

Chapter-2

Worksheet-3

Choose the correct option:

1. Which of the following was not a feature of the October Manifesto?
 - (a) Freedom of speech, press and association
 - (b) Power to make laws conferred on the Duma
 - (c) Authority of the Tsar was reduced
 - (d) Final decision-making power was vested in the Tsar

2. Which of the following was not a result of Russia's involvement in World War I?
 - (a) War exposed Russia as incapable of carrying out modern warfare
 - (b) Breakdown of economy
 - (c) Discredit of government
 - (d) Russia became a super power

3. International Women's Day is celebrated on.
 - (a) 22nd March
 - (b) 24th February
 - (c) 8th March
 - (d) 22nd February

4. Provisional Government in Russia was led by
 - (a) Lenin
 - (b) Stalin
 - (c) Kerenskii
 - (d) Bolsheviks

5. Most significant result of the February Revolution.
 - (a) Suspension of Duma
 - (b) Abdication of Tsar
 - (c) Petrograd Soviet
 - (d) Women's Participation

6. Which of the following was not a part of the 'April Thesis'?
 - (a) Land to be transferred to the tiller
 - (b) Banks to be nationalised
 - (c) Withdrawal from World War I
 - (d) Establishment of political democracy through constitutional reforms

7. Bolshevik uprising in Petrograd:
- (a) 2nd October
 - (b) 16th October
 - (c) 24th October
 - (d) None of these
8. The Military Revolutionary Committee was headed by:
- (a) Leon Trotskii
 - (b) Vladimir Lenin
 - (c) Pro Tsarists
 - (d) Stalin
9. Ship which shelled the Winter Palace.
- (a) Titanic
 - (b) Aurora
 - (c) Dreamer
 - (d) Neva
10. Bolsheviks controlled the Moscow-Petrograd area by.
- (a) October 1917
 - (b) February 1917
 - (c) December 1917
 - (d) December 1905

Answer the following Questions.

11. What were the main objectives of the Russian Revolutionaries?
12. What changes did industrialisation bring to the then society in Russia?
13. What solutions did radicals and liberals find to the problem of the industrial society?
14. Explain how a society, according to socialists, can operate without property. What would be the basis of socialist society?
15. What developments took place in Europe in support of socialism?
16. What were the events preceding the 1905 Revolution in Russia?
17. Describe the steps taken by Tsar Nicholas II after the Revolution to maintain his authority.
18. What were the conditions in Russia during the First World War?

19. Discuss the role and importance of Lenin in the history of the USSR.

20. Why did Bolshevik Party accept the ‘April Theses’? Give any five reasons.

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