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First Term Test - 2019

Sub: Geography Class: 6 F. M. 90

Duration: 2:30 hr SOLUTION Date: 12.04.2019

Group A

1. Choose the correct answer: 1x5=5
 - a. The smallest among the following lakes in North America is-
(i) **Lake Ontario** (ii) Lake Huron (iii) Lake Erie (iv) Lake Michigan
 - b. The _____ mountains are located in the eastern part of North America-
(i) Colorado (ii) **Appalachian** (iii) Rocky (iv) Sierra Nevada
 - c. Columbus discovered the north and South Americas in-
(i) 1462 (ii) 1472 (iii) 1482 (iv) **1492**
 - d. Ground nut grows well in _____ soil-
(i) Alluvial (ii) Infertile (iii) Black (iv) **Light sandy**
 - e. Drawing of small area on a large scale is called -
(i) **Plan** (ii) Sketch (iii) Layout (iv) Map

2. Fill in the blanks : 1x5=5
 - a. **St. Kitts and Nevis** is the smallest country in North America.
 - b. **Sedentary** and Shifting agriculture is a subdivision of subsistence agriculture.
 - c. Grapes and bananas are mostly grown in **plantation** farming.
 - d. A map drawn without a scale is called **sketch**
 - e. The key of the map is called the **index/legend**

3. Write true or false: 1x5=5
 - a. Claudius Ptolemy, a Greek scholar was the first to complete a book of maps. **True**
 - b. Every map has a scale that is given at the top of the map. **False**
 - c. Vosges is a block mountain. **True**
 - d. Downs of Australia are important for commercial farming. **True**
 - e. The Niagara Falls is the collective name for the three different falls. **True**

4. Answer in one or two word: 1x5=5
 - a. What is a deep valley with steep sides of rock called? **Canyon**
 - b. What is the other name for Canadian Shield? **Lawrentian Plateau**
 - c. What is a long series of mountain ranges called? **Cordillera**
 - d. Which island belongs to Denmark? **Greenland**
 - e. Name the largest country in North America. **Canada**

5. Match the following and write in pair (one is extra): 1x5=5

A	B
a. Haiti b. Jamaica c. Trinidad and Tobago d. St Vincent and the Grenadines e. Honduras	Port-au-Prince Kingston Port of Spain Kingstown Tegucigalpa

Group B

1. Answer the following: 2x5=10
 - a) What are cash crops? Give examples

Ch- 6, page 55; 1st paragraph, last two lines

b) What are anticlines and synclines?

Ch- 2, page 18; anticline and syncline

c) Draw symbols for Golf Course and Chinese Temple



GOLF COURSE



CHINESE TEMPLE

d) What is a meander?

Ch- 2, page 17; meander

e) Why scale is an important element of map?

Ch- 1, page 9; 3rd paragraph, first two lines

2. Answer any five:

3x5=15

a) Name the major deserts of North America and indicate which ones are the cold deserts.

Ch- 10, page 97; deserts of North America

b) Which is the most dominant feature of the Western Cordilleras and from where to where do they stretch?

Ch- 10, page 92; first paragraph

c) Name the rivers which drain into the Gulf of Mexico.

Ch- 10, page 97; 3rd paragraph

d) What is a small scale map?

Ch- 2, page 14; small scale map

e) What are cardinal and intermediate directions?

Ch- 1, page 9; N, S, E, W: cardinal; NE, SE, NW, SW: intermediate

f) What is the grid system?

Ch- 1, page 9; the grid system

Group C

3. Answer any seven:

5x7=35

a) Write about a sketch. What is a plan?

Ch- 1, page 10; sketch and plan

b) Differentiate between a political map and a thematic map.

Ch- 2; page 15, political map; page 16, thematic map

c) What are the advantages and disadvantages of a globe?

Ch- 1, page 11; chart

d) Which type of agriculture is known as “slash and burn method” and why is it called so?

Ch- 6, page 57; shifting cultivation

e) How does climate influence agriculture?

Ch- 6, page 55; climate

f) Write in brief about the Eastern Highlands of North America

Ch- 10, page 95; eastern highlands

g) Write about the location of North America.

Ch- 9, page 86 – 87; location

h) What is the location and extent of the Central Plains? Which rivers drain the area? Why is it known as the “breadbasket of North America”?

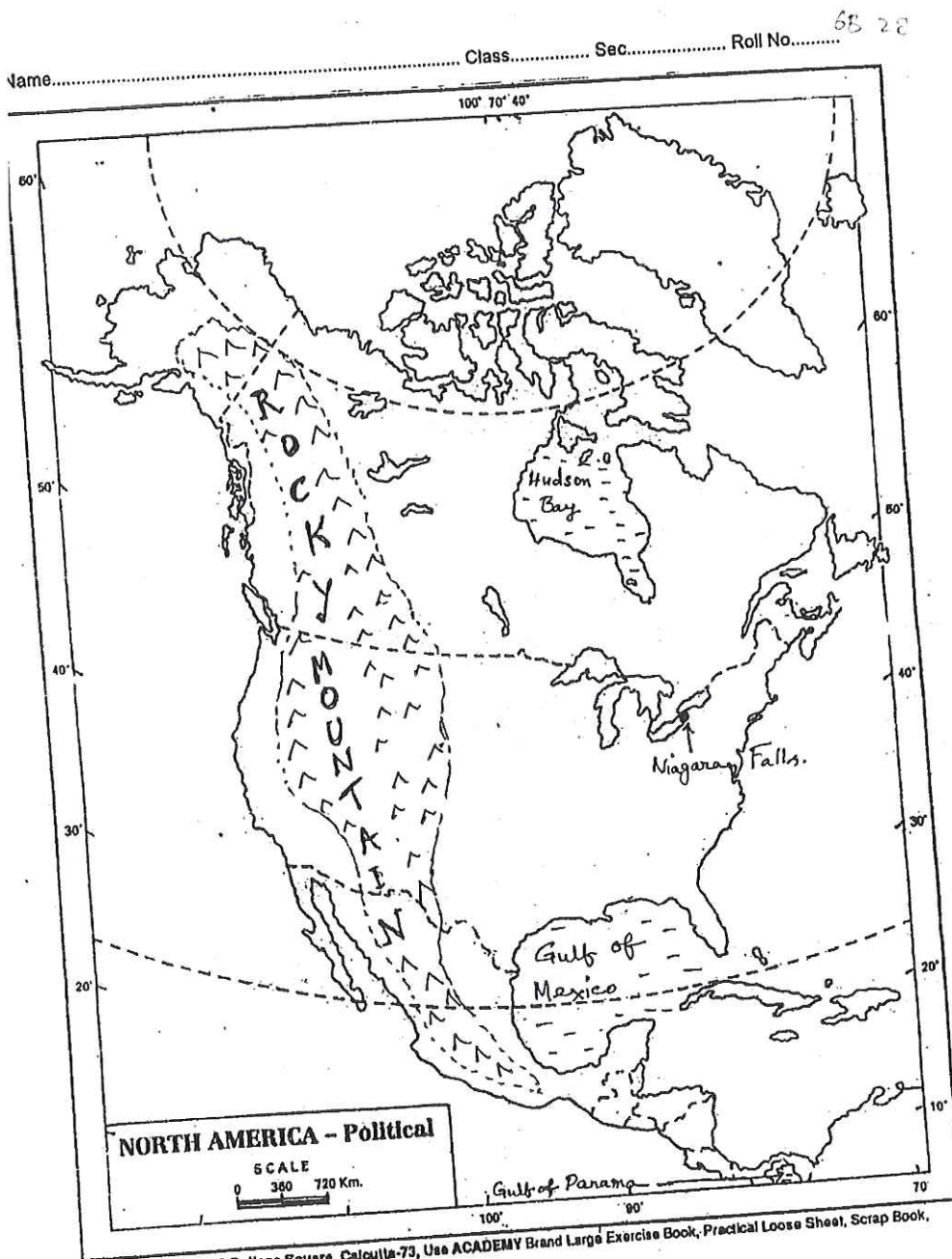
Ch- 10, page 96; central plains

i) What is Nomadic herding? Where is it practiced?

Ch- 6, page 58; nomadic herding

4. Point out the following in the given map of North America with symbols and write the names in the map itself: 1x5=5

- a. Hudson Bay
- b. Gulf of Panama
- c. Rocky Mountains
- d. Gulf of Mexico
- e. Niagra Falls.



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