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1st YEAR 1st SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
EDUCATION (ARTS) WITH IT

(REGULAR)

COURSE CODE: AHI 101

TITLE: AFRICAN HISTORY TO 1885

DATE:

TIME:

DURATION: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer question1 (compulsory) and ANY other 2 questions

Q1. Discuss the process of human evolution during the life of the following hominids:

- A) Australopithecus Africanus (6 marks)
- B) Australopithecus Robustus Boisei (6 marks)
- C) Homo Habilis (6 marks)
- D) Homo Erectus (6 marks)
- E) Homo Sapiens (6 marks)

Q2. Discuss socio-economic and political features of the ancient civilization of Aksum (20 marks).

Q3. Citing examples, explain the various forms of pastoralism in the traditional African economy (20 marks).

Q4. Trace the origin, growth and decline of the Asante Empire (20 marks).

Q5. Examine the impact of slave trade in East and Central Africa (20 marks).