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HISTORY

(Major)

Paper : 5.2

[**History of Assam (1228-1826)**]

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 hours

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

Answer **all** questions

1. Answer the following questions in 1 word or in 1 sentence each : 1×7=7
- (a) Who is the author of *Fathiyah-i-Ibriya*?
- (b) What are land grants in favour of temples known as?
- (c) Name the road constructed by the opium addicts.
- (d) What is Gohain Kamal's claim to fame?

- (e) Who was popularly known as the Parbatiya Gosain?
- (f) What are the popular names of Malla Deb and Sukladhvaj?
- (g) At the request of which Ahom king did Captain Welsh lead on expedition into Assam?

2. Answer the following in brief : 2×4=8

- (a) Name any four compositions of the neo-Vaishnavite Saint Sankardev.
- (b) Who was Bamuni Konwer?
- (c) Who was Romani Gabharu?
- (d) Who were the Burkendazes?

3. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 5×3=15

- (a) Sukapha
- (b) Dharma Narayan
- (c) Garhgaon
- (d) The Khen Dynasty
- (e) The capitals of the Kachari Kingdom

4. Answer any *three* of the following : $10 \times 3 = 30$

- (a) Examine the importance of the inscriptions in reconstructing the history of Medieval Assam.
- (b) Discuss the relations of the Kamata kings with their contemporary rulers.
- (c) Examine the nature of Ahom-Mughal relations during the reign of Pratap Singha.
- (d) Determine the role of Sankardev in transforming the society of Medieval Assam.
- (e) Review Ahom-Tribal relations in your period of study.
- (f) How did the Ahom administration utilize the economic resources of the kingdom?

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