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( March )

**HISTORY**

( Major )

Course : 503

**[ History of Europe (1815–1945) ]**

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32/24

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. (a) Answer the following questions in  
one word or in one sentence each :  $1 \times 8 = 8$

(i) In which place the first Congress of  
the Concert of Europe was held?

(ii) In which year the 'Monroe Doctrine'  
was declared by the US President  
James Monroe?

(iii) Name the famous secret society of  
Italy that fought for liberation.

- (iv) Who founded the organization called 'Young Italy'?
  - (v) Name the Russian King who adopted the policy of 'Russification'.
  - (vi) Which region was considered as the 'Dark Continent'?
  - (vii) Name the person whose murder led to the immediate outbreak of the First World War in 1914.
  - (viii) Name the newspaper which Mussolini founded in 1914.
- (b) Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 4×3=12
- (i) The Quadruple Alliance (1815)
  - (ii) Zollverein
  - (iii) Emancipation of the Serfs
  - (iv) The Eastern Question
  - (v) First Balkan War

2. What was discussed at the Congress of Vienna? How far the settlement was successful in bringing peace to Europe?

8+4=12

Or

- What was Metternich system? How did it provide stability for Europe?

8+4=12

3. How did Bismarck, the Chancellor of Prussia, lead the drive for unification of Germany? 12

*Or*

Discuss briefly about the foreign policies of Napoleon III. 12

4. What were the causes of the Crimean War? What were its results? 7+5=12

*Or*

Analyze the reforms of Alexander III. 12

5. Discuss the causes of the First World War. 12

*Or*

What was discussed in the Paris Peace Conference (1919)? How far it was successful in establishing peace in Europe? 8+4=12

6. Discuss briefly about the rise of Hitler in Germany. 12

*Or*

Write briefly on the causes and consequences of the Spanish Civil War. 6+6=12

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