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Department of English
B.A. Part-III, English (Hons.)- Paper VIII

Nineteenth Century Fiction *Tess of the d'Urbervilles*
Objective type Questions (Multiple Choice) with answers in italicized typing

1. How old is Tess?

- ☐ 15
- ☐ *16*
- ☐ 17
- ☐ 18

2. What job did Tess wish to have?

- ☐ Housewife
- ☐ Dairymaid
- ☐ Flower seller
- ☐ *Teacher*

3. What was the Durbeyfield family horse called?

- ☐ *Prince*
- ☐ Kingsley
- ☐ Kingston
- ☐ King

4. How does Tess believe she is related to Alec?

- ☐ *They are cousins*
- ☐ They are half siblings
- ☐ He is her uncle
- ☐ They are step siblings

5. What career does Angel's father have?

- ☐ Teacher
- ☐ Farmer

- ☐ *Reverend*
- ☐ Baker

6. Which colours are associated with Tess?

- ☐ Black and White
- ☐ *Red and White*
- ☐ Pink and Blue
- ☐ Black and Red

7. Who were Tess' dairymaid friends?

- ☐ *Izz, Marian and Retty*
- ☐ Izz, Hetty and Marian
- ☐ Izzy, Mary and Retty
- ☐ Izzy, Hetty and Maria

8. Why does Tess stop going to church?

- ☐ The priest tells her she is unpure and must stop coming
- ☐ The children in the village laugh when she enters
- ☐ *She believes the church goers are talking about her*
- ☐ Her mother stops her because she is too embarrassed

9. Whom was Angel supposed to marry?

- ☐ *Mercy Chant*
- ☐ Hope Merritt
- ☐ Mary Abbey
- ☐ Faith Beckon

10. What kind of birds does Mrs d'Urberville own?

- ☐ Canaries
- ☐ Nightingales
- ☐ *Bullfinches*
- ☐ Larks

11. When are we first introduced to Tess?

- ☐ Walking on the hills
- ☐ Cooking with her mother
- ☐ She bumps into Angel in the town
- ☐ *May-day dance celebrations*

12. Where is the penultimate chapter set?

- ☐ Westminster Abbey
- ☐ Marlott
- ☐ *Stonehenge*
- ☐ D'Urbeville Manor

13. What are the names of Angel's brothers?

- ☐ Francis and Christian
- ☐ Frank and Claudius
- ☐ Francis and Cuthbert
- ☐ *Felix and Cuthbert*

14. Where do the Clare family live?

- ☐ Abbey Fields
- ☐ *Emminster*
- ☐ Cloughton
- ☐ Abbingdon

15. What colour flag is raised at the end of the novel?

- ☐ *Black*
- ☐ Grey
- ☐ White
- ☐ Red

16. The action of the novel takes place in what area of England?

- ☐ Essex
- ☐ Sussex
- ☐ Wessex
- ☐ London

17. Which of the following does John Durbeyfield learn at the beginning of the novel?

- ☐ That he has lost his job
- ☐ *That he comes from an aristocratic family*
- ☐ That he won the lottery
- ☐ That he is a prince

18. Angel and Tess first see each other at:

- ☐ The market
- ☐ *The May Day dance*
- ☐ Trantridge
- ☐ Talbothays Dairy

19. After Angel picks up Tess while sleepwalking, where does he place her?

- ☐ *In a coffin*
- ☐ In their bed
- ☐ On a rock
- ☐ On a bridge

20. Which of these women is not a milkmaid?

- ☐ Marian
- ☐ Izz
- ☐ *Mercy*
- ☐ Retty

21. What is the name of Tess's illegitimate child?

- Pity
- Abraham
- Mourning
- *Sorrow*

22. In what town did Tess grow up?

- ☐ Kingsbere
- ☐ Trantridge
- ☐ Sandbourne
- ☐ *Marlott*

23. Why can't Mr. Durbeyfield make the trip to the market?

- ☐ He is too sick
- ☐ He is too tired
- ☐ He is too old
- ☐ *He is too drunk*

24. What advice does Mrs. Durbeyfield give Tess?

- ☐ *Not to tell Angel her secret*
- ☐ Not to tell Alec her secret
- ☐ To leave Alec
- ☐ To marry Alec

25. What part of the house do the Durbeyfields need to repair?

- ☐ The floor
- ☐ The wall
- ☐ *The roof*
- ☐ The door

26. Where is the Talbothays Dairy located?

- ☐ The Valley of the Herons
- ☐ The Valley of Marlott
- ☐ *The Valley of the Great Dairies*
- ☐ The Valley of the Small Dairies

27. Midway through the novel, Alec becomes a:

- ☐ Farmer
- ☐ *Preacher*
- ☐ Traveling salesman
- ☐ Nice guy

28. Angel leaves England to farm where?

- ☐ America
- ☐ Italy

- ☐ *Brazil*
- ☐ *Argentina*

29. Liza-Lu is Tess's:

- ☐ *Daughter*
- ☐ *Sister*
- ☐ *Mother*
- ☐ *Friend*

30. Who is primarily responsible for Prince's death?

- ☐ *Mr. Durbeyfield*
- ☐ *Parson Tringham*
- ☐ *Abraham*
- ☐ *Tess*

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