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## The British Raj and the First war of Independence

### Worksheet

1. Choose the correct answer

1. The east India Company was formed by some merchants of \_\_\_\_\_

Ans) C. England

2. Vasco da Gama was a \_\_\_\_\_

Ans) C. ~~Port~~ Portuguese

3. The Battle of ~~Por~~ Plassey occurred in

Ans) a. 1757

4. Who led the ~~the~~ Revolt of 1857 in Awadh?

Ans) ~~the~~ ~~Kunwar~~ ~~Singh~~ <sup>x</sup> a. Begum Hazrat Mahal

5. \_\_\_\_\_ was the last Mughal Emperor.

Ans) a. ~~the~~ Bahadur Shah Zafar

11. Fill in the blanks

1. Lord Dalhousie introduced the Doctrine of Lapse.
2. Bahadur Shah Zafar was the leader of the Great Revolt of 1857.
3. The Doctrine of Lapse made many Indians ~~the~~ rulers unhappy.
4. After 1857, India was no longer ruled by governor-general but by British Government.
5. The Battle of Buxar

111. Match it

Column A

Column B

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1. Doctrine of Lapse was introduced | a. ~~Enfield~~ Enfield (3)

by

2. The Battle of <sup>Plassey</sup> Plassey was fought | b. Lord Dalhousie (1)

in the year

3. The new rifles that the company | c. 1757 (2)

introduced

4. Bahadur Shah Zafar | d. Awadh (5)

5. Begum Hazrat Mahal | e. Delhi (4)

IV. Write 'True' or 'False'

1. Vasco da ~~Gama~~ Gama was the first European to arrive in India. True

2. Siraj-ud-Daulah won the Battle of Plassey. False

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3. Indians were happy with the policies of the British.

False

4. Mangal Pandey was the first Indian sepoy to ~~openly~~ openly refuse to use the controversial cartridges. True

5. Kunwar Singh led the revolt in Bihar. True