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Q1. American President Donald Trump has nominated a top national security adviser, K.T. McFarland to be the country's envoy to-

Ans. Singapore

Q2. What is India's rank According to the 'Global Burden of Disease Study' (GBD) on the healthcare index?

Ans. 154

Q3. Who has received TM Forum's 'Digital Service Innovator of the Year Award' 2017?

Ans. Reliance Jio

Q4. Which e-commerce company has topped LinkedIn's list of the top companies to work in India second time in a row in the year 2017?

Ans. Flipkart

Q5. Who released a book 'Childhood Nostalgia and Triggering Tales'?

Ans. Ruskin Bond

Q6. VG Vijayan related to which field?

Ans. Journalism

Q7. Who is railway minister of India?

Ans. Suresh Prabhu

Q8. Who inaugurated the 'E-text portal' for the students in the state?

Ans. Manohar Lal Khattar

Q9. Which country has won the gold medal at the Archery World Cup Stage-I?

Ans. India

Q10. Who has released a two-part book series written by the eminent agricultural scientist Dr. M.S. Swaminathan?

Ans. Narendra Modi

Q11. Which of the following team has won the IPL season 10?

Ans. Mumbai Indians

Q12. Who unveiled a 12-feet tall and 25-feet long steel Charkha and inaugurated a heritage Charkha Museum at Palika Bazar Park in Connaught Place?

Ans. Amit Shah

Q13. Name the first Indian woman to climb Mount Everest five times?

Ans. Anshu Jamsenpa

Q14. Rome Masters Title 2017 won by-

Ans. Alexander Zverev

Q15. In the IPL 10 Who has bagged the Orange Cap?

Ans. David Warner

Q16. Which country signed a deal worth USD 630 million with India to supply advanced long range air and missile defence systems for four ships of the Indian Navy?

Ans. Israel

Q17. Recently which edition of Hero Federation Cup was concluded?

Ans. 38

Q18. Who became the first Indian and the third cricketer in the world to captain in 100 ODIs matches?

Ans. Mithali Raj

Q19. Who became the first India-born woman to be elected as a councillor to a ward in the UK?

Ans. Rahana Ameer

Q20. How many Indian luxury goods firms have been included in the "Global Powers of Luxury Goods" report?

Ans. 3

Q21. India's fastest train "Tejas" was recently flagged off from-

Ans. Mumbai

Q22. Recently who has been appointed a non-official independent director of Air India?

Ans. Syed Zafar Islam

Ans. Saurabh Agrawal

Q23. How many african countries have signed the framework agreement of the International Solar Alliance (ISA) in the presence of Union Finance Minister Arun Jaitley?

Ans. 4

Q24. Which of the following has signed an MOU with Bharathiar University to establish academic collaboration for conduct of research programmes in various fields and also in the field of Education Technology?

Ans. Indian Air Force

Q25. Which Motor Company named Jim Hackett as chief executive officer?

Ans. Ford Motors

Q26. Under which project, Microsoft India signed an MoU with Telecom Sector Skill Council (TSSC) to drive skill development for the Indian Telecom industry?

Ans. Sangam

Q27. Name the largest Stainless steel producer of the world?

Ans. China

Q28. Who among the following has been appointed as the new CFO of Tata Group?

Ans. Saurabh Agrawal

Q29. Solibacillus kalamii is the name of a-

Ans. Bacteria

Q30. Who is the CEO of the newly operational Paytm Bank?

Ans. Renu Satti

Q31. Who has been selected for the J C Daniel Award-2016, Kerala Government's highest honour for outstanding contribution to Malayalam cinema?

Ans. Adoor Gopalkrishnan

Q32. International Day of UN Peacekeepers is observed on-

Ans. 24 May

Q33. Which bank along with IFFCO has launched co-branded debit card for farmers that has an in-built overdraft facility of Rs 2,500 with one- month interest-free period?

Ans. Bank of Baroda

Q34. Who will provide Rajasthan USD 500 million loan (about Rs 3,238 crore) in tranches to improve road transport in the state?

Ans. ADB

Q35. Which country has won gold medal in the Team Relay event at the 2nd Asian Youth Athletics Championships 2017?

Ans. India

Q36. The famous Roger Moore has died recently, he was a famous-

Ans. Actor

Q37. Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company, the financial services division of _____ group, has partnered with US-based Mavin as part of its plan to tap rural areas through digital technology.

Ans. Murugappa

Q38. Recently which state has signed five agreements with Singapore-based companies?

Ans. Haryana

Q39. Who among the following is the present time chairperson of Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI)?

Ans. M.S.Sahoo

Q40. Which Indian wildlife and environment cartoonist won 2017 WWF International President's Award?

Ans. Rohan Chakravarty

Q41. Culture Minister _____ has launched Swachh Bharat app at the National Museum in New Delhi.

Ans. Mahesh Sharma

Q42. The Union Cabinet has announced the scrapping up of the FIPB. What does 'P' stands for in the abbreviation "FIPB"?

Ans. Promotion

Q43. Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus has been elected as the new Director-General of-

Ans. WHO

Q44. What is the name of the world's largest aircraft, who has successfully completed a test flight by flying for a total of 180 minutes in Cardington, UK?

Ans. Airlander 10

Q45. Which city has been ranked the world's second most densely populated city by the World Economic Forum (WEF)?

Ans. Mumbai

Q46. Who has won the International Cricketer of the Year award at the CEAT Cricket Rating International Awards 2017?

Ans. R.Ashwin

Q47. Who will be the next PM of Nepal after the resignation of incumbent PM Pushpa Kamal Dahal?

Ans. Sher Bahadur Deuba

Q48. Moody's has downgraded the credit ratings of which country for the first time in nearly 30 years?

Ans. China

Q49. Which of the following bank along with New India Assurance Company Ltd. have signed an agreement to provide security to the cooperative farmers?

Ans. APEX Bank

Q50. The government approved the Noida-Greater Noida Metro Rail project to be built at a cost of-

Ans. 5500 Cr

Q51. According to a report compiled by fDi Intelligence, which country is the top most greenfield FDI investment destination in the world?

Ans. India

Q52. According to 'TripAdvisor's Travellers Choice Awards' (Landmarks), Taj Mahal has been ranked _____ in the list of top landmarks.

Ans. 3

Q53. Name the only Indian company to be named among the top 10 consumer financial services companies in the world?

Ans. HDFC Ltd

Q54. What is the tenure of the newly appointed chairman of SME Council?

Ans. 3 years

Q55. Recently who has been elected as the Chairman of International Fertilizer Association (IFA)?

Ans. Rakesh Kapur

Q56. ___ Agriculture Minister Ghulam Nabi Lone Hanjura launched e-plant clinics.

Ans. J&K

Q57. Who has been appointed as the secretary of the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE)?

Ans. Anurag Tripathy

Q58. What is the length of the recently inaugurated Dhola Sadiya Bridge?

Ans. 9.15 Km

Q59. Who sworn in as the new President of Ecuador?

Ans. Lenin Moreno

Q60. Recently who became one of the members of the BWF Athletes' Commission?

Ans. P.V.Sindhu