M.A. 1st Semester Examination, 2019 POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Modern Indian Political Thought)

PAPER - PLS-102

Full Marks: 50

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

GROUP - A

- 1. Answer any *two* of the following: 2×2
 - (a) Write a brief note on Bankimchandra's idea of 'Purna Manushatya'.
 - (b) Mention any two writings of Bal Gangadhar Tilak

- (c) Define, after Savarkar, the concept of *Hindutwa*.
- (d) Write a short note on Satya Sodhak Samaj.
- 2. Answer any *two* of the following: 4×2
 - (a) What do you mean by the Gandhian concept of Satyagraha?
 - (b) Write a short note on We or Our Nationhood Defined.
 - (c) Briefly define the Gandhian idea of Trusteeship.
 - (d) Write a short note on Phula's book, Gulamgiri.
- 3. Answer any *one* of the following: 8×1
 - (a) Discuss the nationalist ideas of Swami Vivekananda.
 - (b) Evaluate the role of Ambedkar as the 'messiah' of the backward castes in India.

GROUP - B

4. Answer any two of the following:

 2×2

- (a) Mention any two of Tagore's writings on nationalism.
- (b) In which countries did Tagore deliver lectures on 'nationalism'?
- (c) In which book Subhas Bose elaborated his idea of Samyavada? In which year it was published?
- (d) When and where did Iqbal propose an autonomous region for the Indian Muslims?
- 5. Answer any two of the following:

 4×2

- (a) Define Tagore's idea of Atmashakti.
- (b) What did Bose mean by Samyavada?
- (c) Narrate briefly the importance Nehru's presidential speech in 1936 in defining his concept of socialism.
- (d) How did Iqbal define the Indian Muslim as a 'separate nation'?

- **6.** Answer any *one* of the following: 8×1
 - (a) Write an essay on Tagore's critique of nationalism.
 - (b) Evaluate Nehru's concept of socialism.

[Internal Assessment - 10 Marks]