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HISTORY

(Major)

Paper : 6-3

[History of Europe (1871-1945)]

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer **all** questions

1. Answer the following in *one* word or in *one* sentence : 1×7=7
- (a) Who was Marshal MacMahon?
 - (b) In which year was the Act of Separation passed in France?
 - (c) Who succeeded Bismarck as the Chancellor?
 - (d) Who was known as the Tsar Liberator?
 - (e) Whose assassination led to the outbreak of the First World War?

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- (f) Who was Mustafa Kamal?
- (g) In which year was the Russo-German Non-Aggression Pact signed?

2. Answer the following in brief : $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) What do you understand by the term 'Kulturkampf'?
- (b) Who was General Boulanger?
- (c) What was the significance of the Locarno Pact?
- (d) Why did Italy sign the Treaty of London?

3. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) The French Constitution of 1875
- (b) Nihilism
- (c) Syndicalism in Italy
- (d) Rome-Berlin Axis
- (e) The Yalta Conference

4. Answer any *three* of the following : $10 \times 3 = 30$

- (a) Examine the relations between the Church and the State in Republican France.

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- (b) Account for the failure of Parliamentary Government in Russia.
- (c) To what extent did the military alliances between the Great Powers lead to the First World War?
- (d) Account for the failure of the League of Nations to bring lasting peace in Europe.
- (e) Do you agree with the view that the Versailles Treaty 'sowed the seeds of the Second World War'?
- (f) Analyze the causes for the defeat of the Axis Powers in 1945.

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