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UNIVERSITY REGULAR EXAMINATIONS

2013 /2014 ACADEMIC YEAR

2ND YEAR 2ND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

(MAIN EXAMINATION)

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF

EDUCATION (ARTS)

COURSE CODE: HIS 217

COURSE TITLE: HISTORY OF KENYA SINCE 1895

DATE: 22ND APRIL, 2014

TIME: 9:00A.M.-12 NOON

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- Answer Question ONE and any other THREE questions.
- Question ONE carries 25 marks and all other questions carry 15 marks each.

1. COMPULSORY (25MKS)

- a) Identify and explain any 4 problems experienced during the construction of the Mombasa – Lake Victoria Railway. (4mks)
 - b) Assess the terms of the Devonshire White Paper of 1928. (8mks)
 - c) What were the causes of the Mau Mau Revolt in Kenya? (7mks)
 - d) Explain any 3 obstacles to the achievement of national unity in Kenya since the attainment of independence in 1963. (6mks)
2. “Collaboration and military resistance were merely expressions of African opposition to British colonization of Kenya”. Do you agree? (15mks)
 3. How successful was the Imperial British East Africa Company (IBEAC) as the initial arm of colonial administration? (15mks)
 4. Discuss the nature of British colonial administration in Kenya. (15mks)
 5. Account for the British colonial policy of land alienation and explain its effects on the people of Kenya before 1923. (15mks)
 6. Analyze the factors that led to the rise of African nationalism in Kenya after the Second World War. (15mks)
 7. What economic problems did Kenya inherit from the colonial encounter and what were the immediate efforts made to solve those problems? (15mks)