PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

CENTRAL PROVINCE

MONTHLY TEST GRADE 10

JANUARY - 2020

APPRECIATION OF ENGLISH LITERARY TEXTS

TIME: 1.00 HR.

PART I

Answer all the questions in Part-A

Part-A

1. ***" He clasps the crags with crooked hands."***

    a. From where are these lines taken? Who is the writer ?
    b. Who is clasping the crags here?
    c. What is the literary technique the poet has handled in these lines?

    (05 marks)

2. ***"He watches from his mountain walls"***

    a. Name the work from which these lines are taken. Who wrote them?
    b. Why is he watching from the there?
    c. What characteristics of "He" are depicted here? (05 marks)

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Part B

Name the Figure of Speech found in each of the following expression :

1) *And like a thunderbolt he falls.* ……
2) *The wrinkled sea beneath him crawls;* ……
3) *Ring'd with the azure world, he stands.* ……
4) *Close to the sun in lonely lands,* ……
5) *He clasps the crags with crooked hands:* ……

(15 marks)

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Part 2

(Answer only one question)

1) How does Alfred Lord Tennyson make the poem ***The Eagle*** an interesting piece of reading? Justify your answer with examples.

(25 marks)

OR

2) What life lessons do you learn from the poem ***The Eagle*** ?

(25 marks)