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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2014.

First Year—Non–Semester

Sociology – DD & CE

Paper I — PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY

(For those who joined in July 2007–08 onwards)

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

PART A — $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight.

- 1. Mention the methods used in sociology.
- 2. What are the uses of sociology?
- 3. What is Heredity?
- 4. What is socialization?
- 5. What is civilization?
- 6. What is assimilation in a society?
- 7. What is taboo? Give an example.
- 8. What is competition in a society?

PART B — $(5 \times 15 = 75 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight.

- 9. Explain the nature of sociology with examples.
- 10. Explain the process of socialization of individuals in a society.
- 11. Explain the origin of sociology.
- 12. Explain the role of environment on individual development in society.
- 13. Explain the characteristics of culture.
- 14. Explain the formal agencies of social control.
- 15. Explain the relationship between culture and personality of an individual.
- 16. Explain the nature of education as social institution.

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