- 5. What are "Transgenic plants" ? Discuss different methods for vectorless transgenosis.
- 6. Give a detailed account of production of secondary metabolites using cell culture techniques. Give at least one example.
- 7. Give a detailed account of "Terminator technology".
- 8. Write notes on any *two* of following:
 - (a) Plant Banks
 - (b) Cryobiology
 - (c) Verminator technology.

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Note:—There are *eight* questions of equal marks.

Candidates are required to attempt any *four* questions.

- 1. Write notes on any two of following:
 - (a) Stages of micropropagation
 - (b) Callus culture
 - (c) Anther culture.
- 2. Give a detailed account of somatic embryogenesis. Discuss its usefulness in crop improvement.
- 3. What do you understand by "Somaclonal variations"? With the help of suitable example, discuss isolation of useful mutants at cellular level.
- 4. What do you understand by "Artificial seeds" ? Discuss in detail method of their production and applications.