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HISTORY-I

Paper : 2.1

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Choose the correct answer : $1 \times 10 = 10$
- (a) The remains of Great Bath had been discovered from _____.
(Harappa/Mohenjo-daro)
- (b) Megasthenes wrote _____.
(Indika/Devichandraguptam)
- (c) Tribal polity was the characteristic of the _____.
(Rig Vedic Period/Later Vedic Period)

Contd.

(d) Ashoka issued _____ Rock Edicts.
(7/14)

(e) Vishayadhikarana on District Councils were formed by the _____
(Mauryas/Guptas)

(f) The Battle of Buxar was fought in _____
(1760/1764)

(g) Doctrine of Lapse was introduced by _____
(Lord Dalhousie/Lord Canning)

(h) Salt law was violated during the _____.
(Non-Cooperation Movement/
Civil Disobedience Movement)

(i) The Morley-Minto Reform Act introduced _____ in India.
(Communal electorate/
Universal adult franchise)

(j) _____ was the Principal Assistant of
Sibsagar District. (Brodie/Robertson)

2. Answer the following in brief: 2×5=10

(a) Mention *any two* features of the Neolithic civilisation in India.

(b) What was Ashoka's Dhamma?

(c) Write *any two* provisions of the Regulating Act, 1773.

(d) What were the two main programmes of the Swadeshi movement?

(e) In which year was the annual session of the Indian National Congress held at Pandu? Who was the President of that session?

3. Discuss various sources of Indian history. 12

Or

Write short notes on the views of each of the following legal experts of ancient India, namely: 4+4+4=12

(a) Gautama

(b) Manu

(c) Yajnavalkya.

4. Write an account on the administrative organisation of the Imperial Mauryas. 12

Or

What are the cultural development assigned to the Gupta period? 12

5. Briefly discuss the causes of the Battle of Plassey. What were its results? 8+4=12

Or

Evaluate the social and administrative reforms of Lord William Bentinck.

6+6=12

6. Write an account of the Non-Cooperation Movement. 12

Or

Write an account of the Civil Disobedience Movement. 12

7. Discuss the administrative reforms taken by David Scott. 12

Or

Write an account on the Quit India Movement in Assam. 12