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TITLE OF PAPER	:	HISTORY OF AFRICAN POLITICAL THOUGHT
COURSE CODE	:	H301
TIME ALLOWED	:	THREE (3) HOURS
INSTRUCTIONS	:	1. OUT OF THE <u>EIGHT</u> (8) QUESTIONS, ANSWER <u>FOUR</u> (4), CHOOSING <u>AT LEAST ONE</u> (1) FROM EACH SECTION. 2. ALL QUESTIONS CARY EQUAL MARKS.

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SECTION A

1. According to Joseph Casely Hayford, what are the main features of the Gold Coast Native institutions of State?
2. Evaluate Edward Blyden's assessment of Africa's communal life. Is his assessment satisfactory?
3. How does Alexander Crummell view African slavery and European Christianity in Africa?
4. What is meant by Pan-Africanism? Give a brief historical development of this political concept.

SECTION B

5. According to Kofi Busia, what are the causes of tribalism in Africa and how can this problem be solved?
6. What is meant by the term 'Democracy'? Did pre-colonial Africa have democratic governments?
7. With reference to The People's Republic, what are the views of Obafemi Awolowo on the African one-party state?
8. According to Amilcar Cabral, what role does culture play in the national liberation of a country?