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Q1. Who was the ruler of France during the revolution? Answer: Louis XVI of the Bourbon family was the ruler of France.

Q2. Name the three 'Estates' into which the French society was divided before the Revolution.

Answer:

- The First Estate Clergy
- The Second Estate Nobility
- The Third Estate Common people.

Q3. In the context of Russia, which group was the supporter of women's Suffragette Movements?

Answer: Radicals.

Q4. Who was Karl Marx?

Answer: Karl Marx was a philosopher who favoured socialism. He believed that to free themselves from capitalist exploitation, workers had to construct a radically socialist society, where all the properties were socially controlled.

Q5. What was genocidal war?

Answer: It was a war started by Germany during the Second World War, which resulted in the mass murder of selected groups of innocent civilians of Europe.

Q6. What was the impact of the First World War on the political system of Germany? Answer:

- The abdication of the emperor gave an opportunity to parliamentary parties to recast German polity.
- A democratic constitution was established with a federal structure.

Q7. Mention the impact of the disappearing Oak forests in England.

Answer: Disappearing Oak forests created a problem of timber supply for the Royal Navy.

Q8. Why were railways essential for the colonial government?

Answer: Railways were essential for the colonial trade and the movement of imperial troops.

Q9. Who are nomads?

Answer: Nomads are the people who move from one place to another in search of food and fodder.

Q10. Name any two nomad communities of India.

Answer:

- Bakarwals
- Gaddi

Q11. Mention the states to which the following communities belong:

(a) Gujjar Bakarwals (b) Gaddi

Answer:

- (a) Jammu and Kashmir.
- (b) Himachal Pradesh.

Q12. Who was Captain Swing?

Answer: It was a mythic name used by the poor labourers to threaten the rich landlords who were replacing workers with machines.

Q13. What was common land?

Answer: It was the land to which all villagers had access.

Q14. How was the American landscape of the 18th century different from that of the 20th century?

Answer: Most of the landscape was under the control of locals, whereas in the 20th century, the landscape was under the White Americans.

Q15. What was the impact of the White settler movement towards the west on the American Indians?

Answer:

- They have driven away from their land.
- They were massacred, and many of their villages were burnt.

Q16. Name the country in which cricket originated?

Answer: Cricket originated in England.

Q17. Mention any two peculiarities of Test Cricket.

Answer:

- A match can go on for five days and still end in a draw.
- No specification regarding the size or shape of the ground.

Q18. Who were Sans culottes?

Answer: They were the members of Jacobin clubs who wore fashionable knee breeches to distinguish themselves from the aristocracy. San culottes literally meant 'those without knee breeches.'

Q19. What were the main motives of the 'Sumptuary Laws? Answer:

- The laws tried to control the behaviour of those who were considered social inferiors.
- To set up a dress code.