Study Guide—Part II

1. What did the British government do after the Revolt of 1857?
2. Explain the idea of "separate electorates."
3. Explain the main points of the Cripps Plan of 1942. Why did the plan fail?
4. What were Gandhi's main tactics to achieve independence?
5. According to Gandhi and Nehru, why did communal problems exist between Hindus and Mus- lims? Gandhi:
Nehru:

6. What specific Hindu actions worried many Muslims?

7. How did Jinnah's tactics for seeking independence differ from Gandhi's?

8. What events in 1937 convinced many Muslims that they needed a separate homeland?

9. What did the Muslim League demand in 1940?

10. How did the elections of 1946 differ from those of 1937?

11. Was the Muslim League justified in asking for a separate homeland for Muslims? Explain.