

II Semester All P.G. (Open Elective) Degree Examination, May/June 2017
HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY
Socio-Political Movements of Modern Karnataka (Select Themes)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instruction : Answer *all* Sections.

SECTION – A

Answer **any three** questions.

(3×5=15)

1. Shahu Maharaj.
2. Devaray Ingale.
3. Kasaragodu Dispute.
4. The latest position of Kaveri Water Dispute.
5. Prof. Nanjundaswamy and peasant struggle.
6. Impact of Marxism on modern Kannada literary tradition.

SECTION – B

Answer **any four** of the following questions :

(4×10=40)

7. Examine the historical significance of Satya shodhak movement and its impact on Karnataka.
8. Write a detailed note on the contribution of Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wodeyar to the empowerment of backward classes.
9. Do you think that Boosa episode of B. Basavalingappa provided an opportunity for the assertion of dalit communities ? Explain.
10. Trace the stages of Kaveri water dispute.
11. Critique the recommendations of V. K. Gokak Committee Report.
12. Examine the reasons for the peasant uprisings in Naragund and Nippani.

SECTION – C

Answer **any one** of the following questions :

(1×15=15)

13. Write an essay on the nature of Non-Brahmin movement in Bombay Karnataka.
14. Examine the impact of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's thoughts on modern Kannada literature.