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Date - 26th August 2020

Time - 8:30 am to 9:15 am

By Sujeet sir



Question No: 1

QNO - 1



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Consider the following statements with respect to Peacock Island:/पीकाक द्वीप के संबंध में निम्नलिखित बयानों पर विचार करें:

✓✓ 1. It is the world's smallest inhabited river island./ यह दुनिया का सबसे छोटा आबाद नदी द्वीप है।

✓✓ 2. It houses a temple dedicated to the god Shiva and is also known as Umananda Island./ इसमें भगवान शिव को समर्पित एक मंदिर है और इसे उमानंद द्वीप के नाम से भी जाना जाता है।

✓✓ माजुली द्वीप (Largest River Island)

Question No: 1

a. 1 only

b. 2 only

c. Both

d. None

BRAHMAPUTRA & OTHER ROPEWAYS

1.8 km

Between Guwahati city and North Guwahati town, across the river Brahmaputra.

2.5 km

In Gulmarg, J&K. One of the world's highest (4,390 m) cable-based lift services.

4 km

In Auli in Uttarakhand, said to be the longest in the country (not a river ropeway)

2 km

In Darjeeling, West Bengal, one of the oldest ropeway services in India, started (1968).

Question No: 2

Bonda Tribe is related to which state?

बोंडा जनजाति किस राज्य से संबंधित है?

A. Jharkhand

~~B.~~ Odisha

C. Telengana

D. Kerala

Question No: 3

Peacock Island

Golden Langur is related to which state?/

गोल्डन लंगूर किस राज्य से संबंधित है?

A. Meghalaya

☒ B. Assam

C. Odisha

D. Manipur

Question No: 4

Who is the youngest awardee of Rajeev Gandhi Khel Ratna ?

राजीव गांधी खेल रत्न के सबसे कम उम्र के पुरस्कार विजेता कौन हैं

☒ **A. Abhinav Bindra**

B. Karnam Malleshwari

C. Deepa Malik

D. Vishvanathan Ananda

पहली महिला
लठे उद्धार
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Question No: 5

What is Pantalu?

A. Dragonfly

B. Lion

C. Locust

D. Rhinoceros

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शुद्धी नदी के तट पर

देखी

Question No: 6

नुआखाई जुहार

The 'Nuakhai Juhar' festival is celebrated in which state?

- A. Odisha
- B. Chhattisgarh
- C. Tamil Nadu
- ☒ D. Both A and B

Question No: 7

LCBTQ

The central government has formulated the National Council for Transgender Persons recently. Who is the present chairperson of the council?

- A. Narendra Singh Tomar
- ☒ B. Thaawar Chand Gehlot
- C. Ram Vilas Paswan
- D. D.V. Sadananda Gowda

Question No: 8

Name the company which has launched 'The Anywhere School' initiative to boost online education.

A. Facebook

B. Microsoft

C. Google

D. Reliance

Question No: 9

Who among the following has been inducted into International Cricket Council (ICC)'s cricket hall of fame 2020?

- A. Jacques Kallis
- B. Lisa Sthalekar
- C. Syed Zaheer Abbas
- ☒ D. All the A, B, and C

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Question No: 10

Which country has launched remote sensing satellite named “Gaofen-9 05” recently?

- A. North Korea
- B. South Korea
- C. Japan
- ☒ D. China

Scaling Mt. 600

England's James Anderson became the first fast bowler to enter the 600-wicket club in Tests when he dismissed Pakistan skipper Azhar Ali on the fifth day of the third Test at Southampton on Tuesday

Muttiah Muralitharan (SL)
 Shane Warne (Aus)
 Anil Kumble (Ind)
 James Anderson (Eng)



NatWest



A LOOK AT ANDERSON'S JOURNEY

	M	Inns	Wkts	Avg	SR	BBi	BBM
vs Australia	32	59	104	34.56	67.7	6/47	10/158
vs India	27	52	110	25.98	54.8	5/20	9/43
vs South Africa	26	47	93	31.52	64.0	5/40	8/161
vs West Indies	22	41	87	22.60	51.8	7/42	9/73
vs Pakistan	18	34	74	19.31	49.2	6/17	11/71
vs New Zealand	14	26	60	26.83	49.2	7/43	9/98
vs Sri Lanka	13	24	52	23.86	51.8	5/16	10/45
vs Bangladesh	2	4	9	24.77	56.0	4/78	5/162
vs Zimbabwe	2	4	11	20.27	34.9	5/73	6/85
Home	89	169	384	23.83	50.2	7/42	11/71
Away	61	110	194	33.36	67.8	6/42	8/161
Neutral	6	12	22	20.54	58.9	4/17	6/69

WICKET PROGRESSION: First wicket: Mark Vermeulen (Zim);
 100th: Jacques Kallis (SA); 200th: Peter Siddle (Aus);
 300th: Peter Fulton (NZ); 400th: Martin Gupthill (NZ);
 500th: Kraigg Brathwaite (WI); 600th: Azhar Ali (Pak)

SOURCE: ESPNCRICINFO; COMPILED BY G. PRASAD

^{INS} Viraat to head to Alang yard ^{अलंग} _(GJ.)

Navy had tried to preserve the aircraft carrier by converting it into a museum

DINAKAR PERI
NEW DELHI

Decommissioned aircraft carrier *Viraat*, which has been lying at the Naval dockyard in Mumbai, is set to be scrapped at a ship breaking yard at Alang in Gujarat soon. It has been sold to the Shree Ram Green Ship Recycling Industries of Gujarat in an e-auction by the Metal Scrap Trade Corporation Limited (MSTC), a Navy official said on Tuesday.

Several attempts by the Navy to preserve the carrier, by converting it into a museum or by other means, failed. The government informed Parliament in July last year that it had been decided to scrap the carrier.

"Shree Ram Group got the carrier for ₹38 crore... A delivery order has to be placed. Once its signed, there is a



End of a long voyage: Viraat at the Naval dockyard in Mumbai. ■ VIVEK BENDRE

time period within which it has to be taken away," an official said. It is likely to be towed away in early September.

Viraat, a Centaur class aircraft carrier weighing 27,800 tonnes, served in the British Navy as *HMS Hermes* for 25 years from November 1959 to April 1984. It was commissioned into the Indian Navy in May 1987 after refurbish-

ment and had operated Harrier fighter jets.

It was decommissioned from in March 2017, and the the Navy had been incurring expenditure since then on its upkeep, such as the provision of electricity and water, and repairs. It was also taking up space in the crowded Naval dockyard.

There had been demands from various quarters to not

let *Viraat* go the way of *Vikrant*, India's first carrier that was eventually scrapped. Several States had submitted proposals, but none of them fructified.

The Andhra Pradesh government, headed by former Chief Minister Chandrababu Naidu, had made several attempts. In October 2016, it submitted a proposal for its conversion into an aircraft museum, including tourist and hospitality components, on a commercial basis through a joint venture with the Centre. But the Defence Ministry rejected the proposal two months later. In 2018, the Maharashtra Cabinet approved a proposal to convert the carrier into a museum and hospitality centre on a Public-Private Partnership basis and had invited bids. But there were no takers.

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→ Vikrant

Mullaperiyar dam not in danger: AG

Fears unsubstantiated, he tells SC

LEGAL CORRESPONDENT
NEW DELHI

Attorney General K.K. Venugopal informed the Supreme Court on Tuesday that the level of water in Mullaperiyar dam is 131.85 feet now and apprehensions of danger are unsubstantiated.

Appearing before a Bench led by Justice A.M. Khanwilkar, Mr. Venugopal, for the Central Water Commission, said the water is only 1.85 feet more than 130 feet. He said the water level has, on an average, been 123.21 feet for the past 10 years.

The court was hearing a plea by a resident of Idukki district in Kerala to lower the water level to 130 feet, saying there is a danger of

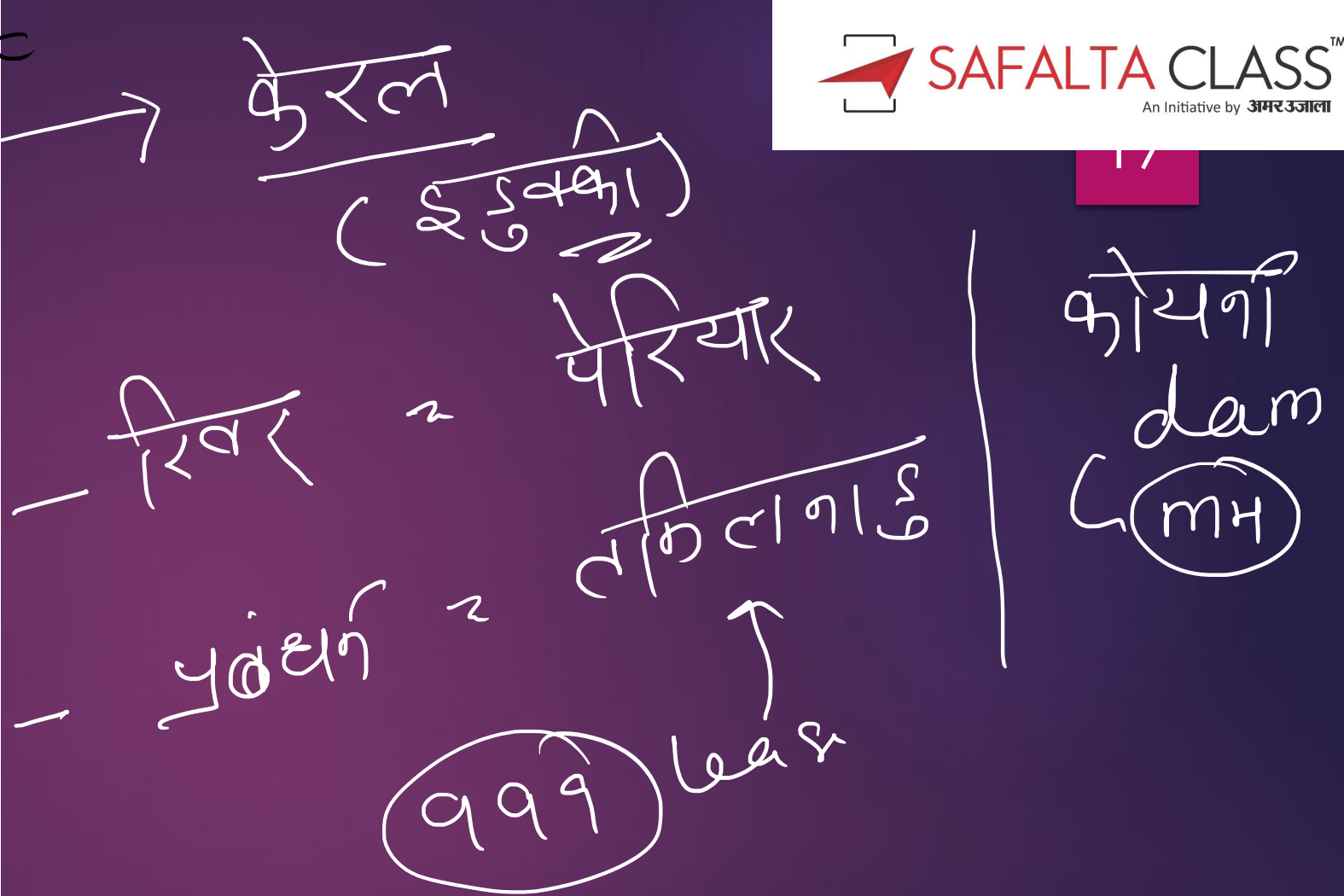
earthquakes and floods in the area as the monsoon progresses in the State.

The court, however, adjourned the hearing on the request of the petitioner, Russel Joy.

Similar petition

The Tamil Nadu government has countered that the plea is infructuous. Mr. Joy has a similar petition pending in the Supreme Court since 2018, advocate G. Umapathy had submitted in the previous hearing.

Advocate Wills Mathews, for Mr. Joy, had said six districts in the State were under the threat of floods and earthquakes. The Bench had finally tagged the new plea along with the 2018 one.



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नदीदलेश्वर (मह)

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Mullaperiyar Dam

The Mullaperiyar dam is located on the confluence of the Mullayar and Periyar rivers in Kerala's Idukki district.

It is operated and maintained by the Tamil Nadu for meeting the drinking water and irrigation requirements of five of its southern districts.

According to a 999-year lease agreement made during the British rule the operational rights were handed over to Tamil Nadu.

The dam intends to divert the waters of the west-flowing river Periyar eastward to the arid rain shadow regions of the Tamil Nadu.

Great Soul

Periyar River



The Periyar River is the longest river in the state of Kerala with a length of 244 km.

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It is also known as ('Lifeline of Kerala') as it is one of the few perennial rivers in the state.

शिवगिरी

Periyar River originates from Sivagiri hills of Western Ghats and flows through the Periyar — (पेरियार)
(National Park.)

Deltas
↳ Bay of Bengal

— (पेरियार)
The main tributaries of Periyar are
[Muthirapuzha, Mullayar, Cheruthoni,
Perinjankutti.]



वायुसेना ने लॉन्च किया **मोबाइल एप!** मिलेगी करियर से जुड़ी
हुई सारी जानकारी, जानिए किस तरह करेगा **काम**



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INDIA GPS NAVIC AS ALLIED SYSTEM OF US

↳ Navigating with Indi Constell.

Recently, the US congress has agreed to designate India's NavIC as its allied navigational satellite system along with Galileo of European Union and QZSS of Japan.

Also, US designated (Russia's GLONASS) and (Chinese Beidou as a “non-allied system”). It means that US satellite navigation system will not co-operate or exchange data with these satellite navigation systems.

⑦ ~~Exercise~~
IRNSS ✓✓✓

The designation of India's **NAVIC** as an “allied system” is part of the American effort to develop a prototype program for Multi-Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) receiver development.

100 YEARS OF ASSOCHAM

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1920

- Recently, Associated Chambers of Commerce and Industry of India (ASSOCHAM) has completed 100 years of its existence.

- It is the leading Indian trade association which was established in 1920 by a group of chambers of commerce led by the Calcutta Traders Association.



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- ▶ **Associated Chambers of Commerce and Industry of India (ASSOCHAM)**
- ▶ ASSOCHAM was established in 1920 by promoter chambers, representing all regions of India.
- ▶ The ~~Association~~'s head office is located in New Delhi. HO

Dr. Niranjan Hiranandani,

President, ASSOCHAM



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NATIONAL FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE AWARD

Lady with
Lamp

Recently, the National Florence
Nightingale Award 2019 was awarded to
36 awardees.



Lini Puthuserry was awarded
posthumously who passed away while on
duty caring for a NIPAH infected patient in
Kerala.

जुलै २०१९

These awards were instituted in the year 1973 by the Government as a mark of recognition for the meritorious services rendered by nurses to the society.

Florence Nightingale, (also called as Lady with the Lamp), was a British nurse, statistician, and social reformer who was the foundational philosopher of modern nursing.

1948 WHO has also announced 2020 as the year of the nurse and mid-wife. 1948

2020 will also mark the 200th birth anniversary of Florence Nightingale.

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Question No: 1

OND-(2)

Who wrote the book 'kagaj ki naav' ?

✓ ~~A. Nasira Sharma~~

B. Arundhati roy

C. Amitabh bacchan

D. Smriti Irani

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Small things

Ans. A

Question No: 2

'Swapnapash' is written by –

A. Arunima Sinha

B. Vasdev Mohi

☒ C. Manisha Kulshreshtha

D. K Siva Reddy

विहारी पुरोहित

Ans. C

Question No: 3

Saraswati Samman 2019 won by –

A. Hari Krishna

B. Abha singh

C. Vasdev Mohi

D. K Siva Reddy

Ans. C

Question No: 4

Saraswati Samman 2018 won by –

- ☒ A. K Siva Reddy
- B. Vasdev Mohi
- C. Naresh Kumar
- D. Rajendra Shukla

Ans. A

Question No: 5

Friends of Police-FoP services started from –

- ☒ A. Ramnathpuram Tamilnadu
- B. Madurai Tamilnadu
- C. Chennai Tamilnadu
- D. Coimbatore Tamilnadu

Ans. A

Question No: 6

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Ennio Morricone passed away, he was a/an –

A. Actor

B. Music Composer

C. Philosopher

D. Music director

Ans. B

Question No: 7

Tiger Triumph tri service joint exercise between –

A. India & Japan

B. India & Australia

C. India & US

D. India & China

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Hand in Hand

Ans. C

Question No: 8

Yudh Abhyas joint exercise is between –

A. India & US

B. India & Bangladesh

C. India & Nepal

D. India & Japan

Ans. A

Question No: 9

Which country hosts the exercise TSENTR 2019?

A. JAPAN

B. CHINA

C. RUSSIA

D. AMERICA

Ans. C

Question No: 10

Who won the Gandhi Peace Prize 2018?

- ☒ A. Shri Yohei Sasakawa
- B. Ekal Abhiyan Trust
- C. Akshaya Patra Foundation
- D. Kailash Satyarthi

Ans. A

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Differentiation_C2

By Bhagwati Sir

Maths

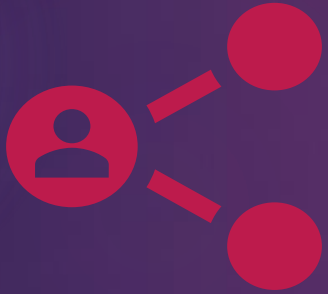
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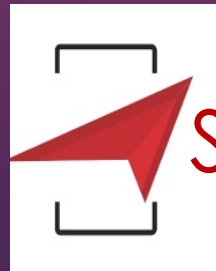
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