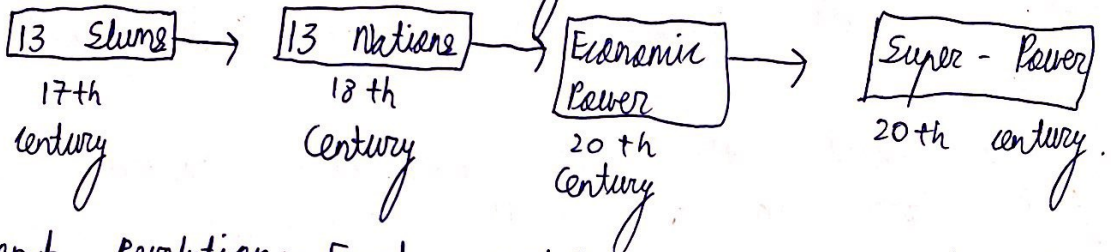


Q) Explain how the foundations of the modern world were laid by the American and French Revolution.

A) American Revolution:- These were the set of events which led to the formation of America as a super power in 20th century from a set of 13 slums in the 17th century.



French Revolution:- French revolution were a set of events which created a very big impact in the history of mankind not just in France but in whole of Europe & also in the rest of the world since it abolished the old monarchical system & led to the birth of Republican government.

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i) Economic consequences:-

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a) American revolution led to the birth of industrialisation in America.

b) Because of instability in Europe, America became a market for investment and capitalism.

c) The three laws i.e., the industrial policy, navigational law and the trade monopoly were abolished which helped the American industries to grow.

d) America also developed a good infrastructure.

ii) Social consequences:-

After industrialisation in America the individual lost his idea & the individual was now to be known by his class.

Contribution of French Revolution:-

i) French revolution for the first time gave birth to principles like equality, liberty, Fraternity etc. and its impact was spread throughout the world.

ii) It ended the old monarchical system and gave birth to the republic government.

iii) The ideas of the French revolution were not just limited to Europe but were also seen to be impacting various countries of Africa and Asia which were colonies of Britain for example the French revolution in India was also celebrated by Raja Ram Mohan Roy in India.

Conclusion

i) American revolution and the French revolution have played an important role in spreading ideas of liberty, equality, fraternity etc. throughout the world.

ii) The industrialisation which occurred after American revolution has played an inspiring role for many developing and upcoming economic powers in Asia. The biggest example is India and China.

iii) French revolution during French revolution the codification of law which was done by Napoleon is being followed by almost all the countries in today's date.