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Chapter 14

New Developments In Arts, Painting, Literature and Architecture

SOLUTIONS:

Exercises:

1. Answer each question in a word or a sentence

(a) When did the British Shift its capital to Delhi?

Ans: In 1911.

(b) Who painted Tears Drop on a Lotus leaf?

Ans: Abanindranath Tagore.

2. Answer each question in about 30 words

(a) How did the first printing press come to India?

Ans: On March 29, 1556, a batch of Jesuit missionaries carrying printing press was to going to Ethiopia. On their way to Ethiopia, they arrived at Goa on September 6, 1556, While they were preparing to proceed their journey they received a news that the Ethiopian emperor was not keen to receive the missionaries. Thus printing press came to India.

(b) Why were the missionaries credited for taking pioneering role on publishing literature in India?

Ans: The missionaries were credited for taking pioneering role on publishing literature in India because they established a number of Printing presses in many parts of India triggering a language and literature revolution.

(c) Write the role of William Carey in the history of printing press in India.

Ans: The role of William Carey in the history of printing press in India includes the set up of the first paper making factory and the first foundry.

Fill in the blank column by using appropriate term

(a) In Mumbai the first printing press was imported as early as 1670 by Bhimjee Parikh.