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1. Which Empire ruled Maharashtra in the 4th and 3rd century BC ?

- (a) Gupta Empire
- (b) Chalukya Empire
- (c) Maurya Empire**
- (d) Rashtrakuta Dynasty

2. Maharashtra came under the rule of the Satavahana dynasty for years.

- (a) 100
- (b) 200
- (c) 300
- (d) 400**

3. Who was the greatest ruler of the Satavahana Dynasty ?

- (a) Gautamiputra Satakarni**
- (b) Pulakeshin II
- (c) Harshavardhan
- (d) Vikramaditya II

4. Who conquered parts of the Deccan & temporarily shifted his capital from Delhi to Daulatabad in Maharashtra ?

- (a) Ala-ud-din Khalji
- (b) Nizamshah
- (c) Muhammad bin Tughluq**
- (d) Qutubshah

5. When did 'The Third Anglo-Maratha war ' take place ?

- (a) 1815–1816
- (b) 1817–1818**
- (c) 1819–1820
- (d) 1821–1822

6. In which year Satara was annexed to the Bombay Presidency ?

- (a) 1848**
- (b) 1849
- (c) 1850
- (d) 1851

7. Berar, which had been part of the Nizam of Hyderabad's kingdom, was occupied by the British in which year ?

- (a) 1851
- (b) 1852
- (c) 1853**

(d) 1854

8. Who became the first Chief Minister of the Congress party led Government of tri-lingual Bombay Presidency ?

(a) Vinayak Damodar Savarkar

(b) Mahadev Govind Ranade

(c) B. G. Kher

(d) Pherozeshah Mehta

9. Who was the leader of 'Samyukta Maharashtra Samiti'?

(a) Keshavrao Jedhe

(b) Gopalrao Khedkar

(c) S.M. Joshi

(d) Shripad Amrit Dange

10. In the early 14th century which dynasty ruled most of present-day Maharashtra ?

(a) Yadava dynasty

(b) Satavahana dynasty

(c) Rashtrakuta Dynasty

(d) Chalukaya Dynasty