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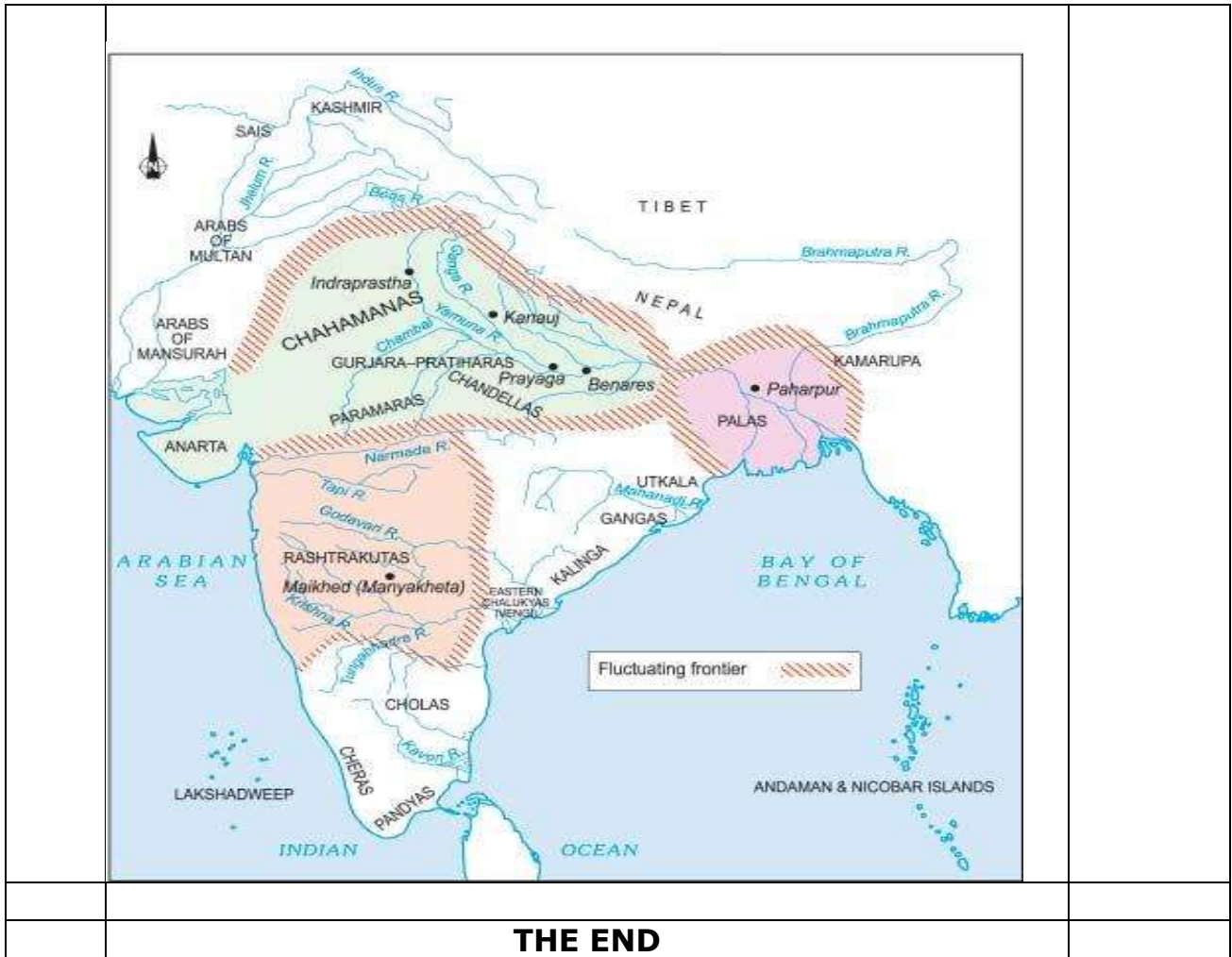
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Q.No.	Questions	Mark
A	CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER	
1	Where were the manuscripts placed during the medieval period? a) At home b) In libraries c) In archives d) None of these	1
2	What made Rosa Parks famous in American political history? a) The civil right movement b) Universal adult franchise c) The civil movement d) Self-respect movement	1
3	Which is a threat to environment? a) Growing plant b) Growing population c) Growing crops d) Growing industries	1
4	According to Universal Adult Franchise every adult has: a) No vote b) One vote c) Multiple vote d) All of these	1
5	What is Vetti? a) Rent b) Tax c) Revenue d) None of these	1
B	FILL IN THE BLANKS WITH RIGHT ANSWER	
6	_____ was a 14 th century chronicler.	1
7	_____ is a chronicle which describes the history of the Kings of Kashmir.	1
8	_____ is the hard top layer of the Earth.	1

9	_____ was the first state to introduce Midday meal scheme.	1
10	Biotic environment comprises the world of -----	1
C	WRITE TRUE or FALSE	1
11	Devadana was the tax-free land grant given to the Brahmins during the Cholas.	1
12	In the map made by Al- Idrisi the names of places are marked in English.	1
13	The tripartite struggle took place over Kanauj.	1
14	Human beings interact with the environment and modify it according to their needs.	1
15	Chand Bardai is the author of "PRITHVIRAJRASSO".	1
D	MATCH THE FOLLOWING	
16	i) Numismatics - Inscriptions ii) Tajmahal - One who belongs to another country iii) Scribe - Coins iv) Foreigner - Monument v) Epigraphy - One who copied the manuscript by hand	5
E	READ THE PASSAGE AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS FROM 17 TO 22.	
	<p>Omprakash Valmiki is a famous Dalit writer. In his autobiography JOOTHAN, he writes 'I had to sit away from the others in the class. Sometimes I would have to sit way behind everybody, right near the door' When he was in class 4, the headmaster asked Omprakash to sweep the school and the playground. He became a spectacle for everyone was watching him. He was covered with dust and was not even allowed to drink water. He was made to do this for few days until one day his father by chance saw him. His father confronted the teacher and told them that one day Omprakash would study right there and many more would follow him.</p> <p>It is an incident that took place in a large city in India. Ansaris wanted to rent an apartment. They approached a property dealer for help. Ansaris liked the first apartment shown to them, but after knowing their name the land lady made an excuse, she could not rent the apartment to a non-vegetarian since all the other residents are vegetarian. This surprised the Ansaris as well as the property dealer because they could smell fish being cooked in the next house. He was given a suggestion that he should change their name to get an apartment. This happened with them at other places as well. It took them a month to find an apartment on rent.</p>	
17	Who is Omprakash Valmiki? Write the name of his	1

	autobiography?	
18	What did the headmaster ask Omprakash Valmiki to do?	1
19	Why do you think Omprakash Valmiki was being treated unequally by his teacher and his classmates?	1
20	Why do you think the Ansaris were being treated unequally?	1
21	What would you do if you were in the Ansaris position and could not find a place to live because some people did not want to live next to you because of the religion you practice?	1
22	If you were one of the Ansaris, how would you have responded to the suggestion that you change your name?	1
F	ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS	
23	The second battle of Tarain was a turning point in the Indian history. Do you agree with this statement? Justify your answer.	2
24	Write a short note on Muhammad Ghazni.	2
25	What do you understand by the term "all persons are equal before the law" Why do you think it is important in a democracy?	2
26	What were the difficulties faced by the historians while using manuscripts?	2
27	How the administration was organised under the Chola rulers?	2
G	MARK THE FOLLOWING ON THE OUTLINE MAP OF INDIAN SUBCONTINENT.	
28	a) The delta region where Muttaraiyar held power.	1
	b) The dynasty who served as the subordinates to the Chalukyas in Karnataka?	1
	c) The dynasty which built the town of Thanjavur and a temple for goddess Nishumbhasudhini.	1
	d) The dynasties who involved in tripartite struggle.	1



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ANSWER KEY

A: Choose the correct answer

1. In archives
2. The civil right movement
3. Growing population
4. One vote
5. Tax

Fill in the blanks

6. Ziauddin Barani
7. Rajatarangini
8. Lithosphere.
9. Tamilnadu

10. Living things

C: Write true or false

11. False
12. False
13. True
14. True
15. True

D. Match the following

16.

i. Coins

ii. Monument

iii. One who copied the manuscripts by hand

iv. One who belongs to another country

v. Inscriptions

17. Om Prakash Valmiki is a dalit writer.His autobiography is joothan
18. To sweep the playground.
19. Because of his caste
20. because of his religion.
21. Multiple answers are acceptable
22. Multiple answers acceptable.
23. The battle of Tarain fought between Prithvi Raj III and Mohammed Ghori in 1191 and 1192 in the second battle of Tarain, Mohammed Ghori defeated Prithviraj third. This led the foundation of the Muslim rule in India.
24. Mohammed Ghazni was a Turkish invader who attacked India 17 times between 1000 and 1024 AD for the dual purposes for accumulating wealth and spreading Islam.In 1024 A.D. he raided Gujarat and took away all the wealth of the Somnath Temple and damaged it severely he was popularly known as the idol breaker.
25. it means that every person from the President of the country to a domestic worker has to obey the same laws. No person can be discriminated on the basis of their religion, race, caste etc. Every person can access to all public places, including playground, shops and markets, all persons can use public roads well and bathing ghats.
26. Historians faced a lot of difficulties while using manuscripts. There were no printing press in the 13th and 14th century, to copy was not easy. The scribes could not read the other writers handwriting. they were forced to guess. Therefore manuscript of the same text became different from the original.
27. For easy and efficient administration the whole Chola Empire divided into provinces or Mandalams. Mandalams were further divided into Valanadus or districts. The group of villages formed Nadus. The King appointed governors to look after Mandalams.
- 28.
- a) Kaveri
 - b) Rashtrakutas
 - c) Cholas

d) Gujarapratiharas,Rashtrakutas,Palas.