



TNPSC-GROUP – VIII-2013

1. **Arrange** the following events in ascending order:
 1. Individual Civil Dis - obedience Movement
 2. Cripps Mission
 3. Quit India Mission
 4. Wavell PlanA) 1,2,3,4 B) 2,1,3,4
C) 4,3,2,1 D) 4,2,3,1
Ans: A

2. **W.C. Banerjee** belonged to which of the following place?
 - A) Calcutta B) Mumbai
 - C) Delhi D) NagpurAns: A

3. **The** song “Vande Matharam”, was first sung in which congress session?
 - A) Bombay - 1885 B) Madras - 1888
 - C) Calcutta - 1906 D) Lahore - 1929Ans: C

4. **Which** is the following site belongs to Paleolithic rock shelters?
 - A) Harappa B) Belan
 - C) Bhimbetka D) RanchiAns: C

5. **Which** of the following statement is not correct?
 - A) Mahendra varman was a Jain
 - B) He was converted to Saivism
 - C) He destroyed the Buddhist Vihara at Thiruppa puliyur.
 - D) He constructed a Siva temple at ThiruvadigaiAns: C

6. Consider the following pairs:



- I. Swadeshi - Annie Besant
II. Maratha - Boycott Movement
III. Home Rule Movement - English Weekly
IV. Minto-Morley Act - 1909

Which of the pair given above is/are correct?

- A) I, II and IV B) IV only
C) II and IV D) III and II

Ans: B

7. **Match** the following:

- | | |
|----------------------|---------|
| a) Khilafat Movement | 1. 1927 |
| b) Swaraj Party | 2. 1920 |
| c) Simon Commission | 3. 1928 |
| d) Nehru Report | 4. 1923 |

- | | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| A) | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| B) | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| C) | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| D) | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 |

Ans: A

8. **One** of the major objectives of land reform is

- A) to improve agricultural marketing
B) to provide raw materials for industries
C) to facilitate the land based development of rural poor
D) to provide food grains for the entire population

Ans: C

9. **Kudavolai** system was followed by

- A) The Cheras B) The Pandiyas
C) The Cholas D) The Aryas

Ans: C

10. **Name** the place exclusively devoted to craft production during



Harappan civilisation

- A) Mohanjodaro B) Chanhudaro
C) Dholavire D) Lothal

Ans: B

11. Arrange the chronological order:

- I. Invasion of Timur on Delhi
II. Construction of Qutb Minar
III. Ascendency of Razia in Delhi
IV. Malik Kafur's South Indian Invasion

- A) I, II, III, IV B) II, III, IV, I
C) III, I, IV, II D) IV, III, II, I

Ans: B

12. The phrase 'Unity in Diversity' was coined by

- A) Subramaniya Bharathiyar B) Subramaniya Siva
C) K.K. Pillai D) Jawaharlal Nehru

Ans: D

13. **Which** of the following is not correct?

- A) Subramania Bharathi - Panchali Sabatham
B) Mrs. Annie Besant - Wakeup India
C) E.V. Ramasamy - Republic
D) Dr. G.U. Pope - Desapakthan

Ans: D

14. **Match** List I with List II and select the correct answer using the codes given below the lists:

- List I
a) Vanchinathan
b) V.O.C.
c) Rajaji
d) E.V.R.

- List II
1) Swatantara party
2) Vaikom Satyagraha
3) Swadeshi Shipping Company
4) Collector Ashe

Codes:



- | | | | | |
|----|---|---|---|---|
| | a | b | c | d |
| A) | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| B) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| C) | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| D) | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 |

Ans: B

15. **Who** won the title of "Ghana Samudra" in music during Mughal period?

- | | |
|--------------|--------------|
| A) Tansen | B) Lalkhan |
| C) Jagannath | D) Janardhan |

Ans: B

16. **Which** one of the following is/are correct?

- I. Akbar's tomb (Sikkandara) was completed by Shahjahan.
- II. Agra Fort is situated on the banks of River Ganga.
- III. Moti Masjid was build by Akbar.
- IV. Bulandarwaza was built in Fatehpur Sikri.

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|-----------|---------------|
| A) I only | B) III and IV |
| C) II,III | D) IV only |

Ans: D

17. **Consider** the following statements:

Assertion (A): Tilak did not accept the Lucknow pact.

Reason (R) : Tilak was an extremist

- A) Both (A) and (R) are true
- B) Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is not the correct explanation of A
- C) (A) is true (R) is false.
- D) (A) is false (R) is true.

Ans: D

18. **Match** List-I with List-II and select your answer using the codes given below:



List I

- a) Non – Cooperation Movement
- b) W.C. Banerjee
- c) Lord Dufferin
- d) H.O. Hume

List II

- 1. Civil Servant
- 2. Gandhiji
- 3. Viceroy
- 4. Barrister

- | | | | | |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
| A) | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| B) | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| C) | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| D) | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 |

Ans: A

19. **Consider** the following statements regarding Chatrapathi Shivaji.
1. Shivaji ransacked the Mugal's port Surat in 1664 A.D.
 2. In 1665, treaty of Purandhar was signed between Shivaji and Jaisingh
 3. In 1674, Shivaji himself made a title Chatrapathi at Raigarh.
 4. Astapradhan, the group of eight ministers who assist Chatrapathi Shivaji.
- Choose the correct option
- | | |
|--------------------|--------------|
| A) 1, 3 and 4 | B) 1,2 and 4 |
| C) All are correct | D) 1 only |
- Ans: C

TNPSC-GROUP – II-2013

1. Match List-I with List –II and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I

- a) The Hindu Religious Endowment Act
- b) The Madras State Aid to Industrial Act

List II

- 1. 1922
- 2. 1929



-
- c) The Public Service Commision 3. 1926
d) Andhra university 4. 1921

- a b c d
A) 4 2 1 3
B) 2 1 4 3
C) 3 4 1 2
D) 4 1 2 3

Ans: D

2. What is the special about the following personalities?
Pandit Ravi Shankar, M.S. Subbulakshmi and Satyajit Rey.

- A) Recipientts of Bharat Ratna Award
B) Recipients of Lalit Kala Academy Award
C) Recipients of Sangeet Natak Academy
D) Recipients of Padma Vibhushan Award

3. Match the following Temple with place and choose the correct answer from the codes given below

- | List I | | List II | |
|----------------------------|--|-----------------|--|
| a) Monolithic Rathas | | 1. Tiruttani | |
| b) Kailasanatha Temple | | 2. Gudimallam | |
| c) Virattaneswara Temple | | 3. Kanchipuram | |
| d) Purasuramesvarar Temple | | 4. Mamallapuram | |

- a b c d
A) 4 3 1 2
B) 3 4 1 2
C) 1 3 2 4



D) 4 2 1 3

Ans: A

4. **The** first Individual Satyagrahi was

- A) Gandhiji B) Vinoba Bhave
C) Rajaji D) M.A. Jinnah

Ans: B

5. **The** First editor of the paper “Vande Matram” was

- A) Bankim Chandra Chatterjee
B) Fourth Session 1888
C) Seventh Session 1891
D) Dr. Annie Besant

Ans: B

6. **Which** among the following is correctly matched?

- A) Ranjith Singh - Battle of Plassey
B) Tipu Sultan - Treaty of Amritsar
C) Hector Munro - Battle of uxar
D) Watson - Treaty of Sriranga Patnam

Ans: C

7. Match List-I with List-II and select your answer using the codes given below:

- | List I | | List II | |
|-----------------------------|--|------------------------|--|
| a) Atmiya Sabha | | 1. M.G. Ranade | |
| b) Prarthana Sabha | | 2. Raja Ram Mohan Roy | |
| c) Arya Samaj | | 3. Dayanand Saraswathi | |
| d) Deccan Education Society | | 4. Atmaram Pandurang | |

- | | a | b | c | d |
|----|---|---|---|---|
| A) | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| B) | 1 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| C) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |



D) 3 2 1 4

Ans: A

8. **Match** list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I	List II
a) Dutch East India Company	1. 1600
b) British East India Company	2. 1664
c) French*East India Company	3. 1510
d) Portuguese Captured Goa	4. 1602

Ans: B

9. 'The Congress should get entry into the councils not to cooperate with the Government but to non-cooperate with it'. This statement was made by whom?

- A) Pandit Motilal Nehru and Desh Bandhu Chittaranjan Das
B) M.K. Gandhi and Jawaharlal Nehru
C) Lala Lajpat Rai and Gopala Krishna Gokale
D) Subramanya Bharathi and V.O. Chidambaram

Ans: A

TNPSC GROUP – II-A-2014

1. Consider the following two statements consisting of Assertion (A) and Reason (R) and select your answer using the codes given below:

Assertion (A): Rise of militant movements in Indian National Movement revealed to the British Government, the extent to which the Indians were humiliated and dissatisfied.



Reason (R) : Indian youth were involved in large numbers in militant movements and left their foot prints as Heros.

- A) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is correct explanation to (A)
B) Both (A) and (R) are false.
C) (A) and (R) are individually true but (R) is not the correct explanation to (A).
D) (A) is false and (R) true.

Ans: A

2. **Identify** the leader who uttered the following statement:

“I am not anti-English, I am not anti-British, I am not anti- humbeg and anti –injustice, it may regard me as its enemy, implacable enemy.....”

- A) Gopala Krishna Gokhale B) Bala Gangadhara Tilak
C) M.K. Gandhi D) Jawaharlal Nehru

Ans: C

3. Which national leader uttered the following statement?

“I am an Indian Tom Tom waking up all the sleepers so that they wake and work for their motherland”.

- A) B.G. Tilak B) Gopala Krishna Gokhale
C) Annie Beasant D) Jawaharlal Nehru

Ans: C

4. **Consider** the following pairs.

- | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| I. Swami Vivekananda | - Parliament of Religious Chicago
Religious Chicago 1893 |
| II. M.S. Subbulakshmi | - Patronized art and architecture |
| III. Mother Teresa | - Central Hindu School, Banaras |
| IV. Raja Ravivarma | - Classical paintings. |

Which of the pair given above is/are correct?



- A) I only B) II only
B) III only D) IV

Ans : B

5. Which is not the work of Ottakkuttar?
A) Senkuntamalai B) Saraswathi Anthathi
C) Yapparun Kalam D) Arumbai Tollyiram
6. **Who** became the Chief Minister of Madras Presidency in 1923 after Justice party won the elections?
A) Ramarayeningar B) K.V. Reddy
C) T.N. Sivagnanam Pillai D) A.V. Patro

Ans: A

7. Who made the statement : ‘worship of God through the services of the poor?’
A) Mahatma Gandhi
B) Mother Theresa
C) Swami Vivekananda
D) Ramakrishna Paramahamsa

Ans : C

8. Match List-I with List-II and select your answer using the codes given below:

- | List I | List II |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| a) Lala Lajpat Rai | 1. The Philosophy of the Bomb |
| b) Bhagat Singh | 2. Chittagong Armoury Raid |
| c) Surya Sen | 3. Lok Sabha Assassination of Saunders |
| d) Bhagwaticharan vohra | 4. Extremist |



Nationalist

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|----|---|---|---|---|
| | a | b | c | d |
| A) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| B) | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| C) | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| D) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |

Ans: D

9. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I

List II

- | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|
| a) Beek | 1. Lahore Congress |
| b) Archibold | 2. Mohammedans |
| c) Rahmat Ali | 3. Pricipal, Aligarh College |
| d) Pakistan Resolution | 4. Coining the word Pakistan |

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|----|---|---|---|---|
| | a | b | c | d |
| A) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| B) | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| C) | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| D) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |

Ans: D

10. **Which** of the following statements about Mangal Pandey are correct?

- I. He refused to use the greased catridge.
 - II. He was a Sepoy in the 19th natve infantry stationed at Berhampur.
 - III. He belonged to the regiment of 34 N.I. at Barrackpore.
 - IV. He was not punished by the British.
- | | |
|---------------|--------------|
| A) I and II | B) II and IV |
| C) II and III | D) I and III |



Ans: D

11. **Surdas** was the disciple of

- A) Madhavacharya B) Vallabacharya
C) Namadev D) Eknath

Ans: B

12. **Who** was the Prime Minister when for the first time No-confidence motion was moved in the Indian Parliament?

- A) Jawaharlal Nehru B) Indira Gandhi
C) Morarji Desai D) Lal Bahadur Shastri

Ans: A

13. The Chief offensive Weapon of the Vedic period

- A) Sword B) Axes
C) Spear D) Bow and Arrow

Ans: D

14. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I

List II

- | | |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| a) Occupancy tenants | 1. Extremely weak |
| b) Tenants – at-will | 2. Permanent and hereditary |
| c) Sub-Tenants | 3. Temporary Tenants |
| d) Intermediaries | 4. Absentee landlords |

a b c d

- A) 2 3 1 4
B) 4 3 2 1
C) 4 3 2 1
D) 3 4 2 1

Ans: A

TNPSC-GROUP – II-2015



1. Madan Mohan Malviya National Mission is about
A) Police and Cops
B) Teachers and Teaching
C) Students and parents
D) Army and Nation

Ans: B

2. who was the first well-known exponent of Algebra among Indian Mathematicians?

- A) Varahamihra
B) Brahmagupta
C) aryabhata
D) Bhaskara

Ans: C

3. Who was the author of the Natya Shastra?

- A) Sachin Shankar
B) Aswagosha
C) Bharatamuni
D) Kalidasa

Ans: C

4. Who was the first recipient of Bharat Ratna Award?

- A) Dr.S. Radhakrishnan
B) Sri. Rajagopalachari
C) Pandi Jawaharlal Nehru
D) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

Ans : B

5. Zamindari system was introduced by

- A) Thomas Munroe
B) Lord Cornwallis
C) Venkata Subbaiah
D) Myrdal

6. Land reforms provide

- A) Finance for improving fertility of land holding
B) Incentives and encouragement to land owners
C) Incentives and encouragement to the tillers
D) Finance for starting petty shops for farmers

Ans : C

7. When did Nehru become the President of Indian National Congress?



- A) On 6 July 1946
B) On 15 August 1947
C) On 26 November 1949
D) On 26 January 1950

Ans: A

8. From which novel was the National song Vande Mataram taken?
A) Bavani Mandir
B) Sandhya
C) Kesari
D) Anand Math

Ans: A

9. During the freedom struggle on which day the Indian National Congress celebrated the Poorna Swaraj?
A) January 26, 1930
B) January 26, 1929
C) August 15, 1930
D) August 15, 1929

Ans: A

10. During the time of Harsha who served as the head of the Nalanda University?
A) Fahien
B) Hiuen - Tsang
C) Shilbhadra
D) Itsing

Ans: C

11. The Forward Bloc was founded by
A) M.N. Roy
B) Joshi
C) J.B. Kripalani
D) Subash Chandara Bose

Ans: D

12. Who was called the Portuguese Knight Courtier and Sea Captain?
A) Vascodacama
B) Columbus
C) Ferdinand
D) Barthalomeu Diaz

Ans: D

TNPSC-GROUP – IIA -2016

1. Which of the following were the liquid measurements used by the imperial cholas?
A) Ma, Kuzhi
B) Kalanju, Madai
B) Nali, Uri
D) Tuni, Padakku



Ans: C

2. Pick out the wrong statement about Rabindranath Tagore
- I) He founded Shantiniketan (now Viswabharati university) in Bengal
 - II) He is the first Asian to receive Nobel prize in 1915.
 - III) His works are 'post office' and 'Gora'
 - IV) He is the writer of National Anthems of India and Srilanka.
- A) I only B) II only
C) I and III only D) II and IV only

Ans: D

3. Which Indian dynasty imposed a tax called "Patdam" on remarriage of widows?
- A) The Mughals B) The Peshwas
C) The Sambhuvarayas D) The Nayaks of Tanjore

Ans: B

4. Identify the Indian Political Leader who uttered the following opinion?
- "Indians do not deserve freedom from British rule unless they themselves get rid off the evils of untouchability"?
- A) Bala Gangadhara Tilak B) Gopala Krishna Gokhale
C) Mohandas Gandhi D) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar

Ans: C

5. Who was the president of All India State People Conference during 1946-1947?
- A) Sardar Vallabha Patel B) Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru
C) Dr. Rajendhira Prasad D) V.P. Menon

Ans: B

6. Which among the following is not related to the Aligarh Movement?



- C) (A) and (R) incorrect.
D) (A) and (R) are correct but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A)

Ans: B

10. Match the following and choose the correct option;

- | | |
|------------------|-----------------------------|
| a) K.R. Iyengar | 1. Vaikom Satyagraha |
| b) Kelappan | 2. Hindu Mahasabha |
| c) M.R. Masani | 3. Madras Mahajan Sabha |
| d) M.M. Malaviya | 4. Congress Socialist Party |

- | | a | b | c | d |
|----|---|---|---|---|
| A) | 1 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| B) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| C) | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| D) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |

Ans: C

TNPSC-ASSITANT ENGINEER -2014

1. The idea of establishing a Public Service Commission in India was first initiated along with which of the following

Choose your answer from the options given below

- A) Minto-Morley Reforms 1909
B) Montague-Chelmsford Reforms 1919
C) Government of India Act 1935
D) Indian Independence Act 1947

Ans: B

2. Consider the following two statements consisting of Assertion (A) and Reason (R) and select your answer using the codes given below:

Assertion (A) : In 1906 at the Congress session in Calcutta,



Dadabhai Naoroji Proclaimed Swadeshi and Swaraj.

Reason (R) : In the same year V.O. Chidambaram Pillai founded his Swadeshi Steam Navigation Company.

- A) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) explains (A)
B) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is not the explanation of (A).
C) Both (A) and (R) are false

3. Who of the following decided to use the term 'Home-Rule' in the place of 'Swaraj' as the goal of the Home Rule Movement?

- A) Dadabhai Naoroji B) Surendranath Banerjee
C) Bala Gangadara Tilak D) Annie Besant

Ans: C

4. Who is called as Nightingale of Carnatic Music?

- A) Sarojini Naidu B) Subbulakshimi
C) Vijayalakshmi Pandit D) Rukmni Arundale

Ans: B

TNPSC HEAD OFFICER - 2015

1. Which was the port of Indus Valley Civilization?

- A) Lothal B) Harappa
C) Mohanjadaro D) Surkotada

Ans: A

2. Who was the founder the Tuluva Dynasty?

- A) Veera Narasimha B) Saluva Narasimha
C) Krishnadevaraya D) Achyuta Raya

Ans: A



3. The English Journal 'Revolt' was founded by
A) E.V. Ramasamy B) Ramalinga Vallalar
C) Annie Besant D) Dr. T.M. Nair
Ans: A
4. Who was the first English President of the Indian National Congress?
A) Alfred Web
B) George Yule
C) Sir Henry Cotton
D) Sir William Wedderburn
Ans: B
5. Who founded the Mohammedan Anglo oriental college?
A) Jinnah
B) Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
C) Maulana Abul Kalam Azad
D) Maulana Hussain Ahmad
Ans: B
6. Do or Die slogan was associated with whom?
A) Nethaji Subhas Chandra Bose
B) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
C) Mahatma Gandhi
D) Bhagat Singh
Ans: C
7. The founder of the Satya Sodhak Samaj was
A) Atmaram Pandurang
B) Gopal hari Deshmukh
C) M.G. Randade
D) Jyothiba Phule
Ans: D
8. While discovering the past history of India, the Brahmi Script was



deciphered largely by

- A) James Tod
- B) James Prinsep
- C) Alexander Cunningham
- D) Sri William Jones

Ans: B

9. Who was the eminent Christ saint banished by Jehangir for blessing his rebellions son Khusrao?

- A) Shaik Salim
- B) Shaik Nizamuddin Faruqi Thanewari
- C) Shaik Khwaja Muinuddin
- D) Shaik Nizamuddin Auluya

Ans: B

10.is known as the Magnacarta of Indian education

- A) Macaulay's Minute
- B) Woods Despatch
- C) Hunters Report
- D) Kotharis Report

Ans: B

11. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I ***

List II

- | | |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| a) Grihyasutras | 1. Public rituals |
| b) Shrauta sutras | 2. Architecture |
| c) Dharma sutras | 3. Domestic rituals |
| d) Shilpa sutras | 4. Sacred rituals according to caste regulations |

- | | | | | |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
| A) | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| B) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |



C) 4 3 2 1

D) 1 3 4 2

Ans: A

12. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I				List II			
a)	Ahmadya movement			1.	Dayannanda Saraswathi		
b)	Prathana Samaj			2.	Satyanand Agnihotri		
c)	Deva Samaj			3.	Ama Ram Pandurang		
d)	Arya Samaj			4.	Mirxa Ghulam Ahmed		
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)				
A)	4	2	1	3			
B)	3	2	4	1			
C)	4	3	2	1			
D)	2	4	1	3			

Ans: C

13. Which among the following in chronologically latest?

- A) Bardoli Satyagraha
- B) Champaran Satyagraha
- C) Ahmedabad Mill workers Satyagraha
- D) Kheda Satyagraha

Ans: A

TNPSC ASSIATANT MEDICAL OFFICER – 2015

1. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I		List II	
a)	Majjhantika	1.	Dayannanda Saraswathi
b)	Mahinda	2.	Satyanand Agnihotri



- c) Rakkhita
d) Uttara
3. Ama Ram Pandurang
4. Northern Kanara district

- | | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| A) | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| B) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| C) | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| D) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |

Ans: B

2. The ancient Nalanda University was established during the reign of Gupta period

- I. Samudragupta
II. Sakraditya
III. Chandragupta II
IV. Ramagupta

- A. I
C. III
- B. II
D. IV

Ans: B

3. The Akali Movement was an off shoot of which Movement?
- A) Aligarh Movement
B) Singh Sabha Movement
C) Parsi Reform Movement
D) Thosophical Movement

Ans: B

4. Who was the first President of All India Trade Union Congress
- A) Lala Lajpat Rai
C) Subas Chandra Bose
- B) Jawaharla Nehru
D) J.B, Kripalani

Ans: A

5. Where was the first World Tamil Conference was held?
- A) Kolalampur
B) Paris



C) Eazham D) Madurai

Ans: A

6. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I		List II	
a) Bombay Association		1. Surendranath Banerjee	
b) Indian Association		2. Shiv Narayan Agnihotri	
c) Servants of India Society		3. Dadabhai Naoroji	
d) Deva Samaj		4. Gopala Krishna Gokhale	

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
A)	4	3	2	1
B)	4	1	2	3
C)	3	1	4	2
D)	2	1	4	3

Ans: A

7. Who aroused Muslim fears by writing that “the objective of the congress is to transfer the political control of the country from the British to the Hindus”?
- A) Mr. Archbold
B) Mr. Beck
C) Sir Sayyid Ahmed Khan
D) Saifudding Kitchlew

Ans: B

8. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I		List II	
a) Battle of Kanwah		1. Ibrahim Lodi	
b) Battle of Chanderi		2. Rana Sanga	
c) Battle of Ghagra		3. Medini Rai	



d) Battle of Panipat

4. Mahmud Lodi

- | | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| A) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| B) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |
| C) | 1 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| D) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |

Ans: B

9. Who treated the Treaty of Purandhar AS a “Scrap of Paper” and sanctioned Operations against Marathas?

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| A) Lord Wellesley | B) Lord Clive |
| C) Warrant Hastings | D) Comwallis |

Ans: C

10. Which is incorrectly matched?

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|--------------------|----------------------|
| a) Common Weal | 1. Annie Besant |
| b) The Young India | 2. Lala Lajpat Rai |
| c) Rast Gafter | 3. Dadabai Naoroji |
| d) The Bengalee | 4. Rajaram Mohan Roy |

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| A) a | B) b |
| C) c | D) d |

Ans: D

11. Choose the incorrect pair regarding National Movement:

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| a) Congress League pact at Lucknow | 1. 1916 |
| b) Massacre of Jalian Wala Bagh | 2. 1919 |
| c) Disappearance of Subash Chandra Bose from his Calcutta house | 3. 1945 |
| d) Split in the Congress at Surat | 4. 1907 |

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| A) a | B) b |
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C) c D) d

Ans: C

12. The chronological order of the freedom movement in India is

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|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Mountbatten Plan | 2. Wavell Plan |
| 3. Cripps Mission | 4. Cabinet Mission |

A) 4, 3, 2, 1 B) 1, 2, 3, 4

C) 3, 2, 4, 1 D) 2, 3, 1, 4

Ans: D

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1. Which among the following are incorrect statements?

1. Swadeshi Steam Navigation Company Oct. 16, 1906.
2. Coral Mill Strike Feb. 27, 1908.
3. Madras Branch of Home Rule Association June 21, 1920.
4. 26th State Conference of Congress at Tirunelveli Feb. 19, 1919.

A) 1 and 2 B) 3 and 4

C) 2 and 3 D) 4 and 1

Ans: B

2. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I

- I. Navajeevan
- II. New India
- III. Swarajya
- IV. National Herald

List II

- a. Annie Besant
- b. Nehru
- c. T. Prakasam
- d. M.K. Gandhi

A) I-d, II-a, III-c, IV-b

B) I-a, II-b, III-c, IV-d



C) I-c, II-d, III-b, IV-a

D) I-b, II-a, III-d, IV-c

Ans: A

3. Match the following:

a) Brahma Samaj

1. Mirza Ghulam Ahmed

b) Arya Samaj

2. Abdul Ghaffar Khan

c) Ahmadiya Movement

3. Swamy Dayanand

d) Khudai Khidmatgar

4. Raja Ram Mohan Roy

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
A)	4	3	2	1
B)	3	4	1	2
C)	3	4	2	1
D)	4	3	1	2

Ans: D

4. Match List I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I

a) Subramania Bharathi

List II

1. Poomi Dhana

b) Bharathidasan

Yattirai

2. Penkalin

c) Namakkal Ramalingam Pillai

Urimaigal

3. Ravanan

d) Kavimani Desika Vinayagam Pillai

4. Sudesa

Geethangal

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
A)	4	3	1	2
B)	3	1	4	2
C)	2	4	1	3
D)	2	1	4	3

Ans: A



5. Match the following:

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|----------------------|---------------------|
| a) Tulsidas | 1. Bhavartha Dipika |
| b) Eknath | 2. Dasabodha |
| c) Ramdas | 3. Ram Charitmanas |
| d) Khudai Khidmatgar | 4. Marathi Gita |

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|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
| A) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| B) | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| C) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |
| D) | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Ans: B

6. When and to whom did the Danes sell all their settlements in India?

- A) 1745 - Portuguese
- B) 1776 - French
- C) 1800 - Dutch
- D) 1845 - British

Ans: D

7. Why did Anandaranga Pillai call a 'Dubashi'?

- A) One who knows two languages
- B) One who built two cities
- C) One who ruled two kingdoms
- D) One who conquered two cities.

Ans: A

8. After which incident Rabindranath Tagore returned his knighthood to the British Raj?

- A) Introduction of Vernacular
- B) Partition of Bengal 1905
- C) Jallian Wala Bagh Incident
- D) Indian Council Act of 1919.



Ans: C

9. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I	List II
I. Hindustan Socialist Republican Party	a. Tilak
II. 'Father of Indian Unrest'	b. Annie Besant
III. 'Commonweal'	c. Bipin Chandra Pal
IV. 'New India'	d. Bhagat Singh
A) I-d, II-a, III-b, IV-c	B) I-c, II-d, III-b, IV-a
C) I-b, II-c, III-d, IV-a	D) I-a, II-b, III-c, IV-d

Ans: A

10. Who was the premier of Madras Presidency, when Simon Commission visited in 1927?

A) B. Subbarayan	B) P.T. Rajan
C) Rajaji	D) T.M. Nair

Ans: A

11. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I	List II
a) Suryanarayana Sastri	1. Desiyakkodi
b) Sampanta Mudaliar	2. Rupavati
c) Sankaradas Swamigal	3. Ponvilangu
d) T.P. Krishnaswami Pulavar	4. Paavalakkodi

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
A)	4	1	2	3
B)	4	3	1	2
C)	2	3	4	1



D) 4 3 2 1

Ans: C

12. Match the following:

- a) Kanchipuram
Kailasanatha Temple 1. Chalukyas
- b) Virupaksha
'Temple at Pattadakal' 2. Vijayanagar
- c) Kailasa Temple at Ellora 3. Pallavas
- d) Varadaraja Temple
at Kanchipuram 4. Rashtrakutas

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
A)	3	1	4	2
B)	3	4	1	2
C)	4	3	2	1
D)	2	4	1	3

Ans: A

13. The rural party of the Chennai State between 1921 to 1936 was

- A) Indian National Congress
B) Socialist Party
C) Justice Party
D) East India Company

Ans: C

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1. The Widow Remarriage Act was passed during the Governor –
Generalship of

- A) Bentink B) Dalhouse
C) Canning D) Lawrence

Ans: C

2. Which is correctly matched among the following?



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- I. City of New Delhi a. Designed by Gordan
II. Udaipur palace b. Designed by Edwin Lutyens and Sir Edward Baker
III. Victoria Memorial hall c. J. Ransome
IV. Birla Mandir d. Lord Curzon

- A) I B) II
C) III D) IV

Ans: C

3. Which of the following terms dictated by the English in the treaty of Lahore 1846 on the Sikhs is/are true?

- I. Ceding of the Jullunder doab and payment of 1.5 crore as indemnity to the British.
II. Reduction of Sikh army and prohibition of its ruler from employing European without prior consent of the British.
III. Appointment of a British resident Sir John Lawrence at Lahore.
IV. Removal of Rani Jindan as regant

- A) I, II and III B) II, III and IV
C) I and II D) All of the above

Ans: C

4. When did Vasco da Gama arrive at Calicut?

- A) 1471 A.D. B) 1491 A.D.
C) 1498 A.D. D) 1500 A.D.

Ans: C

5. Choose the correct answer from the codes given below:

Assertion (A) : The imperial Cholas collected taxes called irai, deposited them in Pantaram. Also called as



Tevar pantaram, Sri bhandaram.

Reason (R) : Because , it was a place of safty.

- A) Assertion and Reason are correct.
- B) Assertion and Reason are wrong.
- C) Assertion alone is correct.
- D) Reason alone is correct.

Ans: A

6. Who were the leaders with whom Lord Mount Batten held discussions of two nations apart from Jawaharlal Nehru?

- A) Sardar Patel and Mr. Menon
- B) Mr. Jinnah and Sardar Patel
- C) Gandhiji and Mr. Jinnah
- D) Mr. Motilal Nehru and Mr. Patel

Ans: C

7. Accoeng Buddhist records, the Deccan region was called as

- A) Brahmarshi
- B) Madhya Desa
- C) Dakshina patha
- D) Purvadesa

Ans: C

8. 'Niyoga' does not mean one of the six darsanas (Philosophies) of Ancient India. What else does it mean?

- A) Self-immolation by fire
- B) Polygamy
- C) A kind of Physical exercise
- D) Cohabitation of a widow with one of her deceased husband's brother

Ans: D

9. Match list I with List II correctly and select your answer using the codes given below:

List I

List II

a) Rahnumal Mazdayasnan Sabha

1. Desiyakkodi



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- | | | | |
|----|---------------------------------|----|------------|
| b) | Symbol of the Swadeshi movement | 2. | Rupavati |
| c) | Diamknd of India | 3. | Ponvilangu |
| d) | Sher-e-Punjab | 4. | Charkha |

- | | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| A) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| B) | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| C) | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| D) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

Ans: B

