

FOURTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2014

(UG-CCSS)

Complementary Course – History

HY 4C 01 – MODERN INDIAN HISTORY (1857–1992)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

Section A*Answer all the questions.*

1. The book titled "Transfer of Power" was written by :
 - (a) V.P. Menon.
 - (b) Krishna Menon.
 - (c) K.P.S. Menon.
 - (d) Lord Mountbatten.
2. Who was first Governor General of Free India ?
 - (a) Dr. Rajendra Prasad.
 - (b) Lord Mountbatten.
 - (c) Edwina Mountbatten.
 - (d) C. Rajagopalachari.
3. Who is known as the Iron Man of India ?
 - (a) C. Rajagopalachari.
 - (b) V.K.Krishnan Menon.
 - (c) Sardar Vallabhai Patel.
 - (d) Nehru.
4. Who was the ruler of Kashmir at the time of Indian Independence ?
 - (a) Raja Karan Singh.
 - (b) Raja Vikram Singh.
 - (c) Raja Hari Singh.
 - (d) Raja Kuldeep Singh.
5. Who is the author of Drain Theory ?
 - (a) R.P. Dutt.
 - (b) R.C. Dutt.
 - (c) Dadha Bhai Naurorji.
 - (d) Mahatma Gandhi.
6. Dhar Commission was constituted for studying :
 - (a) Linguistic States.
 - (b) Backward Community.
 - (c) Centre-State Relations.
 - (d) Educational Institutions in India.
7. States of which zone in India are known as Seven Sisters :
 - (a) North Zone.
 - (b) South Central.
 - (c) North East.
 - (d) South Western Zone.

8. MacMohan line is the boundary line between :
- (a) India–Pakistan. (b) India–China.
(c) India–Afghanistan. (d) India–Burma.
9. Sachar Committee was commissioned to study :
- (a) Status of Minorities. (b) Status of Muslims.
(c) Status of Tribals. (d) Status of Woman.
10. Panchsheel was signed between India and :
- (a) Russia. (b) U.S.A.
(c) U.K. (d) China.
11. Who gave the slogan “Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan”?
- (a) Indira Gandhi. (b) Nehru.
(c) Lal Bahadur Shastri. (d) Sonia Gandhi.
12. In 1975 Emergency was declared by :
- (a) Nehru. (b) Sanjay Gandhi.
(c) Indira Gandhi. (d) Lal Bahadur Shastri.

(12 × ¼ = 3 weightage)

Section B

All the questions are compulsory.

13. Bhoodan Movement.
14. Bombay Plan.
15. Planning Commission of India.
16. Article 370.
17. Khalistan.
18. Telengana Movement.
19. Lal Bahadur Shastri.
20. Fundamental Rights.
21. Judicial Review.

(9 × 1 = 9 weightage)

Section C

Answer any five out of seven.

22. Write a brief note on Tashkent Conference.
23. What is the issue of Illegal Migrant in Assam?

24. Is Article 370 promoting Secessionism in Kashmir?
25. Was there an alternative to state reorganization on linguistic basis?
26. Critically evaluate the functioning of mixed economy.
27. Did five year plans fail in India? If so why?
28. To what extent our secularism is really secular?

(5 × 2 = 10 weightage)

Section D

Answer any two questions.

29. Do you think that communalism is the Legacy of 1909 Act?
30. Critically evaluate the five year plans in India.
31. Assess the role of Nehru as architect of India.

(2 × 4 = 8 weightage)

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