

M.A. Examination 2018

Semester-IV

History

Course : ECO-5

Production, Internal Trade, Banking and Currency in Colonial India

Time : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 40

Questions are of equal value

Answer **any four** questions

1. Discuss the major features of the Indian economy on the eve of British conquest of Bengal.
 2. Do you agree that the English East India Company looked to the 'country trade' as a means of providing funds at Canton for the all important tea investment?
 3. Account for the fall of the Agency Houses.
 4. Review the growth of banking in Bengal in the first half of the nineteenth century.
 5. Write a critique on the activities of Carr, Tagore and Company.
 6. Evaluate the achievements of Motilal Seal as an entrepreneur.
 7. Discuss the impact of railways on the Indian economy in the nineteenth century.
 8. Examine the major arguments of Morris D. Morris on the Indian economy in the nineteenth century.
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