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1. **Who was the Nawab of Awadh when the Revolt of 1857 began?**

- a) Wajid Ali Shah
- b) Bahadur Shah II
- c) Nana Sahib
- d) Begum Hazrat Mahal
- **Answer:** a) Wajid Ali Shah

2. **Which city in Uttar Pradesh was one of the main centers of the 1857 revolt?

- a) Agra
- b) Kanpur
- c) Varanasi
- d) Allahabad
- **Answer:** b) Kanpur

3. **Who led the revolt in Kanpur?

- a) Rani Lakshmibai
- b) Bahadur Shah II
- c) Nana Sahib
- d) Tantia Tope
- **Answer:** c) Nana Sahib

4. **Who was the British commander who defended the Residency at Lucknow?

- a) General Havelock
- b) General Outram
- c) General Neill
- d) Sir Henry Lawrence
- **Answer:** d) Sir Henry Lawrence

5. **Who played a key role in the defense of Lucknow after Sir Henry Lawrence's death?



- a) Sir Colin Campbell
- b) Brigadier Inglis
- c) General Havelock
- d) Nana Sahib
- **Answer:** b) Brigadier Inglis

6. **Which prominent female figure took part in the revolt at Lucknow?**

- a) Rani Lakshmibai
- b) Begum Hazrat Mahal
- c) Jind Kaur
- d) Chand Bibi
- **Answer:** b) Begum Hazrat Mahal

7. **Where did Nana Sahib establish his headquarters during the revolt?**

- a) Kanpur
- b) Lucknow
- c) Jhansi
- d) Delhi
- **Answer:** a) Kanpur

8. **What was the fate of the British garrison at Kanpur?

- a) They were rescued by reinforcements
- b) They successfully defended the city
- c) They were massacred at the Bibighar
- d) They surrendered and were released
- **Answer:** c) They were massacred at the Bibighar

9. **Which British general recaptured Kanpur in July 1857?

- a) General Havelock
- b) General Outram



- c) Sir Colin Campbell
- d) General Neill
- ****Answer:**** a) General Havelock

10. ****Who was the Mughal emperor declared as the leader of the 1857 revolt?****

- a) Bahadur Shah II
- b) Akbar II
- c) Wajid Ali Shah
- d) Nana Sahib
- ****Answer:**** a) Bahadur Shah II

11. ****What role did the sepoys of Meerut play in the revolt?****

- a) They led the initial uprising
- b) They defended the British
- c) They were neutral
- d) They fled the scene
- ****Answer:**** a) They led the initial uprising

12. ****Which place did the rebels from Meerut march to after revolting?****

- a) Delhi
- b) Lucknow
- c) Kanpur
- d) Allahabad
- ****Answer:**** a) Delhi

13. ****Who was the rebel leader who joined forces with Nana Sahib in Kanpur?****

- a) Tantia Tope
- b) Rani Lakshmibai
- c) Begum Hazrat Mahal
- d) Bahadur Shah II



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- **Answer:** a) Tantia Tope

14. **Who led the British forces that recaptured Lucknow in March 1858?**

- a) General Havelock
- b) Sir Colin Campbell
- c) General Neill
- d) General Outram

- **Answer:** b) Sir Colin Campbell

15. **Which of the following was a cause of the 1857 revolt in Uttar Pradesh?**

- a) Heavy taxation
- b) Land annexation policies
- c) Discrimination against Indian soldiers
- d) All of the above

- **Answer:** d) All of the above

16. **Which Indian ruler's troops joined the rebels in Kanpur?**

- a) Rani Lakshmibai
- b) Nana Sahib
- c) Begum Hazrat Mahal
- d) Bahadur Shah II

- **Answer:** b) Nana Sahib

17. **Which river is Kanpur located on?**

- a) Ganges
- b) Yamuna
- c) Saraswati
- d) Ghaghara

- **Answer:** a) Ganges



18. **Which British officer was killed during the initial outbreak of the revolt in Meerut?**

- a) Sir Henry Lawrence
- b) General Havelock
- c) Brigadier Johnstone
- d) Colonel Finnis
- **Answer:** d) Colonel Finnis

19. **Which place in Uttar Pradesh was known for its siege during the revolt?

- a) Jhansi
- b) Kanpur
- c) Lucknow
- d) Meerut
- **Answer:** c) Lucknow

20. **Who provided leadership to the rebels in Lucknow alongside Begum Hazrat Mahal?

- a) Nana Sahib
- b) Maulvi Ahmadullah
- c) Tantia Tope
- d) Rani Lakshmibai
- **Answer:** b) Maulvi Ahmadullah

21. **What was the outcome of the siege of Lucknow for the British?

- a) Immediate victory
- b) Prolonged and difficult campaign
- c) Complete defeat
- d) Peaceful negotiation
- **Answer:** b) Prolonged and difficult campaign

22. **Which structure in Lucknow served as a refuge for the British during the siege?

- a) The Residency



- b) Chattar Manzil
- c) Bara Imambara
- d) Rumi Darwaza
- ****Answer:**** a) The Residency

23. ****Who led the final relief and evacuation of the Residency in Lucknow?****

- a) Sir Henry Lawrence
- b) Sir Colin Campbell
- c) General Havelock
- d) Brigadier Inglis
- ****Answer:**** b) Sir Colin Campbell

24. ****Which event marked the end of the revolt in Uttar Pradesh?****

- a) Recapture of Delhi
- b) Recapture of Kanpur
- c) Recapture of Lucknow
- d) Defeat of Tantia Tope
- ****Answer:**** c) Recapture of Lucknow

25. ****Which treaty was signed to officially annex Awadh into British India before the revolt?****

- a) Treaty of Allahabad
- b) Treaty of Lahore
- c) Treaty of Benares
- d) Doctrine of Lapse
- ****Answer:**** c) Treaty of Benares