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Q1. The Arab leaders change their attitude towards Pakistan, citing its laudable defence capability during the conflict with India. They were impressed by Pakistan's mastery in modern warfare and its diplomatic response. The way Pakistan defend itself against India through swift air strikes and cyberattack helped it restore the lost pride. Its decisive victory showed the Arab leaders the true strength and defence capability of Pakistan.

Q2. The blackout in Delhi badly influenced the psychological state of India during the conflict. The retaliatory airstrikes of Pakistan over the key military installations, resulted in ~~com~~ complete blackout in India. The supply of electricity and internet was disrupted that hindered communication. No communication over the situation at all has spread fear and panic there. Hence, the blackout interfered with psychological state of minds of Indian people and increased uncertainty.

Q3. If Pakistan had not launched digital warfare after the missile retaliation, the conflict could escalate to serious levels. Cyberattack was the cornerstone of Pakistan's victory. It enabled to disable command systems, disrupt satellite network and mute radar system and encrypted communication of India's military. The cyberattack just after the missile attack blow up the mind of enemy and reduce their ability of swift counterattack.

4. Although the role played by the traditional warfare in the conflict is crucial, the role of digital warfare is proved decisive. The missile attack helped both countries to attack and defend themselves, but it resulted in escalation of war. However, the digital warfare did not only strengthen the defence capability of Pakistan, but also disabled the enemy, which prevented further escalation. Therefore, the invisible yet decisive role was played by the digital and modern warfare technologies.

5. The May 10 episode reveals that the era of conventional warfare has ended and the era of digital warfare is gaining momentum. The winner in the war is one who wins within least time and loss of human and economy. As discussed in the passage that digital cyberattack by Pakistan just after the dog fight gave it an edge in escalation ladder, it is evident. Now, the war is not confined to traditional ways, it has transferred into new technological warfare.

Q4

- (i) While standing in the line, he could hear a thunderstorm.
- (vi) Not only was he a thief, but also he was a murderer.
- (vii) I won over him in the race.
- (iii) She would rather read a book than watch a television.
- (viii) He resigned the post.

Q5a

As the rain poured down over the flooded city, Adeel whispered to his friend, "Did you hear what the mayor said today? His friend looked puzzled and asked, "What did he say?"

Adeel replied, he said, "We ignored warnings for years, and now the city is paying the price." Those were his exact words. People around him sighed and one man muttered, "It is strange how leaders only speak the truth when disasters strike."

Q5b

- (i) He persisted in the teeth of overwhelming opposition.
- (ii) The policy was conceived in the auspices of international consortium.
- (iii) Besides pain of severe penalties, citizens were forbidden to engage in trade contrary to royal decrees.
- (v) The glass break into pieces.
- (viii) He is sitting under the shade of tree.

loving voice everyday
Q1

Margreat an old lady went to the embankment train station of London daily only to hear the announcement of 'Mind the gap' in her late husband Oswald Lawrence's voice. It had recorded in 1970, and after the death of Oswald, she listened it and felt the closeness of her husband. In 2012, when the voice had replaced with electronic recording, she contacted the transport for London. When the institute got aware of her emotions, it continued the announcement in her husband's voice. Now, it is made in the same loving voice of him.