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**3 (Sem-6) ANT M 2**

**2020**

**ANTHROPOLOGY**

(Major)

Paper : 6·2

**(Prehistoric Anthropology)**

Full Marks : 60

Time : Three hours

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

1. Choose the correct option from the following : 1×7=7

(a) The excavation of Daojali Hading was conducted by —

(i) T.C. Sharma

(ii) R.D. Banerjee

(iii) R.C. Das

(iv) H.D. Sankalia

*Contd.*

(b) Langhnaj is situated in :

- (i) Maharashtra
- (ii) Madhya Pradesh
- (iii) Gujarat
- (iv) Mumbai

(c) The earliest cultural phase of Holocene is :

- (i) Mesolithic
- (ii) Neolithic
- (iii) Chalcolithic
- (iv) Iron age

(d) Mesolithic gained recognition as a separate cultural phase only after the discovery of the site —

- (i) Cantabrian coast
- (ii) South Africa
- (iii) Mas d'Azil cave
- (iv) Greece

(e) Who for the first time reported palaeolithic tools from India ?

- (i) Robert Bruce Foote
- (ii) De Terra and Paterson
- (iii) H.D. Sankalia
- (iv) D.K. Bhattacharya

(f) Megaliths are —

- (i) large stones
- (ii) memorial stones of tomb
- (iii) special monument
- (iv) artistic rock sculpture

(g) Bhimbetka was discovered by:

- (i) V.S. Wakankar
- (ii) H.D. Sankalia
- (iii) V.N. Misra
- (iv) De Terra and Paterson.

2. Answer the following in brief:  $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) What is Three-age system?
- (b) Mention the salient features of Neolithic culture.
- (c) What is Dolmen?
- (d) Mention *two* causes of destruction of Harappan civilization.

3. Answer **any three** of the following:  $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) What is New archaeology? Write the key concept of New archaeology.
- (b) Write a note on Sohanian Culture.

- (c) Mention the significance of Ambari in Early history of Assam.
- (d) How do you define a prehistoric site?
- (e) Write a note on middle Palaeolithic culture of India.
- (f) Write a note on Aerial photography.

4. Answer **any three** of the following :

10×3=30

- (a) Give an outline of the developmental stages of Prehistoric archaeology.
- (b) Define ethnoarchaeology. Write with example about the role of ethnographic evidences in the reconstruction of archaeological data.
- (c) What is field archaeology? Explain the methods and techniques in archaeological exploration.
- (d) What is Neolithic Revolution? Assess Neolithic cultural development with reference to domestication of plants and animals.
- (e) Discuss the methods of reconstruction of prehistoric lifeways.
- (f) Define Mesolithic. Write about the Mesolithic cultural development in India.