

**2007**

**HISTORY**

**PAPER-VI**

*Fall Marks : 100*

*Time : 4 hours*

*The question are of equal value.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

*Write the answer to questions of each Group in separate books.*

**Answer six questions taking any *three* from each group.**

**Grotip-A**

- 1. Discuss how. the pre-modern cottage industry evolved into the modern factory industry.**
- 2. How would you explain the recurrent famines in pre-modern Europe ?**
- 3. Why was the social structure in 18th century, England more suited to technological innovation than contemporary continental Europe ?**
- 4. Why was there no industrial breakthrough in France upto 1815 despite the presence of several endowment factors ?**
- 5. Explain how the Zollverein and the railways complemented each other to bring about a situation conducive to industrialisation in 19th Century Germany.**

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6. What measures did the Russian state take in the 1880s-1890s to overcome the shortage of capital ?

### **Group-B**

7. What are the different arguments that explain the changing demographic pattern of England in the 18th Century.
8. Discuss the role of the state and its legislative machinery in the process of overcoming mercantilist regulations in England during the eighteenth century.
9. What role did the Bank of England play in creating conditions for greater availability of funds that facilitated industrialisation.
10. Why does Phyllis Deane want us to "expect the iron industry to have played - a very different role from that played by. cotton. in the British Industrial Revolution" ?
11. Would you argue that the life expectancy -of the, people of England was the direct result of the developments in **medical and health sector**?
12. Identify the changes in the conditions of work and the occupational structure in England till the late nineteenth century. What were the contributions of Parliamentary enquiries and factory legislations in this regard ?