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The total number of questions in this paper is 08

Answer any 04 questions only.

Time allowed: Three (03) Hours

(Candidate will be penalized for eligible hand writing)

- 1) How far have geographical and environmental factors contributed to social continuity in South Asia?
- 2) Write a short essay on Robert Redfield's views on peasant society. What are the major problems in Sri Lankan present society?
3. Why did Max weber describe early Buddhism as "an apolitical and untipolitical religion"?
4. Clarify the social significance of floods and droughts with special reference to South Asian Society.
5. Critically examine the role of Ayurveda in the development of health culture of South Asia.
- 6, Select one of the social movements in South Asia and discuss its contribution to social change.
7. Write a sociological essay on oriental despotism.
8. Examine the role of social media in the globalization processes with emphasis on South Asia.

25 marks for each question