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End Semester Examination of Semester-I, 2015

Subject : HISTORY (PG)

Paper : HIS-104 (Industrial Revolution)

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hrs

The figures in the margin indicate the marks corresponding to the question.

Candidates are requested to give their answers in their own word as far as practicable.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

Answer all questions from Group A and Group B

Group-A

10x2=20

1. Examine the various definitions of the Industrial Revolution in England.

OR

Show the correlation between the Demographic and Industrial Revolutions in England.

2. Has the role of science in the English industrial revolution been greatly exaggerated?

OR

Can the controversy between the 'optimists' and 'pessimist' regarding the standard of living of the English working class be resolved?

Group-B

5x2=10

3. Why did the Industrial Revolution take place first in England?

OR

How did the Agricultural Revolution of the eighteenth century help to bring about the Industrial Revolution in Britain?

4. What was the importance of the cotton Industry in the Industrial Revolution of England?

OR

Why is iron industry considered a 'leading sector' in the English industrial revolution?

Group-C

Answer any five of the following:

2x5=10

5. How has P. Deane dated the Industrial Revolution in England?
6. What is the significance of 'home market' in the British Industrial Revolution?
7. Write a note on Enclosure Movement.
8. Discuss briefly about any two inventions that facilitated the manufacture of cotton goods.

9. What is meant by Transport Revolution?
 10. What was the significance of the Factory Act of 1833?
 11. What is meant by Demographic Revolution?
 12. What is meant by forward backward linkages?
 13. Write a brief note on child labour in the English Industrial Revolution.
 14. Who are the authors of the following books?
 - a) The Wealth of Nations.
 - b) Industry and Empire: from 1750 to the Present Day.
 - c) The First Industrial Revolution.
 - d) The Making of English Working Class.
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