



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – HISTORY

FOURTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2013

HT 4503/HT 4500 - EAST INDIA COMPANY AND ITS AFTERMATH

Date: 04/05/2013
Time: 1:00 - 4:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

PART – A

Answer any TEN of the following in not exceeding FIVE lines each:

(10 x 2 = 20 marks)

1. EAST INDIA COMPANY
2. BLACK HOLE TRAGEDY
3. ROBERT CLIVE
4. THE REGULATING ACT
5. BRAHMO SAMAJ
6. LORD WELLESLEY
7. SECOND ANGLO –SIKH WAR
8. FOURTH ANGLO – MARATHA WAR
9. BAHADUR SHAH II
10. GREASED CARTRIDGES
11. QUEEN VICTORIA'S PROCLAMATION
12. MADRAS MAHAJANA SABHA

PART – B

Write any FOUR not exceeding ONE page each:

(4 x 10 = 40 marks)

13. Sketch the importance of the battles of Plassey and Buxar.
14. Comment on impeachment of Warren Hastings.
15. Write a short note on the Demerits of Permanent settlement of Cornwallis.
16. Point out the impact of social and religious reforms of Bentinck.
17. Estimate the achievements of Hyder Ali.
18. Mention the results of the Great Revolt of 1857.

PART – C

Answer any TWO of the following in not exceeding FOUR pages each:

(2 x 20 = 40 marks)

19. Describe the causes, course and results of the three Carnatic wars fought between the English and French and point out the success of the English over the French.
20. Evaluate the imperialist policies of Lord Dalhousie.
21. Trace the various administrative reforms and changes initiated by Lord Ripon.
22. Examine the various causes for the out break of the Great Revolt of 1857.

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