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EXPLANATION

- 1. Def Expo is a flagship biennial event of the Ministry of Defence, showcasing the land, naval, air as well as homeland security systems
- 2. Exp..The Eastern Economic Forum was established by decree of the President of the Russian Federation Vladimir Putin in 2015. It supports the economic development of Russia's Far East and to expand international cooperation in the Asia-Pacific region

3. Solution: d)

An Indian Army team successfully summited Mount Leo Pargyil. Leo Pargyil is the third highest peak of Himachal and is considered to be among the most challenging and technically difficult peak to scale. It lies in the Zanskar range

4. Solution: b)

The polar vortex is a large area of low pressure and cold air surrounding the Earth's North and South poles. The term vortex refers to the counter-clockwise flow of air that helps keep the colder air close to the poles. The polar vortex spins in the stratosphere, a layer of the atmosphere 10-48 km above the ground and above the troposphere, where most familiar weather patterns develop. Often during winter in the Northern Hemisphere, the polar vortex will become less stable and expand, sending cold Arctic air southward over the United States

5. A) b

Blue stragglers is a class of stars on open or globular clusters that stand out as they are bigger and bluer than the rest of the stars. These are unusually hot and bright stars found in the cores of ancient star clusters known as globulars.

6. A) d

Rabies is a viral disease that is spread through the animal bite such as the dog. It is caused by the infection of rabies virus. The infection caused from this leads to encephalomyelitis i.ethe inflammation of the brain as well as the spinal cord. The transmission of the virus happens through the saliva and affects the CNS or Central nervous system. This virus belongs to the family called Rhabdoviridae. It takes the shape of a bullet. Animals such as dogs, rabbits, cats, fox and etccarry

this virus and transmit the disease to human beings.

7. Answer: c

Jaishankar Foreign Secretary said it was based on

- a clear sense of its priorities
- An integrated view of regions
- A more vigorous effort directed at confidently pursuing multiple relationships simultaneously and a global impact.

8. Answer: C

Recently, The sea phase of the three day long bilateral exercise Al –Mohed Al- Hindi, between Indian Navy and royal Saudi Naval force commences off the coast of Al jubali, Saudi Arabia, The two navies undertake Co-ordinate action against

- Asymmetric threat
- Replenishment at sea procedures
- Anti-piracy and boarding operations
- Complex ad collaborative exercise including weapon drills beyond the horizons was also conducted to enhance synergy and interoperability between the two navies.
- 9. Explanation: Lord William Bentinck was the first governor general of British-occupied India. Everyone else before him was the governor of Bengal (Fort William). On his return to England, Bentinck served in the House of Commons for some years before being appointed Governor-General of Bengal in 1828.
- 10. Explanation: Madras was founded in 1639 by the British East India Company and was the first important English settlement in India. The fort was constructed on the seafront in the early 1640s as a trading post and base for European residents, and became the Company's headquarters on the Coromandel Coast in 1641.

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