## Ba/His-503

# 2020

(5th Semester)

## HISTORY

(Honours)

Paper No. : HIS-503

## [ Social and Economic History of Modern India (18th–20th Century) ]

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 45%

*Time* : 3 hours

### The questions are of equal value

**1.** Discuss the main features of pre-Colonial Indian society.

#### Or

Discuss the contributions of the 19th century social reform movements.

**2.** Discuss the process that led to the de-industrialization of Indian economy.

#### Or

Discuss the land tenure reforms introduced by the British in India.

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**3.** Discuss the achievements in transport and communication during the British rule in India.

#### Or

Write a note on India's foreign trade under the British rule.

**4.** Describe the impact of World War II on Indian economy.

Or

Describe the 'drain theory' and growth of economic nationalism.

**5.** Describe the economic views of Mahatma Gandhi.

Or

Discuss the socio-economic impact of the Partition of India.

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