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Practice Sheet

Class—8

Q1 Answer the following questions:

1. Who was Warren Hastings? When was he appointed as the Governor General of India?
2. What is Nationalism?
3. What do you mean by contemporary ?
4. What is Imperialism ?
5. Write a short note on (i) Charter Act (ii) Dual Government
6. Write any three causes of Battle of Plassey?
7. Explain the “Doctrine of Lapse” policy.
8. How did East India Company begin trade in Bengal?
9. Where did East India Company set up its trading factory and when?
10. Explain Subsidiary Alliance.
11. What is the significance of the Preamble in the Indian Constitution?
12. Why does a democratic country need a Constitution?
13. Describe briefly socialism in India .
14. Define secular state.
15. What are the three main organs of the Indian government and what are their functions ?

Q2. Define the following :

1. Constitution b. Preamble

C Sovereignty d. Monarchy

e Mercantile.

Q3 Write the event for the following dates :

1. 1876 2. 1498 3. 1790-92

4 1757 5. 1764 6. 1772

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