2011

M.A. Part-II Examination

HISTORY

PAPER-VI

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. How would you define Industrial Revolution?
- 2. Why did the Industrial Revolution occur first in England?
- 3. Make an assessment of the impact of Commercial Revolution on the economy of England.
- **4.** How did the Iron Industry in Britain overcome its initial problems?
- **5.** Trace the differential characteristics between pre-Industrial labour and the working class of the Industrial Revolution in England.

- 6. Discuss the role of technology and science in the first phase of the Industrial Revolution.
- 7. Explain the nature of economic development in England at the end of the 18th Century.
- 8. How does W. W. Rostow explain the Industrial Revolution in 18th and 19th century Europe?
- 9. Why was the 19th Century continental European society less conducive to technological innovations than 18th century British society?
- 10. Determine the importance of enclosures in the process of Agricultural Revolution in England.
- 11. How did the factory system in Pre-Industrial Europe differ from the factory system of the Industrial Era?
- 12. Explain Marx and Engel's interpretation of the 19th Century Industrial crisis in Europe. How it has been revised by Joseph Schumpter?