

Homework Questions

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1. Who was the leader of Bolshevik party?
Vladimir Lenin
2. What do you mean by Bloody Sunday?
 - The year 1904 was particularly bad one for Russian workers. Prices of essential goods rose quickly that real wages declined by 20%.
 - When four members of the Assembly of Russian Workers, which had been formed in 1904, were dismissed at the Putilov Iron Works, there was a call for industrial action.
 - Over the next few days over 110 000 workers at St Petersburg went on strike demanding a reduction in the working day to eight hours, an increase in wages & improvement in working conditions.
 - When the procession of workers led by Father Gapon reached the Winter Palace it was attacked by the police & the Cossacks. Over 100 workers were killed & 300 wounded. This incident known as Bloody Sunday

3. What was Duma?

During the 1905 Revolution, the Tsar allowed the creation of an elected consultative Parliament called as Duma.

4. What was the Result of 1905 Revolution in Russia?

→ Universities closed down, doctors, engineers & other middle class workers demanded a Constituent Assembly

→ Consultative parliament or Duma was formed.

→ The Committee & the Unions were declared illegal & severe restrictions were made on political activity

→ The first - was dismissed & re-elected the second Duma.

5. Explain the causes ~~of~~ ^{for the} 1905 Revolution of 1905 in Russia?

- Prices of essential goods rose so quickly that real wages declined by 20%
 - The membership of workers' associations rose dramatically.
 - When the four members of Assembly of Russian Workers were dismissed at the Putilov Iron Works, there was a call for industrial action.
 - Over the next few days over 110000 workers in St Petersburg went on strike demanding a reduction in the working day to eight hours, an increase in wages & improvement in working conditions.
- So, these were the causes ~~of~~ ^{for the} Revolution of 1905 in Russia.

6. Narrate the Reasons for 1905 Revolution in Russia.

- Prices of essential goods rose so quickly that real wages declined per 20%.
- When four members of the assembly of Russian Workers were dismissed at the Putilov Iron Works, there was a call for industrial action.
- Over the next few days over 110000 workers at St Petersburg went on strike demanding a reduction in the working day to eight hours, an increase in wages and improvement in working conditions.
- When the procession of workers led by Father Gapon reached Winter Palace it was attacked by the police & the Cossacks. Over 100 workers were killed & about 300 wounded.
- This incident took place is known as 1905 Revolution in Russia or Bloody Sunday.

Ques

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7. What was the impact of first world war on Russia?

The impact of the first world war on Russia are:-

- Russia's own industries were few in number & the country was cut off from other supplies of industrial goods by German control of the Baltic Sea.
- Industrial equipment disintegrated more rapidly in Russia than elsewhere in Europe.
- By 1916, railway lines began to break down.
- Able bodied men were called up to the war. As a result, there were labour shortages & small workshops producing essentials were shut down.
- Large supplies of grain were sent to feed the army. For the people in the cities, bread & flour became scarce.

Q What was the other name of St Petersburg?
Petrograd

Q Who were Jadidists?
Jaldidists are Muslim reformers within the Russian empire.