

11th History Lesson 8 Questions in English

8] Bahmani and Vijayanagar Kingdoms

1. Match the following

I. Yadavas - 1. Madurai

II. Hoysalas - 2. Warangal

III. Pandyas - 3. Dvarasamudra

IV. Kakatiyas - 4. Devagiri

a) 4, 2, 1, 3

b) 4, 1, 2, 3

c) 4, 3, 1, 2

d) 3, 4, 1, 2

2. During which years does general Malik Kafur lead his South Indian expeditions?

1) 1304

2) 1310

3) 1306

4) 1308

a) 1, 2

b) 2, 3

c) 3, 4

d) 1, 3

3. Who among the following tried to shift capital to Devagiri?

a) Muhammad Tughluq

b) Ghiyasuddin Tughluq

c) Akbar

d) Shah Alam

4. In which year Madurai become independent from Delhi sultanate?

a) 1345

b) 1333

c) 1340

d) 1356

5. In which year Vijayanagar kingdom was established?

a) 1333

b) 1345

c) 1336

d) 1347

6. Which literature gives details about the Nayankara system under Krishnadevaraya?

a) Manucharitram

b) Saluvabhyudayam

c) Rayavachakamu

d) Silapathikaram

7. Match the following

I. Ibn Battuta - 1. Persian

II. Nikitin - 2. Portuguese

III. Abdur Razzak - 3. Russian

IV. Nuniz - 4. Moroccan

a) 4, 2, 3, 1

b) 4, 3, 1, 2

c) 4, 1, 3, 2

d) 4, 1, 2, 3

8. Which of the following statement is correct?

1) The Vijayanagar kings issued a large number of Silver coins called Varaha

2) These coins have the images of various Hindu deities and animals like the bull, the elephant and the fabulous gandaberunda

3) The legend contains the king's name either in Nagari or in Kannada script.

a) 1, 2

b) 2, 3

c) 1, 3

d) 1, 2, 3

9. Raichur Doab lies between _____ rivers

a) Krishna and Tungabhadra

b) Narmada and Tapti

c) Krishna and Kaveri

d) Krishna and Godavari

10. Which of the following statement about Bahmani administration is correct?

1) In order to facilitate smooth administration, as followed in the Delhi Sultanate, Bahman Shah

divided the kingdom into four territorial divisions called tarafs, each under a governor.

2) Each governor commanded the army of his province (Gulbarga, Daulatabad, Bidar, and Berar) and was solely responsible for both its administration and the collection of revenue

- a) 1 alone
- b) 2 alone
- c) 1, 2
- d) None

11. Who among the following assumed the title Second Alexander on his coins?

- a) Babur
- b) Harihara
- c) Mohammed I
- d) Bahman Shah

12. Who among the following succeeded Bahman Shah?

- a) Mohammed I
- b) Mohammed Gawan
- c) Zafar Khan
- d) Bukka

13. In which year Mohammed I acquired turquoise throne?

- a) 1363
- b) 1336
- c) 1346
- d) 1373

14. What is the colour of Turquoise?

- a) Red
- b) Green
- c) Blue
- d) Yellow

15. Match the following

- I. Vakil-us-sultana - 1. Chief justice
- II. Amir-i-jumla - 2. Immediate subordinate to sovereign
- III. Nazir - 3. Minister of finance
- IV. Sadr-i-jahan - 4. Assistant minister for finance

- a) 2, 1, 3, 4
- b) 3, 4, 1, 2

c) 4, 3, 1, 2

d) 2, 3, 4, 1

16. Which of the following statement about Muhammad Shah is correct?

1) He took strong measures for the suppression of highway robbery

2) He built two mosques at Gulbarga

- a) 1 alone
- b) 2 alone
- c) 1, 2
- d) None

17. In which year capital of Bahmani was shifted from Gulbarga to Bidar?

- a) 1363
- b) 1429
- c) 1409
- d) 1430

18. Where does the Mohammed Gawan Madrasa is located?

- a) Berar
- b) Bidar
- c) Gulbarga
- d) Tanjore

19. Who divided existing four provinces of the Bahmani Sultanate into eight?

- a) Mohammad V
- b) Mohammad II
- c) Mohammad I
- d) Mohammad Gawan

20. Assertion (A): Mohammad III ordered for the execution of Mohammed Gawan

Reason (R): Jealous of his success Deccani's forged a letter to implicate Gawan in conspiracy against the Sultan.

- a) A is correct, R is not the correct Explanation of A
- b) A is correct, R is wrong
- c) A and R are wrong
- d) A is correct, R is the correct Explanation of A

21. Which of the following statement is correct?

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- 1) After the Sultan's (Mohammed III) death five of his descendants succeeded him on the throne but they were kings only in name
- 2) During this period the Sultanate gradually broke up into four independent kingdoms: Bijapur, Ahmadnagar, Berar and Golkonda.
- 3) Bidar where the Bahmani Sultan ruled as a puppet became the fifth one.
- a) 1, 2
b) 1, 3
c) 2, 3
d) 1, 2, 3
22. Which of the following sultanate become more powerful?
- a) Bidar
b) Berar
c) Bijapur
d) Golkonda
23. Which dynasty built the Golkonda Fort on a granite hill?
- a) Kakatiyas
b) Yadavas
c) Hoysalas
d) Pandyas
24. Who reconstructed the mud fort into a granite fort in Golkonda?
- a) Raja Krishna Dev
b) Krishna Devaraya
c) Sultan Kali Kutub Khan
d) Mohammad Quli Qutub Shah
25. To whom does the Golkonda fort owes much of its present grandeur?
- a) Raja Krishna Dev
b) Krishna Devaraya
c) Sultan Kali Kutub Khan
d) Mohammad Quli Qutub Shah
26. Which of the following statement is correct?
- 1) The Golkonda Fort is located near Hyderabad on a hill
2) The Golkonda Fort is popular for its acoustic architecture
3) The highest point of the fort is Bala Hissar
- a) 1, 2
b) 1, 3
c) 2, 3
d) 1, 2, 3
27. When did Aurangzeb laid siege to this Golkonda fort which went in Vain?
- a) 1687
b) 1667
c) 1677
d) 1670
28. Which of the following is the entrance to the Golconda fort?
- a) Fateh Darwaza
b) Fateh Hissar
c) Bala Hissar
d) Bala Darwaza
29. When does Harihara and Bukka laid foundation for a Vijayanagar kingdom?
- a) 1333
b) 1336
c) 1346
d) 1347
30. Who killed Hoysala king Ballala III?
- a) Deccan Sultan
b) Madurai Sultan
c) Delhi Sultans
d) Mughals
31. What was the initial capital of Vijayanagar empire?
- a) Hampi
b) Hosapattana
c) Anegondi
d) Mangalore
32. What does the term Vijayanagara mean?
- a) City of Victory
b) City of light
c) City of Winners
d) City of Conqueror
33. When does Harihara celebrated his coronation?
- a) 1336

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- b) 1333
c) 1346
d) 1347
34. Whose emblem does Vijayanagara adopted?
a) Kakatiyas
b) Chalukyas
c) Mauryas
d) Hoysalas
35. According to some tradition, under whom does Harihara and Bukka serviced?
a) Ilbari dynasty
b) Tughluq dynasty
c) Khaliji dynasty
d) Lodi dynasty
36. Which of the following is arranged in correct order?
a) The Sangama dynasty, the Aravidu dynasty. The Saluva dynasty, the Tuluva dynasty
b) The Sangama dynasty, the Saluva dynasty, the Tuluva dynasty, the Aravidu dynasty
c) The Saluva dynasty. the Sangama dynasty, the Tuluva dynasty, the Aravidu dynasty
d) The Sangama dynasty, the Tuluva dynasty, the Saluva dynasty, the Aravidu dynasty
37. Vijayanagar kingdom under whom does they turned their attention of Tondai-mandalam?
a) Hari-hara
b) Bukka-I
c) Bukka II
d) Kumara Kampana
38. Who is given credit for slaying the Madurai Sultan and bringing to an end that Sultanate?
a) Hari-Hara
b) Bukka I
c) Kumara Kampana
d) Krishna Devaraya
39. Who is the author of the book Madura-vijayam?
a) Kumara Kampana
b) Ganga-devi
c) Vijaya-devi
d) Bukka I
40. Which of the following statement is incorrect?
1) From the beginning, both the Bahmani and Vijayangar kingdoms were in constant conflict
2) Capturing the territories, collecting tribute and the control of horse trade were the major issues of conflict.
3) Each of them wanted to annex and dominate the fertile area between the Krishna and the Tungabhadra (the Raichur doab)
a) 1, 2
b) 2, 3
c) 1, 2, 3
d) None
41. Which river was more or less dividing line between Vijayanagar – Bahmani?
a) Tungabhadra
b) Krishna
c) Kaveri
d) Godavari
42. In coastal Andhra, the power struggle for Vijayanagar was with whom?
a) Vijayanagar – Bahmani
b) Vijayanagar – Hoysalas
c) Vijayanagar – Gajapati
d) Vijayanagar – Delhi Sultans
43. Who was the greatest ruler of the Sangama dynasty?
a) Kumara Kampana
b) Bukka I
c) Devaraya II
d) Krishna Devaraya
44. Which ambassador gave the vision of times of Devaraya II?
a) Ibn Battuta
b) Abdur Razaak
c) Nuniz
d) Nikitin
45. Before the rise of which dynasty Tirumalaideva and then Konerideva began to rule independently?
a) Sangama

- b) Saluva
c) Tuluva
d) Aravidu
46. Which of the following statement is correct?
1) Vijayanagar empire went through a crisis after Devaraya II
2) Power passed on to the trusted commander Saluva Narasimha who defended the kingdom from the Gajapatis and recovered parts of coastal Andhra
a) 1 alone
b) 2 alone
c) 1, 2
d) None
47. When did Saluva Narasimha died?
a) 1491
b) 1419
c) 1480
d) 1483
48. Who was the founder of Tuluva dynasty of Vijayanagar empire?
a) Saluva Narasimha
b) Narasa Nayak
c) Viranarasimha
d) Krishna devaraya
49. Who among the following is considered as the greatest of Vijayanagar kings?
a) Krishna devaraya
b) Devaraya II
c) Viranarasimha
d) Kumara Kampana
50. From whom does Krishnadevaraya Seized Udayagiri fort?
a) Kakatiyas
b) Hoysalas
c) Bahmani
d) Gajapati
51. To whom does Krishnadevaraya gave permission to build a fort at Bhatkal?
a) Danish
b) Bahmani
c) Gajapati
d) Portuguese
52. Which of the following statement is correct?
1) Krishnadevaraya made very large donations to many of the greatest Siva and Vishnu temples of the day
2) He added towering gopuras to many of those temples, which survive to this day.
a) 1 alone
b) 2 alone
c) 1, 2
d) None
53. Who among the following are contemporary of Krishnadevaraya?
1) Domingo Paes
2) Ibn Battuta
3) Nuniz
4) Abdur Razak
a) 1, 2
b) 1, 3
c) 2, 3
d) 1, 3, 4
54. Who is the author of Amuktamalyada?
a) Allasani Peddana
b) Nandi Thimmana
c) Krishnadevaraya
d) Devaraya II
55. Who was given reorganization of the Nayak or system and giving legal recognition to the system?
a) Devaraya II
b) Krishnadevaraya
c) Kumara Kampana
d) Bukka I
56. Who was throned after the death of Krishnadevaraya?
a) Viranarasimha
b) Devaraya II
c) Ramaraya
d) Achyutadevaraya
57. Who among the following supported Achyutadevaraya?
a) Chellappa

- b) Ramaraya
c) Devaraya I
d) Devaraya II
58. Who among the following succeeded Achyutadevaraya?
a) Chellappa
b) Ramaraya
c) Sadasivaraya
d) Krishnadevaraya II
59. Which of the following statement is correct?
1) Ramaraya, a great warrior and strategist, was able to play off the Bahmani Muslim powers against one another
2) His divide and rule policy provoked much enmity against Vijayanagar.
3) The battle of Talikota or Rakshasi-Tangadi was fought in January 1565
a) 1, 2
b) 1, 3
c) 2, 3
d) 1, 2, 3
60. Who started the Aravidu dynasty?
a) Sadasivaraya
b) Ramaraya
c) Tirumala
d) Chellapa
61. In which year Uttaramerur war fought between the loyalist Yachama Nayak of Perumbedu and Vellore Nayak?
a) 1630
b) 1670
c) 1601
d) 1610
62. In Uttaramerur war who among the following supported Vellur Nayak?
1) Tanjavur Nayak
2) Madurai Nayak
3) Senji Nayak
a) 1, 2
b) 2, 3
c) 1, 3
d) 1, 2, 3
63. The chief minister of Vijayanagar empire was known as _____
a) Mahapradhani
b) Pradhani
c) Maha Raja
d) Kariya-karta
64. Match the following
I. Dalavay - 1. Personal attendant
II. Rayasam - 2. Executive agents
III. Adaippam - 3. Commander
IV. Kariya-karta - 4. Accountant
a) 3, 2, 4, 1
b) 3, 4, 1, 2
c) 3, 1, 4, 2
d) 4, 2, 1, 3
65. Which of the following is not one of the rajyas of Tamil are by 1400?
a) Chandragiri
b) Padaividu
c) Valudalampattu
d) Elagiri
66. From which century onwards the term Nayak was used?
a) 12th
b) 13th
c) 14th
d) 15th
67. Which of the following statement is correct?
1) Nayak System is similar to the Iqta system practiced by the Delhi Sultanate at that time
2) The practice became established during the reign of Krishnadevaraya and Achyuta Devaraya.
a) 1 alone
b) 2 alone
c) 1, 2
d) None
68. Match the following
I. Nayakkattanam - 1. Kannada
II. Nayaktanam - 2. Telugu
III. Nayankaramu - 3. Tamil
a) 2, 1, 3

- b) 1, 3, 2
c) 3, 1, 2
d) 2, 3, 1
69. Match the following
- I. peasant families - 1. Baliya
II. Merchants - 2. Billama
III. traditional warrior groups - 3. Reddi
- a) 2, 1, 3
b) 3, 2, 1
c) 3, 1, 2
d) 2, 3, 1
70. Which of the following statement is correct?
- 1) The conflicts in the Bahmani courts were much due to the migration of Turks, Afghans and Persians into the Deccan
2) The Vijayanagar area is concerned there took place migrations of Kannada and Telugu warriors and their followers into Tamil areas and elsewhere.
- a) 1 alone
b) 2 alone
c) 1, 2
d) None
71. Until which century the economy was mainly agrarian?
- a) 14th
b) 13th
c) 12th
d) 15th
72. Who among the following inaugurated kingdom of Ramnad?
- a) Krishnadevaraya
b) Muthu Krishnappa
c) Devaraya II
d) Kumara Kampana
73. Between which Nayak kingdom does Pudukottai principality lie?
- a) Nayak kingdoms of Thanjavur and Madurai
b) Nayak kingdoms of Thanjavur and Vellore
c) Nayak kingdoms of Thanjavur and Trichy
d) Nayak kingdoms of Rameswaram and Madurai
74. Which of the following act as buffer between Chola kingdom and the Pandyas?
- a) Trichy
b) Pudukottai
c) Rameswaram
d) Karaikudi
75. Where does the Krishnadevaraya planted the pillar of victory?
- a) Belgaum
b) Simhachalam
c) Rajamahendravaram
d) Cuttack