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NATIONAL NEWS

- The two-day **India-Bangladesh Stakeholder's Meeting** started in **Guwahati** with a focus on trade and connectivity. The focus is on improving its connectivity with the neighbouring country to get the best of the rest under Act East Policy for the host Assam.
 - A 70-member delegation from Bangladesh is participating in the meet, while a similar top-level team will represent the host nation.
 - **Related Keys**
 - Bangladesh Capital – Dhaka
 - Bangladesh President - Sheikh Hasina
 - Bangladesh Currency - Bangladeshi taka
- Vice President, M. Venkaiah Naidu will lead the Indian delegation at 18th Summit of **Heads of State and Government of Non-Aligned Movement** (NAM). The summit will be held at Baku, Azerbaijan on 25 to 26 October 2019.
 - Theme of the summit 'Upholding the Bandung Principles to ensure concerted and adequate response to the challenges of the contemporary world'.
 - **Related Keys**
 - Azerbaijan Capital – Baku
 - Azerbaijan President - Ilham Aliyev
 - Azerbaijan Currency - Azerbaijani manat
- **Indian Railways** has installed the **most advanced Electronic Interlocking System on the Grand Chord route**, one of the busiest section of railways. This most advanced and safer Electronic Interlocking System was installed at Tundla Junction in Uttar Pradesh by railways as part of upgradation process.
 - **Related News**
 - Indian Railways established on 8 May 1845
 - Railway Minister of India Piyush Goyal

SCIENCE AND TECH UPDATES

- The **Union Cabinet** on October 24, 2019 **approved the proposal for Agreement on Science and Technology Cooperation between India and USA**. The countries will share scientific and technical information and experts.
 - The agreement would enable cooperation between the countries in training the scientists and experts according to the requirements.

SPORTS

- **Para-Athlete Anandan Gunasekaran bagged two gold medals for the Indian contingent in the ongoing World Military Games in Wuhan, China**. He won the first gold in the disabled men's 100m IT1 event and won another gold in the disabled men's 400m IT1 event.
 - Gunasekaran had completed the 100m IT1 race in just 12 seconds.

IMPORTANT DAYS

- **World Development Information Day is celebrated on 24th** October Every year. This day is observed to draw the attention of the world to development problems and the need to strengthen international cooperation to solve them

WORDS OF THE DAY

- **Belligerence** - aggressive or warlike behaviour.
 - Similar Words - antagonistic, hostile
 - Antonyms - friendly, in favour of.
- **Berserk** - out of control with anger or excitement
 - Similar Words - insane , crazy
 - Antonyms - sane , apathetic.