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MASTER'S DEGREE (C.S.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024 2024 ADMISSIONS REGULAR

SEMESTER I - CORE COURSE HISTORY

HI1C03TM20 - History of Kerala Till the End of the Perumal Rule

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weight: 30

Part A

I. Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 1 weight

(8x1=8)

- 1. Who is llango Adigal?
- 2. List out the major works of Rajan Gurukkal.
- 3. What is cultural symbiosis?
- 4. Define the term 'Kudakallu'.
- 5. Write a note on Palai.
- 6. Define Mesolithic culture.
- 7. Point out Karanmai.
- 8. What is Kutis?
- 9. Who is Kulottunga?
- 10. Point out Uralas.

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 2 weight

(6x2=12)

- 11. Write a short essay on problems of centrality of wetland paddy economy.
- 12. Evaluate on the concept of K. Kailasapathy on Tamil heroic poetry.
- 13. Explain the transmarine contacts of ancient Tamilakam.
- 14. Sketch the geographical characteristics of highlands in Kerala.
- 15. Analyze the socio-economic life of the early inhabitants in prehistoric Kerala.
- 16. Sketch the features of agrarian societies in Kerala.
- 17. Evaluate the role of temples in Kerala.
- 18. Write a note on the Indian Ocean trade.

Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 5 weight

(2x5=10)

- 19. Trace out the contributions of Elamkulam Kunjan Pillai to Kerala history.
- 20. Give an account of the political institution and administrative organization under the cheras of Mahodayapuram.
- 21. Describe in detail about Devaswam and Brahmaswam land.
- 22. Evaluate the polity under Nattutayvar and Perumal.