

MODERN HISTORY

SHORT REVISION NOTES





	Sequence of coming of European companies to India					
S.N.	Country	Year	Company			
1	Portuguese	1498	Dastado-the India			
2	Dutch	1602	Veringide Ost Indishe company			
3	English	1600	The governor and Manchester of Indies.			
4	Danish	1616	Den east India company			
5	French	1664	Company the Ind oriental			

Acts Related to Social Reforms						
		Governor				
Act	Year	General	Subject			
1. Absolition Act	1829	W. Bentic	Sati was totally asolished			
2. Hindu widow						
Remarriage act	1856	Canning	Widow remarriage was allowed			
3. Native marriage act	1872	Nath Brooke	Inter caste marriage was fermited			
4. Age of consent Act	1891	Lansdown	12 yrs. Age was now fixed for girls			
			18 yrs. For boys to get married			
5. Sharda act	1930	Irwin	was fixed			
			1833 charter act 1843 it was			
6. Ban of slauery	1843	Allensrow	completely banned			
	1785-					
7. Child infasticide act	1804	Wellejely	It was banned			

	POPULAR MOVEMENTS AND REVOLTS UP TO 1857							
Year	Movement/Mutiny							
1764	Mutiny of sepoys in Bengal							
1766	Chuar and Ro Rising in Chhotanagpur and Singhbhum regions where the							
	Chaur, Ho and Munda tribes revolted till 1772 due to famine, enhanced							
	demands and economic privation.							
1770	Sanyasi Revolt							
1806	Vellore Mutiny							
1817	Bhil Movement in the Western Ghats							
1822	Ramosi Rising under the leadership of Chittar Singh							





1824	Mutiny of sepoys of the 47 th Regiment at Barrack pore					
1828	Ahoms Revolt against the Company for non-fulfilment of pledges after the					
	Burmese War 1829. first Kili Rising against dismantling of forts of					
	independent Kili tribes					
1831	Kol Rising of Chhotanagpur against the transfer of land from heads of kol					
	tribesmen to outsiders					
1833	Khasi Rising in the hilly region of Jaintia and Garo hills. The revolt was lead by					
	Tirath Singh, the ruler of Nunklow and resented by Khasis in the region.					
1838	Farazi Movement under the leadership of Titu Mir-it later merged into the					
	Wahabi Movement					
1839	Second-Koli rising					
1844	Third Koli rising					
1844	Surat Salt agitation against raised salt duty					
1844	Mutiny of the 34 th Native infantry					
1844	Kolhapur and Savantvadi Revolts					
1849	Mutiny of the 22 nd Native Infantry					
1850	Mutiny of the 66 th Native Infantry					
1852	Mutiny of the 37 th Native Infantry					
1855	Santhal rebellion in the Rajmahal hills region of Bihar					
1857	Revolt of sepoys of 3 rd Cavalry at Meerut and later mutinies in Punjab, Mathura,					
	Lucknow, Bareilly, Shajahanpur, Kanpur, Banaras, Jhansi, Allahabad and many					
	other places in North India					

Socio-Religious Reform Movements of the 19th-20th Centuries Hindu Socio-Religious reform Movements and Organizations

Movement/Org anisation	Year	Place	Founder	Objectives
Swaminarayan Sampraya		Gujarat	Swami Sahjananda (Original name Ghanshyama)	Protest against epicurean and luxurious practices of Vaishnavism
Atmiya Sabha (later Brahmo Samaj)	1815 - 1828	Calcutta	Raja Ram Mohan Roy	To propagate monotheism & reforms in the Hindu society





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Brahmo Samaj 183	8 Cal	lcutta	Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Keshab Chandra Sen, Debenbranath Tagore	Emphasized on human dignity, opposed idolatry and criticized social evils as sati
Young Bengal - 183	Cal	lcutta	Derozio, Rasik Krishna Mullik, Tarachand Chuckervarty, Krishnamohan Banerjee	Opposed vices in the society, believed in truth, freedom, & reason; social reform.
Dharma Sabha 183	0 Cal	lcutta	Radha Kanta Deva	Founded to counter Brahmo Samaj Movement Opposed to liberal and radical reforms, including Sati.
Namdhari/Kuk a Movement 18	(Lı	VF udhiana unjab)	Bhai Balak Singh and Baba Ram Singh	Spread the true Spirit of Sikhism, opposed to all caste distinctions.
Rahanumai Mazdayasan 18 Sabha	1 Bo	mbay	S.S. Bangali, Naoroji, Fundonji, J.B.	A socio-religious organization of the Parsis founded for the restoration of Zoroastrian religion to its pristine glory and social regeneration of the Parsi
			Nacha, etc.	community through modern education and emancipation of women.
Radha Swami Satsang	1 Ag	ra	Nacha, etc. Tulsi Ram also known as Shiv Dayal Saheb	community through modern education and emancipation
180		ra mbay	Tulsi Ram also known as Shiv	community through modern education and emancipation of women. Belief in one Supreme Being, religious unity, emphasis on simplicity of social life and



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Association			Sen	child marriage & for
				legalizing the Brahmo form of
				(Civil) marriage. Promote the
				intellectual and social status
				of Indian women.
	40==		Swami	To reform Hindu religion in
Arya Samaj	1875	Bombay	Dayananda	North India.
			Saraswati	
			Madam H.P.	Advocated the revival &
Theosophical	1875	New York	Blavatsky & Col.	strengthening of ancient
Society			H.S., Olcott	religions of Hinduism,
				Zoroastrianism & Buddhism
			M C D L W C	To contribute to the cause of
Deccan	4004	D	M.G. Ranade, V.G.	education and culture in
Education	1884	Pune	Chibdonkar, G.G.	Western India. The society
Society			Agarkar, etc.	founded the Ferguson
				College, Pune in 1885
			D 1	Campaign against child
Seva Sadan	1885	Bombay	Behramji, M. Malabari	marriage and enforced
				widowhood and care for
				socially exploited women.
Ramakrishna	1887	Calcutta	Swami	To carry on humanitarian
Mission			Vivekananda	relief and social work.
Indian National			N. G. D	To focus attention on matters
Social	1887	Bombay	M.G. Ranade and	relating to social reforms. It
Conference			Raghunath Rao	was the social reforms cell of
				the Indian National Congress.
				Ideas Closer to Brahmo
				Samaj asked his followers to
			Shiva Narain	follow social code of conduct
Deva Samaj	1887	Lahore	Agnihotri	and ethics, as not to accept
				bribe, indulge in gambling
				and consume intoxicants and
				non-vegetarian food.
Madras Hindu	1892	Madras	Viresalingam	Movement concerned with



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Association			Pantalu	the plight of widows and
				combat Devadasi system.
Bharat Dharma Mahamandala	1902	Varanasi	Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya	Organization of the orthodox Hindus, also known as Sanatana dhamis, and Pandit Din Dayal Sharma to counter the teachings of the Arya Samaj.
The servants of India Society	1905	Bombay	Gopal Krishna Gokhale	To work for social reforms, & train "national missionaries for the service of India".
Poona Seva Sadan	1909	Pune	G.K. Devadhar and Ramabai Ranade (wife of M.G. Ranade)	Establish institutions for the economic uplift and useful employment of women
Niskam Karma Math (The monastery of disinterested work)	1910	Pune	Dhondo Keshav Karve	Work for social reform, selfless service to manking and educational progress of women. Founded India's first women's University in Pune, 1916.
The Bharat Stri Mandal	1910	Calcutta	Saralabala Devi Choudharani	First Women's organization on all-India basis to further the cause of women's education and emancipation of women.
Social Service League	1911	Bombay	Narayan Malhar Joshi	Social service and improve the conditions of the common masses by opening schools, libraries, dispensaries.
Seva Samiti	1914	Allahabad	Pandit Hridayanath Kunzru	Organize social service, promote education and reform criminal and fallen elements in society.
The Indian	1917	Madras	Mrs. Annie	Work for uplift of Indian



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Women's			Besant	women and "to secure a
Association				larger a free and fuller life for
				them".
				Emphasis on strict
				monotheism and to rid the
Faraizi or		Faridaya	Haii Chariatullah	Muslim Society of non-
Faraidi	1804	Faridpur,	Haji Shariatullah	Islamic social customs, rituals
Movement		Bengal	and Dudhi Miyan	and practices. It was an anti-
				landlord & anti-British
				movement.
				Popularized the Teachings of
Wahabi	1000	Rohikhan	Syed Ahmed of	Waliullah; stressed role of
Movement	1820	d	Rae Bareilly	individual conscience in
			J J J J J	religion.
				Opposed to the Faraizi
Taayuni	1839	Dacca	Karamati Ali	Movment and supported the
Movement			Jaunpur	British rule.
Deoband				
Movement (A				
school of			Muhamman	Improve the spiritual and
Islamic			Qasim Nanautavi	moral conditions of Indian
Theology at	1867	Deoband	and Rashid	Muslim. It supported the INC
Deoband,			Ahmed Gangohi	and was opposed to the Pro-
Saharanpur,			Annied dangoin	British Aligarh movement.
UP)				
				Liberalization of Indian Islam
				and modernization of Indian
Aligarh			Sir Syed Ahmed	Muslims through religious
Movement	1875	Aligarh	Khan	reinterpretation, social
1-10 Cincii			1111411	reform and modern
				education.
				Universal religion of all
Ahmadiya	1889		Mirza Ghulam	humanity, opposed to Islamic
Movement		Faridkot	Ahmad of Qadiyan	
Movement	-90			Orthodoxy and spread of
				western liberal education



				among Indian Muslims
				among Indian Muslims.
				To reform the traditional
				Islamic system of education,
Nadwatal	1894	Lucknow	Maulana Shibli	to strengthen Hindu-Muslim
Ulema	-95		Numani	unity and to arouse
				nationalism among Indian
				Muslims.
Ahrar	1910	Aligarh	Riza Khan & Ali	Against Aligarh Movement
Movement	1710	Aligarii	Brothers	Agamst Angarn Movement
Khudai			Khan Abdul	Upliftment of people of
Khidmatgar	1929	NWEP	Ghaffar Khan	Frontier & prepare them for
Movement			Gilaliai Kilali	attainment of independence.
				Opposed to untouchability,
			Jyotiba Phule	priestly or Brahmin
Satya Shodhak	1873	Maharasht ra		domination, belief in social
Samaj				equality and uplift of the
				lower castes by educating
				them.
				Opposed to religious
	⊥ 1888 ⊥		Shri Narayan Guru	disabilities against lower
				castes, believed in social
				equality, attacked Brahmin
Aravippuram		Aravippur		domination and worked for
Movement		am, Kerala		the uplift of lower castes by
				educating them. Demanded
				free entry of the people of
				lower castes to the temples.
Shri Narayan				-
Dharma			Shri Narayan	
Paripalana	1902	77 1	Guru, Dr. Pilau	Same as above. In 1920, T.K.
Yogam or	-03	Kerala	and Kumaran	Madhavan launched the
S.N.D.P.			Asan	Temple Entry Movement.
Movement				
The Depressed	1055	_ ,		Launched by the Prathana
Class Mission	1906	Bombay	V.R. Shinde	Samaj as an independent
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				association to organize
				education facilities for lower
				castes.
				Opposed to exploitation of
			Mukundrao Patil	the lower castes by the upper
Bhujan Samaj	1910	Satara,	Maharashtra	caste Brahmins, landlords,
			- Manarasiici a	merchants and money
				lenders.
Justice (Party)	1815		C.N. Mudaliar,	Opposed Brahmin
Movement	-16	Madras	T.M. Nair and P.	predominance in education,
Movement	-10		Tyagaraja Chetti	services and politics.
Depressed				To Propagate the gospel of
Classes Welfare				social equality among caste
Institute	1924	Dombay	Dr. B.R.	Hindus and untouchables,
	1724	Bombay	Ambedkar	Demanded constitutional
(Bahaskrit				safeguards for the depressed
Hitkarini)				classes.
				Anti-Brahmin and Hindu
	1925	Madras	E.V. Ramaswami Naicker 'Periyar'	orthodoxy radical movement,
Self-Respect				advocated weddings without
Movement				priests, forcible temple entry,
				total defiance of Hindu social
				laws and also theism.
				Organization for removal of
				untouchability of social
				discriminations against
Harijan Sevak	1932	Dung	Mahatma Gandhi	untouchables and other
Sangh	1932	Pune		lower castes. Provide
				medical, educational and
				technical facilities to
				untouchables.
Dravida			C.N. Annaduari &	
Munetra	1944		Ramaswamy	Social equality.
Kazhagam			naicker	

News Papers





S.No.	Name	Year and place of publication	Founder/Editor
1	Bengal Gazette	1700 Calgutta	James Augusting Higher
1	Deligal Gazette	1780, Calcutta	James Augustins Hicky (an Irish man)
2	India Gazette	1787, Calcutta	Henry Louis Vivian Derozio
3	Madras Courier	1784, Madras	2010210
		(first paper from Madras)	
4	Bombay Herald	1789, Bombay	
		(first paper from Bombay)	
5	Digdarshan	1818, Calcutta	
		(first Bengali monthly)	
6	Sambad Kaumudi	1821, Calcutta	Raja Ram Mohan Roy
		(Weekly in Bengali)	
7	Mirat-ul-Akar	1822, Calcutta	Raja Ram Mohan Roy
8	Bombay	1822, Bombay (first in Gujrati)	
	Samachar		
9	Jam-i-Jahan Numa	1822, Calcutta (first in Urdu)	An English Film
10	Banga-Dutta	1822, Calcutta (a weekly in four	Ram Mohan Roy,
		languages English, Bengali,	Dwarkanath Togore and
		Persian, Hindi)	others
11	East India (daily)	Calcutta	Henry Vivian Derozio
12	Bombay Times	1838, Bombay	Thomas Bennett and
		(Times of India since 1861)	Robert Knight
13	Rast Guftar	1851	Dada Bhai Naoriji, S.S.
	(Gujarati		Bengali, Fardunji
	fornightly)		
14	Hindu Patriot	1853, Calcutta	Girish Chandra Ghosh
			Harish Chandra Mukherji
15	Somprakash	1858, Calcutta	Dwarkanath
	(Bengali)		Vidyabhushan



gore	Devendranath Tagore	1862, Calcutta	Indian Mirror	16
ſ.	Girish Chandra Ghosh (taken over by S.N.	1862, Calcutta	Bangalee	17
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	Importar	nt Sessions of the Indian National Congress	
Year	Venue	Highlight	
1885	Bombay	President : W.C. Bonnerji. The first session on December 28 was	
		attended by 72 delegates. It outlined the conress objectives.	
1886	Calcutta	President : Dadabhai Naoroji. 436 delegates attended the second	
1007	Madvaa	Session.	
1887	Madras	The Congress had its first Muslim President in Syed Badruddin	
1000	A11 1 1 1	Tyabji	
1888	Allahabad	George Yule became the Congress First English Presiden.	
1906	Calcutta	President: Dadabhai Naoroji. The world 'Swaraj' was mentioned	
		by a Congress President for the first time.	
1907	Surat	President : Rashbehari Bose. Heated debates broke up the	
		session and led to a split in the Congress ranks-the Moderates	
		and the Etremists.	
1908	Madras	President: Rashbehari Bose. A constitution for the Congress was	
		drawn up.	
1916	Lucknow	President: A.C. Majumdar. A reunion of the congress factions	
		took place. Congress poined ranks with the Muslim League	
		Through and alliance-the Lucknow Pact.	
1917	Calcutta	Congress got its first woman President in Mrs. Annie Besant.	
1920	Nagpur	President: C. Vijaya Raghavachariyar. The congress was given a	
		now construction.	
1922	Gaya	President: C.R. Das. The Swarajya Party was formed.	
1923	Delhi	A special session Maulana Abul Kalam Azad became the	
		Congress youngest President.	
1925	Cawnpore	President : Sarojini Naidu. She became the Congress first Indian	
		Woman President.	
1927	Madras	President: M.A. Ansari. For the first time, the Independence	
		Resolution was adopted.	





1928	Calcutta	President: Motilal Nehru. The first all India Youth Congress came into existence.	
1923	Lahore	President: Jawaharlal Nehru. Declared that the aim of the congress was Puma Swaraj (complete independence). It was decided to launch the civil Disobedience Movement under Gandhi's leadership	
1930		Session not held	
1931	Karachi	President: Vallabhbhai Patel. Endorsed the Gandhi-Irwin Pact; the resolution on Fundamental Rights and the national Economic Programme was passed.	
1935		Session not held	
1936	Lucknow	President: Jawaharlal Nehru. Nehru urged the congress to adopt socialism as its goal.	
1937	Faizpur	President: Jawaharlal Nehru. It was the first congress session hosted in a village.	
1938	Haripura	President: Subhas Chandra Bose. The Congress committed itself to economic planning; a National Planning committee was set up under the chairmanship of Jawaharlal Nehru.	
1939	Tripuri	President: Subhas Chandra Bose. He, however, resigned in the same year; Rajendra Prasad took over as President.	
1941- 45		Sessions were not held.	

THE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENTS			
Organisation/	Name Associated with them		
Movements and Year			
Mitra Mela; 1899	Savarkar brothers		
Anushilan Samiti(in Calcutta	Barindra Kumar Ghosh; Jatindranath Banerjee;		
and Dacca), 1902	Pramotha Mitter and Pulin Das		
Abhinav Bharat Society; 1904	Vinayak Damodar Savarkar		
Hindustan Republican	Sanchindranath Sanyal and Jogsen Chandra Chatterji		
Association; 1924	supported by Bhagat Singh and Udham Singh		
Ghadar Party(in San	Lala Hardayal and Sohan Singh Bhakna		
Francisco); 1913			





Indian Independence League	Ras Behari Bose
(in Japan); 1942	
Hindu Dharma Sabha	Chapekar brothers
Arya Bandhav Samaj	Tilak
Bharatha Matha Society; 1904	J.M. Chatterji; Nikantha Brahmachari and Vanchi
	Aryan
Atmonnati Samiti	Bipin Behari Gangauli
Bhikaji Movement; 1902	Madam Bhikaji Cama
onwards	
Hind Associated of America;	Sohan Singh Bhakna
1913	
Bengal Volunteers	Hema Chandra Ghose and Lita Nag
Sri Sangha	Anil Roy
Indian Republican Army	Surya Sen

IMPORTANT CASES AGAINST REVOLUTIONARIES				
Case	Reason and Year	Result		
Nasik conspiracy	The unjustified	37 youths were caught, 3 hanged and		
case	punishment meted out to	rest were sentenced to various		
	Ganesh Savarkar (1909-	punishments.		
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Alipore	The police raided a bomb	37 people were tried including		
conspiracy case	factory in Calcutta and	Barindar Aurvindo, Hemchandra,		
	recovered live bombs	Ullas Dutta, Upendra , Benarjee.		
	(1908)			
Howrah (1910)		Jatindra n ath Mukherjee was tried.		
Conspiracy case				
Dacca The member of Anusilan Pulin Behari Das gets rigor		Pulin Behari Das gets rigorous		
conspiracy case Samiti(1910)		imprisonment for 7 years		
Delhi conspiracy Incident of bomb Master Amir		Master Amirchand, Avadh Behari,		
case	explosion aimed at killing	Bhai Bal Mukund was sentenced to		
O r	Lord Hardinge(1915)	death.		
Delhi - Lahore				
Lahore	Murder of Saunders Sardar Bhagat Singh, Rajguru a			



conspiracy case	(1929-30)	Sukhdev were hanged to death.	
Benaras	Revolutionary Activity	Sachindra Chandra Sanyal was	
conspiracy case	(1915-16)	deported to Andaman	
Victoria	Rouse public sentiments	Gurdutta Singh and Dalip Singh were	
conspiracy case	against the government	sentenced to 4 and 2 years	
	due to Kamagata Maru	imprisonment. Ram Prasad Bismil,	
	incident.	Roshan Singh, Ashfaq Ullah and	
	Rajendra Lahri were awarded dea		
		punishment.	
Punjab case	Attempt on the life of the	Hari Krishan was tried and hanged till	
	governor of Punjab	death.	

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Year	Governor-	Major Reforms & Events
	General of	
	Bengal	
1772-	Warren Hastings	First Governor-General of Bengal
1785		End to the dual system of administration
		Regulating Act of 1773
		Supreme Court at Calcutta
		Asiatic Society of Bengal
		First Anglo-Maratha War and Treaty of Salbai
		First English translation of Bhagavad Gita
		Pitt's India Act-1784
1786-	Lord Cornwallis	Establishment of Appellate courts and lower grade courts
1793		Establishment of Sanskrit college
		Third Anglo-Mysore War and Treaty of Seringapatam
		Introduction of <u>Permanent Settlement</u> and civil services
1793-	Sir John Shore	Charter act of 1793
1798		Policy of Non-intervention
		Battle of Kharda
1798-	Lord Wellesley	Introduction of Subsidiary Alliance System
1805		Fourth Anglo- Mysore war and the Treaty of Bassein
		Second Anglo – Maratha war



		Establishment of Madras presidency
		Establishing Fort William College at Calcutta
1805-	Sir George	The Acting Governor-General of India until the arrival of
1807	Barlow	Lord Minto,
		Diminished the area of British territory because of his
		passion for economy and retrenchment,
		The Mutiny of Vellore took place in 1806
1807-	Lord Minto I	Concluded the treaty of Amritsar with Maharaja Ranjit Singh
1813		in 1809,
		Introduced the <u>Charter Act of 1813</u>
1813-	Lord Hastings	The policy of Non-intervention came to an end
1823		third Anglo-Maratha war
		Abolition of Peshwaship
		Establishment of the <u>Ryotwari System</u> in Madras (By
		Thomas Munroe) and Bombay
		Mahalwari system in north-western Provinces and Bombay
1823-	Lord Amherst	The annexation of Assam leading to the first Burmese war of
1828		1824,
		The mutiny of Barrackpore in 1824

Governors-General of India

Year	Governors-General	Major Reforms
	of India	
1828-	Lord William	First Governor-General of India (Charter Act of 1833
1835	Bentinck	made Governor-General of Bengal as Governor-General of
		India.)
		Abolition of Sati
		Suppression of Thugee, infanticide and child sacrifices.
		English Education Act of 1835
		Medical College and Hospital, Kolkata
1835-	Lord Charles	'Liberator of the Indian press
1836	Metcalfe	detached all restraints on an open press
1836-	Lord Auckland	Dedicated himself to the improvement of native schools
1842		and the expansion of the commercial industry of India
		The first Anglo-Afghan war





1842-	Lord Ellenborough	Sindh was annexed
1844		
1844-	Lord Hardinge I	First Anglo Sikh War (1845-46)
1848		
	Lord Dalhousie	introduced ' <u>Doctrine of Lapse</u> '
	(Governors-General	Doctrine of Good
	of India)	<u>Charles Wood Dispatch</u>
		Post Office Act, 1854
		1st Railway line connecting Bombay and Thane
		Established engineering college in Roorkee
		Second Anglo-Sikh War
		First telegraph line
		Establishment of the Public Works Department
		Abolition of titles and pensions.
		Started Competitive examination for Indian Civil
		Services
		Widow Remarriage Act
1856-	Lord Canning	Three universities at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay in
1857		1857 were established
		Revolt of 1857 took place
		Note – Post-1857 Revolt, Governor-General of India was
		made Viceroy of British India and Canning became the
		first Viceroy of India/British India.

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Year	Name of	Events during the tenure
	Viceroy	
1856-	Lord Canning	The events that took place under his regime were
1862		Revolt of 1857
		Establishment of three universities at Calcutta, Madras and
		Bombay in 1857
		Abolition of East India Company and transfer of power to the
		British Queen Government of India Act, 1858
		Indian Councils Act of 1861
1864-	Lord John	Bhutan War took place in 1865 and the establishment of the





1869	Lawrence	High Courts at Calcutta, Bombay and Madras were done
		under his regime
1876-	Lord Lytton	The Vernacular Press Act of 1878 was passed followed by the
1880	_	Arms Act (1878), Second Afghan War in 1878 to 1880. Queen
		Victoria was crowned the Queen of India in his regime.
1880-	Lord Ripon	The first Factory Act was passed in 1881 and Vernacular
1884	_	Press Act was repealed by him in 1882.
		Local self-government was formed during his regime and
		Ilbert Bill controversy arose followed by Hunter Commission
		on education (1882)
1884-	Lord Dufferin	The two major events in his tenure were Third Burmese War
1888		and the establishment of Indian National Congress
1888-	Lord	He brought the Indian Councils Act in 1892 and set up the
1894	Lansdowne	Durand Commission in 1893
1899-	Lord Curzon	He is responsible for the
1905		Indian Universities Act
		Partition of Bengal
		Appointment of Police Commission (1902)
		Appointment of Universities Commission (1902)
1905-	Lord Minto II	Swadeshi Movement took place from 1905-11 and
1910		establishment of Muslim League happened in his regime.
		Morley-Minto Reforms were brought about in 1909.
1910-	Lord	His tenure witnessed:
1916	Hardinge II	Annulment of Partition of Bengal
		Transfer of capital from Calcutta to Delhi
		Establishment of the Hindu Mahasabha
1916-	Lord	Lucknow pact, Champaran Satyagraha, Montague's August
1921	Chelmsford	Declaration, Government of India Act, Rowlatt Act,
		Jallianwalan Bagh massacre , Launch of Non-Cooperation and
		Khilafat Movements
1921-	Lord Reading	Chauri Chaura incident took place in 1922 followed by
1926		withdrawal of Non-Cooperation Movement.
		Also establishment of Swaraj Party happened and Kakori
	_	train robbery took place in 1925.
1926-	Lord Irwin	Simon Commission came to India in 1927 when he was the



1931		Viceroy. The other events were, Harcourt Butler Indian
		States Commission (1927), Nehru Report (1928), Lahore
		session of the Congress in 1929, Dandi March and the Civil
		Disobedience Movement (1930), First Round Table
		Conference (1930), Gandhi-Irwin Pact (1931)
1931-	Lord	The following happened :
1936	Willingdon	Communal Award (1932)
		Second & Third Round Table Conference (1932)
		Poona Pact (1932)
		Government of India Act of 1935
1936-	Lord	His tenure witnessed the Congress ministries resignation
1944	Linlithgow	following the Second World War in 1939, followed by Tripuri
		Crisis & formation of Forward Bloc.
		Then came the August Offer in 1940 and the formation of the
		Indian National Army, Cripps Mission and Quit India
		Movement
1944-	Lord Wavell	Wavell Plan and the Simla Conference (1942)
1947		Cabinet Mission (1946)
		Direct Action Day (1946)
		Announcement of end of British rule in India by Clement
		Attlee (1947)
1947-	Lord	Radcliff commission of 1947 followed by India's
1948	Mountbatten	Independence on 15th August 1947

TIMELINE OF MODERN HISTORY





1600	East India Company established
1616	Sir Thomas Roe visits Jehangir
1634	The English permitted to trade in India (in Bengal)
1757	Battle of Plassey, establishment of British political rule in India
	at the hands of Lord Clive
1761	Third Battle of Panipat
1764	Battle of Buxer
1765	Clive appointed Company's Governor of India
1767-	First Mysore War
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1780	Birth of Maharaja Ranjit Singh
1780-	Second Mysore War
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1784	Pitt's India Act
1790-	Third Mysore War
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1793	The Permanent Settlement of Bengal
1799	Fourth Mysore War - Death of Tipu Sultan
1802	Treaty of Bassein
1809	Treaty of Amritsar
1829	Practice of Sati Prohibited
1830	Raja Ram Mohan Roy visits England
1833	Death of Raja Ram Mohan Roy
1839	Death of Maharaja Ranjit Singh
1839-	First Afghan War
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1845-	First Anglo-Sikh War
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1852	Second Anglo-Burmese War
1853	First Railway line opened between Bombay and Thane and a



	Telegraph line in Calcutta
1857	The Sepoy Mutiny of First War of Independence
1861	Birth of Rabindranath Tagore
1869	Birth of Mahatma Gandhi
1885	Foundation of Indian National Congress
1889	Birth of Jawaharlal Nehru
1897	Birth of Subhash Chandra Bose
1904	Tibet Expedition
1905	First Battle of Bengal under Lord Curzon
1906	Foundation of Muslim League
1911	Delhi Darbar; King and Queen visit India; Delhi becomes the
	Capital of India
1914	World War I begins
1916	Lucknow Pact Signed by Muslim League and Congress
1918	World War I ends
1919	Montague-Chemsford Reforms introduced; Jallianwala Bagh
	Massacre at Amritsar
1920	Khilafat Movement launched
1927	Boycott of Simon Commission; broadcasting started in India
1928	Death of Lala Lajpat Rai
1929	Lord Irwain's Pact; resolution of complete independence passed
	at Lahore Congress
1930	Civil disobedience movement launched; Dandi March by
	Mahatma Gandhi (6 April, 1930)
1931	Gandhi Irwin Pact
1935	Government of India Act enacted
1937	Provincial Autonomy; Congress forms ministries
1939	Word War II begins (September 1)
1941	Escape of Subhash Chandra Bose from India and death of
	Rabindranath Tagore



1942	Arrival of Cripps Mission in India; Quit India Movement launched
	(August 8)
1943-	Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose forms provisional Azad Hind Fauj
1944	and Indian National Army; Bengal Famine
1945	Trial of Indian National Army at Red Fort; Shimla Conference;
	World War II ends
1946	British Cabinet Mission visits India; Interim government formed
	at centre
1947	Division of India; Indian and Pakistan separate independent
	dimensions
1948	Mahatma Gandhi assassinated (January 30); integration of
	princely states