LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - **HISTORY**

FIFTH SEMESTER - NOVEMBER 2015

HT 5502 - HISTORY OF USA

Date: 07/11/2015	Dept. No.	Max.: 100 Marks
Time: 09:00-12:00		

PART-A

ANSWER ANY TEN OF THE FOLLOWING NOT EXCEEDING FIVE LINES EACH:

(10x2=20 marks)

- 1. Declaration of Independence
- 2. Theodore Roosevelt
- 3. Muckrakers
- 4. Truman Doctrine
- 5. Bay of Pigs fiasco
- 6. Rosa Parkes
- 7. Watergate scandal
- 8. Great Society
- 9. Marshall Plan
- 10. Howard Taft
- 11. Gulf war
- 12. Black Thursday

PART -B

ANSWER ANY FOUR OF THE FOLLOWING IN ONE PAGE EACH:

(4x10=40 marks)

- 13. Discuss circumstances leading to the discovery of America. Write a note on the thirteen colonies.
- 14. Write about the Boston Tea party.
- 15. Highlight the reconstruction of the southern states after the civil war.
- 16. Write a note on the Spanish American war.
- 17. State the role of USA in the First World War.
- 18. Mention the significant aspects of the Presidency of J.F Kennedy.

PART-C

ANSWER ANY TWO NOT IN EXCESS OF FOUR PAGES EACH:

(2x20=40 marks)

- 19. Analyze the reasons for the sectional conflict and point out its impact.
- 20. Review the transformation of USA during the Progressive Era.
- 21. Discuss the efforts made by F. D. Roosevelt in dealing with the Great Depression.
- 22. Assess the contribution of Martin Luther King to the Civil Rights movement.

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