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BACHELOR OF ARTS EXAMINATION, 2024

(1st Year, 1st Semester)

ECONOMICS

PAPER: ARTS/ECO/UG/CVAC/TH/11/101

(Pre-Independence Era)

Time: 2 Hours Full Marks: 30

Answer any three questions.

- 1. (a) Explain briefly how different is the impact of irrigation initiatives in Southern India as compared to North and Eastern India?
 - (b) "Irrigation plays the most important role for the harvest in Colonial India". Justify the statement. [4+6=10]
- 2. What are the phases of commercialization of Agriculture in India during the British Rule? Discuss briefly the causes of commercialization of agriculture in India. [5+5=10]
- **3.** (a) Mention the role of Management Agency Firms during Colonial India. What were the reasons behind its downfall?
 - (b) Examine the factors behind the sluggish development of industrial sector during colonial rule? [(3+2)+5=10]

(2)

4. Write short notes on :

 $[2 \times 5 = 10]$

- (a) Old Guarantee System vs New Guarantee System
- (b) De-Industrialisation

