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## GCSE

165/02

### HISTORY

**SPECIFICATION A: IN-DEPTH AND OUTLINE STUDIES OF ASPECTS OF WELSH/ENGLISH AND WORLD HISTORY**

**SPECIFICATION B: IN-DEPTH, THEMATIC AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES OF ASPECTS OF WELSH/ENGLISH AND WORLD HISTORY**

**PAPER 1**

**STUDY IN-DEPTH/THEMATIC STUDY**

**02 – POPULAR MOVEMENTS IN WALES AND ENGLAND, 1815-1845**

A.M. WEDNESDAY, 3 June 2009

1 hour (of two hour examination)

Questions answered	Office use
Q.1 (Compulsory)	/20
Q.	/25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>/45</b>

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer Question 1 (Section A) **and** *either* Question 2 *or* Question 3 (Section B).

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. Use supplementary sheets when there is insufficient room in this booklet. Write your name at the top of each supplementary sheet, indicating clearly the number of the question you answer. Put the supplementary sheets inside this booklet.

#### INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You will be awarded marks for the quality of your written communication.

Your answers must be relevant and must make full use of information given to be awarded full marks for a question.

**You are reminded that you should always support your answers using your knowledge and understanding of the topic chosen.**

Answer Question 1 in Section A and **either** Question 2 **or** Question 3 in Section B.

**SECTION A**  
**(COMPULSORY)**

**1. This question is about the Merthyr Rising, 1831.**

Study the sources below and then answer the questions which follow each source. [20]

**Source A**



[Iron workers at Merthyr Tydfil in the early nineteenth century]

(a) Use Source A and your own knowledge to describe working conditions in Merthyr Tydfil in the early nineteenth century. [3]

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**Source B**

The Merthyr ironworkers and coalminers had many reasons for discontent. Their standard of living varied with the prosperity of the iron industry. They disliked being paid monthly and they hated the truck system.

[From D. Evans, *Wales in Modern Times* (1987)]

- (b) Use the information in Source B and your own knowledge to explain why many people in Merthyr Tydfil were discontented. [4]

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**Source C**

We find political reasons to have disappeared. The reduction of wages in the Cyfarthfa Works, and the people's hatred of the Court of Requests, together with other minor matters, formed the main causes of people's discontent.

[From the official report of the government to the Merthyr authorities, explaining the reasons for the Merthyr Rising (28 July 1831)]

- (c) How useful is Source C as evidence to an historian studying the causes of the Merthyr Rising?  
Explain your answer using the source and your own knowledge. [5]

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**SECTION B**

Answer **either** Question 2 or Question 3.

**2. This question is about the growth of radicalism, 1815-1822.**

Study the information below and then answer the questions which follow.

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**INFORMATION**

There was much unrest and protest in the period 1815-1822. The picture shows the arrest of the Cato Street conspirators.



(a) (i) What was the Cato Street Conspiracy of 1820?

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(b) (i) Describe what happened at Spa Fields, London, in 1816. [3]

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(ii) Explain why the government passed the Six Acts in 1819. [4]

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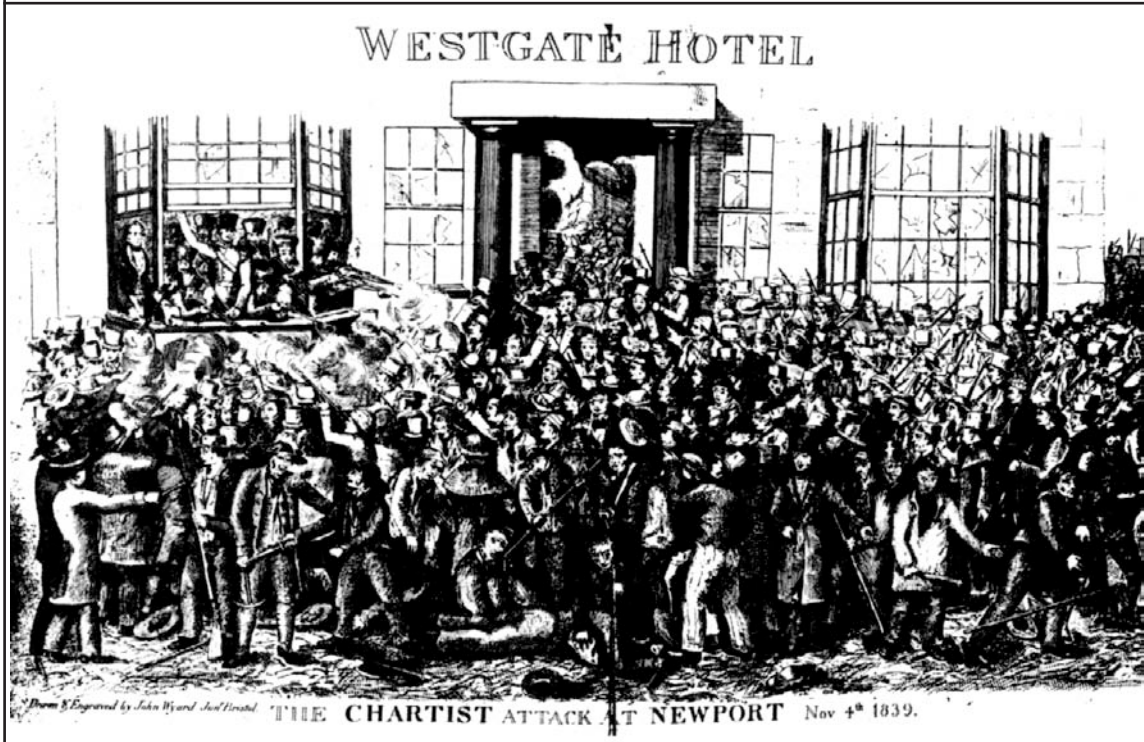
3. This question is about Chartism.

Study the information below and then answer the questions which follow.

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INFORMATION

There was widespread social distress and discontent in Wales and England in the 1830s. The picture shows Chartists protesting.



(a) (i) What was physical force Chartism?

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