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1. The Battle of Buxar fought between.....

- (a) The English, the Nawab of Bengal and the French
- (b) Mir Kasim, the Nawab of Bengal, Nawab of Oudh and Shah Alam II, The Mughal Emperor
- (c) Akbar II, the Nawab of Bengal and Nawab of Oudh
- (d) Akbar II, the Nawab of Bengal and the Marathas

Ans: B

2. Who introduced the Subsidiary Alliance System in India?

- (a) Lord Dalhousie
- (b) Lord Ripan
- (c) Lord Wellesley
- (d) None of these

Ans: C

3. When was the battle of Buxar fought?

- (a) October 1764
- (b) October 1754
- (c) Sept. 1564
- (d) Jan. 1824

Ans: A

4. Which of the following statement is not true about "Doctrine of Lapse"?

- (a) It was started by Lord Dalhousie.
- (b) It was in operations between 1848 and 1856.
- (c) Nagpur was the first state annexed under this rule.
- (d) Satara, Jaipur, Jhansi and Nagpur states were annexed under this rule.

Ans: C

5. Which of the following war decided the English as the ultimate rulers of India?

- (a) Revolt of 1857
- (b) Battle of Buxar
- (c) Third Battle of Panipat
- (d) First battle of Mysore

Ans: B

6. The treaty of Allahabad took place between.....

- (a) Shuja-ud-daulah. Robert Clive and Shah Alam II

- (b) Shuja-ud-daulah, Mir Jafar and Shah Alam II
- (c) Shuja-ud-daulah, Wajid Ali Shah and Shah Alam II

- (d) None of the Above

Ans: A

7. What was the policy of "doctrine of lapse"?

- (a) States were allowed to adopt son as an heir.
- (b) States were not allowed to adopt son as an heir.
- (c) According to this system, every ruler in India had to accept to pay a subsidy to the British for the maintenance of British army.
- (d) None of these

Ans: B

8. Which state was the first victim of "The Subsidiary Alliance System"?

- (a) Satara
- (b) Mysore
- (c) Hyderabad
- (d) Awadh

Ans: C

9. Which of the following state was not the victim of "The Subsidiary Alliance System"?

- (a) Mysore
- (b) Satara
- (c) Awadh
- (d) Hyderabad

Ans: B

10. What is the correct order (first to last) of states annexed under the policy of "Doctrine of Lapse"?

- (a) Satara > Jaipur > Sambhalpur > Bahat
- (b) Jaipur > Satara > Sambhalpur > Bahat
- (c) Bahat > Satara > Jaipur > Sambhalpur >
- (d) Satara > Jaipur > Bahat > Sambhalpur >

Ans: A

11. Who among the following first cited the 'Drain of Wealth' in his book?

- A. Dadabhai Naoroji
- B. RC Dutta
- C. Jadunath Sarkar
- D. None of the above

Ans: A

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12. Which of the following book was written by Dadabhai Naoroji?

- A. Economic History of India**
- B. Poverty and Unbritish Rule in India**
- C. India and its Economy during British**
- D. All of the above**

Ans: B

13. Where was the Permanent Settlement firstly introduced?

- A. Orissa (Odisha) and Bengal**
- B. Orissa (Odisha) and Andhra Pradesh**
- C. Bengal and Bihar**
- D. Orissa (Odisha) and Bihar**

Ans: C

14. Consider the following

I. Introduced in Bombay and Madras. Munro and Charles Reed recommended its introduction in 1820.

II. It was based on the scientific rent theory of Ricardo.

Which of the above statement (s) is/are related to the Permanent Settlement?

- A. Only I**
- B. Only II**
- C. Both I & II**
- D. Neither I nor II**

Ans: D

15. Consider the following

I. Modified version of Zamindari settlement introduced in the Ganga valley, NWFP, parts of Central India & Punjab which was introduced in 1822.

II. In this system Revenue settlement was to be made by village or estates with landlords.

Which of the above statement (s) is/are related to the mahalwari Settlement?

- A. Only I**
- B. Only II**
- C. Both I & II**
- D. Neither I nor II**

Ans: C

16. Consider the following

I. Major areas of introduction include Madras, Bombay, and parts of Assam and Coorgh provinces of British India.

II. In Ryotwari System the ownership rights were handed over to the peasants. British Government collected taxes directly from the peasants.

Which of the above statement (s) is/are related to the Ryotwari Settlement?

- A. Only I**
- B. Only II**
- C. Both I & II**
- D. Neither I nor II**

Ans: C

17. Who among the following introduced Zamindari System in India through Permanent Settlement Act in 1793 AD?

- A. Lord Cornwallis**
- B. Thomas Munro**
- C. Warren Hasting**
- D. Lord Macaulay**

Ans: A

18. Who among the following introduced Ryotwari System in India?

- A. Lord Cornwallis**
- B. Thomas Munro**
- C. Warren Hasting**
- D. Lord Wellesley**

Ans: B

19. Mahalwari system was introduced in 1833 during the period of_____.

- A. William Bentick**
- B. Thomas Munro**
- C. Warren Hasting**
- D. Lord Wellesley**

Ans: A

20. In which year the East India Company acquired the 'Diwani of Bengal'?

- A. 1764 AD**
- B. 1765 AD**
- C. 1766 AD**
- D. 1767 AD**

Ans: B