- the conduct of trade and commerce in Assamduring the colonial period.
- the establishment of markets by the colonial government in Assam and the business transacted there.



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12.9 ANSWERS TO CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

Answer to Q No. 1: Silk and bell metal smithy.

Answer to Q No. 2: In 1868.

Answer to Q No. 3: In 1858.

Answer to Q No. 4: Commissioner Hopkinson.

Answer to Q No. 5: Kandahar or Hadirachowkey.

Answer to Q No. 6: Abors and Daflas.

Answer to Q No. 7: Market is a place where the business is transacted.

Answer to Q No. 8: Jute and Cotton.

12.10 MODEL QUESTIONS

A) Very Short Questions (Answer each question within 50 words)

Q 1: Name the three major industries established in colonial Assam.

Q 2: Who surveyed the Sylhet-Gauhati road in 1828?