

**B.A. (Honours) Semester-II Examination, 2015**

**HISTORY (Honours)**

**Course : H-4**

**Early Modern India (1707-1857)**

**Time : Three Hours**

**Full Marks : 40**

Questions are of equal value.

Answer **any three** questions.

1. Explain the circumstances in which the Permanent and Ryotwari Settlements were framed.
  2. Critically discuss the Historiography of the 'Bengal Renaissance'.
  3. How have the subaltern schools dealt with peasant and tribal struggles in colonial India? What role do they ascribe to the notion of community in peasant/tribal mobilisation?
  4. Discuss the approach of the Aligarh school as far as the 18th century debate is concerned.
  5. Explain the reasons for the ultimate Maratha defeat against the English.
  6. What were the links between the revolt of the sepoys and popular discontent in 1857?
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