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Indian Muslims Since Partition



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The present monograph entitled "Indian Muslims since Partition" was, in fact, in the form of three lectures delivered by Mr. Balraj Puri, a topranking human rightist and a free-lance journalist of repute on July 8, 9 and 10, 1992 under the auspices of the Institute of Objective Studies, New Delhi. In these lectures the learned author has given the background situation before the partition of the 'United India" of the British colonialists and the trials and tribulations of the Indian Muslims after the partition. The so-called independence or freedom which the Indians and Pakistanis claimed that they had achieved proved to be a nightmare for both. The question that has been taken up and explained in a summary manner needs to be explored in detail by every student of Sociology, Political Science and History. The point that demands our full attention is whether the Muslim League leaders of the days of partition achieved all that they wished to achieve and on the other hand whether all that befell to the Indian Muslims since then was all that they had apprehended before and immediately after the partition. The author is well nigh silent on the first part of the question, but deals in detail with the second one.

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