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- (B) Eugen Steinach discovered the sex hormones in 1922. He conducted experiments in the transplantation of a male guinea pig's, testes into a female and the castration of the male. Now the testes secretion is known as testosterone resulted in the female guinea pig developing male sexual behaviour such as mounting the partner. This led steinach to theorize that the gland's secretions were responsible for sexuality.
- 3. (B) The money bill originates only in the Lok Sabha. No money bill can be introduced in the Lok Sabha without the prior approval of the president.
- 4. (B) Nandgaon is a city and a municipal council in Nashik district in the Indian state of Maharashtra. There are two important dams in Nandgaon taluka. One is Girana Dam under major project and another is Nagya-sakya under medium project.
- 7. (C) The most prevalent bulk material for solar cells is crystalline silicon (abbreviated in a group as c-Si,). It is also known as "solar grade silicon".
- 10. (C) The first Law Commission was established in 1834 under the Charter Act of 1833 under the Chairmanship of Lord Macaulay which recommended codification of the Penal Code, the Criminal Procedure Code and a few other matters. Thereafter, the second, third and fourth Law Commissions were constituted in 1853, 1861 and 1879 respectively.
- 12. (D) Ujjain (Avanti, Avantikapuri), an ancient city of Malwa region is in central India on the eastern bank of the Kshipra River. Today it is the part of the state of Madhya Pradesh. Avanti with its capital at Ujjaini is mentioned in Buddhist literature as one of the four great powers along with Vatsa, Kosala and Magadha.
- 14. (D) Open circulatory system is the one in which blood does not circulate only inside blood vessels, but it also falls in cavities that irrigate tissues. The internal organs are suspended in a network of blood-filled sinuses or open spaces which collectively form the haemocoel.

- 16. (C) Changes in weather involve air movements, formation of clouds, and precipitation. Energy is needed to make all these things happen. The energy comes from the sun. Heat energy enters and moves through the atmosphere in three different ways. One of the way through which heat energy is transferred is radiation. Hot bodies (The sun) radiate their energy mainly in the form of short waves. These short waves are seen as visible light. Cooler bodies such as Earth radiate their energy as longer waves.
- 17. (C) Polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) is a synthetic fluoropolymer of tetrafluoroethylene that finds numerous applications. The best known brand name of PTFE is Teflon. PTFE is used as a non-stick coating for pans and other cookware as it is hydrophobic and possesses fairly high heat resistance.
- 18. (C) English education was officially introduced in India in 1935 by Governor-General William Bentinck. The English Education Act was a legislative Act of the Council of India in 1835 giving effect to a decision in 1835 by William Bentinck.
- 22. (D) Jim Corbett National Park is the oldest national park in India. The park has been named after the hunter and conservationist Jim Corbett who played a key role in its establishment. It was established in 1936 as Hailey National Park which is situated in Nainital district of Uttarakhand. The park acts as a protected area for the endangered Bengal tiger of India, the secure survival of which is the main objective of Project Tiger, an Indian wildlife protection initiative.
- 27. (B) The preamble to the Constitution of India is a brief introductory statement that sets out the guiding purpose and principles of the document. As originally enacted the preamble described the state as a "sovereign democratic republic". In 1976 the Forty second Amendment changed this to read "sovereign socialist secular democratic republic".
- 30. (B) The Minimum Wages Act, 1948 was enacted to safeguard the interests of workers, mostly in the unorganised sector for the fixation of minimum wages in certain specified

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