

**2014**

**M. A.**

**4th Semester Examination**

**HISTORY**

**PAPER—HIS-401**

*Full Marks : 50*

*Time : 2 Hours*

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.*

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

**Answer all questions**

**Group—A**

1. Critically examine the impact of World War I on the warring countries of Western Europe.

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*Or*

Briefly illustrate the background against which the Socialist State of Russia was established

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2. Discuss how Hitler implemented Nazism in Germany during the period 1933 to 1939.

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*(Turn Over)*

*Or*

How did the Anschluss of Austria with Germany to the signing of Munich Pact (1938) ? Critically commentor the Czechoslovakian Crisis in this context. 10

**Group—B**

3. How did the Mandate System come into existence in the post war period ? Explain the nature of British Mandate upon Iraq in this context. 10

*Or*

Critically examine Anglo-Egyptian relations during the period between the two World Wars. 10

4. What were the causes and consequences of the Manchurian Crisis (1931) ? 10

*Or*

Analyse the nature of U.S. policy in the Far East during the interwar years. What were the circumstances that led to the Pearl Harbor incident ? 10

**[ Internal Assessment : 10 marks ]**

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