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1. India slipped to which position in the Global GDP ranking in 2018?	7th place
2. Which nation has banned face-covering cloth including burqa and niqab in schools, hospitals and public transport?	Netherlands
3. Which three Central PSU's have agreed to set up a joint venture, KABIL to ensure consistent supply of critical minerals to Indian market?	NALCO, HCL, MECL
4. Indian Army has launched how many e-cars in its pilot project to combat air pollution?	10
5. Which Indian journalist has been selected for the Ramon Magsaysay Award 2019?	Ravish Kumar
6. Which Indian state has signed an MoU with the Survey of India to organize mapping and land survey of 40,000 villages by drones?	Maharashtra
7. Which city is hosting the 52nd ASEAN Foreign Ministers' meeting?	Bangkok
8. Which member of the board of directors of the Airports Authority of India (AAI) was given the additional responsibility of Chairman of the Authority?	Anuj Aggarwal
9. The Shawala Teja Singh temple is now open for Hindus after 72 Years. Where is the temple located?	Pakistan
10. Which nation has offered to mediate between Bangladesh and Myanmar for early repatriation of Rohingyas?	Japan
11. The Supreme Court has order transfer of all 5 Unnao cases to which city's court?	Delhi
12. Who was expelled by BJP for being the main accused in the Unnao case?	Kuldeep Singh Sengar
13. RN Ravi was recently sworn in as the Governor of which state?	Nagaland
14. Which states fall under the one nation one ration card pilot project?	Gujarat, Maharashtra, Telangana and Andhra Pradesh
15. Delhi Government recently announced to provide free electricity to households consuming up electricity up to what power?	200 units
16. India and United Kingdom jointly launched Innovating for Clean Air Initiative in which city?	Bengaluru
17. Which city will host the 22nd National	Shillong

Conference on e-Governance 2019?	
18. The Union Cabinet recently approved to set up the ISRO Technical Liaison Unit (ITLU) in which city?	Moscow
19. Which nation announced one-month free visa on arrival to foreign nationals from nearly 50 nations?	Sri Lanka
20. Union Minister Dharmendra Pradhan launched the Atal Community Innovation Centre in which city?	New Delhi
21. Which Article was scrapped by the Parliament recently?	Article 370
22. Which Article got revoked alongside Article 370?	Article 35A
23. Which area would be the new Union Territory without Legislature?	Ladakh
24. Which institution or body passed the Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Bill 2019 on 5 August 2019?	Lok Sabha
25. Which Surface-to-Air missile was successfully flight-tested by DRDO recently?	QRSAM (Quick Reaction Surface-to-Air Missiles)
26. As per the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) in which state 'Bharati Huda', a rural settlement, had thrived about 3600 years ago?	Odisha (in Jalalpur village in Odisha's Cuttack district)
27. How many individuals will be scanned under the Human Genome Mapping Project of Government of India?	20,000
28. As per UGC notice, all universities in India will get a final subscription to access which Swedish anti-plagiarism software?	Urkund
29. Who will be awarded with Vir Chakra in 2019?	Wing Commander Abhinadan Vardhman
30. Which Ministry launched the Samagra Shiksha-Jal Suraksha drive recently?	Ministry of Human Resource Development
31. The United States designates which country a 'Currency Manipulator'?	China
32. Name of the institution which has published a report titled 'Economics of Desertification, Land Degradation and Drought in India'.	TERI
33. After J&K is proposed to be organized into two Union Territories the Finance Commission would	28

have to decide devolution for how many states now?	
34. Pathamadai Silk Mat has recently granted a GI tag. It belongs to which state?	Tamil Nadu (Tirunelveli district)
35. Which organization has recently launched Jeevan Amar Plan?	LIC
36. Under whose chairmanship UGC's 542nd meeting was organized recently?	N Gopalswami
37. Who has been appointed as the director of Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics- ICTP?	Atish Dabholkar
38. Who is the highest run-scorer in T20 cricket?	Virat Kohli,8416 (He surpassed Suresh Raina)
39. Ranganathittu bird sanctuary / Pakshi Kashi is located in which state?	Karnataka (Mandya District)
40. Which organization has recently found in a survey that quarter of the world's population is under extreme water stress?	WRI (World Resources Institute)
41. How much repo rate has been cut by RBI in third Bi-monthly Monetary Policy Statement?	35 basis points
42. Name of the former External Affairs Minister and first women chief minister of Delhi who passed away recently.	Sushma Swaraj
43. Which state has recently passed anti-mob lynching bill providing for life imprisonment to convicts?	Rajasthan
44. According to the Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) 2017-18, what is the percentage of India's young people (15-29 years) in the labour force are unemployed?	17.8%
45. Which day was observed across the country on 7th August 2019?	The National handloom day
46. What Repo Rate was fixed by the RBI's Monetary Policy Committee in the Third Bi-monthly Monetary Policy Statement 2019-20?	5.40
47. How much amount was recently contributed by India to the UN Palestine refugee agency?	USD 5 million
48. India's 1st 3-D Smart Traffic Signal "Intelights" was launched in which city?	Mohali
49. Which Bollywood actor will be felicitated with 'Excellence in Cinema' award in Australia?	Shah Rukh Khan
50. Which player topped Forbes magazine's list of	Serena Williams

highest-paid women player in sports category?	
51. Who were conferred the Bharat Ratna honour?	Pranab Mukherjee and posthumously to Assamese singer Bhupen Hazarika and Bharatiya Jana Sangh leader Nanaji Deshmukh.
52. Which state government has approved the "Mukhya Mantri Be-sahara Gau-Vansh Sahbhagita Yojana"?	Uttar Pradesh
53. Saudi Arabia has de-recognized which nation's PG medical programmes?	Pakistan
54. Pakistan has permanently stopped which train's services to India?	Samjhauta express
55. Which Indian freedom struggle movement completed 77 years on August 8, 2019?	Quit India
56. Which state has extended its existing MoU with Netherlands for cooperation in several fields by another five years?	Uttar Pradesh
57. The US has approved the sale of 12 multi-mission Seahawk helicopters to which country?	South Korea
58. The United States has formalized ban on government contracts to which Chinese company?	Huawei (due to trade war between the two countries.)
59. Footballer Gabriel Jesus recently received a two-month international ban. He plays for which country?	Brazil
60. Which country has recently allowed women to travel abroad without approval from a male guardian?	Saudi Arabia
61. Which cricketer announced his retirement from all forms of International cricket on August 8, 2019?	Hashim Amla
62. World Archery suspended the Archery Association of which country?	India
63. Which film won Best Hindi Film award in the 66th National Film Awards?	Andhadhun
64. Which film won the Best Film on Social Issues award in the 66th National Film Awards?	Padman

65. Who won the Best Director award at the 66th National Film Awards?	Aditya Dhar (for URI)
66. Which film won the Best Popular Film award in 66th National Film Awards?	Badhaai Ho
67. which actors shared the Best Actor national film award in 66th National Film Awards?	Ayushmann Khurrana and Vicky Kaushal
68. Which state topped the Breastfeeding, Infant & Young Child Feeding Practices in India?	Manipur
69. Which Minister launched the electronic version of Rozgar Samachar?	Prakash Javadekar
70. India recently signed which international convention on mediation?	UNISA (United Nations Convention on International Settlement Agreements)
71. Who was elected as the first woman President of Indian National Science Academy (INSA)?	Chandrima Shaha
72. Which nation has introduced new rules to deny green cards to immigrants using public benefits?	US
73. Which court refused to pass any order on J&K saying that it will wait for normalcy to return to the state?	Supreme Court
74. Who has become the first Indian to win world title in motorsports?	Aishwarya Pissay
75. The MCC (Marylebone Cricket Club) has decided to review overthrow rules after an overthrow incident in the ICC World Cup final 2019 involving which two players?	Ben Stokes and Martin Guptill
76. The Bar Council of India (BCI) recently imposed moratorium of how much period on opening of new law institutions?	3 Years
77. Which Union Minister launched the Swachh Survekshan 2020 recently?	Hardeep Singh Puri
78. Name the waste management mobile app that was launched recently to track waste collection ?	Swachh Nagar App
79. When is the World Day Against Trafficking in Persons observed globally?	30th July
80. Name of the former External Affairs Minister and first women chief minister of Delhi who passed away recently.	Sushma Swaraj
81. Which police department was dragged to court	Delhi Police

for referring to Independence Day as Republic Day?	
82. Donald Trump accused which two countries of taking advantage of the WTO's 'developing economies' tag?	India and China
83. IWF has provisionally suspended five athletes belonging to which nation?	Russia (for doping)
84. Which state's police has banned offering of namaz on roads?	UP
85. What is the name of the patriotic song released by I&B Minister Prakash Javadekar recently?	Watan
86. Who has recently won 'Doodle for Google' 2019 award?	Arantza Pena Popo (from Georgia)
87. Who will be awarded with Vir Chakra during Independence Day 2019 celebrations?	Abhinandan Varthaman
88. When will the World Sanskrit Divas 2019 be celebrated?	15 August
89. Who won the National Film Award 2019 for Best Actress?	Keerthy Suresh
90. Which film won the national film award 2019 for "Best Film"?	Hellaro
91. Prime Minister Narendra Modi announced the creation of the post of Chief in which sector in his Independence Day speech 2019?	Defence
92. Which state launched the 'Village Volunteers System' on the occasion of Independence Day?	Andhra Pradesh
93. The Panchamirtham prasadam was recently granted the GI tag. It belongs to which state?	Tamil Nadu
94. Which batsman has become first cricketer to score 20,000 international runs in a decade?	Virat Kohli
95. What is the name of scheme PM Modi recently announced for water conservation and household pipeline supply?	Jal Jeevan Mission
96. Who has been recently honoured with Dr A. P. J. Abdul Kalam Award?	K. Sivan (ISRO Chairman)
97. How many states have signed MoU with Union Ministry of Textiles for skilling about 4 lakh workers as part of Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector (SAMARTH)?	16
98. Name of former Indian cricketer and national selector who recently passed away at the age of 57?	V B Chandrasekhar

99. Which court refused to pass any order on J&K saying that it will wait for normalcy to return to the state?	Supreme Court
100. What is the name of the father of ISRO, on whose 100th birthday, Google has dedicated a doodle?	Vikram Sarabhai
101. Who has been selected for the Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna in the National Sports Awards 2019?	Bajrang Punia and Deepa Malik
102. PM Modi recently inaugurated Mangdechhu hydroelectric power plant in which country?	Bhutan
103. Which former Chief Minister of Bihar recently died in Delhi at the age of 83?	Jagannath Mishra
104. Punjab and Haryana High Court started its first virtual court through video conferencing in which city?	Faridabad
105. Which country hosted the 28th BASIC Ministerial meeting on Climate Change?	Brazil
106. Which country is the largest emitter of SO ₂ , according to Greenpeace data?	India
107. Which country is the largest emitter of SO ₂ , according to Greenpeace data?	India (more than 15 % of all anthropogenic SO₂ hotspots in the world
108. Researchers have discovered five new species of fish in which state?	Arunachal Pradesh
109. The NGT has formed a committee to examine illegal sand mining in which river?	Yamuna
110. When was World Humanitarian Day 2019 observed?	August 19th
111. When will Chandrayaan-2 lander Vikram be separated from the orbiter?	2 September
112. Which organization recently handed over Mobile Metallic Ramp (MMR) to the Indian Army?	DRDO
113. Which organization recently released a report 'Quality Unknown: The Invisible Water Crisis'?	World Bank
114. What is the name of former Madhya Pradesh CM who passed away recently?	Babulal Gaur
115. India signed six MoUs to expand cooperation in the fields of geology, defence and arts & culture with which nation on August 21, 2019?	Zambia
116. Team Indian skipper Virat Kohli has which	18

number written at the back of his new test jersey?	
117. Under major new proposals, the Defence minister has approved re-location of how many Army officers from Army headquarters to the field army?	206
118. British Prime Minister Boris Johnson has finalized which date for Brexit?	October 31st
119. According to the latest report of the World Health Organization, which infectious disease outbreak is increasing rapidly in the world?	Measles
120. Which state's transport Minister launched live tracking system for the public buses?	Maharashtra
121. Who was arrested by CBI in relation to the INX Media corruption case?	P. Chidambaram
122. A raging fire has engulfed this rainforest, which contributes to about 20 percent of the earth's oxygen.	Amazon
123. Which Minister launched NISHTHA, the world's largest teacher's training programme on August 21, 2019?	Ramesh Pokhriyal
124. Which state has topped this year's State Rooftop Solar Attractiveness Index (SARAL)?	Karnataka
125. Who has been recently appointed as Cabinet Secretary?	Rajiv Gauba
126. Which state has recently approved the recruitment of women drivers for government vehicles?	Kerala
127. Which state's high court recently ordered a ban on DJs across the state?	Uttar Pradesh
128. Who was appointed as the new Home Secretary?	Ajay Kumar Bhalla
129. US President Donald Trump recently showed interest in buying which nation?	Greenland
130. Which state's government has decided to appoint a third party agency to study tea industry	Assam

problems?	
131. Which court has agreed to examine validity of new triple talaq law?	Supreme Court
132. Which Indian structures featured in Time's 2019 list of 100 greatest places in world?	Statue of Unity
133. Who will be replacing Sanjay Bangar as India's new batting coach?	Vikram Rathour
134. Which organisation placed Pakistan in its Blacklist recently?	FATF (Financial action Task Force)
135. What is the name of new Android version launched by Google on August 22, 2019?	Android 10
136. Who was recently appointed as Defence Secretary in the Ministry of Defence?	Ajay Kumar
137. Which Ministry launched the Sabka Vishwas - Legacy Dispute Resolution Scheme recently?	Ministry of Finance
138. Union Power Minister RK Singh recently approved proposal to declare which energy as Renewable Energy?	Ocean Energy
139. Which nation has unveiled a domestically-built Bavar-373 missile defense system despite sanctions ?	Iran
140. Which nation has launched a rocket carrying a life-sized robot to International Space Station?	Russia
141. This Union Minister passed away on August 24, 2019 after prolonged illness.	Arun Jaitley
142. Which Indian player has become the first-ever to clinch the Badminton World Championship title?	PV Sindhu
143. PM Modi launched the RuPay card in which gulf country?	UAE
144. Which country awarded Prime Minister Narendra Modi 'The King Hamad Order of the Renaissance'?	Bahrain
145. According to Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman, all the pending GST refund would be	30

returned to the MSME's within how many days?	
146. Whose 109th birth anniversary was commemorated on August 26, 2019?	Mother Teresa
147. When is the Women's Equality Day observed?	August 26
148. Union Textiles Minister Smriti Irani launched Project SURE on sustainable fashion day in which city?	Mumbai
149. Which team won Durand Cup-2019 title?	Gokulam Kerala FC
150. Who was selected for the Outstanding Engineer Award-2019 by Institution of Engineers in India?	Prabhakar Singh
151. The Direct Tax Code (DTC) task force has recommended a major cut in corporate tax for both domestic and foreign companies. What is the newly recommended corporate tax rate?	25 percent
152. Which country bestowed its highest civilian award 'Order of Zaid' upon Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi?	UAE
153. Which Indian structure featured in Time's 2019 list of 100 greatest places in world?	Statue of Unity
154. What will be the retirement age of the Central Armed Police Force personnel per the order issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs?	60
155. Which nation has launched its own Space Command?	United States
156. When is the National Sports Day observed every year in India?	29th August
157. Andhra Pradesh government recently announced that the Polavaram Project work will be resumed from November 2019. The project runs on which river?	Godavari
158. How many colleges will be opened in the region of Jammu and Kashmir by Government of India?	50
159. Where was the 12th National Security Summit organized in India?	New Delhi
160. Which state government has banned sex reassignment surgeries on intersex infants?	Tamil Nadu
161. Who are in five-member GoM set up by the government for Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh?	Ravi Shankar Prasad, Jitendra

	Singh, Thawar Chand Gehlot, Narendra Singh Tomar and Dharmendra Pradhan.
162. The Supreme Court has referred the Article 370 petitions for hearing to a special constitution bench. The bench will comprise how many members?	Five
163. Who has been appointed as the new Chairperson of PMLA Appellate Tribunal?	Sunil Gaur
164. Which telecom company topped the telecom market with highest revenue share in the April-June quarter?	Jio
165. The Indian Railways has decided to offer how much discount in its AC Chair car trains like Shatabdi, Tejas?	25 percent
166. Who has become the first IPS officer to be honoured with the prestigious Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Award 2018?	Aparna Kumar
167. When is the National Sports Day observed every year in India?	29th August
168. Name the India's first woman Director General of Police (DGP) who passed away recently.	Kanchan Chaudhary Dehradun
169. The Indian Institute of Petroleum recently established a plant to turn plastic waste into diesel in which city?	New Delhi
170. Which city will host the 14th session of the Conference of the Parties of UNCCD?	Feroz Shah Kotla stadium
171. Which stadium will soon be renamed as Arun Jaitley Stadium?	Sumit Nagal
172. Who became the first-ever Indian tennis player to win a set against Roger Federer?	Apple MacBook
173. Which item has been banned by the Directorate General of Civil Aviation while travelling in planes?	Russia
174. US President Donald Trump called for reinstating of which nation as a permanent member in the G7 group?	United States
175. Which country will be the host of G7 summit	

2020?	
176. Which country rejected the \$22 million G7 aid to fight Amazon rainforest fire?	Brazil
177. Which city will host the Indo Pacific Chiefs of Defence (CHOD) Conference 2019?	Bangkok
178. Andhra Pradesh government recently announced that the Polavaram Project work will be resumed from November 2019. The project runs on which river?	Godavari
179. Which State Government recently announced that it will waive water arrears of people who live in colonies categorised as E, F, G and H?	Delhi
180. Which country recently requested the United Nations to call back all peacekeepers from the country by June 2020?	Sudan
181. Which three banks will be merged into a single entity to form the 2nd largest bank of India?	PNB, OBC & United Bank of India
182. Which nation has launched its own Space Command?	United States
183. Which Indian cricketer has come out of his retirement and made himself available for all formats?	Ambati Rayudu
184. The UGC has constituted a high-level committee to inquire the alleged sale of fake degrees by universities. The committee will comprise how many members?	Five
185. The Secretariat Office of the International Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure will be set in which Indian city?	New Delhi
186. Which state government has banned wearing of jeans and T-shirts by the employees in the state secretariat?	Bihar
187. How many 'foreign tribunals' have been formed in Assam to complain if names are excluded in NRC list?	1000
188. Which is the first country in the world to issue a Biometric seafarers Identification Document (BSID) by collecting facial biometric data of seafarers?	India
189. Which nation successfully test-fired nuclear-capable surface-to-surface ballistic missile	Pakistan



Ghaznavi?	
190. When was Fit India movement launched?	August 29th (National Sports day)
191. When will India launch a nation-wide ban on single-use plastic?	October 2nd (100th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi)
192. Which sportsperson's birthday is celebrated as National Sports Day?	Major Dhyan Chand

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