

Social Transformation in Tamil Nadu

1. Name some famous leaders of 19th and 20th century?

V.O.C, Subramaniya Bharathi, Bala Gangadhar Tilak, Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru, Rajaji.

2. Which party's rule constitute important chapter in the history of South India?

Justice Party

3. Who did the Justice party represent?

The Non-Brahmin movement

4. How is Justice party called in various language?

- Dravidan in Tamil
- Andhra Prakasika in Telugu
- Justice in English

5. Which party is officially known as South Indian Liberal Federation?

Justice party

6. In which year was the Justice party established?

1916

7. Who formed the ministry of Justice party in the year 1920?

Subbarayalu Reddiar

8. What was Periyar's famous movement?

Self Respect Movement

9. What is Dravidar Kazhagam?

Periyar transformed the Justice Party into a social organization this is called as Dravidar Kazhagam.

10. Which party introduced the caste based reservation?

Justice Party Rule

11. In which year did they open Andhra University and Annamalai University?

1925

12. When was Hindu Religious Endowment Bill passed?

1926

13. Which party introduced the system of giving free pattas for housing sites?

Justice Party

14. Which system strengthened the school?

Mid day meal scheme

15. In which election did the justice party decline?

Election of 1937

16. Who constituted the Ministry in the year 1937?

Congress party under Rajagopalachari

17. What are the causes of failure of Justice party?

- It came into power when the world was in economic depression.
- The nationalist movement was popular and heading for freedom
- Caste and wealth played vital role due to which the party lost its hold

- The rise of congress under the leadership of Gandhi became a formidable challenge to justice party.

18. Who was the greatest social reformer of Tamil Nadu?

E.V.Ramasamy

19. When did E.V.Ramasamy born?

17th September 1879 at Erode

20. When did E.V.Ramasamy got married?

At his age of 13

21. Who is called as Vaikam Hero?

E.V.Ramasamy started it in the year 1925

22. When was Self respect movement started?

E.V.Ramasamy

23. What are the aim of Self Respect Movement?

- It commended and fought against Brahmin domination over the other castes, society, politics and religion.
- It fought to abolish traditionalism and superstitions
- It advocated women education, widow remarriage, inter caste marriages and opposed child marriage.

24. What are the items criticized by Periyar?

Meaningless ideas, superstitious beliefs and unbelievable puranic stories.

25. Who gave the title Periyar to E.V.Ramasamy?

Ladies Conference at Madras.

26. In which conference did Justice Party name changed as Dravidar Kazhagam?

Salem Conference

27. Who was called as Peraringanr Anna?

C. N. Annadurai

28. Who was the founder of Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam?

C.N. Annadurai

29. Under whose period did they change the name of Tamil Nadu from Madras to Temizhaga Arasu or Tamizhagam?

C.N. Annadurai

30. What was the important black spot in Tamil Nadu?

Devadasi system

31. Name one women leader who fought against Devadasi system?

Dr. Muthulakshmi Reddy

32. How was the national motto Satyameva Jayate called in Tamil Nadu?

Vaimaye Vellum

33. When did C.N. Annadurai receive his doctorate?

Annamalai Univeristy in 1968

34. When did C.N. Annadurai die?

3rd February 1969

35. When did Dr. Muthulakshmi Reddy born?

30th July 1886

36. What was the owe taken by Dr. Muthulakshmi Reddy?

Eradicate cancer

37. What was the reason for Gandhi to praise Dr. Muthulakshmi Reddy?

Her struggle for abolition of Devadasi system

38. Which announced equal pay to Tamil teachers?

Elavu Varam

39. What was the reason behind bringing up Chennai Manavar Mandram?

To make students improve their knowledge in Tamil and to score good marks in Tamil

40. Who was the women revolutionaries of 20th century who contributed for freedom and social reforms?

Moovalur Ramamirdham Ammaiyar

41. Which was another significant short coming of the Tamil society?

Caste inequality

42. What is the scheme which aims at providing financial assistance to poor women?

Moovalur Ramamirtham Ammal Ninaivu Marriage Assistance Scheme