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FIRST SEMESTER DEGREE EXTERNAL EXAMINATION DEC./JAN. 2015 -16

(2015 Admission)

CC15UHYD1B01 -THE TRENDS IN HISTORIOGRAPHY (core)

Time:3 Hours

Maximum:80 Mar

Part A

I .Answer *all* questions.

BUNCH I

Name the following:-

- 1 Who said 'History is a science no less no more'?
- 2 Who is known as the first modern historian ?
- 3 What is the meaning of the word 'istoria'?
- 4 Name the author of the book Fatwa-I-Jahandari. (4 x ½ = 2 Marks)

BUNCH II

Fill in the blanks:-

- 5 Rajatharangini describes the history of the kings of.....
- 6 The term 'Total History'was popularized by
- 7is generally considered as the prototype of history
- 8 believed that the revolutionary movements should start with the everyday life of the working masses (4 x ½ = 2 Marks)

BUNCH III

Match the following :-

- | | | |
|-------------------|---|--|
| 9 Antonio Gramsci | - | Abul Fazal |
| 10 'Akbar- namah' | - | Atula |
| 11 Toynbee | - | Prison Note Book |
| 12 Mushakavamsa | - | Challenge and response (4 x ½ = 2 Marks) |

Part B

II Answer any *seven* of the following .

- 13 'New Science'
- 14 Historical Materialism
- 15 Romila Thaper
- 16 Marc Bloch
- 17 'Social Physics'
- 18 'City of God'
- 19 Discourse
- 20 Quasi History
- 21 'History of Sexuality'

(7x2=14 Marks)

Part C

III Answer any *five* of the following .

- 22. Analyse the nature of Positivism
- 23. Explain the concept of 'Idea of Progress' - J.B Bury
- 24. Discuss the new methods adopted by Thucydides.
- 25 Bring out the importance of Gender studies
- 26. Analyse the contributions of subaltern historiography
- 27. Assess the contributions of Annales school of historiography
- 28. Critically examine the value of 'Challenge and Response Theory' in the development of civilization.

(5x6=30 Ma)

Part D

IV Answer any *two* of the following.

- 29. Explain the concept of Historical Materialism and its influence on the writing History
- 30. Critically examine the role of Ibn Khaldun in the medieval historiography?
- 31 Ancient Indian history can be reconstructed through Ithihasa - purana trad
Comment

(2x15=30 M)
