

INDIAN HISTORY

1. With whom was a settlement for revenue made under the Mahalwari system ?

- (a) The Cultivators
- (b) The Zamindars
- (c) The Zamindars and Cultivators jointly
- (d) The village community as a whole

2. Who among the following established the swadeshi steam navigation company ?

- (a) A.D. Shroff
- (b) Harisarvottam Rao
- (c) V.O. Chidambaram Pillai
- (d) Walchand Hirachand

3. Who among the following made the first systematic critique of moderate politics in 1893-94 in a series of articles entitled "New Lamps for Old" ?

- (a) Aurobindo Ghosh
- (b) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
- (c) Satish Chandra Mukherjee
- (d) Lala Lajpat

4. Who among the following was not a member of the States Reorganization Commission (SRC) appointed by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru ?

- (a) Justice Fazl Ali
- (b) Potti Sriramulu

(c) K.M.Panikkar

(d) Hridayanath Kunzru

5. Who among the following was the Sarbadhinayaka or the supreme leader of the Tamralipta jatiya sarkar, a parallel government set up by the nationalists in Tamluk during the Quit India Movement ?

(a) Ajay Mukhopadhyay

(b) Sushil Chandra Dhara

(c) Matangini Hazra

(d) Satish Chandra Samanta

6. Consider the following statements relating to the Civil Disobedience Movement :

1. By the Gandhi-Irwin pact, the congress agreed to suspend the Civil Disobedience Movement.

2. By the Gandhi-Irwin Pact, the Government Promised to release all political prisoners not convicted for violence.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

(a) 1 only

(b) 2 only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

7. In which year was the Treaty between independent India and china acknowledging China's rights over Tibet signed ?

(a) 1949

- (b) 1952
- (c) 1954
- (d) 1955

8. Consider the following statements :

1. In the year 1962, the Soviet Union and India concluded an agreement permitting India to manufacture MiG aircraft.

2. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru faced the first no-confidence motion of his tenure as the head of the government in the year 1963.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

9. Who among the following Organised the defence in the trial of the I.N.A officers Capt. P.K. Sehgal, Capt. Shahnawaz Khan and Capt. G.S. Dhillon ?

- (a) Bhulabhai Desai
- (b) Madan Mohan Malaviya
- (c) Dr. Saifuddin Kitchlew
- (d) Ganesh Vasudeo Mavalankar

10. Who among the following started the newspaper called the "Voice of India" ?

- (a) Bhikaji Cama
- (b) Dababhai Naoroji

(c) Lala Hardayal

(d) V.D.Savarkar

11.Consider the following statements :

During the time of Lord Cornwallis, as per the Zamindari system,

1. The demand of the government on the revenue collected by the Zamindars was fixed at 70 percent.

2. If a Zamindar failed to pay to the government its demand on the due date,his Zamindari was auctioned.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

(a) 1 only

(b) 2 only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

12.Consider the following statements :

1. In India, the legislation passed by the parliament is subject to judicial review.

2. The Constitution of India lays down the mechanism for the enforcement of Fundamental Rights.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

(a) 1 only

(b) 2 only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

13. Which of the statements given above is correct ?

The Chinese attack on India's borders in the year 1962 ended as a result of

(a) U.N.intervention

(b) Russian intervention

(c) Unilateral withdrawal by China

(d) India signing a treaty with China

14. Consider the following statements :

The Regulating Act of 1773 provided

1. That the Court of Directors of the Company, hitherto elected every year, would henceforth be elected for a period of three years.

2. That the number of Directors of the Company was fixed at 24, one fourth retiring every three years.

3. For a judiciary emanating directly from the Crown.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

(a) 1 only

(b) 2 only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

15. Consider the following statements :

1. Raja Rammohan Roy arranged for the first inter-caste marriage under the Brahmo Samaj.

2. Keshab Chandra sen enunciated the basic tenets of Brahmo Samaj in his book Brahmodharma.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

16. Match the List-I and the List-II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists :

List-I List-II

(Party) (Leader)

- A. Praja Party 1.Fazlul Huq
- B. Congress Socialist party 2.Sahajanand Saraswati
- C. All India kisan sabha 3.Sir Sikander Hyat Khan
- D. Unionist Party 4. Minoo Masani

Code :

A B C D

- (a) 2 3 1 4
- (b) 1 4 2 3
- (c) 2 4 1 3
- (d) 1 3 2 4

17. Which one of the following Organized the first all-India agitations 1877-78 on the issue of Civil Services ?

- (a) Poona Sarvajanik Sabha

- (b) Indian Assosiation
- (c) Madras Mahajana Sabha
- (d) Bombay Presidency association

18. Consider the following statements :

1. Chittaranjan Das was a member of the non-official Jalianwala Bagh Enquiry Committee.
2. Subbhash Chandra Bose was a member of the Motilal Nehru Committee Which was appointed by the congress todraft a Constitution for free India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

19. Match the List-I and the List-II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists :

List-I List-II

(Samiti/Society) (Person Associated)

- A. Anushilan Samiti 1.Krishna Kumar Mitra
- B. Anti-circular Society 2.Jatindranath Banerjee
- C. Dawn Societi 3.Ashwini Kumar Dutt
- D. Swadesh Bandhab Samiti 4.Satischandra Mukherji

Code :

A B C D

- (a) 2 4 1 3

(b) 2 1 4 3

(c) 3 4 1 2

(d) 3 1 4 2

20. In the Nagpur Session of the Congress in the year 1920, Who among the following moved the main resolution on Non-Cooperation ?

(a) C.Rajagopalachari

(b) C.R.Das

(c) Madan Mohan Malaviya

(d) Motilal Nehru

21. Consider the following freedom fighters :

1. Amir Chand

2. Avadh Behari

3. Balmukund

4. Basanta Kumar Biswas

Who of the above received capital punishment on the accusation of throwing a bomb at Lord Hardinge ?

(a) 1 and 2 only

(b) 2,3 and 4 only

(c) 1,3 and 4 only

(d) 1,2,3 and 4

22. Which one of the following terms denotes cotton cloth manufactured during the medieval period in India ?

- (a) Tamlik
- (b) Idrar
- (c) Qismat
- (d) Kirpas

Directions :-

The following 9(Items) consist of two statements labeled as the "Assertion(A)" and the other as "Reason(R)" carefully and select the answers to these items using the codes given below :

Codes :

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- (c) A is true but R is false
- (d) A is false but R is true

23. Assertion (A) : Lord Ripon resigned before the term of his viceroyalty was over.

Reason (R) : The British Government was annoyed by the Ilbert bill and forced him to resign.

24. Assertion(A) : The earliest paper manuscript in India is dated 1223-24 A.D and has been reported from Gujarat.

Reason(R) : The traditional manufacture of paper in India was of very poor quality and could only be improved with the assistance of techniques brought by the Turks in the 13th century.

25. Assertion(A) : Amir Khusrau's works incorporate Hindi verses.

Reason(R) : Amir Khusrau showed respect for Hindi and had little reservation in using it in his works.

26. Assertion(A) : During 800-1200 A.D. period we notice the appearance of many histories of comparatively small geographical regions and family histories of lesser dynasties.

Reason(R) : The excessive centralization of political authority during this period had resulted in the emergence of reactionary sentiments among regional and local rulers.

27. Assertion(A) : A notable feature in the Sanskrit plays of the Gupta period was that the characters of high social status spoke Sanskrit, whereas those of low social status spoke Prakrit.

Reason(R) : Prakrit, as a language was more closely related to the speech of the times than was classical Sanskrit.

28. Assertion(A) : The Constituent Assembly of 1946 was not elected on the basis of universal adult franchise.

Reason(R) : Gandhiji had desired that the very best talent available in the country must be involved in the task of the making of the Constitution.

29. Assertion(A) : During the medieval period in India, guns were manufactured by fusing separate pieces together with the help of hot rings.

Reason(R) : Cast iron guns were found to be failing with alarming regularity in battle-fields.

30. Assertion(A) : In the context of pre-historic India, most of the agricultural sites too have reported the presence of a variety of Neolithic tools.

Reason(R) : Settled agricultural activity necessitated the development and use of a variety of microliths.

31. Assertion (A) : The Congress working Committee and the AICC passed a resolution against the Mountbatten Plan.

Reason(R): Mountbatten Plan sought to affect an early transfer of Power on the basis of Dominion Status to two successor states, India and Pakistan.

32. The translation of Chintamani Bhatta's Suka-saptati into the Persian title Tutinama was done by which of the following sufi saints ?

- (a) Sheikh Hamiduddin Nagori
- (b) Sheikh Fariduddin
- (c) Khwaja Ziyauddin Nakshashabi
- (d) Khwaja Qutbuddin Bakhtiyar Kaki

33. Who among the following rulers was the builder of Jahan-Panah, Delhi's fourth city ?

- (a) Sultan Shamsuddin Iltutmish
- (b) Sultan Alauddin Khalji
- (c) Sultan Muhammad bin Tughlaq
- (d) Sultan Sikandar Lodi

34. What did the term naddaf in the Sultanate Period mean ?

- (a) Weaver
- (b) Cotton-carder
- (c) Mason
- (d) Painter

35. Consider the following statements about the post-Aurangzeb Mughal period

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1. Farrukhsiyar owed his elevation to the throne to Zulfiqar Khan and Imad-ulMulk.

2. Aurangzeb had left a will to partition Mughal Empire among his three surviving sons after his death.
3. Muhammad Shah was supported by Nizam-ul Mulk of the Deccan.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1,2 and 3

36. Which one of the following Kingdoms was annexed by Bahlul Lodi, the Sultan of Delhi, in 1484 AD ?

- (a) Kashmir
- (b) Jaunpur
- (c) Nepal
- (d) Gujarat

37. Which of the following terms refers to the confidential spies in Delhi Sultanate ?

- (a) Murattab
- (b) Sawar
- (c) Tabinam
- (d) Barid

38. Who among the following was appointed as the controller of the Grain Market by Alauddin Khalji during the implementation of market control measure ?

- (a) Alp khan
- (b) Malik Qabul
- (c) Malik Chajju
- (d) Khizr Khan

39. With reference to the conquests of Alauddin Khalji, Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched ?

- (a) Conquest of Ranthambore : Ulugh Khan and Nusrat Khan
- (b) Conquest of Chittor : Zafar Khan and Nusrat Khan
- (c) Conquest of Mandu : Ain-ul-mulk Multani
- (d) Conquest of Jalor : Kamaluddin Gurg

40. Which one of the following is the correct chronological sequence ?

- (a) Malik Kafur-Jamaluddin Yaqut-Khan-i Jahan Maqbul-Mahmud Gawan.
- (b) Jamaluddin Yaqut-Malik Kafur-Khan-i Jahan Maqbul-Mahmud Gawan
- (c) Malik Kafur-Jamaluddin Yaqut- Mahmud Gawan- Khan-i Jahan Maqbul
- (d) Jamaluddin Yaqut- Malik Kafur- Mahmud Gawan- i Jahan Maqbul

41. The Portuguese traveler, Nuniz visited vijayanagar during the reign of which one of the following ?

- (a) Vira Narasimha
- (b) Deva Raya
- (c) Achyuta Raya
- (d) Sadasiva Raya

42. Who among the following wrote "Manucharita"™ Which gives detailed account of the Vijayanagar Empire ?

- (a) Nandi Timmana

- (b) Krishna Deva Raya
- (c) Bhattumurti
- (d) Allasani Peddana

43. Who among the following was the second Portuguese Governor in india ?

- (a) Vasco de Gama
- (b) Francisco de Almeida
- (c) Alfonso de Albuquerque
- (d) Francisco Xavier

44. Agricultural land was divided by Akbar into four categories. Polaj land came under Which category ?

- (a) Land left uncultivated for more than five years.
- (b) Land left fallow for one year
- (c) Land used regularly for cultivation
- (d) Barren land not fit for cultivation

45. The great painter Khwaja Abdus Samad flourished at the Court of which one of the following ?

- (a) Babar
- (b) Shershah
- (c) Akbar
- (d) Shahjahan

46. Whose permission was solocited by Albuquerque, the Portuguese governor, to build a fort at Bhatkal ?

- (a) Achyuta Raja
- (b) Krishna Deva Raya
- (c) Saluva Narasimha
- (d) Vira Narasimha

47. Match the List-I and the List-II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists :

List-I List-II

(Ancient Name of River) (Modern Name of River)

- A. Vitasta 1. Chenab
- B. Askini 2. Beas
- C. Parushni 3. Jhelam
- D. Vipas 4. Sutlej
- 5. Ravi

Code :

A B C D

- (a) 3 5 4 2
- (b) 2 1 5 3
- (c) 3 1 5 2
- (d) 2 5 4 3

48. In Shivaji's Ashtapradhan, who among the following officers looked after the foreign affairs ?

- (a) Peshwa
- (b) Sumant
- (c) Pandit Rao
- (d) Sachiv

49. Who bestowed the Office of peshwa on Balaji Vishwanath ?

- (a) Shivaji III
- (b) Shahu
- (c) Sambhaji
- (d) Dhanaji Jadav

50. What are Brahmanas ?

- (a) Detailed treatises on agricultural practices and methods.
- (b) Texts on sacrificial rituals
- (c) Guidelines for the rulers for organizing administration
- (d) Commentaries appended to the Aranyakas dealing with philosophical questions.

51. Match the List-I and the List-II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists :

List-I List-II

(Harappan Settlement) (River)

- A. Mohenjo-daro 1. Indus
- B. Rupar 2. Ghaggar
- C. Kalibangan 3. Sutlej
- D. Harappa 4. Ravi

Code:

A B C D

- (a) 1 3 2 4
- (b) 2 4 1 3
- (c) 1 4 2 3

(d) 2 3 1 4

52. Consider the following statements :

1. The inhabitants of Harappa grew and used cotton.
2. The inhabitants of Harappa had no knowledge of copper and bronze.
3. The standard Harappan seals were made of clay.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

53. Who deciphered the Brahmi script ?

- (a) John F. Fleet
- (b) James Prinsep
- (c) Alexander Cunningham
- (d) John Marshall

54. Consider the following administrative units in Chola Kingdom :

1. Kottam
2. Uru
3. Valanadu

In terms of their size, which is the correct sequence of these in descending order ?

- (a) 1-3-2
- (b) 3-1-2

(c) 2-1-3

(d) 3-2-1

55. Before Abhijnanasakuntalam, Which of the following wo plays were composed by kalidas ?

1. Vikramorvasiyam

2. Malavikagnimitra

3. Swapnavasavadatta

4. Kadanbari

Select the correct answer using the code given below :

(a) 1 and 2

(b) 1 and 3

(c) 1 and 4

(d) 3 and 4

56. which one of the following is not a scene depicted on the famous site of Mamallapuram ?

(a) Siva disguised as a Kirata

(b) Descent of the Ganges

(c) Draupadi's disrobing

(d) Arjuna's penance

57. At Which one of the following places is there a sun Temple ?

(a) Srisailam (Andhra Pradesh)

(b) Modhera (Gujarat)

(c) Halebid(Karnataka)

(d) Sikar(Rajasthan)

58. At which of the following sites, the boar incarnation of Vishnu has been depicted in sculpture ?

(a) Udaygiri Cave, Vidisha

(b) Ellora Cave, Aurangabad

(c) Hathigumpha Cave, Bhubaneswar

(d) Elephanta Cave, Mumbai

59. In which region was the Sarvastivadin sect of Buddhism strong ?

(a) Tibet and Nepal

(b) Mathura and Kashmir

(c) Burma and Thailand

(d) Bihar and Bengal

60. Which one of the following is not a feature of Gandhara style of Buddha images ?

(a) In seated position they are almost always shown cross-legged

(b) The faces are shown elongated

(c) They are never shown with a shaved head

(d) They are always shown in abhaya mudra.

61. Which one of the following statements about Upanishads is not correct ?

(a) Brihadaranyak and Chandogya Upanishads are in prose.

(b) Katha Upanishad is one of the earliest Upanishads

(c) Upanishads proclaim salvation by knowledge rather than by faith

(d) Upanishads do not consider a life of asceticism as absolutely necessary for salvation

62. Which one of the following statements is correct ?

Vaipulya Sutras are

- (a) Essentials of Jain philosophy
- (b) commentaries on Sanskrit poetics
- (c) expanded sermons of Buddha
- (d) exposition of logic in Pali language

63. Which one of the following statements is correct ?

The *goulikas* and *halikas* of Satavahana period were

- (a) village officials exercising administrative control on behalf of the state
- (b) royal guards providing personal security to the king
- (c) petty artisans working in the villages
- (d) Sub-castes formed on occupational basis

64. Consider the following statements :

1. At the time of partition of India, the Partition of India, the Partition Council's Chairman was Sir Patrick Spens, the ex-Chief Justice of India
2. At about the same time, an arbitral Tribunal was set up under the Presidentship of Sir Cyril Radcliffe.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

65. In the context of India's relations with China consider the following

:

1. China's war with India
2. Dalai Lama's departure from Tibet
3. Bandung Conference
4. Panchsheel Agreement

Which one of the following is the correct chronological sequence of the above events ?

- (a) 2-3-4-1
- (b) 4-1-2-3
- (c) 2-1-4-3
- (d) 4-3-2-1

66. Consider the following statements :

- 1 . India was the first country to recognize the People's Republic of China on 1st January, 1950
- 2 India objected to the permanent representation of China in the Security Council of the UN

Which of the statement given above is/are correct ?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 and 2

67. During the National Movement, the congress passed a resolution on fundamental

Rights and economic policy by way of a major concession to placate the Left Wing at which one of the following sessions ?

- (a) Amristar Seesion
- (b) Karachi Session
- (c) Lucknow Session
- (d) Tripuri Session

68. During India struggle for independence, who among the following came forward in defence of prisoners in the Meerut Conspiracy Case ?

- 1. Jawaharlal Nehru
- 2. Muzzafer Ahmed
- 3. P.C.Joshi
- 4. M.C.Chagla

69. Who was the first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court at Calcutta established

under the Regulating Act of 1773?

- (a) William Pitt
- (b) Henry Vansittart
- (c) Elijay Impey
- (d) Job Chrnok

70. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched ?

- (a) Ganesh Damodar Savakar : Naujawan Bharat Sabha
- (b) Sardar Ajit Singh : Bharat Mata Society
- (c) G.S. Arundale : Hindustan Socialist Republican Party
- (d) Bhupendra Nath Dutta : Abhinav Bharat Samaj

71. Consider the following statements :

1. In the First round Table Conference that met in November, 1930, Congress had no representative.
2. Mahatma Gandhi was chosen as the sole representative of the congress at the second round Table Conference held in September-December, 1931

Which of the following statements given above is /e correct ?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

72. At Which one of the following places was the Hindustan Socialist Republican Army founded in September 1928 by Bhagat Singh and a few of his associates.

- (a) Jodha Bai's Palace, Fatehpur Sikri
- (b) Ferozeshah Kotla, Delhi
- (c) Alfred Park, Allahabad
- (d) Moti Masjid, Agra Fort

73. Who of the following refused to allow the adopted son of Lakshmibai to succeed to the throne after the death of her husband, and subsequently annexed the state ?

- (a) Lord Canning
- (b) Lord William Bentinck
- (c) Lord Dalhousie
- (d) Lord Wessley

74) with reference to Ghadar Movement, consider the following statements:

1. The first issue of the newspaper "Ghadar" was published in the gurmukhi script.
2. The organizers of the movement asked the sikh soldiers to revolt against the british.
3. "Sat sri akal" was the rallying cry of the ghadar movement.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 3
- (d) 2 and 3

75) the preamble of the constitution of India was based on the "objectives resolution" introduced in the constituent assembly in its first session in December, 1946 and was adopted in January, 1947. who among the following moved the "Objectives Resolution" ?

- (a) B.N. Rau
- (b) B.R. Ambedkar
- (c) Jawaharlal Nehru
- (d) Rajendra Prasad

76) With reference to Nehru report, consider the following statements :

1. in the Nehru Report, the secular character of the state was listed as a Fundamental Right
2. The Nehru Report recommended that the redistribution of provinces should take place on a linguistic basis.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

77) Which one of the following was a reason for the failure of talks held at the simla conference in 1945?

- (a) The congress boycotted it
- (b) The viceroy was indifferent to demands of congress
- (c) The dominion status suggested by the viceroy was not acceptable to both congress and Muslim league
- (d) Jinnah insisted that all Muslim members of the Executive Council must be nominated by Muslim League

78) On 17 May, 1927 at the Bombay session of the congress, who moved a resolution calling upon the congress working committee to frame the constitution of India in consultation with the elected members of the central and provincial Legislatures and leading political parties ?

- (a) Mahatma Gandhi
- (b) Motilal Nehru
- (c) Rajendra Prasad
- (d) Tej Bahadur Sapru

79) In the 1907 Session of the congress at surat, whose name was proposed by extremists group as the next president of the congress?

- (a) Aurobindo Ghosh
- (b) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
- (c) Lala Lajpat Rai
- (d) Bipin Chandra Pal

80) In ancient India, the life of a jaina monk was governed by how many vows?

- (a) Four
- (b) Five
- (c) Six
- (d) Seven

81) what is the principal theme of the Ashtasahasrika-Prajnaparamita literature of ancient India?

- (a) Non-dual nature of the soul
- (b) Spiritual principles developed by Bodhisattvas
- (c) Principles of jain penance
- (d) Exposition of the yoga postures

82) Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched?

- (a) Bhilsa - Vidisha
- (b) Kanyakubja - Kanpur
- (c) Pratishthana - Paithan
- (d) Sthanvisvara - Thanesar

83) which of the following statements about mohenjo-daro is correct?

- (a) the houses were made of cut and polished stone.
- (b) Axes, chisels, knives and fish-hook were all made of iron.
- (c) The floor of the Great Bath was made of burnt brick.
- (d) Gold ornaments were unknown to the inhabitants.

84) Match the List-I and the List II and select the correct answer using the code given

below the lists:

List- I List II

(Vedic Term) (Meaning)

- A. Muni 1. Guardian of marriage
- B. Udgatri 2. Holyman who is silent
- C. Purusha 3. One who knows sama veda
- D. Aryaman 4. The primeval

85) During satavahana period, what did kulika nigams mean?

- (a) Magistrates
- (b) Guilds
- (c) District Head
- (d) Head of the village

86) Who is credited with having excavated cave XVI at ajanta?

- (a) Gautamiputra Satakarni
- (b) Nahapana
- (c) Varahadeva
- (d) Vindyasena

87) At which one of the following places were the three Sangam Literary Assemblies held?

- (a) Thanjavur
- (b) Kanchipuram
- (c) Madurai
- (d) Vanji

88) Consider the following pairs:

- 1. Parsa - Nirgrandha
- 2. Gosala Maskari putra - Aji vika
- 3. Ajita Kesakarambalin - Buddhist

which of the pairs given above is/are correctly matched?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

89) what is the correct chronological sequence of the following inscriptions?

- 1. Mehrauli Pillar Inscription
- 2. Apsad Inscription
- 3. Allahabad Pillar Inscription
- 4. Aihole Inscription

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 4 " 1 " 3 " 2
- (b) 3 " 2 " 4 " 1
- (c) 4 " 2 " 3 " 1
- (d) 3 " 1 " 4 " 2

90) which Gupta Inscription refers to Arya Uditacarya as the descendent of Bhagavat Kusika?

- (a) Jain Sculpture Inscription of ramgupta at Durjanpur
- (b) Mathura Pillar Inscription of Chandragupta - II
- (c) Junagadh Inscription of Skandagupta
- (d) Mehrauli Pillar Inscription of Chandra

91) Damodarpur Copper Plate inscription giving details of local administration belongs to whose period?

- (a) Ramagupta
- (b) Samudragupta
- (c) Kumaragupta I
- (d) Skandagupta

92) Which one the following works is ascribed to the famous poet Rajasekhara?

- (a) Setubandha
- (b) Gaudavadha
- (c) Karpuramanjari
- (d) Saptasataka

93) Match the List _ I and List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists:

List " I List " II

(Work) (Author)

A. Mrichchhakatika 1. Kalidasa

- B. Ritusamhara 2. Sudraka
- C. Kiratarjuniya 3. Magha
- D. Sisupalavadha 4. Bharavi

Code:

A B C D

- (a) 2 1 4 3
- (b) 3 4 1 2
- (c) 3 1 4 2

94) According to Megathenes, the city of Pataliputra was administrated by a Committee?

- (a) Ten
- (b) Fifteen
- (c) Thirty
- (d) Forty

95) When the Lord Wellesley fought the war against Sultan Tipu of Mysore in which Tipu died, who commanded the main English Army?

- (a) Arthur Wellesley
- (b) General Harris
- (c) Col.Reed
- (d) General Stuart

96) Who among the following Organized the Radical Democratic Party in the year 1940?

- (a) Ajit Roy

- (b) M.N. Roy
- (c) Rash Behari Bose
- (d) Subhash Chandra Bose

97) Which one of the following statements is not correct?

As per the Press Licensing regulations of 1823,

- (a) the printer and publisher have to obtain a license to starting a press
- (b) magistrates could attach unlicensed presses
- (c) every book or newspaper was required to have printed the name of the printer and publisher on it and a free copy supplied to local government.
- (d) The governor " general had the right to revoke a license or call for a fresh application.

98) Consider the following statement with reference to Pitt's India Act:

1. Pitt's India Act 1784 provided that only covenanted servants were in the future to be appointed members of the Council of the Governor " General.

2. The Pitt's India Act 1784 prohibited all aggressive war in India and all treaties of guarantee with the Indian Princes. Which one of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) both 1 and 2
- (d) neither 1 and 2

99) which one of the following Acts removed the legal reorganization of slavery in India?

- (a) Pitt's India Act, 1784
- (b) The Charter Act, 1833

(c) The Act XI of 1835

(d) The Act V of 1843

100) In the year 1739, Marathas captured salsette and bassein from which one of the following powers?

(a) Dutch

(b) English

(c) French

(d) Portuguese

101) who have described Alauddin Khalji's measure of slaughtering a large number of "New Muslims" in one single day?

(a) Amir Khusrau and Afif

(b) Isami and Barani

(c) Yahya Sihrindi and Ibn Battuta

(d) Abdullah and Rizqullah Mushtaqi

102) Towards the end of Akbar's reign, who dominated his nobility holding ranks of 500 zat and above?

(a) Rajputs and other Hindus

(b) Shaikhzadas

(c) Turanis

(d) Iranis

103) when Farruksiyar contested the throne, who among the following betrayed jahandar shah?

(a) Asad Khan

(b) Han jahan kokaltash

- (c) Munim khan
- (d) Chin qilich khan

104) consider the following statements about shahjahan:

1. shahjahan commanded Fateh khan to invade bijapur in 1631.
2. shahjahan failed in the second bundela war in 1634 and did not invade the region again.
3. shahjahan visited Kabul with a military escort of fifty thousand to subdue the Afghan tribes.

Which of the statemens given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1and2
- (b) 2only
- (c) 1and3
- (d) 3only

105) who were the qalandars in the medieval India?

- (a) wandering dervishes
- (b) preachers of Islamic Law
- (c) Keepers of mosques
- (d) Keepers of madrasas

106) who among the following bhaki saints wrote the commentary on on vedantasutras in Sanskrit?

- (a) Ramananda
- (b) Tulsidas
- (c) Lalleshwari
- (d) Vallabhacharya

107) Kharapallana and Vanasphara were the two satraps governing under which one of the following?

- (a) Kanishka
- (b) Kadaphises I
- (c) Kaluphna II
- (d) Huviska

108) Consider the following statements:

1. Gautamiputra Satakarni defeated Nahapana
2. Vasishthiputra Sri Pulmavi was defeated by Rudradaman
3. Sri Yajna Satakarni styled himself as Ekabhamana.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

109) Who among the following was the first to have studied and discovered the Manuscript of Kautilya's Arthashastra?

- (a) K.A.N. Sastry
- (b) B.K. Thapar
- (c) R. Shama Sastri
- (d) James Fergusson

110) The King Kanishka held a great Buddhist Council under his presidency?

- (a) Asvaghosha

- (b) Sangharaksha
- (c) Nagasena
- (d) Vasu Mitra

111) the great grammarian patanjali of ancient India was whose contemporary among the following?

- (a) Chandragupta Maurya
- (b) Ashoka
- (c) Pushyamitra Sunga
- (d) Susarman Kanva

112) which one of the following rulers began the construction of the famous kailasa rock-cut temple at Ellora?

- (a) Dantivarman I
- (b) Nandivarman III
- (c) Krishna I
- (d) Srimara Srivallabha

113) Haji Maula revolted against which one of the following Sultans?

- (a) Iltutmish
- (b) Raziya
- (c) Balban
- (d) Alauddin Khalji

114) which one of the following techniques was introduced by the Turks in the textile sector in India?

- (a) Spinning wheel

- (b) Tie “ and dye
- (c) Handle spindle
- (d) Weaver’s loom

115) at which one of the following places was Akbar formally placed as akbar formally seated on the Mughal throne after the accidental death of his father Humayun?

- (a) Kabul
- (b) Lahore
- (c) Kalanaur
- (d) Sarhind

116) Before taking employment under Aurangzeb, Mir Jumla was in whose service?

- (a) Abdullah Qutb shah of golconda
- (b) Adil shah of Bijapur
- (c) Nizam-ul-mulk of Ahmednagar
- (d) Raja Jaswant Singh of jodhpur

117) which one of the following is the correct chronological sequence?

- (a) Battle of Chanderi “ Battle of Ghagra “ Battle of Dourah “ Battle of Chausa
- (b) Battle of Chanderi “ Battle of Ghagra “ Battle of Chausa “ Battle of Dourah
- (c) Battle of Ghagra “ Battle of Chanderi “ Battle of Dourah “ Battle of Chausa
- (d) Battle of Ghagra “ Battle of Chanderi “ Battle of Chausa “ Battle of Dourah

118) Consider the following statements:

1. Akbar prohibited sati " the immolation of widow on husband's pyre.
2. Akbar discouraged child marriage and encourage widow remarriage among Hindus.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

119) consider the following statements :

1. Mansab fixed the status of a mansabdar in official hierarchy but not his salary.
2. Mansab did not fix the number of armed retainers the mansabdar was supposed to maintain.
3. Mansabdari was a single service combining both civil and military responsibilities.
4. All the holders of mansab were called amir-i azam

which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 2 and 3 only
- (b) 3 only
- (c) 1, 2 and 4
- (d) 4 only

120) Match the List " I and the List " II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists:

List I | List II

(Text) (Author)

A. Salvabhyudaya 1. Uddanda Kavi

B. Sarva-Darshan-Sangaraha 2. Atreya Ramanuja

C. Kokilasandesha 3. Madhavacharya

D. Nyayakulisa 4. Rajanatha

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