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HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION - 2024**10** - Std**SOCIAL SCIENCE**

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Time : 3.00 Hrs

Marks : 100

PART - I**I CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.****14 x 1 = 14**

- 1 **Where did the US drop its first atomic bomb?**
a) Kavashaki b) Tokyo c) Hiroshima d) Nagasaki
- 2 **Who issued the Triuchirappalli proclamation of Independence?**
a) Marudhu brothers b) Puli Thevar
c) Veerapandya Kattabomman d) Gopala Nayak
- 3 **What was the context in which the Chotanagpur Tenancy Act was passed?**
a) Kol Revolt b) Indigo Revolt
c) Munda Rebellion d) Deccan Riots
- 4 **Where was the anti-Hindi conference held?**
a) Erode b) Madras c) Salem d) Madurai
- 5 **On 8 January 1933 which day was observed —**
a) Temple Entry Day b) Day of Deliverance
c) Direct Action Day d) Independence Day
- 6 **— River is Know as "Sorow of Bihar "**
a) Narmada b) Godawari c) Kosi d) Damodar
- 7 **Sesahchalam hills ,a Biosphere is situated in —**
a) Tamil Nadu b) Andhra Pradesh c) Madhya Pradesh d) Karnataka
- 8 **Which state is the leading cultivation of jute**
a) West Bengal b) Bihar c) Assam d) Meghalaya
- 9 **The District which has the largest forest cover in Tamil nadu**
a) Dharmapuri b) Vellore c) Dindigul d) Erode
- 10 **The delta which is known as Granary of south India is**
a) Cauvery delta b) Mahanadi delta c) Godavari delta d) Krishna delta
- 11 **How many members are elected for Rajya Sabha from Tamil Nadu?**
a) 39 b) 40 c) 85 d) 18
- 12 **Which of the following country is not the founder member of NAM ?**
a) Yugoslavia b) Indonesia c) Egypt d) Pakistan
- 13 **India signed the Dunkel proposal in**
a) 1984 b) 1976 c) 1950 d) 1994
- 14 **..... is the only state in India to adopt universal PDS.**
a) Kerala b) Andhra Pradesh c) Tamil Nadu d) Karnataka

PART- II**II Short Answer any 10 - question No.28 is compulsory.****10 x 2 = 20**

- 15 Describe the Pearl Harbour incident .
- 16 List the social evils eradicated by Brahmo samaj.
- 17 Highlight the essence of the Tiruchirappalli procalamation of .1801
- 18 Estimate Periyar as a feminist.
- 19 What is meant by "normal lapse rate"?
- 20 Name the types of soil found in India.

- 21 What is communication? What are its types?
- 22 Name the important multipurpose projects of Tamilnadu?
- 23 what are the classical languages in India?
- 24 What is the qualification of judges of the Supreme Court?
- 25 List out the member countries of SAARC.
- 26 Write the name of economic policies in India.
- 27 Write some name of the nutrition programmes in Tamilnadu.
- 28 What is Gold standard.

PART -III

III Answer any 10 question .Question number 42 is compulsory.

10x5=50

29 Fill in the blanks.

- i. Is a device used to find out the enemy aircraft a distance.
- ii. Oru paisa Tamilan was started by ---
- iii. Gandhi regarded --- as his political guru.
- iv. was the first non- European language that went into print.
- v. Kattabomman was hanged to death at ---
- 30 Analyse the effects of the World War II
- 31 Write an essay on the role played by the 19th century reformers towards the cause of Woman.
- 32 Describe the background for the formation of the justice party and point out its contribution to the cause of social justice.
33. **Distinguish between:**
(i) Renewable and non- renewable resources. (ii) Marine fishing and Inland fishing
Give Reason: North Indian rivers are perennial
- 34 Explain the divisions of Northern Mountains and its importance to India.
- 35 State any five types of soil in India and explain the characteristics and distribution of soil.
- 36 Write about the plantation farming of Tamilnadu.
- 37 Explain the salient features of the constitution of India.
- 38 Write a detailed note on Non - alignment .
- 39 Write the challenges of Globalization
- 40 Explain some direct and indirect taxes.
- 41 Draw a Time line for the following
Write any five important events between 1930 to 1950 in the time line

42 Mark the following places on the outline MAP of the World.

- (i) Germany (ii) Italy (iii) Japan (iv) Hawaii island (v) England

PART-IV

IV Answer the following question.

(1x8=8)

- 43 a) Discuss the causes of the Revolt of 1857? **(OR)**
- b) What are the major issues faced by the farmers in India. Explain.
- 44 a) **Mark the following places on the given outline Map of India.** **(1x8=8)**
 - (i) Mt. Everest (ii) Tropical evergreen forest
 - (iii) Direction of South West Monsoon (iv) Area of jute cultivation
 - (v) Andaman and Nicobar island (vi) National High way NH-44
 - (vii) Alluvial soil (viii) river Ganga **(OR)**
- b) **Mark the following places on the given outline Map of Tamil Nadu.**
 - (i) Point calimere (ii) Pulicat Lake (iii) Gulf of Mannar (iv) Mettur Dam
 - (v) Pamban island (vi) A black soil region (vii) A Mangrove forest area (viii) Neyveli