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CLASS: VIII

SUB: SOCIAL SCIENCE

TOPIC: HISTORY

WORKSHEET

A. Fill in the blanks :

- a. _____ were representatives of the royalty.
- b. The medieval Indian history is identified with the arrivals of the _____.
- c. _____ The British exile Bahadur Shah Zafar II to _____.
- d. The rule of _____ and the Maratha were against the British .
- e. _____ created a permanent police force in India.

B. Write 'T' for True and 'F' for False statements:

- a. The word **sepoy** comes from the hindi word sipahi ().
- b. Lord Wellesley followed two policies ().
- c. Vasco da Gama discovered the sea route to India ().
- d. British controlled the Indian economy ().
- e. Record rooms are present in judicial departments ().

C. Answer the following questions:

- a. What was the use of census surveys ?
- b. List the important sources of history of the modern period of India.
- c. What was the Dual Government system?
- d. How did British gain control over Bengal ?
- e. Explain the expansionist policies of Lord Dalhousie.