2011

M.A. Part-II Examination

HISTORY

PAPER-V

Full Marks: 100

Time: 4 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.

Answer any six questions.

- 1. To what extent was Germany responsible for the outbreak of the First World War?
- 2. Was the Versailles Treaty a dictated Peace?
- 3. Discuss the important features of the Reparation problem. How did the other major power participate in the solution of this issue?
- 4. What attempts were made to solve the problem of Disarmament through the Naval Conferences.

- 5. Make an assessment of Lenin's New Economic policy (NEP).
- 6. What were the implications of the Locarno Pact (1925)?
- 7. Write a note on the Abyssinian adventure by Mussolini.
- 8. Would you characterise the Kellog-Briand Pact (1928) as an instrument of international confusion?
- 9. What were the factors that led to the rise of Nazism in Germany? What were its international repercussions?
- 10. Trace the circumstances leading to the signing of the Munich Agreement (1938). What was its impact?
- 11. Analyse the foreign policy of the U.S.A. between the two World Wars.
- 12. Was the Second World War a design or a blunder?