(For candidates admitted from 2016-2017 onwards)

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022.

## History

HISTORY OF EUROPE FROM 1453 TO 1789 AD

Time: Three hours Maximum: 75 marks

SECTION A —  $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

Answer ALL the questions.

- 1. What is the main reason for the emergence of Capitalism in Europe?
- 2. Identify Americo Vespucci.
- 3. What is Humanism?
- 4. Which is the purpose of the formation of 'Inquisition'?
- 5. What do you understand about 'Council of Troubles'?
- 6. Identify 'Jean Calbert'.
- 7. Explain "The Wisest Fool in the Christendom'.

- 8. What is 'Root and Branch Bill'?
- 9. State the aim of releasing the Edict of Toleration of Joseph II.
- 10. What is Paragmatic Sanction?

SECTION B 
$$-(5 \times 5 = 25)$$

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

11. (a) State the role of Christopher Columbus to new Maritime discoveries.

Or

- (b) Mention the causes for the decline of Feudalism in Europe.
- 12. (a) Discuss the Renaissance in the field of Literature.

Or

- (b) Mention the special features of Calvinism.
- 13. (a) Evaluate the domestic reforms of Henry IV $^{\rm th}$ . Or
  - (b) Bring out the important provisions of the Treaty of Utrecht.

14. (a) Explain the religious principles of King James I.

Or

- (b) What were the main features that arose between King James I and his Parliament?
- 15. (a) Explain the consequences of the seven year's war.

Or

(b) Assess the domestic reforms of Joseph II.

SECTION C — 
$$(3 \times 10 = 30)$$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. Discuss the reasons for the emergence and growth of cities in Europe in the late Middle Ages.
- 17. What are the Circumstances that led to the rise of Reformation?
- 18. "King George V, the greatest King to appear in European history" prove this statement.
- 19. How the system of Parliament emerged and grew in England?
- 20. "Peter the Great was called the Father of the Fatherland". Discuss.