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B.A./B.Sc. (Hons.) 4th Semester
(2053)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Paper : Opt. (i) Western Political Thought

Time Allowed : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 90

Note :— Attempt **five** questions in all including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting **one** question from each Unit.

(Compulsory)

I. Write short answers to **nine** of the following questions :—

- (i) What is the influence of Socrates on the ideas of Plato ?
- (ii) Mention the views of Thrasymachus on justice in *The Republic*.
- (iii) Write Plato's views on the role of women in his ideal state.
- (iv) Mention the important reasons that led Plato to think about Second Best State.
- (v) Write Plato's views on the role of primary education in ideal state.
- (vi) Write important functions of Philosopher King in Plato's Ideal State.
- (vii) Mention distinct features of Plato's Second Best State.
- (viii) Mention important critiques of Plato.
- (ix) Mention Aristotle's views on the role of women in a state.

- (x) Write about the historical methodology of Aristotle in his writings.
- (xi) What are the major functions of State according to Aristotle?
- (xii) Explain Aristotle's concept of revolution.
- (xiii) Explain Machiavelli's place in the Modern Political Thought.
- (xiv) Write Machiavelli's views on the role of King in A Despotie State.
- (xv) Mention Machiavelli's ideas on morality for State. $9 \times 2 = 18$

UNIT—I

- II. Examine the prevailing notions of Justice and Plato's views on justice in his book *The Republic*. 18
- III. Discuss Plato's views on Communism of Wives and Property. 18

UNIT—II

- IV. Critically discuss the contribution of Plato to the Political Thought. 18
- V. Discuss Plato's ideas on Second Best State. 18

UNIT—III

- VI. Examine Aristotle's views on classification of Constitutions. 18
- VII. Critically discuss Aristotle's views on role of women and slaves in the State. 18

UNIT—IV

- VIII. Write a note on Machiavelli's advice to the King in his writing *The Prince*. 18
- IX. Discuss on your arguments regarding 'Machiavelli as a Modern Political Thinker'. 18