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B.A. (Semester – VI) Examination, April/May 2019
HISTORY (Paper – IX)
Towards Freedom (1605-1947)

Duration : 2 Hours

Total Marks : 80

- Instructions :**
- i) **All questions are compulsory.**
 - ii) **Answer sub-questions in Q. 1 and Q. 2 in not more than 100 words each.**
 - iii) **Answer questions Q. 3 to Q. 6 in not more than 400 words each.**
 - iv) **Figures to the right indicate maximum marks.**

1. Answer **any four** of the following :

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- i) Why did Lord Curzon partition Bengal in 1905 ?
- ii) What led to the rise of militant nationalism in Bengal ?
- iii) Highlight Tilak's role in the Home Rule Movement.
- iv) Why was the Non-cooperation Movement suspended in 1922 ?
- v) Write briefly on the Second Round Table Conference 1931.
- vi) Assess Bhagat Singh's contribution to the revolutionary movement in India.

2. Answer **any four** of the following :

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- i) How did Indians react to the World War II ?
- ii) Explain the Two nation theory.
- iii) List any two features of the August Offer 1940.
- iv) Why did the Simla Conference fail ?
- v) Write a note on the Indian National Army (I.N.A.)
- vi) Highlight any four features of the Mountbatten Plan 1947.

3. a) Examine the Swadeshi and Boycott movement of 1905. Highlight its impact.

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OR

b) Write a brief note on the Hindu Mahasabha.

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4. a) Comment on :

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- i) Satyagraha and Ahimsa.
- ii) Jallianwala Bagh Incident.

OR

b) Discuss the Civil Disobedience Movement of 1930-32.

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5. a) Examine the role of Jinnah in the creation of Pakistan.

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OR

b) Discuss the Cripps Proposals, 1942. State the reaction of the Indians to it.

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6. a) Comment on the Quit India Movement 1942. Highlight its impact.

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OR

b) Examine the features of the Cabinet Mission Plan 1946. Why did it fail ?

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