

B.A. (Honours) Semester-III Examination, 2016
History (Honours) & A.I.H.C. & A. (Honours)
Paper – H-6
(Early Modern India 1707-1857AD)

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are equal value.

Answer *any three* questions

1. Was the first half of the eighteenth century a period marked by overall decline?
 2. What was the "dastak"? How deep an impact did the abuse of the privilege of "dastak" have on Anglo-Nawab relations in Bengal between 1756 and 1765?
 3. What were the main features of the Ryotwari System? How did this system differ from the Permanent Settlement of Bengal?
 4. Critically analyse the Anglo-Maratha relations between 1761 and 1818.
 5. Rammohun Roy has often been described as "the father of the Indian renaissance". Do you find this description agreeable?
 6. What was the nature of the links between the Bengal sepoys and their parent society? Elucidate with emphasis on the Revolt of 1857?
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