Answer to Q No 3: Epiphenomenalism is a theory of mind supported by a Group of materialists. The word 'Epiphenomenalism' was first used by Huxley. It holds that mind is not a factor in natural processes, rather mind is an epiphenomenon.

Answer to Q No 4: This theory holds that there is an interaction between mind and body. As the two separate and independent substances, both Mind and Body are created by God. Descartes as an advocate of interactionism holds that both mind and body interact upon each other and as a result there is a causal relation between the two. Mind, which is considered as a spiritual substance, has a location in the pineal gland of the brain. It interacts upon the body and is consequently affected by the brain process.

Answer to Q No 5: Arnold Geulinex and Nicolas de Malbranche

Answer to Q No. 6: a) Category mistake Ryle says that category mistake is a capital mistake which represents the facts of mental life as if they belonged to one logical type or category when they actually belong to another.

Answer toQ. No. 7: b) For Ryle, the mind is a disposition or a complex of dispositions belongs to various kinds of observable behaviour.

Answer toQ. No.8: c) The dispositional. theory of mind admits that the mind is the disposition of the body. Dispositions to do certain on things of a certain circumstances.

Answer toQ. No. 9: d. Behoviourism admits that there is only one substance i.e. the body and mind is nothing but the behaviour of the body.

Answer toQ. No. 10: a) Knowing how

b) Knowing

c) Hypothetical

d) Anti-cartesian and anti-dualistic

e) Philosophical or analytical or logical behaviourism.

Answer to Q No 11: Ryle

Answer to Q No 12: Cartesian dualism

Answer to Q No 13: Ryle



14.11 MODEL QUESTIONS

A. Very short questions

Q 1: What do you mean by philosophy of mind?

Q 2: What is considered the central problem of philosophy of mind?

Q 3: Name the philosopher who formulated the mind body dualism.

Q 4: What are the different theories of mind body dualism?

Q 5: Who involves the concept of category mistake?

Q 6: Write the definition of Substance dualism.

Q 7: Who for the first time brings out 'the dogma of the Ghost' in the machine?

Q 8: Give an example of Category mistake.

Q 9: Is Ryles' philosophy of mind anti-Cartesian and anti-dualistic?

B. Short questions (Answer in about 100-150 words)

Q 1: What is interactionism? Discuss briefly.

Q 2: Write a brief note on Descartes theory of mind.

Q 3: Briefly discuss Ryle's criticism of Descartes dualism.

Q 4: What is category mistake? Explain briefly.

Q 5: Write a short note on Ryle's category mistake.

Q 6: Distinguish between 'knowing how' and 'Knowing that'.

Q 7: Discuss briefly the distinction between knowing that and knowing how.

C. Long Questions (Answer in about 200-300 words)

Q 1: Discuss the different theories of mind.

Q 2: Explain Descartes' theory of Dualism.

Q 3: Examine Gilbert Ryles' criticism of Cartesian Dualism.

Q 4: Examine the distinction between 'knowing how' and 'knowing that'.

Q 5: Explain Gilbert Ryles' philosophy of mind.

Q 6: Mention the different illustrations of category mistake given by Gilbert Ryle.

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