

63/1 (SEM-4) CC9/HISHC4096

2023

HISTORY

Paper : HISHC4096

[ History of Medieval Assam (1228-1826) ]

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

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for the questions*

1. Choose the correct answer (any six) :  $1 \times 6 = 6$

(a) Where was the first capital of the Ahoms located?

(i) Bokota

(ii) Garhgaon

(iii) Charaideo

(iv) Charagua

(b) Who is the author of *Hastividyamava*?

(i) Sukumar Barkaith

(ii) Sankardev

(iii) Madhavdev

(iv) Hema Saraswati

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(c) Which Ahom ruler did first introduce the ceremony of mounting on Singarighar?

- (i) Rudra Singha
- (ii) Sukapha
- (iii) Sudangpha
- (iv) Pratap Singha

(d) Who was the founder of the Koch kingdom?

- (i) Chilarai
- (ii) Biswa Singha
- (iii) Naranarayan
- (iv) Parikshit Narayan

(e) Name the Ahom king who created the post of Borpatra Gohain.

- (i) Pratap Singha
- (ii) Suhungmung
- (iii) Sukapha
- (iv) Sudangpha

(f) Who was the author of the book, *Tungkhungia Buranji*?

- (i) Srinath Duara Barbarua
- (ii) Surya Kumar Bhuyan
- (iii) Kashinath Tamuli Phukan
- (iv) Visheswar Vaidyadhira

(g) Name the Ahom king during whose reign the 'Rang Ghar' was built.

- (i) Rudra Singha
- (ii) Pramatta Singha
- (iii) Siva Singha
- (iv) Rajeswar Singha

(h) When was the Battle of Ghilajharighat fought?

- (i) 1663 AD
- (ii) 1661 AD
- (iii) 1671 AD
- (iv) 1662 AD



(i) When was the Battle of Saraighat fought?

(i) 1639 AD

(ii) 1671 AD

(iii) 1682 AD

(iv) 1627 AD

(j) During whose reign was the Kamakhya Temple erected?

(i) Naranarayan

(ii) Chilarai

(iii) Gadadhar Singha

(iv) Siva Singha

2. Answer any five of the following questions :  
2×5=10

(a) Name the Ahom ruler who was known as 'Dihingia Raja'. Why did he assume the title 'Swarganarayana'?

(b) Write the names of two offices which were created by Pratap Singha.

(c) Why did the Kacharis abandon Dimapur?

(d) Mention two archaeological sources for the study of medieval Assam history.

(e) Who is regarded as the greatest king of the Ahom rulers and why?

(f) Who were the Koches?

(g) What was the land revenue system of the Ahoms?

3. Write on/Answer any six of the following :

5×6=30

(a) Ahom-Kachari relation during the reign of Suhungmung

(b) Posa system during the Ahom rulers

(c) Write on Momai Tamuli Barbarua's contributions.

(d) Paik system and Got

(e) What were the significances of the Battle of Saraighat?

(f) Purnananda Burhagohain

(g) What were the responsible factors of the Neo-Vaishnavite Movement in Assam?



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- (h) Mention the terms and conditions of the Treaty of Yandaboo (1826 AD).
- (i) What were the causes of the Ahom-Koch conflict?
- (j) Write a note on the account of Captain Welsh on Assam.

4. Answer any *two* of the following questions :  
10×2=20

- (a) Analyze the role of Sukapha as the founder of the Ahom kingdom in Assam.
- (b) Assess the reign of Pratap Singha with special reference to Paik and Posa systems.
- (c) Determine the role of Srimanta Sankardev in transforming the society of medieval Assam.
- (d) Discuss the causes and consequences of the Ahom-Mughal conflicts.

5. Answer any *one* of the following questions : 14

- (a) To what extent was the Moamoria Rebellion responsible for the weakening of the Ahom kingdom?

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- (b) Critically assess the reign of Rudra Singha.
- (c) Discuss about the tribal religious conditions of Assam during the period of your study.

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HISTORY

Paper : HISHC4086

[ History of India (AD 1526-1757) ]

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

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for the questions*

1. Choose the correct answer (any six) : 1×6=6

(a) Who abolished Jizya tax?

(i) Shah Jahan

(ii) Jahangir

(iii) Akbar

(iv) Aurangzeb

(b) What is Diwan-i-Khas?

(i) Toilet

(ii) Annual tax

(iii) Hall of private audience

(iv) Prayer hall



- (c) Who introduced Din-i-Ilahi?
- (i) Akbar
  - (ii) Ibn Batuta
  - (iii) Hamit Ansari
  - (iv) Abul Fazl
- (d) Which Mughal Emperor constructed Peacock Throne?
- (i) Babur
  - (ii) Shah Jahan
  - (iii) Akbar
  - (iv) Aurangzeb
- (e) When was the Third Battle of Panipat fought?
- (i) 1526
  - (ii) 1527
  - (iii) 1761
  - (iv) 1675

- (f) Who was the author of *Badshahnama*?
- (i) Abul Fazl
  - (ii) Akbar
  - (iii) Abdul Hamid Lahori
  - (iv) Khafi Khan
- (g) Who was the last Peshwa of the Maratha?
- (i) Shivaji Bhonsle
  - (ii) Baji Rao I
  - (iii) Chhatrapati Shivaji
  - (iv) Baji Rao II
- (h) Who built the Jama Masjid in Delhi?
- (i) Humayun
  - (ii) Jahangir
  - (iii) Akbar
  - (iv) Shah Jahan



(i) What is Sardeshmukhi?

(i) Revenue tax

(ii) Income tax

(iii) Annual tax

(iv) Religion tax

(j) Who is the head of the Sarkar?

(i) Shikdar

(ii) Patwari

(iii) Muqaddam

(iv) Faujdar

2. Answer the following questions (any five) :

2×5=10

(a) Between whom and in which year was the First Battle of Panipat fought?

(b) What are 'Rahdari' and 'Pandari'?

(c) What was Ibadat Khana?

(d) In which year and by whom was pilgrimage tax abolished?

(e) What is Chauth?

(f) What was the Ashta Pradhan?

(g) What is Mansabdari system?

3. Answer the following questions (any six) :

5×6=30

(a) Review Bernier's account as a source in reconstructing the history of Mughal period.

(b) Write a brief note on Jagirdari system.

(c) Write a brief note on Second Battle of Panipat.

(d) Discuss the causes of the downfall of the Mughal Empire.

(e) Write a note on the Rajput policy of Akbar.

(f) Shah Jahan was called as 'Engineer King' of the Mughal rule in India. Discuss.



- (g) Critically examine the land revenue system of the Mughals.
- (h) Discuss the social condition of the people of India under the Mughals.
- (i) What is Din-i-Ilahi? Write a brief note on it.
- (j) Discuss the condition of trade in India under the Mughal rule.

4. Answer the following questions (any two) :

10×2=20

- (a) Write a note on religious policy of Akbar.
- (b) How far was Aurangzeb responsible for the downfall of the Mughal Empire?
- (c) Give a critical estimate of Jahangir as a ruler.
- (d) Write a brief note on the Deccan policy of Aurangzeb.

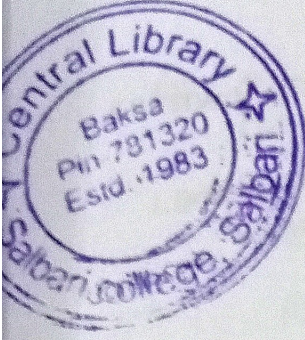
5. Answer any one of the following questions : 14

- (a) Why is Shah Jahan's period considered to be the 'Golden Age' of the Mughal rule in India? Evaluate.
- (b) Give an account of the rise of the Maratha power under Shivaji.
- (c) Discuss briefly the administrative system of Akbar.

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HISTORY

Paper : HISRG6026

[ History of India (1206-1757 AD) ]

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

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for the questions*

1. Choose the correct answer (any six) : 1×6=6

শুদ্ধ উত্তৰটো বাছি উলিওৱা (যি কোনো ছয়টা) :

(a) Name the author of *Tabaqat-i-Nasiri*

‘তবাকাত-ই-নাছিৰি’ৰ লিখকজনৰ নাম লিখা।

(i) Amir Khusrau

আমিৰ খুশ্ৰু

(ii) Minhaj-us-Siraj

মিনহাজ-উছ-ছিৰাজ

(iii) Alberuni

আলবেৰুণি

(iv) Shams-i-Siraj Afif

শামছ-ই-ছিৰাজ আফিফ

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(b) Name the Sultan who was known as Lakh Baksh.

লাখ বক্স হিচাপে জনাজাত তুলাতানজনৰ নাম লিখা।

(i) Qutb-ud-din Aibak

কুতুবুদ্দিন আইবাক

(ii) Iltutmish

ইলতুতমিছ

(iii) Ghiyas-ud-din Balban

গিয়াছুদ্দিন বলবন

(iv) Nasiruddin

নাছিকুদ্দিন

(c) Which Battle led to the establishment of Mughal rule in India?

কোনখন যুদ্ধৰ বাবে ভাৰতত মোগল শাসন প্রতিষ্ঠা হৈছিল ?

(i) First Battle of Tarain

তৰাইনৰ প্ৰথম যুদ্ধ

(ii) First Battle of Panipat

পানিপথৰ প্ৰথম যুদ্ধ

(iii) Second Battle of Panipat

পানিপথৰ দ্বিতীয় যুদ্ধ

(iv) Third Battle of Panipat

পানিপথৰ তৃতীয় যুদ্ধ

(d) Name the Sultan during whose reign Genghis Khan came to India.

কোনজন তুলাতানৰ শাসনকালত চেংগিছ খান ভাৰতলৈ আহিছিল তাৰ নাম লিখা।

(i) Qutb-ud-din Aibak

কুতুবুদ্দিন আইবাক

(ii) Nasiruddin

নাছিকুদ্দিন

(iii) Iltutmish

ইলতুতমিছ

(iv) Ghiyas-ud-din Balban

গিয়াছুদ্দিন বলবন

(e) Who was the founder of the Bahmani Kingdom?

বাহমনি ৰাজ্যৰ প্ৰতিষ্ঠাতা কোন আছিল ?

(i) Hasan Ala-ud-Din Bahman Shah

হাছান আলাউদ্দিন বাহমনি শাহ

(ii) Ahmad Shah

আহমদ শাহ

(iii) Mahmud Gawan

মাহমুদ গাৱান

(iv) Bahadur Shah

বাহাদুৰ শাহ



(f) Mention one dynasty who ruled over Vijayanagar.

বিজয়নগরের ওপরত রাজত্ব কৰা এটা ৰাজবংশৰ নাম উল্লেখ কৰা।

(i) Chalukya  
চালুক্য

(ii) Chola  
চোল

(iii) Sangam  
সংগম

(iv) Pratihara  
প্ৰতিহাৰ

(g) Chauth was a tax collected by চৌথ কৰ সংগ্ৰহ কৰিছিল

(i) the Marathas  
মাৰাঠাসকলে

(ii) the Mughals  
মোগলসকলে

(iii) the Cholas  
চোলসকলে

(iv) the Pallavas  
পল্লৱসকলে

(h) Who built the Alai Darwaza?  
আলাই দৰৱাজা কোনে নিৰ্মাণ কৰিছিল?

(i) Qutb-ud-din  
কুতুবুদ্দিন

(ii) Alauddin  
আলাউদ্দিন

(iii) Shah Jahan  
শাহজাহান

(iv) Akbar  
আকবৰ

(i) Who wrote the *Badshahnama*?  
'বাদশাহনামা' কোনে লিখিছিল?

(i) Abdul Hamid Lahori  
আব্দুল হামিদ লাহেবী

(ii) Abul Fazl  
আবুল ফজল

(iii) Ziauddin Barani  
জিয়াউদ্দিন বাৰাণি

(iv) Babur  
বাবৰ



(j) Who was the last Mughal Emperor?  
শেষ মোগল সম্ৰাট কোন আছিল?

(i) Rafi ud-Darajat  
ৰফি উদ-দাৰাজাত

(ii) Mohammad Shah  
মোহাম্মদ শাহ

(iii) Farrukhsiyar  
ফাৰুকছিয়াৰ

(iv) Bahadur Shah Zafar  
বাহাদুৰ শাহ জাফৰ

2. Answer the following questions in brief (any five) :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

তলৰ প্ৰশ্নসমূহৰ চমু উত্তৰ দিয়া (যি কোনো পাঁচটা) :

(a) When and between whom was the Battle of Khanwa fought?

কেতিয়া আৰু কাৰ কাৰ মাজত খানুৱাৰ যুদ্ধ সংঘটিত হৈছিল?

(b) What was Jizya? Name the emperor who abolished it.

জিজিয়া মানে কি? জিজিয়া উঠাই দিয়া সম্ৰাটজনৰ নাম লিখা।

(c) What were the four classes of land during the Mughal rule?

মোগল শাসনকালত থকা ভূমিৰ চাৰিটা প্ৰকাৰ কি কি আছিল?

(d) Write any two causes for the success of the Turk in India.

ভাৰতত তুৰ্কীসকলৰ সফলতাৰ যি কোনো দুটা কাৰণ লিখা।

(e) When and between whom was the Battle of Talikota fought?

কেতিয়া আৰু কাৰ কাৰ মাজত টালিকোটাৰ যুদ্ধ সংঘটিত হৈছিল?

(f) Who constructed 'Ibadat Khana' and for what purpose?

কোনে আৰু কি উদ্দেশ্যত 'ইবাদত খানা' নিৰ্মাণ কৰিছিল?

(g) Who was Nur Jahan? What was her original name?

নুৰজাহান কোন আছিল? তেখেতৰ আচল নাম কি আছিল?

3. Answer the following questions (any six) :

$5 \times 6 = 30$

তলৰ প্ৰশ্নসমূহৰ উত্তৰ দিয়া (যি কোনো ছয়টা) :

(a) Make an estimate of Qutb-ud-din Aibak.

কুতুবুদ্দিন আইবাকৰ এটি মূল্যায়ন কৰা।

(b) Do you think Iltutmish was the real founder of Delhi Sultanate? Give your argument.

দিল্লীত চুলতানী শাসনৰ প্ৰকৃত প্ৰতিষ্ঠাতা ইলতুতমিছ আছিল বুলি তুমি ভাবানে? তোমাৰ যুক্তি প্ৰদৰ্শন কৰা।



- (c) What do you know about Mansabdari system?  
মনসবদারী প্ৰথা সম্পৰ্কে তুমি কি জানা?
- (d) Make an estimate of Krishnadeva Raya of Vijayanagar.  
বিজয়নগৰৰ বজা কৃষ্ণদেৱ ৰায়ৰ এটি মূল্যায়ন কৰা।
- (e) Discuss about the various schemes of Muhammad bin-Tughluq.  
মোহাম্মদ বিন-টোগলকৰ বিভিন্ন আঁচনি সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰা।
- (f) Write a short note on Raziya Sultana.  
ৰেজিয়া চুলতানাৰ ওপৰত এটি চমু টোকা লিখা।
- (g) Make an estimate of the achievement of Jahangir.  
জাহাঙ্গীৰৰ কাৰ্যাৱলীৰ এটি মূল্যায়ন কৰা।
- (h) Discuss about the 'Blood and Iron' policy of Ghiyas-ud-din Balban.  
গিয়াছুদ্দিন বলবনৰ 'Blood and Iron' নীতি সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰা।
- (i) Give a description of the position of women under the Mughal rule.  
মোগল শাসনকালত মহিলাসকলৰ অৱস্থা সম্পৰ্কে এটি বৰ্ণনা দিয়া।
- (j) Examine the causes for the disintegration of the Bahmani Kingdom.  
বাহমনি ৰাজ্যৰ ভাঙেৰ কাৰণসমূহ পৰীক্ষণ কৰা।

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4. Answer the following questions (any two) :  
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তলৰ প্ৰশ্নসমূহৰ উত্তৰ দিয়া (যি কোনো দুটা) :

- (a) Discuss about the administrative system of Alauddin Khalji with special mentioning of his market control policy.  
বজাৰ নিয়ন্ত্ৰণ নীতিৰ বিশেষ উল্লেখ কৰি আলাউদ্দিন খিলজিৰ শাসনব্যৱস্থাৰ বিষয়ে আলোচনা কৰা।
- (b) Review the administrative reforms of Sher Shah.  
ছেৰ ছাহৰ শাসন সংস্কাৰসমূহ পৰ্যালোচনা কৰা।
- (c) Discuss about the Rajput policy of Akbar.  
আকবৰৰ ৰাজপুত নীতি সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰা।
- (d) Give an account of the rise of Maratha power under Shivaji.  
শিৱাজীৰ অধীনত মাৰাঠা শক্তিৰ উত্থান সম্পৰ্কে এটি বৰ্ণনা দিয়া।

5. Answer any one the following questions : 14

তলৰ প্ৰশ্নসমূহৰ যি কোনো এটাৰ উত্তৰ দিয়া :

- (a) Discuss about the various sources of Medieval Indian history.  
মধ্যযুগীয় ভাৰতৰ ইতিহাসৰ বিভিন্ন উৎসসমূহৰ বিষয়ে আলোচনা কৰা।

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(b) Why is the reign of Shah Jahan called the Golden Age of Medieval India? Discuss.

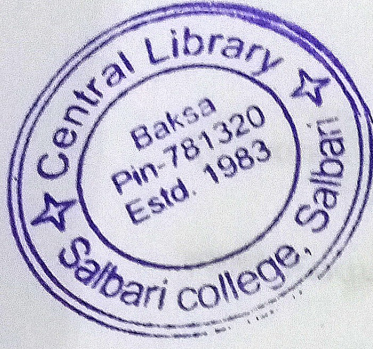
ছাহজাহানৰ ৰাজত্বকালক কিয় মধ্যযুগীয় ভাৰতৰ সোণালী যুগ বুলি কোৱা হয়? আলোচনা কৰা।

(c) Discuss about the religious policy of Aurangzeb. How far was he responsible for the decline of the Mughal? 7+7=

ঔৰংজেবৰ ধৰ্মীয় নীতি সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰা। মোগল সাম্ৰাজ্য পতনৰ বাবে তেওঁ কিমানদূৰ দায়ী আছিল?

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63/1 (SEM-4) HIS HG 4046/  
HIS RC 4046 (GE 4/DSC 1D)

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HISTORY

Paper : GE-4/DSC-1D

( Society and Economy of Assam )

Full Marks : 80

Time : 3 hours

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for the questions*

1. Choose the correct answer : 1×6=6

শুদ্ধ উত্তৰটো বাছি উলিওৱা :

(a) Name the king of Kamarupa mentioned  
in the Pashupati Inscription of Nepal.

নেপালৰ পশুপতি লিপিত উল্লেখ থকা কামৰূপৰ  
ৰজাজনৰ নাম লিখা।

(i) Surendravarman

সুৰেন্দ্ৰবৰ্মন

(ii) Sri Harsha

শ্ৰীহৰ্ষ

(iii) Bhaskaravarman

ভাস্কৰবৰ্মন

(iv) Ratna Pala

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(b) Who is the author of *The Early History of Kamarupa*?

*The Early History of Kamarupa* ৰ লিখক কোন ?

(i) Edward A. Gait

এডৱাৰ্ড এ. গেইট

(ii) Birinchi Kumar Barua

বিরিঞ্চি কুমাৰ বৰুৱা

(iii) Kanaklal Barua

কনকলাল বৰুৱা

(iv) Banikanta Kakati

বাণীকান্ত কাকতি

(c) In which year was Srimanta Sankardev born?

শ্ৰীমন্ত শঙ্কৰদেৱৰ জন্ম কোন চনত হৈছিল ?

(i) 1228 AD

১২২৮ খ্ৰীঃ

(ii) 1449 AD

১৪৪৯ খ্ৰীঃ

(iii) 1609 AD

১৬০৯ খ্ৰীঃ

(iv) 1655 AD

১৬৫৫ খ্ৰীঃ

(d) Who was the author of *Rukmini Haran*?

'ৰুক্মিণীহৰণ' কাব্যখনৰ ৰচক কোন আছিল ?

(i) Madhavdev

মাধৱদেৱ

(ii) Damodardev

দামোদৰদেৱ

(iii) Sankardev

শঙ্কৰদেৱ

(iv) Gopaldev

গোপালদেৱ

(e) In which year did Robert Bruce discover tea in Assam?

ৰবাৰ্ট ব্ৰুচে কোন চনত অসমত চাহ আৱিষ্কাৰ কৰিছিল ?

(i) 1822 AD

১৮২২ খ্ৰীঃ

(ii) 1823 AD

১৮২৩ খ্ৰীঃ

(iii) 1826 AD

১৮২৬ খ্ৰীঃ

(iv) 1830 AD

১৮৩০ খ্ৰীঃ



(f) Who was the first President of the 'Asom Chatra Sanmilan'?

'অসম ছাত্ৰ সন্মিলন'ৰ প্ৰথম সভাপতি কোন আছিল?

(i) Raja Prabhat Chandra Barua  
ৰাজা প্ৰভাতচন্দ্ৰ বৰুৱা

(ii) Rai Bahadur Jagannath Barua  
ৰায়বাহাদুৰ জগন্নাথ বৰুৱা

(iii) Manik Chandra Barua  
মাণিকচন্দ্ৰ বৰুৱা

(iv) Laxminath Bezbarua  
লক্ষ্মীনাথ বেজবৰুৱা

2. Answer the following questions :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

তলৰ প্ৰশ্নসমূহৰ উত্তৰ দিয়া :

(a) Write the name of two books written by Sri Sri Madhavdev.

শ্ৰী শ্ৰী মাধৱদেৱৰ ৰচিত দুখন গ্ৰন্থৰ নাম লিখা।

(b) Mention two differences between Kanri Paik and Chamua Paik.

কাংৱী পাইক আৰু চমুৱা পাইকৰ মাজত থকা দুটা পাৰ্থক্যৰ বিষয়ে উল্লেখ কৰা।

(c) Write the name of two hill tribes that enjoyed the benefits of 'Posa' system.

'পচা' প্ৰথাৰ সুবিধা উপভোগ কৰা দুটা পৰ্বতীয়া জনজাতিৰ নাম লিখা।

(d) In which year was rail line introduced in Assam and between which two places?

কোন চনত অসমত প্ৰথম ৰে'ল লাইন বহুৱা হৈছিল আৰু কোন দুখন ঠাইৰ মাজত ৰেল চলোৱা হৈছিল?

(e) Who were the editors of *Assam News* (1882) and *Jonaki* (1889)?

'আসাম নিউজ' (১৮৮২) আৰু 'জোনাকী' (১৮৮৯)ৰ সম্পাদক দুজন কোন আছিল?

3. Answer any six of the following questions :

তলৰ যি কোনো ছয়টা প্ৰশ্নৰ উত্তৰ দিয়া :  $5 \times 6 = 30$

(a) Write a short note on 'Satgharia Ahoms' (seven principal clans of Ahoms).

'সাতঘৰীয়া আহোম'ৰ বিষয়ে এটি চমু টোকা লিখা।

(b) Write a short note on the slavery system during the Ahom rule.

আহোম ৰাজত্বকালৰ দাসপ্ৰথাৰ বিষয়ে এটি চমু টোকা লিখা।



(c) Discuss about 'Lakhiraj' and 'Nisf-khiraj' land in Assam.

অসমত প্ৰচলিত 'লাখেৰাজ' আৰু 'নিজফি-খেৰাজ' ভূমিৰ বিষয়ে আলোচনা কৰা।

(d) Write a short note on the position of women during the Ahom rule.

আহোমৰ শাসনৰ সময়ছোৱাত মহিলাৰ স্থান সম্পৰ্কে এটি চমু টোকা লিখা।

(e) Write a short note on the contributions of Christian Missionaries towards Assamese language.

অসমীয়া ভাষালৈ খ্ৰীষ্টিয়ান মিছনাৰীসকলৰ অৱদানৰ বিষয়ে এটি চমু টোকা লিখা।

(f) Make a brief assessment on the literary development in Assam during 19th century.

১৯ শতিকাত অসমত হোৱা সাহিত্য জাগৰণৰ ওপৰত এটি চমু সমীক্ষা আগবঢ়োৱা।

(g) Write a short note on the birth of the 'Asam Sahitya Sabha'.

'অসম সাহিত্যসভা' প্ৰতিষ্ঠাৰ ওপৰত এটি চমু টোকা লিখা।

(h) Discuss on the timber trade in Assam under the colonial rule.

ঔপনিবেশিক শাসনৰ অধীনত অসমত কাঠৰ ব্যৱসায় সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰা।

(i) Write a short note on the railway communication in Assam.

অসমত ৰে'ল পৰিবহণৰ ওপৰত এটি চমু টোকা লিখা।

4. Answer any two of the following questions :

10×2=20

তলৰ যি কোনো দুটা প্ৰশ্নৰ উত্তৰ দিয়া :

(a) Write an essay on the religious beliefs and practices of ancient Assam.

প্ৰাচীন অসমৰ ধৰ্মীয় বিশ্বাস আৰু উপাসনাৰ বিষয়ে এখন ৰচনা লিখা।

(b) Briefly discuss the contributions of Srimanta Sankardev towards the Assamese literature and society.

অসমীয়া সমাজ আৰু সাহিত্য জগতলৈ শ্ৰীমন্ত শঙ্কৰদেৱৰ অৱদানৰ বিষয়ে চমুকৈ আলোচনা কৰা।

(c) Discuss the growth and development of tea industry in Assam under the colonial rule.

ঔপনিবেশিক শাসনৰ সময়ছোৱাত অসমত চাহ উদ্যোগৰ বিকাশ আৰু উন্নয়নৰ বিষয়ে আলোচনা কৰা।



5. Answer any one of the following questions : 14

তলৰ যি কোনো এটা প্ৰশ্নৰ উত্তৰ দিয়া :

(a) Analyze the land revenue reforms carried out by the colonial authority during the initial period of their rule in Assam.

অসমত ঔপনিবেশিক শাসনৰ আৰম্ভণীৰ কালছোৱাত ব্ৰিটিছসকলে যি ভূমি ৰাজহ সংস্কাৰ সাধন কৰিছিল তাৰ এটি বিশ্লেষণ আগবঢ়োৱা।

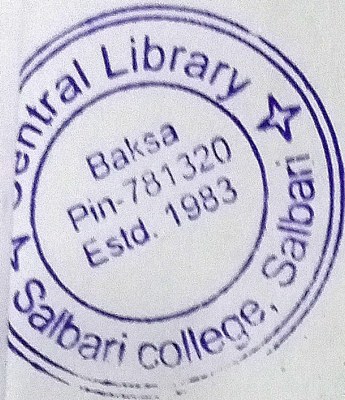
(b) Discuss how the introduction of modern education brought transformation in Assamese society.

আধুনিক শিক্ষাৰ বিকাশে কেনেদৰে অসমৰ সমাজলৈ পৰিৱৰ্তন কঢ়িয়াই আনিছিল, আলোচনা কৰা।

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**HISTORY**

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Full Marks : 80

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

1. Choose the correct option from the following :  
**(any six)** 1×6=6

(a) Name the author of the book, *What is History*.

(i) Lord Acton

(ii) E. H. Carr

(iii) Allen Nevins

(iv) Henry Ford

Contd.



(b) Who among the following was not a Marxist historian ?

- (i) Bipan Chandra
- (ii) R. C. Mazumder
- (iii) Romila Thapar
- (iv) D. D. Kosambi

(c) Name the historian who is known as the 'Father of History'.

- (i) Thucydides
- (ii) Hegel
- (iii) Herodotus
- (iv) A. L. Lowse

(d) Who defined history as 'The unfolding Story of human freedom' ?

- (i) Lord Acton
- (ii) Voltaire
- (iii) R. W. Emerson
- (iv) Francis Bacon

(e) Who was the author of *Rajtarangini* ?

- (i) Bilhana
- (ii) Kalhana
- (iii) Hemchandra
- (iv) Padmagupta

(f) Which country was the pioneer in defining History ?

- (i) Persian
- (ii) Roman
- (iii) Indian
- (iv) Greek

(g) Who was the author of *Tabaqat-i-Nasiri* ?

- (i) Amir Khusrau
- (ii) Zia Barani
- (iii) Minhaj-i-Siraj
- (iv) Firdausi

(h) When did the school of subaltern studies emerge in India ?

- (i) 1970
- (ii) 1980
- (iii) 1990
- (iv) 1981



(i) Adam Smith's *Wealth of Nation* belongs to which category of history ?

- (i) Social History
- (ii) Intellectual History
- (iii) Economic History
- (iv) Political History

(j) "History is a discipline which makes man wise." Who said this ?

- (i) Aristotle
- (ii) Thomas Carlyle
- (iii) Francis Bacon
- (iv) Sir John Seeley

2. Answer the following questions : **(any five)**  
2×5=10

- (a) Write in brief about Social History.
- (b) Write the names of *two* autobiographies of Mughal Period.
- (c) What are Primary Sources ?
- (d) What is the meaning of Imperialist Historiography ?
- (e) Mention *two* contributions of Thucydides in history writing.

(f) Mention *two* problems of early Indian historiography.

(g) What are the *two* types of literary Sources ?

3. Answer the following questions : **(any six)**  
5×6=30

- (a) Write a note on Economic History.
- (b) "History means interpretation." Explain the Statement.
- (c) What were the chief features of the Graeco-Roman historiography ? Discuss.
- (d) Write a brief note on objectivity in history.
- (e) Discuss the interrelation between Geography and History.
- (f) Bring out the Salient feature of medieval Indian historiography.
- (g) Discuss the importance of Puranas as a source of Ancient Indian history.
- (h) What are the three dimensions of history ? How can we understand it Properly ?



- (i) Write a note on the political history.  
(j) Write a short note on Damodor Dharmananda Kosambi.

4. Answer of the following questions : **(any two)**  
10×2=20

- (a) Trace the development of historiography in Assam.  
(b) Bring out the salient features of Indian Nationalistic historiography.  
(c) Examine the meaning and nature of history.  
(d) Examine the role of archeology in reconstruction of Ancient Indian history.

5. Answer the following questions : **(any one)**  
14×1=14

- (a) Examine the main features of Medieval Indian historiography.  
(b) What do you understand by the term 'Subaltern Historiography'? Examine different Phases of its development in India.

- (c) "China has been Called the Paradise of historians." Explain the statement with reference to the Chinese historiography.