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HISTORY

(Major)

Paper : 30600

(The Rise of the Modern West : 1453-1815)

Full Marks : 90

Time : Three hours

***The figures in the margin indicate
full marks for the questions.***

1. (a) Give short answers to the following questions : $1 \times 10 = 10$

(i) Who invented the Printing Press ?

(ii) Name the Portuguese navigator who reached India in 1498.

(iii) Who said, "I am the State and my words are law." ?

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- (iv) Why was the 'Glorious Revolution' significant in England ?
 - (v) What do you mean by 'Scientific Revolution' ?
 - (vi) Give one important cause of the success of the colonists against the British during the American War of Independence.
 - (vii) Who was known as an 'Enlightened Despot' in Austria ?
 - (viii) Give an important cause of the Industrial Revolution.
 - (ix) Name the French King who was guillotined during the French Revolution.
 - (x) What do you mean by legitimacy ?
- (b) Write short notes on the following :
4×5=20
- (i) Consequences of the Reformation Movement
 - (ii) Philip II's relation with England

- (iii) Impact of Enlightenment in Europe
- (iv) Significance of the French Revolution (1789)
- (v) Leonardo da Vinci

2. Explain the main causes of the Reformation Movement. 12

Or

Examine the consequences of the Renaissance Movement.

3. Describe the colonial expansion of England during the 15th and 16th centuries. 12

Or

Trace the background and consequences of the Glorious Revolution.

4. Explain the nature and results of the Scientific Revolution in the 16th and 17th centuries. 12

Or

What impact did Mercantilism have upon the European Economy in the 16th century?

5. Evaluate the foreign policy of Frederick, the Great of Prussia.

Or

Describe the various stages that led to the transition from feudalism to capitalism.

6. Describe the internal reforms of Napoleon Bonaparte.

Or

Review the work of the Vienna Congress (1815).