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19 (Sem-2) HIST-I

2016

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 Indus people knew the use of _____ . (iron/copper)
 - (b) The Rig Vedic tribes fought with each other for the occupation of land and _____ . (money/cow)
 - (c) Asoka issued _____ Rock Edicts. (7/14)
 - (d) The 'Adhikaranas' or Councils were formed by the _____. (Mauryas/Guptas)

Contd.

- (e) In 1765 the Mughal Emperor granted the _____ power of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa to the English East India Company. (Diwani/Nizamat)
- (f) William Bentinck appointed William Sleeman to suppress the _____. (Thugs/Pindaris)
- (g) Bengal was partitioned by _____. (Lord Hardinge/Lord Curzon)
- (h) Salt Law violation was the programme of _____. (Non-cooperation Movement/Civil Disobedience Movement)
- (i) Maniram Dewan was tried at _____. (Jorhat/Calcutta)
- (j) _____ was the first Agent to the Governor-General for North-Eastern Region. (David Scott/Robertson)

2. Answer the following : 2x5=10

- (a) Mention any two features of the Rigvedic polity.
- (b) What was Varnasramadhārma ?

- (c) Mention any two sources of the Mauryan history.
- (d) What was Dual Government of Robert Clive ?
- (e) State any two provisions of the Government of India Act, 1858.

3. Discuss various features of the Indus Valley Civilisation. 12

Or

Describe the socio-economic condition of the Later Vedic period. 12

4. Give an account of the administrative organisation under the Guptas. 12

Or

Attempt a brief note on the cultural developments during the Gupta period in Indian history. 12

5. Discuss the causes and results of the Battle of Buxar. 8+4=12

Or

Analyse the causes and results of the Revolt of 1857. 7+5=12

6. Write a detailed note on the Quit India Movement. 12

Or

Write an account on the Civil Disobedience Movement. 12

7. Discuss the administrative reforms initiated by T.C. Robertson. 12

Or

Give an account on the impact of the Non-cooperation Movement in Assam. 12