

1- Consider the following statements about the judicial system introduced by the British in India:

1. It judicially unified India.
2. The British established a new system of law through the process of enactment and relevant interpretation of customary laws.
3. In general the British tended to avoid the customary laws of India.

Which of the Statements given above are correct?

- (a) **1 and 2 only**
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

2- Consider the following statements about the Preamble of the Constitution and state which of them are correct with the help of given codes :

1. The objective resolution proposed by Pt. Nehru ultimately became the Preamble.
2. It is not justiciable in nature.
3. It cannot be amended.
4. It cannot override the specific provisions of the Constitution.

Codes:

- (a) Only 1 and 2
- (b) **Only 1, 2 and 4**
- (c) Only 1, 2 and 3
- (d) Only 2, 3 and 4

3- For which of the following can special provisions be made under Article 15 of the Constitution of India?

1. Women and children
2. Scheduled Tribes
3. Economically backward classes
4. Socially backward classes

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- (a) **1, 2 and 4**
- (b) 1 and 3
- (c) 2, 3 and 4
- (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

4- Consider the following statements:

1. Quo-warranto is a very powerful instrument for safeguarding against the usurpation of public offices.
2. A High Court can issue a mandamus to compel a court or judicial tribunal to exercise its jurisdiction when it has refused to exercise it.

Which of the statement given above is/are correct?

- (a) Only 1
- (b) Only 2
- (c) Both 1 and 2**
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

5- Consider the following statements: Directive Principles of State Policy are:

1. Directives in the nature of ideals of the state
2. Directives influencing and shaping the policy of State
3. Non-justiciable rights of the citizens

Which of these statements is/are correct?

- (a) Only 1
- (b) 2 and 3
- (c) Only 3
- (d) 1, 2 and 3**

6- Consider the following statements :

1. It created a new office, Secretary of State for India vested thus complete authority and control over Indian administration.
2. The Secretary of State was a member of Indian cabinet.
3. Secretary of State was responsible ultimately to the British parliament.

Which of the above statements is/are correct over Government of India act of 1858 :-

- (a) 1 and 2 only,
- (b) 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only**
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

7- Who was called 'Father of Communal Electorate'?

- (a) Lord Canning,
- (b) Lord Minto,**

- (c) Lord Morley,
- (d) Lord William Bentick

8- Which of the following is/are principal feature(s) of the Government of India Act, 1919?

- 1. Introduction of diarchy in the executive government of the provinces.
- 2. Introduction of separate communal electorates for Muslims.
- 3. Devolution of Legislative authority by the centre to the provinces.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) **1 and 3 only**
- (d) 1 , 2 and 3

9-Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- 1. 42nd Amendment to the Constitution of India gave primacy to Directive Principles over Fundamental Rights.
- 2. Minerva Mills case ruled that there has to be a balance between Part III and Part IV of the Constitution.
- 3. National Commission for Review of the Working of the Constitution has recommended that Directive Principles be made justiceable.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- (a) **1 and 2**
- (b) 2 and 3
- (c) 1 and 3
- (d) 2 only

10- Which among the following provisions of the Constitution of India is/are fulfilled by the National Social Assistance Programme launched by the Government of India?

- 1. Fundamental Rights
- 2. Fundamental Duties
- 3. Directive Principles of State Policy

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- (a) 1 and 2
- (b) 1 and 3
- (c) **Only 3**
- (d) All of these

11- Who recommends the MSP and issue prices?

- (a) Ministry of agriculture
- (b) Planning commission
- (c) **Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices**
- (d) NABARD

12- With reference to India, consider the following statements

1.WPI is available on a monthly basis only.

2.As compare to Consumer Price Index for the Industrial Worker (CPI- IW), the WPI gives less weightage to food articles.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) Only 1
- (b) **Only 2**
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

13-Which of the following would cause the aggregate demand curve to shift to the right?

- (a)**an increase in purchases by the federal government**
- (b)an increase in real interest rates
- (c)an appreciation of the American dollar
- (d)a decrease in the money supply

14-Which of the following statements is/are true?

1.If increase in demand and supply are of equal magnitude, the price will remain unchanged, but the equilibrium quantity will increase.

2.If increase in demand is of greater magnitude than increase in supply, both equilibrium price and equilibrium quantity will increase.

3.If increase in supply is of greater magnitude than increase in demand, equilibrium price will fall but equilibrium quantity will increase.

Select the correct answer using the code given below :

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) **1, 2 and 3**

15- Which one of the following is the task of the Planning Commission(NITI Aogya)?

(a) Preparation of the plan

(b) Implementation of the plan

(c) Financing of the plan

(d) Both (a) and (b)

16- Which of the statements given below is/are correct?

1. Food for Work Programme was launched in India during the 10th Five Year Plan.

2. The Planning Commission (NITI AAYOGA) in India is a constitutional body.

(a) 1 only

(b) 2 only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

17- Which one of the following is a driving force influencing the industrial growth of an economy?

(1) Economic Factors only

(2) Investment only

(3) Innovation/Market Base only

(4) All (1), (2) & (3)

18- Disguised unemployment in India is mainly related to :

1. agricultural sector

2. rural area

3. factory sector

4. urban area

(a) 1 and 2

(b) 1 and 3

(c) 2 and 4

(d) 3 and 4

19- Which of the following is/are correct?

I. Bulk of unemployment in India is in rural areas

II. The disguised unemployment in agricultural sector is perennial

III. Industrialisation has rendered several people job-less in India

(a) I and II

- (b) I, II and III
- (c) I only
- (d) II and III

20- Which Committee's recommendations are being followed for estimating Poverty Line in India?

- (a) Dutt Committee
- (b) Chelliah Committee
- (c) Chakravorty Committee

(D) Lakdawala Committee

21. Consider the following statements:

1. National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) is a Not for Profit Company for operating retail payments and settlement systems in India.
2. Unified Payment Interface (UPI) transaction is currently the second biggest among the NPCI operated systems after NEFT.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) **1 only**
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

22. Which of the following statements is not correct regarding the Central Vigilance Commission?

- (a) The Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) is a statutory body.
- (b) The CVC is only responsible to the President of India.**
- (c) The CVC was set up on the recommendations of K Santhanam committee.
- (d) The Vigilance Awareness Week is observed by the CVC.

23. With reference to Defence Exhibition Organisation (DEO), consider the following statements:

1. It is an autonomous organisation established by the Government of India in 1981.
2. DEO will be organising Aero India 2021.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2**
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

24. With reference to Ganga Utsav 2020, consider the following statements:

1. It is an annual event organised by National Mission for Clean Ganga.
2. The mini Ganga Quest is designed to make youth and students aware of environmental issues.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only (b) 2 only
(c) **Both 1 and 2** (d) Neither 1 nor 2

25. With reference to Purchasing Managers' Index(PMI), consider the following statements:

1. It is an indicator of business activity in the manufacturing sectors only.
2. PMI above 50 represents an expansion when compared to the previous month.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only (b) **2 only**
(c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2