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(Kerala Map to Accompany)

FIFTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018

(CUCBCSS—UG)

History

HIS 5B 07—KERALA SOCIETY AND CULTURE : ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Section A (Objective Type Questions)

Answer all questions.

Each question carries ½ mark.

1. Highest mountain peak of Kerala :
(a) Ponmudi. (b) Anamudi.
(c) Nelliampathy. (d) Vagamon.
2. Author of the book Sivanandalahari :
(a) Nammalvar. (b) Appar.
(c) Sankaracharya. (d) Kulasekhara Alwar.
3. Among the Manipravalam works, the most important Sandesakavya is :
(a) Unniati Charitham. (b) Leelathilakam.
(c) Dasavathara Charitham. (d) Unnunili Sandesam.
4. Synod of Diampier was conducted at Udayamperur in :
(a) 1499 A.D. (b) 1599 A.D.
(c) 1699 A.D. (d) 1609 A.D.

Fill in the blanks :

5. Atula, author of Mushakavamsa adorned the court of _____.
6. Chera king who was depicted in the Second part of Patittippathu was _____.
7. _____ was the ruler of Venad on the eve of Portuguese arrival.
8. When Tippu attacked Nedumkotta _____ was the Travancore ruler.

Turn over

Match the following :

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| 9. Rasi and Panam | - 1690 A.D. |
| 10. Manram | - Military combat. |
| 11. Anjengo Fort | - Coins. |
| 12. Ankam | - Popular Assembly. |

(12 × ½ = 6 marks)

Section B (Short Answers)

*Answer any seven questions in 50 words each.
Each question carries 2 marks.*

13. Megaliths.
14. Anchuvannam.
15. Perumpadappu Swaroopam.
16. Poduval.
17. Niranam Poets.
18. Francis Xavier.
19. Kunjan Nambiar.
20. Treaty of Mavelikkara.
21. Mixed Colony System.

(7 × 2 = 14 marks)

Section C (Map Study)

*Locate all the following centres of Megalithic culture in the outline map provided.
Each question carries 1 mark.*

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| 22. Porkalam. | 25. Eyyal. |
| 23. Marayur. | 26. Ariyannur. |
| 24. Kodanadu. | 27. Kattakambal. |

(6 × 1 = 6 marks)

Section D (Short Essays)

*Answer any four questions in 150 words each.
Each question carries 6 marks.*

28. Give a brief sketch of the influence of geography on the historical evolution of Kerala.
29. Give an account of the significance of Brahmin migration to Kerala.

30. Write a note on Jenmi system.
31. Bring out the impact of Mysorean Invasions.
32. Examine the Dutch contributions to Kerala.
33. Trace out the impact of Bhakti movement in medieval Kerala.

(4 × 6 = 24 marks)

Section E (Essays)

*Answer any two questions in 350 words each.
Each question carries 15 marks.*

34. Point out the maritime contacts of Kerala with foreign countries in ancient times and analyse its results.
35. Evaluate the role of temples in Medieval Kerala Society.
36. Sketch the significance of archaeological sources for the reconstruction of Kerala History.
37. Discuss the evolution of Malayalam language and literature.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)