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THIRD ARTS AND VISITING

**HI302: COLONIAL AND ANTI-COLONIAL NATIONALISM, C.1890-1960**

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Time : **TWO** hours  
Answer **THREE** questions

1. Which economic factors have theorists identified as being of crucial importance in the development of nationalism in the modern world?
2. What determined whether nationalism took a 'colonial' or an 'anti-colonial' form in British colonies in this period?
3. How far did the South African War of 1899-1902 create an Afrikaner identity that excluded both English speakers and non-whites?
4. What obstacles prevented the emergence of a national identity that encompassed all inhabitants of the Canadian state before 1914?
5. Does the 'Australian Legend' provide an accurate picture of the emergence of national sentiment in Australia prior to World War One?
6. 'The emergence of nationalism in New Zealand was more the result of a dislike of Australia than a dislike for the imperial connection.' Discuss.
7. 'A microscopic minority amidst a sea of collaborators.' Discuss this verdict on the Indian Congress movement during **EITHER** the period before World War One **OR** the interwar years.
8. How far did World War One encourage the emergence of nationalism in Britain's colonies? Discuss with reference to **AT LEAST TWO** areas.
9. Did 'colonial' nationalists succeed in securing their aims during the inter-war period?
10. Why were nationalists in South Africa so divided during the interwar years, and so united thereafter?
11. Did World War Two make the emergence and strengthening of 'anti-colonial' nationalisms inevitable?

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12. How far did nationalism lay the basis for the formation of independent, modern states in former colonial territories in the wake of British decolonisation? Answer with reference to **AT LEAST TWO** countries.