



KA-205

Seat No. _____

B. A. (Sem. V) Examination

October / November - 2017

**CC - 506 : Social History of England &
America**

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

1 (a) Write a critical note on the salient features of 'Renaissance' and its impact on English Literature. 14

OR

(b) Define the meaning of 'Reformation' and discuss its main characteristics.

2 (a) Discuss the changes caused by the Industrial Revolution in England. 14

OR

(b) Write a critical note on the salient features of the American War of Independence.

3 (a) Enumerate the causes and impact of the American Civil War. 14

OR

(b) Write a detailed note on the responsible factors for the World War I and its drastic results. 14

4 Show your acquaintance with the following writers in brief : (any four) 14

- (1) Charles Darvin
- (2) Abraham Lincoln
- (3) Oscar Wilde
- (4) Rousseau
- (5) Oliver Cromwell
- (6) John Ruskin

5 Answer the following questions very briefly : 14

(any seven)

- (1) Explain the term 'Renaissance'.
- (2) Which were the factors responsible for civil war?
- (3) In which age and year Charles II was restored to the throne of England?
- (4) Give the name of any two important reasons of the French Revolution.
- (5) Who introduced first passenger line between Stockton and Darlington in 1825?
- (6) What was the main reason for the birth of Industrial Revolution in England?
- (7) What factors were responsible for the World War I?
- (8) Which three estates were there in society during French revolution?
- (9) Mention any two effects of World War II in India.
- (10) Give the names of two major works of Oscar Wilde.
- (11) Who was the 16th President of the United States? In which year he was born?
- (12) What is Rousseau's contribution?