History 102 Final Exam June 17, 1997 E1-Cheikh





Answer any two of the following:

- 1. Describe the general political and economic circumstances that contributed to the outbreak of the First World War?
- 2. Why was there dissatisfaction during the First World War with the tsarist regime among various elements of the population? Explain the appeal of Lenin's program.
- 3.Describe the stock market crash of 1929. How did the Great Depression affect Germany?
- 4. What are the various explanations given by historians to Hitler's rise to power. Describe the outstanding political, economic and social changes introduced in Germany under the Third Reich.
- 5. What was behind the pacifism and the appearement policy of the Western powers in the 1930s? Describe the Munich crisis.

