- 68. Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's birthday is being observed as :
  - (1) Farmer's Day
  - (2) Harmony Day
  - (3) National Integration Day
  - (4) National Unity Day
- 69. Who has become the Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh, the newly formed Union Territory?
  - (1) Shri Anil Baijal
  - (2) Shri Girish Chandra Murmu
  - (3) Shri Satya Pal Malik
  - (4) Shri Radha Krishna Mathur
- 70. With which of the following company Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology have signed a statement of intent to roll-out "Build for Digital India"?
  - (1) Google
  - (2) Facebook
  - (3) IBM
  - (4) Microsoft
- 71. Who among the following players of the Indian Women's Hockey Squad scored the vital goal that has led Indian Women's team to qualify for the Tokyo Hockey Olympics?
  - (1) Lilima Minz
  - (2) Navneet Kaur
  - (3) Rani Rampal
  - (4) Sharmila Devi
- 72. The standard Harappa Seal was made up of :
  - (1) Bronze

- (2) Gold
- (3) Limestone
- (4) Steatite
- 73. What was the staple food of the people in the Early Vedic period?
  - (1) Barley
- (2) Maize
- (3) Rice
- (4) Wheat
- 74. Which among the following Kings of the Gupta Dynasty has been called the 'Napoleon of India' by the historian V. A. Smith?
  - (1) Chandragupta I
  - (2) Chandragupta II
  - (3) Kumaragupta I
  - (4) Samudragupta
- 75. Match each of the following dynasties in Column A with corresponding Kings in Column B and select the correct answer set from the table given below:

Column - A

Column - B

- (a) Shishunaga Dynasty
- (i) Ajatashatru
- (b) Nanda
- (ii) Bindusara
- Dynasty (c) Mauryan
- (iii) Kalashoka
- Dynasty
- (iv) Kanishka
- (d) Haryanka Dynasty
- (v) Mahapadma

## **Answers**

1	(a) – ii	(b) - v	(c) - iv	(d) – i
2	(a) – iii	(b) - v	(c) - ii	(d) – i
3	(a) – iii	(b) – iv	(c) – ii	(d) – i
4	(a) – iii	(b) – v	(c)-ii	(d) – iv

- 76. Who among the following rulers of Kalinga belongs to a dynasty different from the other three?
  - (1) Anangabhima Deva
  - (2) Anantavarman Chodaganga Deva
  - (3) Kapilendra Deva
  - (4) Narasimha Deva
- 77. Who among the following scholars in Jahangir's court had translated the Upanishads and Bhagavad Gita?
  - (1) Dara
  - (2) Hamid
  - (3) Iswar Das Nagar
  - (4) Mirza Md. Qazim
- 78. Who among the following Maratha rulers was better known as 'Shahu'?
  - (1) Rajaram
  - (2) Sambhaji
  - (3) Shivaji II
  - (4) Shivaji III
- 79. Which Rajput King had constructed the astronomical observatories at Delhi, Jaipur and Ujjain?
  - (1) Man Singh I
  - (2) Rana Kumbha
  - (3) Rao Jodha
  - (4) Sawai Jai Singh

- 80. Which of the following was the first fortress constructed by the English in India?
  - (1) Fort St. George
  - (2) Fort William
  - (3) Thalassery Fort
  - (4) Mahim Fort
- 81. Which Governor General of the East India Company had concluded the 'Treaty of Amritsar' with Maharaja Ranjit Singh in 1809?
  - (1) Lord Amherst
  - (2) Lord Hastings
  - (3) Lord Minto
  - (4) Lord Wellesley
- 82. Consequent upon which of the following wars was the 'Treaty of Srirangapatnam' signed?
  - (1) 1st Anglo-Mysore War
  - (2) 2<sup>nd</sup> Anglo-Mysore War
  - (3) 3<sup>rd</sup> Anglo-Mysore War
  - (4) 4th Anglo-Mysore War
- 83. Where did Rani Laxmibai breathe her last while fighting with the British Forces?
  - (1) Gwalior
  - (2) Jhansi
  - (3) Meerut
  - (4) Satara

- 84. Where did the Moplah Rebellion take place in 1921?
  - (1)The Andhra Coast
  - (2)The Coromandel Coast
  - (3)The Konkan Coast
  - (4)The Malabar Coast
- Orissa became a separate state in 1936 during the British Rule. Who became the first Governor of the state?
  - Sir Chandulal Madhavlal Trivedi (1)
  - (2)Sir George Townsend Boad
  - (3)Sir John Austen Hubback
  - Sir William Hawthorne Lewis
- Match each of the following mountains in Column - A with the countries in Column - B and select the correct answer set from the table given below:

## Column - A

Column - B

- The Appala-(a) chians
- Kazakhstan (i)
- The Atlas (b)
- (ii) Iran
- (c) The Pyrenees
- (iii) Morocco
- (d) The Tien
- (iv) Spain
- Shan (e) The Zagros
- (v) Sudan
- (vi) United States

## Answers

1	(a)-v	(b)-iii	(c)-iv	(d) –i	(e)-ii
			(c)-v		
			(c)-iv		
4	(a) – vi	(b) – jii	(c)-iv	(d)i	(e)-ii

- 87. Which of the following islands is located in the Southern Atlantic Ocean?
  - (1) **Azores**
  - (2)Falkland
  - (3)Iceland
  - Newfoundland (4)
- Which city, though located quite close 88. to the equator, experiences a cool climate?
  - (1) Fortaleza (2) Manaus
  - (3)Nairobi (4) Singapore
- 89. Which among the following states of India is the smallest in size?
  - (1) Goa
- (2)Nagaland
- (3)Sikkim
- (4) Tripura
- 90. Three of the following cities are located quite close to the Tropic of Cancer. Identify the other one:
  - (1)Aizawl
- (2) Bhopal
- (3)
  - Gandhinagar (4) Nagpur
- 91. In which of the following orders will you notice the mountain passes in the Western Ghats from North to South?
  - Palghat, Chorla Ghat, Bhor Ghat, Thal Ghat
  - Thal Ghat, Chorla Ghat, Bhor (2)Ghat, Palghat
  - Thal Ghat, Bhor Ghat, Chorla Ghat, Palghat
  - Thal Ghat, Bhor Ghat, Palghat, (4) Chorla Ghat

- 92. Which of the following pairs of rivers and associated waterfalls is incorrectly matched?
  - (1) The Chalakudy Athirapilly
  - (2) The Mandovi Dudhsagar
  - (3) The Sharavathi Gersoppa
  - (4) The Tungabhadra Hogenakkal
- 93. Which of the following lakes is situated in the city of Udaipur in Rajasthan?
  - (1) Anasagar
  - (2) Pichola
  - (3) Rajsamand
  - (4) Siliserh
- 94. Which of the following river valleys in India is well known for its ravines?
  - (1) The Betwa
  - (2). The Chambal
  - (3) The Luni
  - (4) The Mahi
- 95. Which state is the largest producer of pearl millet (bajra) in India?
  - (1) Gujarat
  - (2). Madhya Pradesh
  - (3) Rajasthan
  - (4) Uttar Pradesh
- 96. Which of the following barrages in Odisha is under construction at present?
  - (1) Anandapur on the Baitarani

- (2) Bidyadharpur on the Salandi
- (3) Mangalpur on the Hati
- (4) Samal on the Brahmani
- 97. To which type of forests in Odisha does the Chandka Forest belong?
  - (1) Littoral and Swamp forests
  - (2) Tropical dry deciduous forests
  - (3) Tropical moist deciduous forests
  - (4) Tropical semi-evergreen forests
- 98. Which is the largest completed hydroelectricity project in India?
  - (1) Koyna
  - (2) Nathpa Jhakri
  - (3) Shrisailam
  - (4) Tehri
- 99. Three of the following mining belts in India produce copper. Identify the other belt:
  - (1) Khetri, Rajasthan
  - (2) Malanjkhand, Madhya Pradesh
  - (3) Nellore, Andhra Pradesh
  - (4) Singhbhum, Jharkhand
  - 100. Which of the following is the largest tribal group in India?
    - (1) Bhils
- (2) Bodos
- (3) Gonds
- (4) Santhals