

2012

(1st Semester)

HISTORY

FIRST PAPER

(History of Mizoram : 1840-1960)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

The questions are of equal value

1. Briefly describe the early migration of the Mizo tribes.

Or

Analyse the importance and functions of Zawlbuk in the past Mizo society.

2. Give an account of the Lushai raids and the British countermilitary offensives.

Or

What were the importance and roles played by the frontier markets in the early Anglo-Lushai relations?

3. Write a note on the annexation of the Lushai Hills to the British empire.

Or

Give an account of the land settlement in the Lushai Hills.

4. Write an essay on the establishment of churches in North and South Lushai Hills.

Or

Carefully review how different waves of revival movements accelerated the growth of Christianity in Mizoram.

5. Discuss various factors that contributed to the growth of political consciousness among the Mizos.

Or

What were various circumstances that led to the emergence of separatist movement in Mizoram? Discuss with reference to the Mizo National Front (MNF).

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(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 25)

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions***SECTION—A**

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. The portion used as sleeping place in Zawlbuk was known as

(a) Bawhbel ()

(b) Bahzar ()

(c) Awkpaka ()

2. The first documented Mautam famine occurred in

(a) 1878 ()

(b) 1880 ()

(c) 1882 ()

3. Detachment of Sylhet Infantry was placed at two strategic points to check the Lushai raids at

(a) Silchar ()

(b) Monierkhal ()

(c) Hailakandi ()

4. The First Lushai Expedition of 1844 was commanded by

(a) Capt. Blackwood ()

(b) Col. Lister ()

(c) Lt. Col. T. H. Lewin ()

(3)

5. Land settlement in the Lushai Hills was introduced by

- (a) Steward ()
- (b) Lt. Col. Shakespear ()
- (c) Alexander Mackenzie ()

6. The Pacification of the Houlaungs was completed by which of the following political officers?

- (a) R. B. McCabe ()
- (b) Charles Steward Murray ()
- (c) A. W. Davies ()

7. The foundation of Christianity in Maraland was laid by

- (a) J. H. Lorrain ()
- (b) William Williams ()
- (c) R. A. Lorrain ()

(4)

8. The first Mizo hymn book containing 18 songs was published in

- (a) 1896 ()
- (b) 1899 ()
- (c) 1906 ()

9. The Lushai Students Association was founded in the year

- (a) 1926 ()
- (b) 1935 ()
- (c) 1939 ()

10. Who was the founder of the United Mizo Freedom Organisation (UMFO)?

- (a) R. Vanlawma ()
- (b) Lalmawia ()
- (c) Lalbiakthanga ()

(5)

SECTION—B

(Marks : 15)

Give short answers to any *five* of the following questions :
3×5=15

1. What do you mean by Inpuichhung Bawi?

(6)

2. Write a note on 'Fathang'.

3. What event was mainly responsible for the British to adopt forward policy towards the Lushai chiefs?

4. What do you know about the 'Sanad' given to Suakpuilala by the British?

5. What was the main result of the Expedition of 1889-1890 against the Lushai chiefs?

6. Explain 'Circle System' under the British rule.

7. When and where was the first great revival movement started among the Mizos?

8. Write a short note on female education initiated by the missionaries.

9. Mention some of the main focuses of the Mizo Union in the early stages of its formation.

10. What do you know about 'Lushai Labour Corp'?
