

Q.20) In the context of Indian History, which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. Ambedkar believed in separation of State and religion, whereas Gandhi always believed in harmony between politics and religion.
2. Gandhi believed that freedom needs to be wrested from the authority, whereas Ambedkar expected bestowing of freedom by the imperial rulers.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

Q.21) Which of the following leading newspapers were at forefront to expose real anthropogenic and administrative causes behind Bengal famines of 1943?

1. Amrit Bazar Patrika.
2. The Statesman.
3. Peoples war.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1 and 3 only.
- b) 1 and 2 only.
- c) 2 and 3 only
- d) All of the above.

Q.22) Consider the following statements regarding Famine Inquiry Commission, appointed by British Government to investigate causes of 1943 Bengal Famine:

1. It is also known as Woodhead Commission.
2. It did not have Indian representation.

3. It blamed British government and emphasized man-made factors of famine. Which of the above given statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 only.
- b) 1 and 2 only.
- c) 1 and 3 only.
- d) All of the above.

Q.23) Which among the following statements is *incorrect* regarding Desai-Liaquat Pact?

- a) It proposed formation of interim government at center.
- b) It was to end constitutional deadlock between Congress and League.
- c) It was fully backed by both Congress and League.
- d) It assumed a sort of parity between Congress and League.

Q.24) Consider the following statements regarding proposals made by Wavell Plan:

1. The plan proposed white majority in viceroy's executive council.
2. Hindus and Muslims to have equal representation.
3. Though INC welcomed the plan, but Muslim League opposed it. Which among the above statements is/are *incorrect*?

- a) 1 only.
- b) 2 only.
- c) 1 and 2 only.
- d) 1 and 3 only.