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(India map to accompany)

SIXTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH/APRIL 2018

(CUCBCSS—UG)

History

HIS 6B 12—HISTORY OF CONTEMPORARY INDIA

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Answers may be written either in English or Malayalam.

Section A (Objective Type)

Answer all the twelve questions.

Each carries ½ marks.

Name the following :

- 1 The Architect of Indian Constitution.
- 2 Ruler of Kashmir at the time of Indian independence.
- 3 Director of the film 'Agantuk'.
- 4 The proposal submitted by Rajiv Gandhi for the protection of environment in the IXth NAM Submit.

Fill in the blanks:

- 5 The Constituent Assembly held its first meeting on _____.
- 6 The Silent-Valley National Park is in the Indian State _____.
- 7 The Fundamental Duties were incorporated in the Constitution by the _____ amendment.
- 8 _____ abolished the system of Privy Purse.

Match the following :

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|-------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 9 Article 21 (A) | — | Right to Freedom. |
| 10 Article 19-22 | — | Right to Education. |
| 11 Article 36 -51 | — | Emergency Provision. |
| 12 Article 352 | — | Directive Principles. |

(12 × ½ = 6 marks)

Turn over

Section B (Short Answers)

Answer any seven of the following in about fifty words.

Each carries 2 marks.

- 13 Objective Resolution.
- 14 Mayilamma.
- 15 Jawahar Rozgar Yojana.
- 16 Non-Aligned Movement.
- 17 RTI Act.
- 18 Naxalism.
- 19 Globalisation.
- 20 Twenty Point Programme.
- 21 Operation Blue Star.

(7 × 2 = 14 marks)

Section C (Map Study)

Mark on the outline map of India the following six Dam sites.

Each carries 1 mark.

- 22 Bhakra-Nangal.
- 23 Nagarjuna Sagar.
- 24 Damodar Valley.
- 25 Hirakud.
- 26 Sardar Sarovar.
- 27 Tehri Dam.

(6 × 1 = 6 marks)

Section D (Short Essays)

Answer any four of the following in about 150 words each.

Each carries 6 marks.

- 28 Explain briefly the genesis of Kashmir problem.
- 29 Give a brief description of Satyajit Ray's contributions to Indian Cinema.
- 30 Summarise the major environmental movements in the post-independent India.

- 31 Briefly explain the Babri-Masjid issue.
- 32 Give an estimate of Mahasweta Devi's contributions to Bengali literature.
- 33 Examine the causes of Delhi Riots.

(4 × 6 = 24 marks)

Section E (Essays)

Answer any two in about 350 words.

Each carries 15 marks.

- 34 What were the problems encountered by Sardar Patel in the integration of States ?
- 35 Define the term 'Green Revolution'. Summarise the effects of Green Revolution on Indian agricultural sector.
- 36 What led Indira Gandhi to declare Emergency in 1975 ?
- 37 Evaluate Nehru's concept of Development.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)