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B.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025.

First Semester

English

Elective – SOCIAL HISTORY OF ENGLAND – I

(For those who joined in July 2023 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. The Norman Conquest took place in the year _____

- (a) 1066
- (b) 1055
- (c) 1212
- (d) 1111

2. Magna Carta was also known as _____

- (a) Peace (b) Great Charter
- (c) War (d) Struggle

3. _____ was called as the poet's poet.

- (a) John Keats (b) Shelley
- (c) Chaucer (d) Pope

4. How many monastic houses existed in England and Wales in 1529?

- (a) 1000 (b) 500
- (c) 850 (d) 250

5. New Amsterdam was renamed as _____

- (a) Los Angeles (b) New York
- (c) Houston (d) Chicago

6. Shakespeare wrote _____ plays

- (a) 39 (b) 29
- (c) 32 (d) 25

7. The supporters of the King were known as _____

- (a) roundheads (b) royalists
- (c) cavaliers (d) none of the above

8. The agency "Salvation Army" was found by

- (a) William and Rose Booth
- (b) William and Catherine Booth
- (c) Winston and Rose Booth
- (d) Winston and Catherine Booth

9. When did Queen Anne become queen of England, Scotland and Ireland?

- (a) 10 May 1700
- (b) 6 Feb 1665
- (c) 1 Aug 1714
- (d) 8 March 1702

10. The favourite Coffee-House of clergy was

- (a) Will's Coffee-House
- (b) Lloy'd Coffee-House
- (c) Jonathan's Coffee-House
- (d) The Grecian Coffee-House

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).
Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) Write a note on the Feudal System in England.

Or

(b) Write in brief about the War of Roses.

12. (a) Write a short note on Renaissance Paintings.

Or

(b) How did the Reformation Movement come to an end?

13. (a) Write a note on the Defeat of the Armada.

Or

(b) What are the causes of Colonial Expansion?

14. (a) Write a note on the Tories.

Or

(b) Explain the role of Whigs.

15. (a) Give a brief outline of Queen Anne's Edinburgh.

Or

- (b) Why were the Coffee-Houses introduced in London?

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

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

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Explain the series of Crusades.

Or

- (b) Write a note on the Black Death and its impact on the English social life.

17. (a) Explain the significance of Renaissance.

Or

- (b) Write a note on the Dissolution of the Monasteries.

18. (a) The Golden Age of Queen Elizabeth - Justify the statement.

Or

- (b) How did the Tudor Navy play a pivotal role in shaping the social and political landscape of England during the 16th century, particularly in relation to the Spanish Armada?

19. (a) Differentiate Whigs and Tories.

Or

- (b) Explain the origin and growth of political parties in England.

20. (a) Give a brief note on the Age of Queen Anne.

Or

- (b) Discuss the Coffee-House life of England.