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Class -8th

Subject -S. St(History)

M. M-20

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Chapter -Ruling the Countryside

Chapter In a Nutshell

***The East India Company got Diwani rights of Bengal in 1765A. D.**

***In1793 A. D. Permanent settlement of land in Bengal was introduced by Lord Cornwallis.**

***One another system of land was introduced which was known as Munro system or Ryotwari system.**

***As no system was without demerits and all of these systems were made to increase revenue of the Company .**

***Company encouraged the cultivation of indigo, jute, tea, sugarcane, wheat, cotton and rice.**

***There were two main systems of indigo cultivation and these were Nij and Ryoti. But both of these systems were in favour of Britishers as compared to the cultivators.**

***The condition of indigo cultivators became pitiable. That's why Blue rebellion occurred in those areas where cultivation of indigo took place.**

***The British government appointed a commission to check the cause of revolt. Even Mahatma Gandhi helped indigo planters of Champaran in 1917 A. D.**

Q1. Multiple Choice Questions (6 marks)

- 1. The East India Company was appointed as the Diwan of Bengal in**
 - (I) 1760**
 - (II) 1762**
 - (III) 1764**
 - (IV) 1765**
- 2. The Permanent Settlement was introduced at the time of**
 - (I) Lord Cornwallis**
 - (II) Thomas Munro**
 - (III) Lord Dalhousie**
 - (IV) Warren Hastings**
- 3. The international demand of indigo was affected by the discovery of**
 - (I) Synthetic dyes**
 - (II) Woad**
 - (III) Blue colour**
 - (IV) None of these**
- 4. When did the Mahalwari system come into existence?**
 - (I) 1822**
 - (II) 1823**
 - (III) 1824**
 - (IV) 1825**
- 5. Which of these crops were encouraged by the British?**
 - (I) Tea**

- (II) Indigo
- (III) Sugarcane
- (IV) All of these

6. The Champaran Movement was against _____

- (I) The Britishers
- (II) Landlords
- (III) The Indigo planters
- (IV) Revenue Officials

Q2. Match the following (4marks)

Ryot.	Village
Mahal.	Peasant
Nij.	Cultivation on ryot's lands
Ryoti.	Cultivation on planter's own land

Q3. Answer the following questions :(2marks each)

- (I) When and who appointed the company as the Diwan of Bengal?
- (II) What did the Permanent Settlement actually mean?
- (III) From where was indigo produced?
- (IV) Why was blue rebellion occurred?
- (V) Name the crops which were encouraged by the British?

