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(CBCS)

(5th Semester)

HISTORY

FIFTH PAPER

[Modern India (Part-1)]

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(*Marks : 25*)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—A

(*Marks : 10*)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. The East India Company came to India as early as

(a) 1498 ()

(b) 1600 ()

(c) 1773 ()

2. The Mughal Emperor during the Revolt of 1857 was

(a) Bahadur Shah II ()

(b) Shah Alam II ()

(c) Mir Jafar ()

- 3.** The Treaty signed after the First Anglo-Sikh War was the
- (a) Treaty of Punjab ()
 - (b) Treaty of Amritsar ()
 - (c) Treaty of Lahore ()
- 4.** The Permanent Settlement of Bengal was introduced in 1793 by
- (a) Lord Dalhousie ()
 - (b) Lord Warren Hastings ()
 - (c) Lord Cornwallis ()
- 5.** The First Indian province to be annexed under the Doctrine of Lapse was
- (a) Nagpur ()
 - (b) Jhansi ()
 - (c) Satara ()
- 6.** Commercialization of agriculture means
- (a) production of agricultural crops for sale in the market rather than for family consumption ()
 - (b) selling of surplus agricultural produce in the market ()
 - (c) government controlling of the price of agricultural crops ()
- 7.** Hundi means
- (a) bill of exchange ()
 - (b) money lenders ()
 - (c) banks ()
- 8.** The Reserve Bank of India was established in
- (a) 1905 ()
 - (b) 1925 ()
 - (c) 1935 ()

9. The First Indian Education Commission of 1882 was popularly known as
(a) Macaulay Commission ()
(b) Hunter Commission ()
(c) Kothari Commission ()
10. Aligarh Muslim University was originally established as Mohammedan Anglo-Oriental College by
(a) Sir Syed Ahmad Khan ()
(b) Raja Rammohan Roy ()
(c) B. R. Ambedkar ()

SECTION—B

(Marks : 15)

Answer the following questions :

3×5=15

1. What do you mean by the Royal Farman of 1717?

OR

What was the Maratha Confederacy?

2. Write a short note on the practice of Sati.

OR

What do you mean by the Doctrine of Lapse?

3. Who was R. P. Dutt?

OR

Write a short note on the Santhal Rebellion of 1855.

4. Write a note on the introduction of Railways in India.

OR

Write a short note on the Reserve Bank of India.

5. What was the Vernacular Press Act of 1878?

OR

What are the contributions made by Swami Vivekananda?

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

The questions are of equal value

1. What were the causes and results of the Battle of Plassey 1757?

OR

Discuss in brief the Anglo-Mysore Wars.

2. Discuss various reforms of Lord Warren Hastings.

OR

Discuss the Annexation Policy of Lord Wellesley.

3. What do you mean by commercialization of agriculture? Discuss its impacts on Indian society.

OR

Write a note on the economic policies of the British in the 19th Century India.

4. How were the Indian textile industries affected by the Industrial Revolution in Britain?

OR

Discuss the factors that led to the development of modern industries in India.

5. Describe the growth and role of press in Indian nationalism.

OR

Write a short note on the Brahma Samaj.
