

9. Drawing of life — old age  
 10. Confronted — face to face

### EXERCISE 3

The main danger in the international situation today is the unending, almost ruinous arms race between the great powers which, unless it is controlled and eventually stopped by positive acts of statesmanship, might lead to war and untold destruction. As Bertrand Russel said recently in addressing words to ordinary men and women—'Americans, Western Europeans, Russians, Africans—We are all in peril, in deadly peril, ourselves, our children, our grand-children, unless we are successful; for if we fail, we shall have none. In comparison with this peril, all other questions are insignificant. What will it matter who was right and who was wrong when no human beings survived'. There is hardly any sensible person in any part of the world who does not realize the disastrous consequences of a nuclear war. But it is tragic that when there is such unanimity about the imperative necessity of eliminating war and resolving disputes by peaceful means, a wide gulf divides the powers and prevents a meeting of minds. The result is that neither side is prepared to make any agreement or arrive at any arrangement which would, in its view, substantially alter the balance of power based on nuclear weapons and missiles and military bases. This wide chasm is due to distrust and suspicion and fear. It is this distrust that should be reduced, this acerbity that has to be diminished, if the risks of a nuclear holocaust are to be eliminated. For, under the impetus of this mutual distrust and fear which both cause and are caused by the arms race, the objectives of diplomatic negotiations and differences between nations are lost sight of while bombs, warheads, rockets and missiles tend to become ends to themselves.

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### Adds to Vocabulary

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The main danger in the international, warheads, rockets and missiles tend to become ends to themselves. (292 words)

In modern times, the only

danger to the world is

ceaseless military buildup

between superpowers. Bertrand

Russel commented, while addressing

to laymen that they and

their progenies are in red

zone until they are victorious.

Once defeated, they will be

bereaved. As all other

opinions are This sentence is grammatically incomplete.

human life) Despite the

fact, many people know about

catastrophic results of

war, still they do not agree

To meet at diplomatic table

To change the global balance

of order. This vast gap between

nations is because of mistrust

and Terror. And the driving

force for spreading mistrust

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is arms race which neglected  
The conciliatory efforts. It focuses  
on building up military muscles  
(110 words)

## Topic :-

Lingering Arms Race Leads  
to Wars

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