History Final Exam

Total /35

**Section 1 - Multiple Choice (10 Marks)**

1) The three major conferences that led to the creation of Canada were

1. Halifax, St. John’s and Charlottetown Conferences.
2. The Charlottetown, Quebec and London Conferences.
3. The Washington, London and Ottawa Conferences.
4. The Kingston, Montreal and Quebec Conferences.

2) The “Spark” that began WWI is officially attributed to

1. Adolf Hitler’s election
2. The Bombing of Dresden
3. Germany’s attack on Paris
4. The assassination of Franz Ferdinand

3) PEI officially joined confederation in which year?

1. 1864
2. 1873
3. 1901
4. 1888
5. Industrialization saw a rise in the
6. Cottage System
7. Dalton System
8. Factory System
9. Steam power System

5) In which two cities did major Gold Rushes occur?

1. Fort Francis and Whitehorse
2. Saskatchewan and Calgary
3. Victoria and Dawson
4. Vancouver and Montreal

6) The Womens Christian Temperance Union sought to achieve the following

1. Political equality for everyone in Canada
2. Equal wages for immigrants
3. Prohibition of alcohol
4. The execution of Louis Riel

7) At the time of Confederation, which province had the highest population?

1. Quebec
2. New Brunswick
3. Newfoundland
4. Ontario

8) Confederation happened mainly as a response to which issues?

1. A political deadlock in Upper and Lower Canada
2. A desire to build a railroad connecting the colonies, making trade easier
3. Constant threat of invasion from the United States
4. All of the above.

9) How many colonies were united by the act of Confederation?

1. 1
2. 2
3. 3
4. 4
5. Representation by Population is the system whereby:
6. The number of seats in parliament for each province is based off of population
7. The Prime Minister must come from the province with the highest population
8. All provinces have the same amount of power
9. The population gets to vote on all important issues in government

**Section Two – Short Answer (6 Marks- 2 Marks Each)**

11) What was Manifest Destiny and how did it threaten the colonies of British North America?

12) What were the Numbered Treaties and why were they made?

13) What was the Alaskan Boundary dispute and how was it settled?

**Section Three - Identify and explain the significance towards Canada of three of the following (9 Marks – 3 Marks Each). You must choose one from each column.**

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| Colonial Preference  72 Resolutions  George Brown | The Indian Act  The Pacific Scandal  The Homestead Act | The Schliefen Plan  The Alliance System  The Boer War |

**Section 4 - Long answer (10 Marks):**

17) Answer one of the following questions in detailed paragraphs. Be sure to make at least 10 different points.

1. What were the major causes of WWI?
2. Wilfred Laurier was known as The Great Compromiser. How did he earn this nickname during his term as Prime Minister of Canada? What were the issues he compromised on?
3. What various events led to the Confederation of Canada?