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SOCIOLOGY

Paper Code : SOC/H/GE-1

(Indian Society : Images and Realities)

Full Marks : 75

Pass Marks : 40%

Time : 3 hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. (a) Discuss the various types of nationalism. 10

Or

- (b) Explain the salient features of Indian society. 10

2. (a) What is town? Explain the functions of town. 2+8=10

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Or

(b) What is forest? Explain the steps to conserve forest. $2+8=10$

3. (a) Define social class. Differentiate between class and caste. $2+8=10$

Or

(b) Define gender. Explain the characteristics of gender. $2+8=10$

4. (a) What do you mean by religion? Discuss the role of religion in society. $2+8=10$

Or

(b) What is politics? Explain the political institutions in India. $2+8=10$

5. (a) Explain the caste conflict in Indian society. 1

Or

(b) What is disparity? Discuss the types of disparity. $3+7=10$

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(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 25)

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SECTION—I

(Marks : 15)

Put a Tick (✓) mark against the correct answer in the
brackets provided : 1×15=15

1. “Civilization is an essentially a highly developed
organization.” Whose definition is this?

(a) Brooks Adams ()

(b) MacIver and Page ()

(c) S. M. Fairchild ()

(d) Arnold Toynbee ()

2. The form of nationalism which represents the 'will of the people' is called as
- (a) ethnic nationalism ()
 - (b) expansionist nationalism ()
 - (c) civic nationalism ()
 - (d) religious nationalism ()
3. "Society is a web of social relationships." This was said by
- (a) MacIver ()
 - (b) Giddings ()
 - (c) Ginsberg ()
 - (d) Cooley ()
4. Who said that region is 'a unit characterized by the sum total of its physical and human elements'?
- (a) Herbertson ()
 - (b) Irish Bowman ()
 - (c) Vidal de La Blache ()
 - (d) D. Whittlesey ()
5. The type of village settlement where the houses are built on parallel rows is known as
- (a) The Nucleated Village ()
 - (b) The Linear Village ()
 - (c) The Dispersed Village ()
 - (d) The Mixed Village ()

6. The term 'Ethnic' is derived from _____ word.
- (a) Latin () (b) Greek ()
- (c) Roman () (d) English ()
7. Who has edited the book, *Caste in Indian Politics*?
- (a) G. S. Ghurye ()
- (b) Sudhir Hindwan ()
- (c) M. N. Srinivas ()
- (d) Rajni Kothari ()
8. Naga society is characterized by
- (a) social classes ()
- (b) no social stratification ()
- (c) caste like stratification ()
- (d) egalitarianism ()
9. Which of the following is **not** a characteristic of caste?
- (a) Social and religious hierarchy ()
- (b) Restrictions in social intercourse ()
- (c) Freedom of marriage ()
- (d) Endogamy ()

10. A family in which descent and inheritance are transmitted along the female line is

(a) matriarchal ()

(b) matrilineal ()

(c) matrilocal ()

(d) virilocal ()

11. Profane means

(a) unholy ()

(b) holy ()

(c) purity ()

(d) ritually clean ()

12. Who among the following has written the book, *The Elementary Forms of the Religious Life*?

(a) MacIver ()

(b) E. Durkheim ()

(c) E. Sapir ()

(d) Max Müller ()

13. Bureaucracy is an example of

- (a) traditional authority ()
- (b) rational-legal authority ()
- (c) charismatic authority ()
- (d) None of the above ()

14. Religious communities who keep themselves away from politically related activities are known as

- (a) Welfarist Communalism ()
- (b) Retreatist Communalism ()
- (c) Separatist Communalism ()
- (d) Secessionist Communalism ()

15. Who has described a violent act as 'an act where there is the high potential of causing injury'?

- (a) Strauss ()
- (b) Kempe ()
- (c) Domenach ()
- (d) Megargee ()

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SECTION—II

(Marks : 10)

Write short answers on any *five* of the following questions :

2×5=10

1. What is a colony?

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2. What do you mean by region?

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3. Explain two characteristics of village community.

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4. What is caste system?

(10)

5. What is ethnicity?

(11)

6. What is economy?

(12)

7. What is a nuclear family?

(13)

8. Write a brief note on violence against women in India.
