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M.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,  
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History

Elective – FREEDOM STRUGGLE IN TAMIL NADU

(For those who joined in July 2023 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (15 × 1 = 15 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. The Marudhu Brothers were defacto rulers of  
(a) RamNad (b) Madurai  
(c) Sivagangai (d) Tirunelveli
2. Jambu Theevu Prakadanam, declared by  
(a) Marudhu brothers (b) Rani Velu Nachiyar  
(c) Rani Meenakshi (d) Gopalan

3. Who attacked Panchalakurichi Fort?  
(a) Major John Bannerman  
(b) Major Akni  
(c) Major Rippon  
(d) Major Auckland
4. On March 18, 1919, Gandhiji addressed at  
(a) Marina (b) Pondicherry  
(c) Madurai (d) Vedaranyam
5. Gandhiji launched Harijan Tour at Kanyakumari in the year  
(a) 1934 (b) 1945  
(c) 1946 (d) 1947
6. Gandhiji visited the CMC Vellore medical school in  
(a) 1919 (b) 1928  
(c) 1930 (d) 1942
7. Salem Desabhimani was established in  
(a) 1880 (b) 1890  
(c) 1900 (d) 1910

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8. The Suthanthira Sangu, was stopped in  
 (a) 1924 (b) 1934  
 (c) 1944 (d) 1954
9. Dinamani, the Newspaper was established in  
 (a) 1933 (b) 1943  
 (c) 1954 (d) 1967
10. Anjalai Ammal was a freedom fighter from  
 (a) Chennai (b) Madurai  
 (c) Cuddalore (d) Pudukottai
11. Mahatma Gandhi called Anjalai Ammal as  
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 (a) South India's Jhansi Rani  
 (b) South India's Velu Nachiyar  
 (c) South India's Rani Meenakshi  
 (d) South India's Rani Mangammal
12. Who started the Bharatha Ashram?  
 (a) Subramaniya Siva  
 (b) V.O.Chidambaranar  
 (c) Subramaniya Bharathi  
 (d) Varatharajulu

13. Mahatma Gandhi launched Quit India Movement on  
 (a) 8<sup>th</sup> August 1942 (b) 8<sup>th</sup> September 1942  
 (c) 8<sup>th</sup> November 1942 (d) 8<sup>th</sup> December 1942
14. Civil Disobedience movement was started by Mahatma Gandhiji in  
 (a) 1930 (b) 1931  
 (c) 1932 (d) 1942
15. Rajaji was a close disciple of  
 (a) Nehru (b) Patel  
 (c) Gandhiji (d) Anne Besant

PART B — (5 × 4 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).  
 Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

16. (a) Write a short note on Velu Nachiyar.  
 Or  
 (b) Give an account on Veera Pandiya Kattabomman.
17. (a) Narrate the impact of Gandhiji visit in Tamil Nadu.  
 Or  
 (b) Point out the Madras Mahajana Sabha.





18. (a) Give an account on 'The Hindu'.

Or

(b) Write in detail about 'Dinamani'.

19. (a) Briefly mention about Maniyachi Incident.

Or

(b) What is Swadeshi Movement? Explain.

20. (a) Point out the importances of Vedaranyam march.

Or

(b) What led to S. Sathyamurthi to participate freedom struggle? Explain.

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)  
Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

21. (a) List out the causes for the South Indian Rebellion.

Or

(b) Write an essay on Vellore Revolt of 1806.

22. (a) Describe Madras Native Association.

Or

(b) Explain, the causes for the rise of Nationalism in Tamil Nadu.

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23. (a) Narrate the role of press in Freedom Struggle of Tamil Nadu.

Or

(b) Describe Navasakthi.

24. (a) Examine the role of V.O. Chidambaram in the Freedom Struggle.

Or

(b) How Revolutionary movement spread in Tamil Nadu? Explain.

25. (a) Assess, the role of K. Kamaraj in the freedom struggle.

Or

(b) Evaluate the results of Quit India Movement in Tamil Nadu.

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