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**III Semester M.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – OBE-Regular)**  
**Examination, October 2024**  
**(2023 Admission)**  
**HISTORY**  
**MAHIS03C12 : Formation of Modern Kerala**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

**Instruction** : Answers may be written either in **English** or in **Malayalam**.

**SECTION – A**  
**(Essay Type Questions)**

Answer **any 2** out of 4 questions. **Each** question carries **10** marks.

1. Analyze the impact of the British Land Revenue Administration in Malabar on the *Janmi system* and its socioeconomic consequences for peasants.
2. Evaluate the role of early resistance movements like the Pazhassi Revolt and Veluthampi Revolt in shaping anti-colonial sentiments in Kerala.
3. Discuss the contributions of Sree Narayana Guru in challenging caste hierarchies and promoting social reforms in Kerala.
4. Evaluate the impact of Vaikom and Guruvayoor Satyagrahas on Kerala's temple entry movement. (2x10=20)

**SECTION – B**  
**(Short Essay Type Questions)**

Answer **any 5** out of 7 questions. **Each** question carries **5** marks.

5. Assess the significance of evangelical activism and the introduction of English education in shaping colonial modernisation in Kerala.
6. Examine the factors that led to the Malabar Rebellion of 1921.

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7. How did the Kurichiya Revolt represent the nature of tribal resistance against British colonialism ?
8. Analyze the contributions of Poikayil Yohannan.
9. How did Sahodaran Ayyappan's philosophy contribute to the anti-caste movement in Kerala ?
10. Assess the role of Muslim reformers like Vakkom Maulavi in shaping modern Muslim thought in Kerala.
11. Analyze the significance of the Joint Political Congress and the Abstention Movement in Travancore. (5x5=25)

**SECTION – C**  
**(Paragraph Type Questions)**

Answer **any 5** out of 8 questions. **Each** question carries **3** marks.

12. What were the main modifications introduced in the Janmi system under British rule ?
13. Briefly describe the nature of the *Nattukuttam Revolts*.
14. Summarize the objectives of the Joint Political Congress in Travancore.
15. What were the causes behind the Attingal Revolt ?
16. Explain the role of Chattampi Swamikal in Kerala's social reform.
17. Provide a brief account of the role of Makthi Thangal in Muslim reform movements.
18. How did Swami Ananda Theertha's ideas and activism challenge prevailing social hierarchies ?
19. Summarize the contributions of Jeeval Sahithya Prasthanam to modern literature in Kerala. (5x3=15)