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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCE



Subject: History	Topic: When People Rebel 1857 & After	Date of Worksheet: 21/08/2019
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I. Multiple Choice Questions- Tick the correct answer.

1. This Mughal Emperor had neither territory nor power.
 - a) Shah Alam II
 - b) Bhadur Shah
 - c) Jahandar Shah
 - d) Bahadur Shah Zafar

2. The British Attitude of _____ led to resentment among people.
 - a) Racial superiority
 - b) Never say die
 - c) Do or die
 - d) Financial superiority

3. The new rifle that was introduced in the British army was the _____.
 - a) Brown Bess rifle
 - b) AK-47 rifle
 - c) Enfield-Pritchett rifle
 - d) Baker rifle

4. The last Mughal Emperor was deported to _____.
 - a) Rangoon
 - b) Timbaktu
 - c) London
 - d) Paris

5. The Revolt of 1857 started from _____.
 - a) Mathura
 - b) Meerut
 - c) Jhansi
 - d) Awadh



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6. Which of the following is one of the social reasons for 1857 revolt?
- a) The English could not establish any social relationship with the Indians.
 - b) The racial arrogance of the British created a difference between the rulers and the ruled.
 - c) Both A & B
 - d) The company's trade policy destroyed Indian handicrafts.
7. What was the role of Tatia Tope in 1857 mutiny?
- a) He was commander-in-chief of the army of Nana Saheb
 - b) He organized Bhils of Panchamaharaj region against the British
 - c) Both a and b
 - d) Neither a nor b
8. Who was the governor-general during the Revolt of 1857?
- a) Lord Canning
 - b) Lord Irwin
 - c) Lord Lytton
 - d) Lord Willington
9. Who was the prominent leader in Lucknow during the Revolt of 1857?
- a) Begum Hazrat Mahal
 - b) Rani Laxmi Bai
 - c) Kuwar Singh
 - d) Bahadur Shah Zafar
10. Consider the following statements related to the cause of 1857 revolt and select the right one.
- a) It was a great disparity in salaries between the Indian and European soldiers.
 - b) The Indian sepoys were treated with contempt by their European officers.
 - c) The sepoys were sent to distant parts of the empire, but were not paid any extra allowance.
 - d) All the above

II. Match the following.



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Column A	Column B	
a) MangalPandey	i) Bareilly	
b) Nana Saheb	ii) Bihar	
c) Begum HazratMahal	iii) Delhi	
d) Rani LaxmiBai	iv) Awadh	
e) Kunwar Singh	v) Barrackpore	
f) Bakht Khan	vi) Kanpur	
g) Bahadur Shah Zafar	vii) Jhansi	

III. Fill in the blanks

1. A massive rebellion that started in _____, threatened the company's very presence in India.
2. _____ had been stationed in many courts of rajas and nawabs.
3. The armed forces of the _____ and _____ were disbanded.
4. _____ was one of the last territories to be annexed by the British.
5. The name of the _____ was removed from the coins minted by the company.
6. Awadh was taken over by the British in the year _____.
7. The _____ were unhappy about their pay, allowances and conditions of service.
8. The book 'Majha Pravaas' was written by _____.
9. 'Sepoy to Subedar' is an autobiography written by _____.
10. _____, a soldier from Bareilly was a key military leader of the rebellion.

IV. State whether true or false:

1. Many peasant families tried to negotiate with the company to protect their interest. ()
2. Peshwa Baji Rao II was the adopted son of Nana Saheb ()
3. In 1801, a subsidiary alliance was imposed on Bengal ()
4. After the death of Bahadur Shah Zafar his son was recognized as king ()
5. Many people in India believed that if they cross the sea they would lose their religion and caste ()
6. In 1850 a new law was passed to make the conversion to Christianity easier. ()
7. The Nawab Wajid Ali Shah's decision to bless the rebellion changed the entire situation. ()
8. Ahmadullah Shah prophesied that the rule of the British would come to an end soon. ()

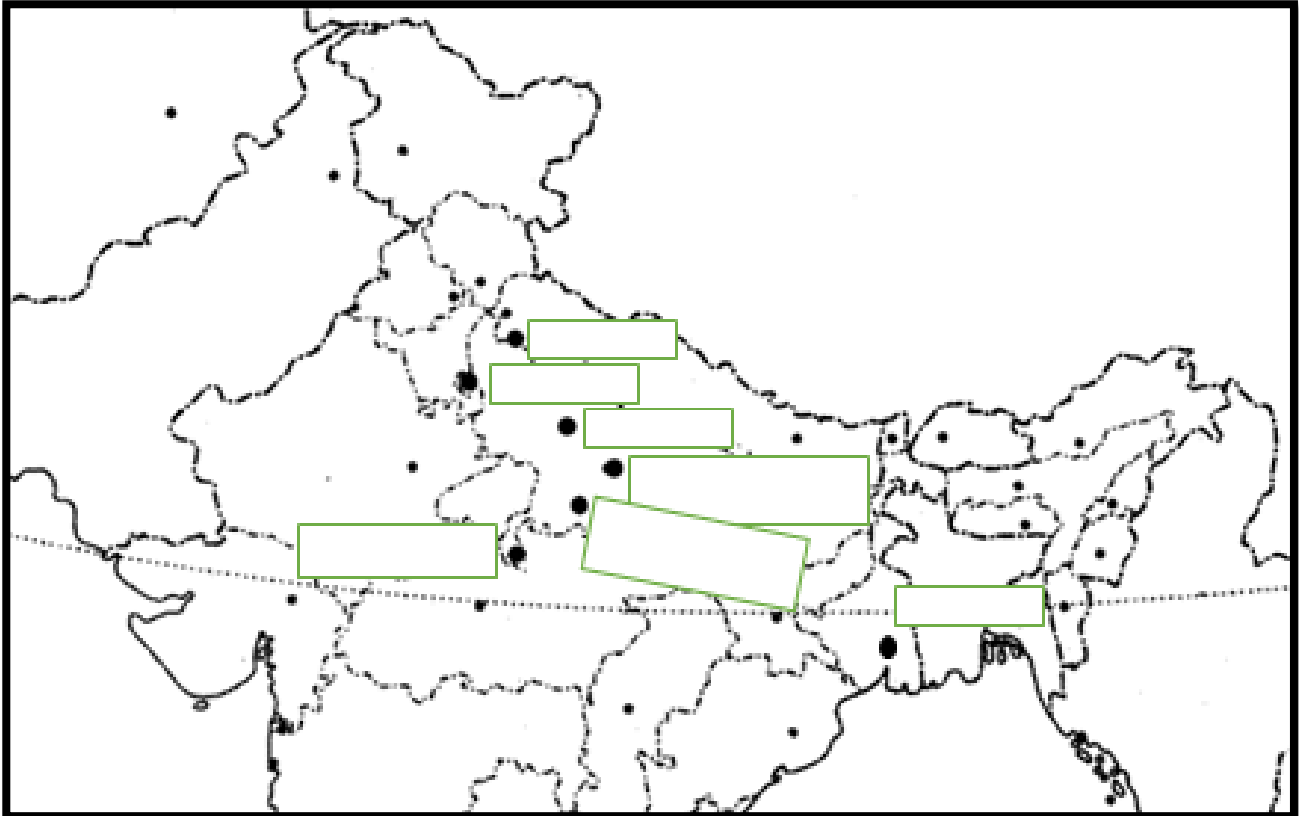


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V. On the outline map of India, mark the following important centers of Revolt.

Delhi, Barrackpore, Lucknow, Kanpur, Jhansi, Meerut, Bareilly,





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