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- Notes : 1. Attempt all questions.
2. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Elaborate the circumstances leading to the advent of Europeans in India.

OR

Give an account of the arrival of the Portuguese in India in 1498 A.D. and their subsequent expansion of power in India.

2. What were the factors leading to the Battle of Buxar in 1764 A.D.? Discuss its consequences.

OR

What do you mean by Lord Wellesleg's subsidiary Alliance System? Describe its advantages to the East India Company.

3. How far do you agree with the fact that the case of Raja Nandkumar was nothing but a judicial blunder? Justify your arguments with valid reasons.

OR

Describe the factors leading to the conflict between Executive and judiciary in famous Patna case of 1777-79 A.D.

4. Give an account of the growth of modern education in India from 1781 A.D. to 1858 A.D.

OR

Write a note on the development of modern communication system under Lord Dalhousie.

5. Describe the social, economic, political and military causes leading to the Revolt of 1857.

OR

Evaluate the consequences of the Revolt of 1857 A.D.
