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## **Telangana State Regional News**

PM marks 5 years of abrogation of Articles 370 and 35(A)	<ul> <li>Prime Minister Narendra Modi recalled the Parliament's 5-year-old decision to abrogate Article 370 and 35(A) that led to a beginning of a new era of progress and prosperity in Jammu and Kashmir, and Ladakh.</li> <li>Key Points:         <ul> <li>Article 370</li> <li>Article 370</li> <li>Article 370</li> <li>It permitted the state of J&amp;K to draft its own Constitution.</li> <li>The Constituent Assembly of Jammu &amp; Kashmir was empowered to recommend which articles of the Indian Constitution should apply to the state.</li> <li>It restricted the Indian Parliament's legislative powers in the state.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Article 35A         <ul> <li>Article 35A stemmed from Article 370 and was introduced through a Presidential Order in 1954, on the recommendation of the J&amp;K Constituent Assembly.</li> <li>It empowered the Jammu &amp; Kashmir legislature to define the permanent residents of the state, and their special rights and privileges.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Awards in news: Gallantry awards	<ul> <li>Why in news?</li> <li>Recently, 50 armed forces personnel from united Andhra Pradesh have been given gallantry awards.</li> <li>Key Points: <ul> <li>Gallantry Awards have been instituted by the Government of India to honor the acts of bravery and sacrifice of the officers/personnel of the Armed Forces, other lawfully constituted Forces and civilians.</li> <li>They are announced twice in a year, first on the occasion of the Independence Day.</li> <li>There are 6 gallantry awards namely Maha Vir Chakra, Param Vir Chakra and Vir Chakra were instituted on 26th January 1950 by and later on three gallantry awards Ashoka Chakra, Kirti Chakra and Shaurya Chakra in 1952 were added.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>











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Rail route between Asansol, Warangal in Telangana	<ul> <li>Why in news?</li> <li>Recently, a new railway line project was constructed which will serve as an alternative rail route between Asansol and Warangal.</li> <li>It connects Pandurangapuram (Visakhapatnam), Bhadrachalam (Telangana), and Malkangiri (Odisha).</li> <li>Key Points: <ul> <li>The project includes connectivity between Junagarh, Nabarangpur, Jeypore, Malkangiri, Bhadrachalam and Pandurangapuram.</li> <li>It covers a length of 290 route km.</li> <li>It provides shorter connectivity to power plants situated in central and south India from Mahanadi coal field areas.</li> <li>This project reduces the carbon footprint of around 267 crore kg, which is equivalent to planting 3.80 crore trees.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
"Har Ghar Tiranga 3.0" campaign	<ul> <li>Why in news?</li> <li>The Telangana Postal Department has announced the commencement of the sale of National Flags under the "Har Ghar Tiranga 3.0" campaign.</li> <li>Key points: <ul> <li>The campaign will start on August 9 and will continue till August 15.</li> <li>The campaign is designed to boost patriotism among citizens as the nation prepares for its Independence Day celebrations.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Lymphatic filariasis	<ul> <li>Why in news?</li> <li>The Telangana Health department has launched a Mass Drug Administration (MDA) programme to fight the high prevalence of filariasis in Sangareddy and Mahabubabad districts.</li> <li>Key Points: <ul> <li>Lymphatic filariasis, commonly known as elephantiasis, is a neglected tropical disease.</li> <li>Infection occurs when filarial parasites are transmitted to humans through mosquitoes.</li> <li>Cause: It is caused by infection with parasites classified as nematodes (roundworms) of the family Filariodidea.</li> <li>The WHO-recommended preventive chemotherapy strategy for lymphatic filariasis elimination is Mass Drug Administration (MDA).</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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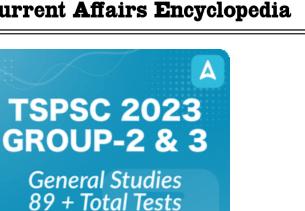








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