

2019

(CBCS)

(5th Semester)

**HISTORY**

FIFTH PAPER

**[ Modern India (Part-I) ]**

*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 English East India Company was granted a Royal Charter by Queen Elizabeth I on

(a) 31st December, 1608 ( )

(b) 1st December, 1662 ( )

(c) 31st December, 1600 ( )

(d) 1st December, 1604 ( )

2. Which of the following battles established the English control over Bengal?

(a) The Battle of Giria, 1740 ( )

(b) The Battle of Plassey, 1757 ( )

(c) The Battle of Wandiwash, 1760 ( )

(d) The Battle of Buxar, 1764 ( )

3. Which was the only State in India annexed by the British in 1856 on the ground of misgovernment?
- (a) Awadh ( )
  - (b) Jhansi ( )
  - (c) Nagpur ( )
  - (d) Sambhalpur ( )
4. 'Sati System' was declared criminal offence during the Governor-Generalship of
- (a) Lord Hastings ( )
  - (b) Lord William Bentinck ( )
  - (c) Lord Dalhousie ( )
  - (d) Lord Ripon ( )
5. The book, *Social Background of Indian Nationalism* was authored by
- (a) R. C. Dutt ( )
  - (b) Dadabhai Naoroji ( )
  - (c) A. R. Desai ( )
  - (d) Swami Vivekananda ( )
6. Railway was introduced in the year
- (a) 1853 ( )
  - (b) 1852 ( )
  - (c) 1851 ( )
  - (d) 1850 ( )
7. The Ryotwari Settlement was initiated by Sir Thomas Munro in
- (a) 1820 ( )
  - (b) 1830 ( )
  - (c) 1840 ( )
  - (d) 1850 ( )

8. Who founded the Brahma Samaj?  
(a) Bal Gangadhar Tilak ( )  
(b) Raja Ram Mohan Roy ( )  
(c) Swami Vivekananda ( )  
(d) Swami Dayananda Saraswati ( )
9. Which of the following Education Commissions was regarded as 'the Magna Carta of English education in India'?  
(a) Charles Wood's Despatch ( )  
(b) Macaulay's Minute ( )  
(c) Hunter Commission ( )  
(d) S. Radhakrishnan Commission ( )
10. Aligarh Muslim University was founded by  
(a) William Bentinck ( )  
(b) Sir Syed Ahmed Khan ( )  
(c) Ali Jinnah ( )  
(d) Rajendra Prasad ( )

SECTION—B

( Marks : 15 )

Answer the following questions :

3×5=15

1. Write a short note on the Treaty of Seringapatam, 1792.

**OR**

What do you know about Dual system of government?

2. Who was Nana Fadnavis?

**OR**

What do you mean by the Subsidiary Alliance?

3. What do you mean by the 'Drain of Wealth Theory'?

**OR**

Write a short note on All India Kisan Sabha.

4. Why did India's export trade decline in the 19th century?

**OR**

What do you mean by Hundi?

5. Mention three provisions of the Wood's Despatch, 1854.

**OR**

What was the Arya Samaj?

**( PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE )**

( Marks : 50 )

*The questions are of equal value*

1. What were the circumstances that led to the Battle of Buxar, 1764? Discuss its significance.

**OR**

What were the causes and consequences of the Revolt of 1857?

2. What do you understand by the Permanent Settlement of Bengal? What were its results?

**OR**

Discuss in brief the reforms of Lord Dalhousie.

3. What factors contributed to the rural indebtedness in India?

**OR**

Discuss the various land revenue policies introduced by the British in India.

4. What were the main types of industries that came up in the 19th century in India?

**OR**

Write a note on indigenous banking.

5. Discuss the impact of Western education in India.

**OR**

Write a note on the Aligarh Movement.

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