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M.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,  
APRIL 2024.

Fourth Semester

History – Core

HISTORY OF USA 1865 – 1945 AD

(For those who joined in July 2021 – 2022)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer.

1. The Ten Percent plan was introduced by
  - (a) Lyndon B. Johnson
  - (b) Abraham Lincoln
  - (c) Andrew Jackson
  - (d) Nixon
7. The president of America during First World War
  - (a) Abraham Lincoln
  - (b) Roosevelt
  - (c) Woodrow Wilson
  - (d) William Taft
8. Who was blamed for the great depression?
  - (a) Woodrow Wilson
  - (b) Roosevelt
  - (c) Taft
  - (d) Herbert Hoover
9. New Deal is a domestic policy of
  - (a) Abraham Lincoln
  - (b) Woodrow Wilson
  - (c) Herbert Hoover
  - (d) Franklin D. Roosevelt

2. The charitable endowment act was passed in
  - (a) 1890 AD
  - (b) 1865 AD
  - (c) 1790 AD
  - (d) 1845 AD
3. Spanish American war came to an end by the treaty of
  - (a) Versailles
  - (b) Vienna
  - (c) Amsterdam
  - (d) Paris
4. Hawaii was annexed by
  - (a) McKinley
  - (b) Woodrow Wilson
  - (c) George Washington
  - (d) Roosevelt
5. The programme square deal is associated with
  - (a) Woodrow Wilson
  - (b) William Taft
  - (c) Theodore Roosevelt
  - (d) Lyndon B. Johnson
6. The bigstick diplomacy was announced by
  - (a) William Taft
  - (b) Theodore Roosevelt
  - (c) McKinley
  - (d) Woodrow Wilson

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10. Len Lease Act was passed in
  - (a) 1931 AD
  - (b) 1945 AD
  - (c) 1941 AD
  - (d) 1961 AD

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

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

Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) Briefly mention about the ten percent plan of Abraham Lincoln.  
Or  
(b) Analyse the significance of Sherman Anti Trust Act.
12. (a) Examine the circumstances paved for USA became imperialistic country.  
Or  
(b) State the economic problem faced by Caribbean islands.
13. (a) Bring out the significance of square deal.  
Or  
(b) Elucidate the foreign policy of William Howard Taft.

14. (a) Why America entered into First World War –  
Examine.

Or

- (b) State the impact of great depression.

15. (a) Explain the purpose and implications of New Deal Policy.

Or

- (b) State the aim and objectives of Potsdam conference.

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

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

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Examine the reconstruction programme of Abraham of Lincoln.

Or

- (b) List out the benefits of big business.

17. (a) Analyze the circumstances leading to the Spanish American war.

Or

- (b) Why America annexed Hawaii – Discuss.

18. (a) Describe the rise of progressivism.

Or

- (b) Examine the foreign policy of Theodore Roosevelt.

19. (a) State the administration of Woodrow Wilson.

Or

- (b) Examine the impact of great depression.

20. (a) Analyse the relief and recovery measures of F.D. Roosevelt.

Or

- (b) Explain the causes for the American entry into Second World War.