

Part - IIQuestion- 2Introduction:

Basically, Aligarh Movement was purely an educational movement for uplifting the poor and persecuted mass of subcontinent especially, the Muslims. However, this movement was not devoid from political objectives too. If one look the Aligarh movement closely, there are many political objectives too, which later achieved by this movement. The movement was purely a peaceful and was trying to create a relation between the British rulers and Muslim citizens of the state.

Many contemporary leaders of Sir Sayyad, the soul of this movement consider him an agent of English but history proved this otherwise.

Purpose of Aligarh Movement

(1) The Western Education for Muslims:

The most important purpose of Aligarh movement was to educate Muslims.

This education was the attainment of the western education. Muslims were lagging ^{far} behind from Hindus. The bonhomie of Hindu with Britishers was ~~far~~ further pushing the Muslims back. Thus, Sir Sayyad committed to uplift Muslims and to save them from elimination as a nation in subcontinent.

(2) Economic prosperity:

Education was directly responsible for economic prosperity. As the Muslims were uneducated, they were not given jobs in government sectors.

Hindus were dominant in every sphere, and were economically prosper. Muslims were further downfalling. The poverty level was

increasing among Muslims. Thus Aligarh's aim was to educate Muslims so that they could get jobs and gain economic prosperity.

3. Social status:

A poor has no social status. The Muslims being poor and economically weak had no status in subcontinent that time. English were favouring the Hindus. As the Hindus had happily accepted the Britishers and their education and culture. Thus for raising social status, Muslims had to gain economic progress and economic progress could not be achieved unless education.

Modus Operandi of Aligarh Movement

- (i) Attaining the Western education the panacea for all problems of the Muslims

Aligarh movement's aim and way of uplifting Muslims was only education. Being an educational movement Aligarh movement had taken the following steps for education:

A. Translation of key English books and magazines into Urdu

Sir Sayyad translated key books and magazines in Urdu so that poor and common Muslim masses get awareness. He tried to give assurances to both Muslims and Britishers that two enemies can be friends, so forget what had happen and move forward for cooperation with each other.

B. Established school at Murad Abad:

The first educational institution Aligarh established was school at Murad Abad and Ghazi pur. It was the practical step to educate Muslims. In these schools both eastern and the western education was

given to the students

c. M-A-O college ::

Sir Sayyad also established Muhammeden Anglo Oriental College (MAO college). It was a best institution. Basically, Sir Sayyad was impressed from ~~exam~~ Cambridge and Oxford University. He was wanted to make it a university, however, it could not materialized unless his death. Later, it named as Aligarh Muslim University.

d. Aligarh Scientific Society ::

Through Aligarh movement, Sir Sayyad also established a scientific society. Its aim was to translate English magazines, books etc into Urdu while Urdu into English. Beside this it tried to make culture and civilization understanding among Muslims and Britishers.

e. Muhammeden Educational Conference ::

This conference played a

crucial role in uplifting the Muslims in subcontinent. This gave awareness to the Muslims that Hindus are subjugating Muslims with help of Britishers. Without getting education, Muslims cannot progress. Thus ~~Mulla~~ Muhammadan educational Conference played a vital role in this regard.

ii. Progress in Economics:-

According to Sir Sayyad Muslims cannot survive politically and socially, if they could not make progress and become economically strong. Thus, through education economic progress is possible.

(iii) Principle of Trinity of Sir Sayyad:-

According to principle of trinity of Sir Sayyad, Muslims have to follow three things in order to survive as a nation in the subcontinent.

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a. Aloofness from politics:

Since, Britishers consider Muslims a potential - threat because they had snatched realm from them. Thus in order to assure Britishers that Muslims will not revolt against them. They should separate themselves from politics.

b. Attain Western Education:

Attaining the western education would be beneficial for Muslims according to Sir Sayyad. As they could get jobs, become economically prosper. Thus they could have social status.

c. Accept Britishers as their ruler and accept western culture.

This would make Britishers friendly toward Muslims, according to the framers of Aligarh movement. In this the survival of Muslims are possible.

How Aligarh movement was not devoid from political objectives.

Basically when a nation is educated and aware about its ways of survival. Then they could participate in politics. For that education and Economy are basic requirements, which were the main objectives of the movement. Thus it can be said due following reasons Aligarh movement was not devoid from politics.

- It gave awareness to the Muslims.
- Education; a prerequisite for political conscious.
- Increased Confidence of British rulers in the Muslim subjects which lead Muslims toward political participation.

Conclusion: Cutting long story short, Aligarh movement was primarily an education movement; However, it was not devoid of political objectives. Because, it

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gave awareness to masses for getting their rights. It increased the economic prosperity and social status of Muslims in sub-continent which later proved politically, economically and socially very beneficial for survival of Muslims in subcontinent.



Question-6

Introduction:

Currently, Pakistan is facing a huge economic crisis. The inflation is all time high in Pakistan. Oil and electricity prices have risen to an unbearable stage. The living standard has fallen. Cost of living is unimaginably high. In short, economic crisis has crippled the country. There are many causes for recent economic

melt down. Some of the main causes are given below.

Causes of Current Economic melt down in Pakistan

I Political instability:-

Perhaps, political instability is the most important cause of current economic turmoil in Pakistan. Frequent exchange of governments and political uncertainty in Pakistan have significantly disturbed business community and trade in country which lead to the current economic meltdown.

II Corruption:-

Corruption is another important factor of Pakistan's current economic turmoil. Allocated funds are not used properly for welfare of public. The management and preparedness of country for any disaster is not possible. The 2009 floods are

example. Dilapidated roads, had been swayed. Bridges were collapsed. The public engineering utterly failed. As the funds were embezzled through corruption among leaders and officials.

III Population :

In recent surveys, and reports, population of Pakistan is 229.5 million, while it was only 30 million at the time of birth. This shows six fold increase in population, which is alarming. The more population, the more funds and resources are needed.

IV Missmanagement of Resources :

Pakistan is a rich country in natural resources. It has the biggest canal system. Fertile lands, natural gas, gold mines and other numerous resources. Unfortunately, it could not exploit its resources. Besides this, renewable energy resources

and much more

VI Governance crisis:

Pakistan also facing governance crisis due to which facing today's economic meltdown.

VIII Lagging behind in Technology:

India exports more than \$ 190 billion from its softwares. Imagine Pakistan earns only \$ 4 Billion from same sector. One can imagine the causes of economic meltdown of Pakistan.

VIII Terrorism:

Due to terrorism and spoiling law and order situations, FDI decreases. Foreign investors reluctant to invest in country.

(IX) Decrease in Exports:

Pakistan's exports significantly decreased which is a reason for current economic meltdown.

Some measures for addressing core economic issues

I. Political stability:

It can only be achieved through timely and transparent elections.

II. Accountability:

Public should hold their elected leaders accountable if they do any wrong. Beside this law should be strong for curbing corruption cases, etc.

III. Good governance:

It is a panacea for fluctuating economy of Pakistan.

IV. Rooting out terrorism:

It will boost the foreign Direct Investment and improve economy in many ways.

V. Careful Resources management of Resources:

Careful management of resources can boost the ailing economy.

of Pakistan.

VII Increasing Exports: It is another

way to boost the economy of country. Being an agricultural country it is penance for the melting economy of Pakistan.

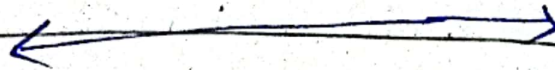
VIII Advance in Technology:

can help country to overcome economic challenges.

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Conclusion:

To sum up it can be said that there are various causes and numerous reasons for the fluctuating economy of Pakistan today. Also, there are number of ways to boost up the fledgling economy of country. Thus, the need is to act now to save the country.



Question-3

Introduction:

It is a fact that the Hindu and Muslims are two different nations. They cannot be submerged with each other because inspite of living hundred years together their gap could not be decreased. Thus, the unbridgeable gulf between Hinduism and Islam has been and will be existing as witnessed by history.

Let us analyze some of the prominent aspects of Hinduism and Islam.

Some prominent aspects of Hinduism & Islam Hindu ^{and Islamic} culture and religion has many aspects, some are given below.

- a. Way of worship: of Hinduism has entirely different way of worship. Such as idol worship. They have different days for their

worship. Islam on other hand has different worship ways such as Namaz, salat, etc.

b. Masjid and Mandar are different.

Mosques and the temples of are entirely different.

c. Pilgrimage:

Although Hindu to do pilgrimage but the Islamic pilgrimage is different. Muslims have to go for (Kaaba Sharif) Saudi Arabia for performing pilgrim.

d. Food:

The food of Hindus and Muslims are different. For example pig and cow slaughtering.

e. Zakat system:

It is purely Islamic. Hindus have no any Zakat system.

f. Azan:

Azan is a great controversy between Hindu and Muslims. Even Deen-e-Alahi of Akbar had

forbiden Azan calling.

g. Caste system:

In Hinduism a huge caste difference existed while in Islam, no one is above each other, All are equal in the sight of Allah. However, in Hinduism, shodes, Brahamins, etc strongly exists even in modern time as well.

h. Festivals:

Festivals eg marriage system etc of both nations are also different.

i. Hindu ~~burn~~ burn while Muslims burried their deads - Even the last i.e deads are treated differently by Hindus and Muslims.

Conclusion:

From above discussion it has been cleared that both Hinduism and Islam are entirely different. The followers of Islam and Hinduism both

have kept intact their traditions, religious teachings and cultures. Thus they could not be amalgamated like two streams which continue to un-parallel to each other indefinitely.



Question-5

Introduction:-

Population is rapidly growing throughout the world. It poses huge problems to whole world. Scientists are very worried about the rapidly growing population. According to a report of United nation, the population of the world is estimated to reach 10.3 billion in 2086 which was previously estimated to reach this growth in 2100. This shows alarm bells for

for the world. Increasing population has numerous challenges for the world.

Why population of the world

There are many causes of growing population in the world, some are given below.

(i) Increased life expectancy:

Previously, people were dying early, there were no such treatments, etc.

But now-a-days, average life expectancy is high, which is a big cause of growth of population in the world.

(ii) Decreased infant mortality rate:

Infant mortality has been controlled due to scientific inventions and the medical science to a large extent. Thus it is a factor for growing population in the world.

(iii) Control on diseases: In past, one

would used to kill millions of peoples and sometimes finishing entire populations. But today, there is no such phenomenon. Actually, population is growing unhindered..

Effects of population on socio-economic climate of country

Growing population has many effects on socio-economic climate of Pakistan some are given below.

- ★ Unemployment
- ★ Water and food shortage in the country
- ★ Grows the demand of energy
- ★ street crimes
- ★ Urbanization increases due to population increase

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How population can be beneficial

→ Population can only be beneficial

When remains in limit. Unleashed population cannot be maintained by the states. However, limited population can be made useful by following steps.

- ★ Giving skills to youth make it beneficial.
- ★ Educated youth can be beneficial.
- ★ Conscious people will be beneficial for state.

Conclusion:

In short, population has been rapidly growing in the world, in general and particular in Pakistan. It is creating numerous problems for Pakistan. Thus Pakistan should limit its population by giving awareness to the masses, educating them to use contraceptives etc, so that this big issue of country could be resolved.

