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M A DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024

Fourth Semester

Core - HY010401 - SITUATING ENVIRONMENTAL HISTORY OF INDIA

MA HISTORY,MA HISTORICAL STUDIES
2019 ADMISSION ONWARDS
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Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

Instructions: (Applicable for **Private Registration, 2020 Admission Onwards**) This question paper contains two sections. Answer section I questions in the answer book provided. Section II Internal examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under section II.

SECTION I

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. Planetary Consciousness
- 2. Gaulmika
- 3. Itinerant Science
- 4. Tribals and Hunting
- 5. Robert Kyd
- 6. Mines and environment
- 7. Air Pollution
- 8. Urban Poverty
- 9. Koodamkulam Agitation
- 10. Mayilamma

(8×1=8 weightage)



Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

- 11. Brandis was sympathetic towards the forest dwellers of India. Explicate
- 12. How did the British manage to create monopoly over cinchona cultivation?
- 13. State how the British managed to monopolise the use of forest wealth in India through legislations and administrative reforms.
- 14. State how the British brought Cochin and Travancore forests under their control.
- 15. Why did Nehru gave a call for , Industrialise or Perish?
- 16. Tribal protests in India reflect ecological rootedness to the core. Justify.
- 17. Narrate the events leading to the tree hugging in Uttarakhand.
- 18. Bring out the role played by scientist and literary people in Silent Valley Agitation.

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. Examine the major approaches to Indian environmental history in the post colonial phase.
- 20. Do you think that the mode of resource use framework is useful in the study of environmental changes in India?
- 21. Comment on the making of hill stations in colonial India with refernce to Munnar in Travancore.
- 22. Critically examine the role of women in Indian environmental movements and state how they dominated it.

 (2×5=10 weightage)