

2022

M.A.

4th Semester Examination (CCAIE)

HISTORY

PAPER—HIS-401

**SOCIAL HISTORY OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY
AND
MEDICINE IN INDIA: COLONIAL PERIOD**

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

Group - A

Answer any four questions. 4×2

1. How did Deepak Kumar define the term 'Colonial Science'?

(Turn Over)

2. Why is James Rennell called the 'Father of the Indian Geography'?
3. Why did the colonial government keep itself aloof from the initiative of IACS?
4. When was the Calcutta Medical College established? Who was its first Principal?
5. What do you mean by the term 'homeopathy'?
6. What is Yunani medicine?

Group - B

Answer any *four* questions.

4×4

7. Write in brief on Robert Kyd's contribution to the advancement of botanical investigation in colonial India.
8. What were the sociological consequences of the first dissection of human body in Calcutta Medical College?

9. Describe briefly the problems after the foundation of Indian League ?
10. Write a short note on 'The Bose Institute'.
11. Discuss the progress of indigenous medical science in colonial India.
12. What was the role of Christian missionaries in women's health in colonial India ?

Group - C

Answer any *two* questions. 2×8

13. Explain the view of George Basalla on the centre-periphery relationship of colonial science.
14. Write about the role of Calcutta Medical College in introducing western science into colonial India.
15. Write an essay on the historiography of Ayurvedic study in pre-colonial India.

16. Discuss the contribution of Mahendra Lal Sarkar in the expansion of scientific knowledge in colonial India.

[Internal Assessment - 10 Marks]
