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CLASS-10TH

(BASED ON N C E R T PATTERN)

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HISTORY

The age of industrialisation

Question 1.

What was the title of the picture on the cover page of music book published by E.T. Pauli, a popular music publisher ?

Answer:

The title was 'Dawn of the Century'.

Question 2.

State any one reason why during the phase of proto-industrialisation the merchants could not expand production within towns ?

Answer:

In towns urban crafts and trade guilds were very powerful. They trained crafts people, maintained control over production, regulated competition and prices, and restricted the entry of new people into the trade.

Question 3.

In the seventeenth and eighteenth century in the countryside why the peasants readily agreed to work for the merchants ? State any one reason.

Answer:

Many peasants had small plots of land which could not provide work for all members of the household.

Question 4.

Who was a stapler ?

Answer:

A person who 'staples' or sorts wool according to its fibre.

Question 5.

Who is a Fuller ?

Answer:

A person who 'fulls' or gathers cloth by pleating.

Question 6.

What is Carding ?

Answer:

The process in which fibres, such as cotton or wool, are prepared prior to spinning.

Question 7.

What was the first symbol of new era in England ?

Answer:

Cotton.

Question 8.

By whom the cotton mill was created ?

Answer:

Richard Arkwright.

Question 9.

Why did the technological changes occur slowly in Britain ? Give one reason.

Answer:

Technological changes occurred slowly in Britain because it was expensive and merchants and industrialists were cautious about using it.

Question 10.

Who produced the steam engine ? Who improved it ?

Answer:

The steam engine was produced by Newcomen. It was improved by James Watt.

Question 11.

Why did some industrialists in nineteenth century Europe prefer hand labour over machines ? State any one factor.

Answer:

In industries such as gas works, breweries, where production fluctuated with the season, industrialists usually preferred hand labour over machines.

Question 12.

By whom was Spinning Jenny devised ?

Answer:

Spinning Jenny was devised by James Hargreaves in 1764.

Question 13.

What was the advantage of Spinning Jenny ?

Answer:

Spinning Jenny speeded up the spinning process and reduced labour demand. By turning one single wheel a worker could set in motion a number of spindles and spin several threads at the same time.

Question 14.

What was the importance of Surat port in the sixteenth century ?

Answer:

A vibrant sea trade operated through Surat on the Gujarat coast. It connected India to the Gulf and Red Sea Ports.

Question 15.

How the European powers gradually gained power in the eighteenth century ?
State any one factor.

Answer:

European powers secured a variety of concessions from local courts and thereafter monopoly rights to trade.

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