

Worksheet

Q1) Why did some industrialists in 19th - Century Europe prefer hand labour over machines?

Ans. Some industrialists in nineteenth-century Europe preferred hand labour over machines because: Mechanics were costly, ineffectively difficult to repair and needed huge capital investment. Labour was available that firms in low price.

Q2) How did the seasonality of employment affect the lives of the workers during 18th century England?

Seasonality of work meant a prolonged period of unemployment
workers were forced again
on the streets

Many went back to their
villages others looked for odd jobs
in the cities

3) The upper class in Victorian
Britain preferred things produced
by hand why?

Ans. The upper class in Victorian Britain
preferred things produced by hand
because they came the symbolised
refinement and class. i) The products
could be customised according to
their choices and they could get
these made according and
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to their wishes and like