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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) _____ is a famous Harappan site.
(Mohenjodaro/Bhimbetka)
- (b) Scylla was the first _____ writer
to write about India.
(Greek/Roman)
- (c) Large kingdoms emerged in India in
the _____.
(Rig Vedic period / Later Vedic period)

Contd.

(d) The Mauryan dynastic reign was founded by _____.
(Chandragupta Maurya/Asoka)

(e) Aryabhatta belonged to the _____.
(Maurya age / Gupta age)

(f) The Treaty of Allahabad was signed in the year _____.
(1764/1765)

(g) Nana Sabeeb was the leader of the Revolt of 1857 in _____.
(Kanpur/Lucknow)

(h) Indian administration was transferred from the English East India Company to the British Crown by the _____.
(Government of India Act 1858 / Government of India Act, 1919)

(i) 'Do or die' was the motto of the _____. (Civil Disobedience Movement / Quit India Movement)

(j) Lieutenant Brodie was the Principal Assistant of _____.
(Lakhimpur district/Sibsagar district)

2. Answer the following in brief : $2 \times 5 = 10$

(a) Mention *any two* features of the Indus Valley Civilisation.

(b) What was Asoka's Dhamma ?

(c) State *any two* social reforms of Lord William Bentinck.

(d) Write *any two* provisions of the Government of India Act, 1935.

(e) Who was Maniram Dewan ? When was he hanged to death ?

3. Prepare a detailed note on the various sources of Indian history. 12

Or

Write an account on the views of *three* of the following legal experts of ancient India namely : $4+4+4=12$

(a) Gautama

(b) Baudhayana

(c) Manu

(d) Yajnavalkya and

(e) Narada.

4. Discuss the main features of the administrative organisation of the Imperial Mauryas. 12

Or

What are the cultural developments assigned to the Gupta Period? 12

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

Or

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

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

Or

Write an account on the various aspects of the Swadeshi Movement. 12

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

Or

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