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**V Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS-Reg./Supple./Imp.) Examination, Nov. 2015**  
**CORE COURSE IN HISTORY**  
**5B10 HIS : Method and Writing of History**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage : 25

I. 1) Objective question : (Weightage = 1)

- a) Who said "History is philosophy teaching by examples" ?  
(Herodotus, Thucydides, Dionysius, Aristotle)
- b) Who authored the work, 'The New Nature of History'.  
(Arthur Marwick, E.H. Carr, Marc Bloch, B. Sheik Ali)
- c) Historical research is based on  
(Data, Ability, Presentation, Patience)
- d) Heuristics refers to  
(Internal criticism, External criticism, Positive criticism, Negative criticism)

II. 2) Match **A** with **B** and **C** : (Weightage = 1)

A	B	C
a) Herodotus	City of God	Science of men in time
b) St. Augustine	Historian's craft	Future History
c) John Seely	Father of history	Church historian
d) Marc Bloch	Past politics	Greek historian

III. Short notes (**any nine** of the following) : (Weightage : 1×9=9)

- 3) E.H. Carr.
- 4) Total History.
- 5) History and Economics.
- 6) Berlin Revolution.
- 7) Historical research.

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- 8) Primary sources.
- 9) Hermeneutics.
- 10) Foot notes.
- 11) Constructive reasoning.
- 12) Grouping of facts.
- 13) Exposition.

IV. Short Essays (**any five** of the following) :

**(Weightage : 2x5=10)**

- 14) Objectivity in history.
- 15) What are the qualities of a researcher in history ?
- 16) Explain the nature of historical facts.
- 17) What is causation in history ?
- 18) Selection of a research topic.
- 19) Explain generalization in history.
- 20) Explain the preparation of bibliography.

V. Essay (**any one** of the following) :

**(Weightage : 4x1=4)**

- 21) Discuss the nature and scope of history.
- 22) Briefly explain the important techniques of historical research.