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M.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,  
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First Semester

History – Core

HISTORY OF WORLD CIVILIZATION UPTO  
1453 A.D. (EXCLUDING INDIA)

(For those who joined in July 2020 only)

Time: Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer.

1. Name the paleolithic man who was called as the care man \_\_\_\_\_
  - (a) Hiedelburg man
  - (b) Neandarthal man
  - (c) Cro-magnan man
  - (d) Rhodecian man

2. The first symbol of civilization is \_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Urns (b) Pottery  
(c) Wares (d) Axe
3. The egyptian kings were called as \_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Ghize (b) Pharoah  
(c) Vazier (d) Abydos
4. Who discovered the decimal system in mathematics ?
- (a) Greeks (b) Egyptian  
(c) Perisan (d) Sumerian
5. The legacy of Rome to civilization is \_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Roman peace  
(b) Roman culture  
(c) Roman law  
(d) Roman Architecture
6. The Peloponician war was fought between \_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Athens and Percia  
(b) Athens and Rome  
(c) Athens and Sparta  
(d) Athens and Byzantine

7. The new name of East roman empire was\_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Byzantine
  - (b) Iran
  - (c) Cypras
  - (d) Greek
8. Who shifted Rome's capital to Byzantine?
- (a) justinian
  - (b) nero
  - (c) gustus
  - (d) constantine
9. What is humanism?
- (a) revolution in religion
  - (b) revolution in literature
  - (c) revolution in science
  - (d) revolution in philosophy
10. Indicate the state, which was called as the school of new Europe
- (a) Italy
  - (b) England
  - (c) France
  - (d) Germany

PART B — ( $5 \times 5 = 25$  marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) What are the causes for the origin of civilization?

Or

- (b) Sketch the position of the human life during the Paleolithic period.

12. (a) Highlight the greatness of “ Pyramids of Egypt”

Or

- (b) Outline the importance of hanging garden of Nebuhath Nezar.

13. (a) What do you understand about Cyrus the great.

Or

- (b) List out the major city states of Greece.

14. (a) Assess the beautification of the cathedral of saint Sofia.

Or

- (b) Explain the services of saint peter for the propagation of Christianity.

15. (a) What is guild system? State its function.

Or

- (b) Assess the historical significance of Constantinople.

PART C — ( $5 \times 8 = 40$  marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Give an account on the important features of Neolithic age.

Or

- (b) What is civilization? Bring out its principles.

17. (a) Assess the contribution of Egypt to science, art and architecture.

Or

- (b) Examine the religion and philosophy of Chinese civilization.

18. (a) Why the period of Augustus, was called as the golden Age?

Or

- (b) What are the causes for the outbreak of war between Athens and Sparta?

19. (a) Outline the major causes for the progress of Christianity.

Or

- (b) Review the significant features of Byzantine civilization.

20. (a) Assess the basic reasons for the outbreak for reformation.

Or

- (b) Narrate the contribution of towns for the spread of civilization.
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