2009

HISTORY

(Major)

Paper: 3.2

(Colonial Rule in Assam: 1826-1947)

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

The questions are of equal value

Answer any five questions

- Make an assessment of Robertson's revenue and administrative reforms. To what extent was he successful?
- 2. What was the impact of the Revolt of 1857 on Assam? Do you agree with the view that Maniram was guided by selfish interests?
- 3. Trace the circumstances leading to the annexation of Jayantia.

- **4.** Discuss British relations with the Garos between 1826 and 1869.
- 5. Examine the nature of the Peasants uprisings in Assam in the second half of the nineteenth century. What were its effects?
- **6.** What was the impact of industrialization on the economy of Assam?
- 7. Write a note on the development of transportation network in nineteenth century Assam.
- **8.** Evaluate the role of the Press in the emergence of political consciousness in Assam.
- 9. Discuss Assam's participation in the National Movement between 1930 and 1942.
- 10. Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - (a) U Tirat Singh
 - (b) Discovery of tea in Assam
 - (c) American Baptist Missionaries
 - (d) Raij Mels
 - (e) Surma Valley Conference

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