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SRCMUJ

4<sup>th</sup> Semester Examination

M.A.

HISTORY

HIS-405 (A)

South West Bengal- 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> Century

Full Marks:40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer any two of the following questions 5×2
  - a) Write a short note on Chakla Midnapore.
  - b) What were the reasons for the decline of Bishnupur Zamindari?
  - c) How did Jangalmahal district originated?
  - d) Write a short note on the Chuar Rebellion in colonial Midnapore (1766 CE-1799 CE).
2. Answer any three of the following questions 10×3
  - a) Discuss the demographic aspects which developed Zamindaries of Tamluk, Midnapore and Narayangarh.
  - b) What were the reasons for the urbanization of Rarh area?
  - c) What were the causes of Maratha inroads in Bengal under Alivardi Khan? What were its affects?
  - d) Do you agree with the view that Shujauddin Khan's administration in Bengal was marked by a period of peace and prosperity?
  - e) What was the devastating aftermath of the Bargi invasion in Midnapore in the 18<sup>th</sup> century?