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SECOND M.B.B.S. DEGREE EXAMINATION.

(Common to all Regulations)

Part I

Paper III — MICROBIOLOGY — I

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 100 marks

Two and a half hours

Sec. A & Sec. B: 70 marks

for Sec. A & Sec. B

Section C: 30 marks

Separate answer books must be used for Sections A and B.

Section C must be answered separately on the answer sheet provided as per the instructions on the first page.

Answer ALL questions.

## SECTION A

- 1. Discuss the mechanisms of drug resistance in bacteria. (15)
- 2. Write briefly on:

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$ 

- (a) Larva migrans.
- (b) Hot air oven.
- (c) Monoclonal antibody.
- (d) Enrichment media.

## SECTION B

3. Name the viviparous nematodes. Describe the life cycle and laboratory diagnosis of any one of them. Add a note on prevention and control of Bancroftian filariasis.

(15)

4. Write briefly on:

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$ 

- (a) Antibiotic sensitivity tests.
- (b) Phenotypic variations in bacteria.
- (c) Active immunity.
- (d) Bacterial capsule.