

**SECOND SEMESTER (CUCBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2020****History**

HIS 1C 01 AND HIS 2C 01—MODERN INDIAN HISTORY (1857 TO THE PRESENT)  
INDIA UNDER COLONIAL RULE AND EARLY RESISTANCES (1857-1885) AND INDIAN  
NATIONAL MOVEMENT—FIRST PHASE (1885-1917)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

*Answers may be written either in English or Malayalam.***Section A (Objective Type)***Answer all the twelve questions.**Each question carries ½ mark.*

Name the following :

1. The first piece of territory acquired by the English in India.
2. The Land Revenue System introduced by the British in Awadh, Delhi, Punjab and the Gangetic valley.
3. The work written by Raja Ram Mohan Roy in 1809.
4. The place where Arya Samaj was established.

Fill in the blanks :

5. The Sepoys of Vellore mutinied in the year \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The administration of India was taken over by the Crown in the year \_\_\_\_\_.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ was the biographer of A.O. Hume.
8. The Chief apostle of militant nationalism in Bengal was \_\_\_\_\_.

Match the following :

- | A                  | B                            |
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| 9. Anand Math      | : Kesab Chandra Sen.         |
| 10. Mirat-ul-Akbar | : Aurobindo Ghosh.           |
| 11. Yugantar       | : Raja Ram Mohan Roy.        |
| 12. Indian Mirror  | : Bankim Chandra Chatterjee. |

(12 × ½ = 6 marks)

**Turn over**

**Section B (Very Short Answers)**

*Write short notes on any five each from Part I and Part II.*

*Each question carries 2 marks.*

**PART I**

13. Battle of Plassey.
14. The Subsidiary Alliance.
15. Carnatic Wars.
16. Pazhassi Raja.
17. Queen's Proclamation.
18. Satyasodhak Samaj.

(5 × 2 = 10 marks)

**PART II**

19. The East India Association.
20. Safety-Valve theory.
21. Swadeshi and Boycott.
22. Partition of Bengal.
23. Communal Electorates.
24. The Lucknow Pact.

(5 × 2 = 10 marks)

**Section C (Short Essays)**

*Answer three each from part I and part II.*

*Each question carries 5 marks.*

**PART I**

25. Discuss the nature of British rule in India.
26. Examine the political causes for the Revolt of 1857.
27. Summarise the causes for Sanyasi Revolt.
28. Assess the works of Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar for the empowerment of women.

(3 × 5 = 15 marks)

## PART II

29. Discuss the circumstances that led to the formation of the Indian National Congress.
30. How do the Moderates differ from the Extremists ?
31. Examine the main provisions of the Minto Morley Reforms.
32. How do the Press acted as a potent force in the National Movement ?

(3 × 5 = 15 marks)

**Section D (Essays)**

*Answer one each from part I and part II.*

*Each question carries 12 marks.*

## PART I

33. Why is Raja Ram Mohan Roy called as the Father of Indian Renaissance ?
34. Summarise the nature and consequences of the Revolt of 1857.

(1 × 12 = 12 marks)

## PART II

35. Explain briefly the causes for the emergence of Indian Nationalism.
36. Illustrate the background of Home Rule Movement.

(1 × 12 = 12 marks)