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(CBCS)

(6th Semester)

HISTORY

TWELFTH (A) PAPER

(History of USA : 1776–1945)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

(SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. When did America get Independence?

(a) 1776 ()

(b) 1777 ()

(c) 1778 ()

(d) 1779 ()

2. Who among the following was the father of the US Constitution?

- (a) James Madison ()
- (b) Patrick Henry ()
- (c) Abraham Lincoln ()
- (d) Thomas Jefferson ()

3. The first African slaves arrived in North America in 1619 at

- (a) Newfoundland ()
- (b) Jamestown ()
- (c) Missouri ()
- (d) New Jersey ()

4. Which State was added in the Compromise of 1820 to be the 24th State of USA?

- (a) Missouri ()
- (b) Kansas ()
- (c) Nebraska ()
- (d) Texas ()

5. The majority of the Southerners were

- (a) industrialists ()
- (b) planters ()
- (c) traders ()
- (d) merchants ()

6. The New York City Draft Riots were primarily a protest against

- (a) the Emancipation Proclamation ()
- (b) Conscription ()
- (c) Suspension of Writ of Habeas Corpus ()
- (d) Declaration of Martial Law in the city ()

7. Who issued the Emancipation Proclamation?

- (a) Andrew Jackson ()
- (b) F. D. Roosevelt ()
- (c) James Monroe ()
- (d) Abraham Lincoln ()

8. In 1869, Susan B. Anthony and Elizabeth Cady Stanton formed

- (a) Women's Christian Temperance Union ()
- (b) League of Women Voters ()
- (c) National Women Suffrage Association ()
- (d) None of the above ()

9. The Fourteen Points were designed by

- (a) John F. Kennedy ()
- (b) James Madison ()
- (c) Woodrow Wilson ()
- (d) Harry Truman ()

10. The New Deal was adopted by

- (a) Harry Truman ()
- (b) Herbert Hoover ()
- (c) F. D. Roosevelt ()
- (d) Theodore Roosevelt ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWER)

(Marks : 15)

Answer the following questions :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

1. Who were the Federalists?

OR

2. Who was George Washington?

UNIT—II

3. Write a note on Kansas-Nebraska Question.

OR

4. Write a note on Texas Annexation.

UNIT—III

5. Who was John Brown?

OR

6. Write a note on the Underground Railroad.

UNIT—IV

7. Point out three reasons for the expansion of the US industry.

OR

8. Who was Theodore Roosevelt?

UNIT—V

9. What is the Versailles Settlement?

OR

10. Write a note on the New Deal.

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

Answer the following :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. Write down, in brief, the nature of colonial rule in North America.

OR

2. Enumerate the rise of political parties in the USA.

UNIT—II

3. Write down, in brief, the doctrine of 'Manifest Destiny'.

OR

4. Explain, in brief, the Compromise of 1820.

UNIT—III

5. What is the Abolitionist Movement? What role did it play in the outbreak of the Civil War?

OR

6. What are the social and political impacts of the Civil War?

UNIT—IV

7. Analyze the rise of Big Business in the USA.

OR

8. Examine the achievements and failures of the Populist Movement.

UNIT—V

9. Review the Great Depression of 1929.

OR

10. Why did the US enter in the Second World War?

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