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HISTORY

(Discipline Specific Elective)

(For Honours)

Paper : DSE-2

(History of Modern Assam : 1826-1947)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions : 1×8=8
- (a) To which State did U. Tirot Singh, a patriot, belong?
 - (b) Who succeeded David Scott as the Commissioner of Assam?
 - (c) In which year did Mahatma Gandhi first visit Assam?
 - (d) Name the person who wanted Maniram to reinstate as the Raja of Assam.

(2)

- (e) Who introduced the system of land revenue payable in cash in Assam?
- (f) What is the simple meaning of dyarchy?
- (g) When was the Assam Provincial Congress Committee formed?
- (h) What was the slogan of Mahatma Gandhi during the launch of the Quit India Movement?
2. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 4×3=12
- (a) Piyoli Phukan
- (b) The Singpho Rebellion
- (c) Ryot Sabhas in Assam
- (d) The Pandu Congress, 1926
- (e) The Sylhet Referendum
3. Who was Jenkins? Describe the administrative reforms adopted by him in Assam. 12

Or

Narrate the circumstances which led to the restoration of monarchy in Upper Assam. What were the causes of the fall of Purandar Singha? 8+4=12

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4. Write a brief history of the annexation of Cachar by the British. 12

Or

What was the nature and significance of the Revolt of 1857 in Assam? 6+6=12

5. Explain the contribution of the Rajmels towards the growth of political circumstances in Assam. 12

Or

What significant role was played by the Assam Association in the freedom movement? 12

6. What were the contributions of Assam towards Gandhiji's Non-Cooperation Movement? 12

Or

Give an account of the student movements in colonial Assam. 12

7. Give a brief description on the Quit India Movement in Assam. 12

Or

What were the proposals of the Cabinet Mission? How did the people of Assam react to the proposals? 6+6=12
