.
