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2020/TDC(CBCS)/ODD/SEM/ HISHCC-302T/314

TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2020 held in March, 2021

HISTORY

(3rd Semester)

Course No.: HISHCC-302T

(Rise of Modern West)

Full Marks: 70
Pass Marks: 28

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION-A

- 1. Answer any ten of the following questions: $2 \times 10=20$
 - (a) Mention two features of feudalism.
 - (b) What do you mean by capitalism?
 - (c) Name two factors which contributed to the transformation of European economy.

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- (d) Mention two differences between feudalism and capitalism.
- (e) Name two European colonial powers which established their colonies in South America.
- (f) Name two navigators of 15th and 16th centuries.
- (g) Write two motivating factors behind the voyages of discoveries.
- (h) Who are the authors of Imago Mundi and Geography?
- (i) Define the term 'Renaissance'.
- (j) Name the most famous political thinker of the Renaissance. Name his celebrated work.
- (k) Mention the names of two great painters of the Renaissance age.
- (1) Name two Italian scholars who promoted the cause of humanism in Italy.
- (m) Define Commercial Revolution.
- (n) Mention two consequences of Commercial Revolution.

- (o) What is Price Revolution?
- (p) When did Price Revolution occur in Europe? Mention the primary cause of Price Revolution.
- (q) Name two factors responsible for the emergence of European State system.
- (r) Name two English Kings who laid the foundation of a strong monarchy in England in the beginning of 16th century.
- (s) Which two Spanish kingdoms were united for completing the process of political ascendency of Spain?
- (t) What were the motives of the French to colonize 'New World'?

SECTION—B

Answer any five of the following questions: $10 \times 5=50$

- 2. Give an account of the growth of capitalism in Europe.
- 3. Trace the circumstances leading to the transition of Europe from feudalism to capitalism.

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- Form an estimate of colonial expansion of Spain in America.
- **5.** Give a vivid description of the Portuguese empire in the Atlantic.
- **6.** Form an estimate of the emergence of Italian city-states during the Renaissance age.
- **7.** Analyze the growth of Renaissance art in Italy.
- 8. What were the reasons behind the shifting of economic balance from the Mediterranean to the Atlantic?
- 9. How did the influx of American silver pave the path for Price Revolution?
- **10.** Review the ascendency of England as a leading political power in Europe in the 16th century.
- 11. Account for the rise of France as a prominent political power in Europe in the 17th century.
