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M.A.

2nd Semester Examination

**HISTORY**

Paper - HIS 202

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
Candidates are required to give their answers  
in their own words as far as practicable.*

**Group A**

Answer any *four* questions from the following :

2×4=8

1. What is PEPSU ?
2. Who founded Lok Sevak Sangha and why ?
3. Write a short note on Ghadar Party.
4. What was Bombay Plan ?
5. Why was the Simon Commission called to India ?

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6. Write a short note on Anushilan Samity.
7. What was UCRC ? What was its role in Refugee movements in independent India.
8. Why was Bengal divided in 1905 ?

### Group B

Answer any *four* questions from the following :

4×4=16

9. What were the goals of the Non-Cooperation Movement ?
10. How was the Revolutionary Socialist Party initially formed in the Andaman jails ? Name some of the important members.
11. Did the denial policy of the British contribute to the beginning of Quit India Movement ? Comment with special reference to Midnapur.
12. What were the special importance of the integration of the princely states of Bhopal and Bikaner into Indian Union.
13. What were the aims and achievements of the Swaraj party ?
14. Discuss the importance of the Peasant movement of Telengana or Tebhaga just after the independence.

15. What were the basic arguments of Prafulla Chakrabarty regarding the post partition refugees in the book *The Marginal Men*.
16. Write a short note on the works of Bohr Committee.

### Group C

Answer any *two* questions from the following :

2×8=16

17. How was the revolt of 1857 reflected in the writings of the Bengali literature.
18. What was the role of the revolutionary nationalists in India's freedom struggle ?
19. Why did food control and distribution suffer most in independent India ? How did it lead to the Food movement in late 1950s ? What was the role of the Government in this regard ?
20. Write a review article on the new historiography of the Partition (of India 1947) and its impact with special reference to Urbashi Butalia's '*Other Side of Silence*'.

[Internal Assessment : 10 marks]

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