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HISTORY

Second Paper

Full Marks : 200

Time : Three hours

*Answer any six questions*

1. Why his the reign of Queen Elizabeth been described as the "Golden Age" of English history?
2. Describe briefly the general causes of the struggle between the king and parliament during the Stuart period.
3. Describe the causes and consequences of the war of American Independence.
4. Form an estimate of Napoleon I as a ruler.
5. Discuss the characteristic features of World War I.
6. What were the real defects of the Treaty of Versailles (1919)? Discuss in the light of the subsequent events.
7. Account for the rise of either Hitler in Germany Or Mussolini in Italy.

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8. What was the attitude of Mahatma Gandhi towards World War II ?
9. What did United States of America get by joining the Second World War ?
10. Write short notes on *any two* of the following :
  - (a) V. I. Lenin
  - (b) Kemal Pasha
  - (c) Fall of the Kuo-Min-Tang
  - (d) U. N. O. and World peace.

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