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Time : Three hours Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (20 × 1 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL the questions

Choose the correct answer

1. What was the first colony to be formed in North America?

   (a) Elizabeth (b)Plymouth (c) Mayland (d) Virginia

2. Who came to power after the execution of Charles I?

   (a) Charles II (b)Richard Crowell (c) Oliver Gromwell(d) Thomas Fuller.

3. When did the Turks capture Constantinople?

   (a) 1453 (b) 1485 (c) 1509 (d) 1476

4. Which Act dealt a death blow to papal authority in England?

   (a) The Act of Dissolution(b) The Act of Supremacy (c) The Act of Excellence (d) The Act of Power.

5. When did Charles II ascend the English throne?

(a) 29 May 1660 (b) 29 June 1660 (c) 29 May 1650 (d) 29 June 1950

6. What does 'C' refer to in the name 'Cable' ministry?

(a) Charles (b) Clifford (c) Cabinet (d) Clarendon

7. Sir Robert Walpole occupied the office of Prime minister of England between ———————— and ————————.

(a) 1720,1740 (b) 1722,1743 (c) 1721,1742

(d) 1719,1739

8. Who became the Prime minister after the death of Pelham?

(a) Lord Carteret (b) William Pitt (c) Duke of Devonshire (d) Newcastle

9. Who was the brainwave behind the 'Foundling Hospital' for the abandoned children?

(a) William Booth (b) Captain Coram(c) General Oglethorpe(d) George Cruikshank.

10. Name Adam Smith's free trade philosophy.

(a) International trade(b) Swing trading(c) Laissez Faire (d) Autarky Price.

11. Who invented a machine for sowing seeds?

(a) Jethro Tull (b) Sir Arthur Young (c) Robert Bakewell (d) Charles Colling

12. When was the state prison 'Bastille' stormed?

(a) 24 June 1789 (b) 12 June 1789 (c) 14 July 1798 (d) 14 July 1789

13. Which Reform Act abolished the age difference between men and women voters?

(a) Second (b) Third (c) Fourth (d) Fifth

14. Who repealed the Corn Laws in order to help the poor?

(a) Robert Peel (b) Lord Anthrop (c) Richard oastler (d) Robert Owen

15. When was the Grand National Consolidated Union formed in England?

(a) 1824 (b) 1834 (c) 1844 (d) 1854.

16. The First World War was taking place between ———— and ————.

(a) 1900 – 1904 (b) 1908 – 1912 (c) 1914 – 1918 (d) 1936 – 1945

17. Where was the first "summit" meeting held between Reagan and Gorbachev?

(a) Reykjavik (b) Chernobyl (c) Iceland (d) Geneva.

18. How many Falkland Islanders were killed in the Falkland War, 1981?

(a) 3 (b) 30 (c) 300 (d) 13

19. How many countries joined in the coalition led by the United States against Iraq?

(a) 12 (b) 42 (c) 32 (d) 22

20. When was Brexit started?

(a) 13 January 2020 (b) 13 December 2020 (c) 31 January 2020 (d) 31 December 2020

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer any FIVE of the following in about 100 words each.

21. Write a note on Puritanism.

22. What are the effects of Renaissance on English Literature?

23. Discuss the circumstances leading to Charles II's restoration to the English throne.

24. Explain the Achievements of George I

25. Write a note on the medical facilities available to people in the 18th century.

26. Write a note on Social Reform Acts.

27. Discuss the impact of the Falkland War of 1981.

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE of the following in about 300 words each.

28. Write an essay on the colonization activities of the Stuart Kings.

29. Discuss the rise of the Whig and Tory Parties and their present state.

30. Write on essay on the impact of the French Revolution on the social life of England and English Literature.

31. Consider England as a Welfare state after the World Wars.

32. Bring out the causes and course of the Gulf war of 1991.
