Q.1. Select the best option/answer and fill in the appropriate box on the Answer Sheet. (20)

(i) The Statute of Westminster passed by the British Parliament:
   (a) 1925    (b) 1930
   (c) 1931    (d) None of these

(ii) ‘Bolsheviks’ were ________.
     (a) Extreme Socialists (b) Moderate Socialists
     (c) Liberal Socialists (d) None of these

(iii) Lateran Treaty was signed on ________.
      (a) 1930    (b) 1929
      (c) 1935    (d) None of these

(iv) Ruhr Region was the centre of Germany's ________.
     (a) Gold and iron    (b) Coal and iron
     (c) Silver and coal (d) None of these

(v) Who was Owen Young ________.
    (a) American    (b) German
    (c) Austrian    (d) None of these

(vi) Hitler by birth was ________.
     (a) German    (b) Austrian
     (c) Hanoverian (d) None of these

(vii) Germany joined the League of Nations ________.
      (a) 1926    (b) 1924
      (c) 1929    (d) None of these

(viii) Casablanca Conference held on ________.
       (a) 1940    (b) 1941
       (c) 1943    (d) None of these

(ix) ‘Dunkirk’ is a ________.
     (a) Spanish port    (b) French port
     (c) British port    (d) None of these

(x) Pearl Harbour is situated in ________.
    (a) Society Island    (b) Hawaii Island
    (c) Midway Island    (d) None of these

(xi) Who was the General who landed in the North West Africa near Algiers in the II World War ________.
     (a) General Allenby   (b) General Eisenhower
     (c) General Rommel    (d) None of these

(xii) Japan surrendered on ________.
      (a) August 1, 1945    (b) August 14, 1945
      (c) August 10, 1945   (d) None of these

(xiii) Sicily is situated in ________.
       (a) Adriatic Sea    (b) Mediterranean Sea
       (c) Aegean Sea      (d) None of these
PART – II

NOTE:

(i) PART-II is to be attempted on the separate Answer Book.
(ii) Attempt ONLY FOUR questions from PART-II. All questions carry EQUAL marks.
(iii) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the attempted question will not be considered.

Q.2. How far is it true to say that the Treaty of Versailles (1919) sowed the seeds of World War-II? Comment. (20)

Q.3. Describe the role of League of Nations between the wars. (20)

Q.4. Write the salient features of the Russian Revolution. (20)

Q.5. Hitler’s foreign policy led to the collapse of Germany. Discuss. (20)

Q.6. Do you think that NATO and Warsaw pacts were the results of cold war between the powers of Europe. Discuss. (20)

Q.7. What is the British Commonwealth of Nations and how it developed? (20)

Q.8. Write notes on ANY TWO of the following: (20)
   (i) General DeGaulle
   (ii) The Atlantic Charter
   (iv) Reparations
   (v) Marshall Plan

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