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Unit I
Political conditions of the region on the eve of Gorkh invasion
I.1. Early Himachal: Tribalism to State Formation Emergence of Chamba (Champaka), Kangra (Trigarta) and Kulu (Kuluta)
I.2. Relations and Confrontations with medieval States of North India
I.3. Himachal Hill States in the early Nineteenth Century
I.4. The Gorkha invasion: Process of repulsion; British and the Gorkhas; Treaty of Segauli
I.5. Consequences of the Anglo-Gorkha War of 1814-15

Unit II
The establishment of the British Paramountcy
II.1. Himachal under the British: reorganization of the ‘Hill States’
II.2. Grant of sanads and territorial aggression
II.3. British political and administrative policies
II.4. Penetration and mechanisms of control
II.5. Network of communication: The Hindustan-Tibet Road and Kalka-Simla Railway Line

Unit III
The beginning of the uneasy calm
III.1. 1857 and Himachal
III.2. Popular protest and social reform movements in Himachal Pradesh from 1839-1948; agitations against the British and the hill rajas,

III.3 The questions of begar and reet

III.4. Praja Mandal, Freedom movements and peasant protests

III.5. Pajhota Andolan

Unit IV

The Idea of Himachal Pradesh

IV.1. The birth of modern Himachal: 1947-71: party politics and re-organization

IV.2. Socio-economic change in modern Himachal

IV.3. H. P. Ceiling of Land Holding Bill, 1972

IV.4. Tribes of Himachal Pradesh with special reference to Gaddi, Gujjar, Kinnaura, Lahaula, and Pangwal

IV.5. Art and architecture in the 19th and 20th centuries with special reference to colonial architecture (Simla and main cantonments in Himachal Pradesh)

Recommended Books


6. J. Hutchison and J. Ph. Vogel, History of Panjab Hill States, 2 Vols ( Lahore 1933; Reprinted by Department of Languages and Culture, Himachal Pradesh,1982).


14. Mian Goverdhan Singh, History of Himachal Pradesh (Delhi, 1982).
