

HW

SOCIALISM IN EUROPE AND RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

1 Narrate the reasons for 1905 Revolution in Russia.

Ans The 1905 Revolution was spurred by the Russian defeat in Russo-Japanese War. Due to low wages and poor working conditions, people revolted against it. Weak leadership of Tsar Nicholas II led to revolutionary movements for worker-run government.

2 What was the impact of 1st World War on Russia?

Ans Russia had few own industries and the country was cut off from supplies of industrial goods by German control of Baltic Sea. Industrial equipment disintegrated more rapidly in Russia than elsewhere in Europe.

3 What was the new name of St. Petersburg?

Ans Petrograd.

4 Who were Jadidists?

Ans Jadidists were Muslim reformers within Russian Empire who wanted modernized Islam to lead their societies.

5 What do you mean by Bloody Sunday?

Ans Bloody Sunday was a massacre that took place

on 22nd January, 1905 in St. Petersburg, wherein over 100 workers were killed and about 300 wounded when they took out a procession to present an appeal to Tsar.

Q What is Duma?

Ans A Duma is a Russian assembly with advisory or legislative functions.