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HISTORY-II

Paper : 3-1

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

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

1. Answer the following questions: 1×10=10
- (a) The foundation of Fort St. George was laid by _____.
(Francis Day / Job Charnock)
- (b) Chaultry Court was established at _____.
(Bombay/Madraspattam)
- (c) Under the Judicial Plan, 1774, the Diwani area of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa was divided into _____.
(6/8 divisions)

Contd.

(d) Collector was appointed in the Mofussil Diwani Adalat by the Judicial Plan of _____.
(1772/1774)

(e) The Regulating Act, 1773 was passed by the _____.
(British Parliament/English East India Company)

(f) Kashinath Baboo filed a suit against Raja Sundarnarayan in the _____.
(Mofussil Court / Supreme Court of Fort William)

(g) _____ was the first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Fort William.
(Warren Hastings/Sir Eliza Impey)

(h) The Calcutta High Court was established in _____.
(1861/1862)

(i) Sir Eliza Impey introduced reforms in the _____.
(Supreme Court/Adalat System)

(j) Supreme Court of India was inaugurated in _____.
(1951/1950)

2. Give very brief answers to the following:
2×5=10

(a) What was Cutcherry?

(b) Who was Daroga-i-Adalat?

(c) What was the Chaultry Court?

(d) Write any two provisions of the Judicial Plan, 1780.

(e) What is the importance of the Patna Case?

3. Answer in detail:

(a) Give an account of the Judicial administration in Madras between 1639 to 1726. 12

Or

Trace the transition of the East India Company from a trading body to a territorial power on the basis of various English Royal Charters from 1661 to 1698. 12

(b) Describe the Judicial Plan of 1772. State the defects of the Plan. 10+2=12

Or

What were the provisions of the Nine Plan of 1774? Give a critical analysis of the Plan. 8+4=12

(c) Describe the Nand Kumar's trial. Assess its importance in the legal history of India. 8+4=12

Or

Describe the Cossijurah case. Assess its importance in the legal history of India. 8+4=12

- (d) Discuss critically the Act of Settlement, 1781. 12

Or

Why was the Regulating Act, 1773 passed? What were its different provisions? 4+8=12

- (e) Describe the composition and jurisdiction of the Indian High Courts as per the Constitution of India. 12

Or

What are the different jurisdiction and powers of the Supreme Court of Independent India? 12