2020

(October)

HISTORY

(Honours)

(History of the United States of America)

{HIS-UG-607 (3)}

Marks: 75

Time: 3 hours

The questions are of equal value Answer any **three** questions (25x3=75)

- 1. What were the socio-economic conditions of America during the colonial period?
- 2. Discuss the causes leading to the American War of Independence.
- 3. What were the causes of the Republican War of 1812?
- 4. Discuss in brief the Jeffersonian Democracy.
- 5. What was the Monroe Doctrine? What was its relevance in American foreign policy?
- 6. Enumerate the causes that led to the American Civil War.
- 7. What was the role of Abraham Lincoln in the post-Civil War reconstruction?
- 8. What were the main features of Franklin Roosevelt's New Deal?
- 9. What were the conditions of labourers and slaves in America before 1865?
- 10. What were the circumstances leading to the Great Depression of 1929?
- 11. Discuss the factors responsible for the industrialisation of America after the Civil War.
- 12. Assess the rise of big business in American industries in the second half of the 19th century.
- 13. Give a brief account of the relations between America and the Philippines.
- 14. Highlight the main developments in American-Japanese relations during the period of World War II.
- 15. Write short notes on any **two** of the following: $(12 \frac{1}{2} \times 2)$
 - a) Significance of the American War of Independence
 - b) Federalists and Anti-Federalists: Issues and Debates
 - c) Alexander Hamilton
 - d) Results and significance of the Republic War of 1812
 - e) Turner's Thesis
 - f) John D. Rockerfeller
 - g) Labour Movements
 - h) Spanish-American War