

Error Detection & Grammar

1. In the cyclical nature of cricket, India is stepping into a new era in Tests. The appointment of Shubman (a)/ Gill as captain in the game's longest format hint at a break from the past and new (b)/ beginnings. At 25, Gill is part of the young turks within the squad, while K.L. Rahul (c)/ and Jasprit Bumrah at ages 33 and 31 respectively remains the senior duo with previously captaincy stints. (d)/ No Error.(e)/

2. But in picking Gill as the leader, the selectors, specially chairman Ajit Agarkar, (a)/ loudly proclaimed that they are looking at the long road into the future, and not a short-term replacement. (b)/ The retirements of regular skipper Rohit Sharma and talisman Virat Kohli in quick succession mean that big gaps had to be (c)/ fill both in terms of leadership chutzpah or batting acumen. (d)/ No Error.(e)/

3. Gill, with all the high potential through which he stepped into the game at (a)/ all levels, be it under-19, Punjab and latter the national unit seem a good fit. He is also leading Gujarat Titans in the Indian Premier League and (b)/ /is clued into the art of captaincy. Men younger to his have led India in the past, notably Mansur Ali Khan Pataudi, and Gill, (c) with Rishabh Pant as his deputy, will learn much more on the job starting with the five Tests commencing on England on June.(d)/ No Error.(e)/

4. He will has the freedom and responsibility to shape the team he leads.(a)/ Beside Rahul and Bumrah, Gill has to contend with other seniors, including (b)/ Ravindra Jadeja, who, at 36, closer to the finish line. It is what Mohammad Azharuddin dealed (c)/ with while having the Kapil Dev, Dilip Vengsarkar, K. Srikanth and Ravi Shastri in the ranks. (d)/ No Error.(e)/

5. M.S. Dhoni had a similar task as Sachin Tendulkar, Sourav Ganguly, Rahul Dravid, V.V.S. Laxman and Virender Sehwag (a)/ reported to he. Gill has the respect of the dressing room, being marked for greatness (b)/ as he climbed the rungs. With 1893 Test runs averaging 35.05, his numbers seem underwhelming but their is no mistaking his talent, and (c)/ captaincy may well goad him to temper his glorious stroke play with some caution. (d)/ No Error.(e)/

6. Leadership caused a surge in Kohli's run-making ability, and the expectation is that Gill (a)/ may reap some benefits also. India will also miss R. Ashwin when it embarks on the tour of the (b)/ Old Blighty, and Gill has to helm this transition good. That hope is intrinsic to this (c)/ unit evident as Karun Nair makes a comeback after last turning up for India at 2017. (d)/ No Error.(e)/

7. He has been prolific in the domestic (a)/ circuit beside doing good in (b)/ county cricket over the previous few seasons, and the last bit should help (c)/ him to acclimatise to English conditions, faster. (d)/ No Error.(e)/

8. Prime Minister Narendra Modi's exhortation to the Chief Ministers (a)/ gathered at the 10th Governing Council Meeting of NITI Aayog over the (b)/ weekend, in New Delhi, that the Centre and States should come together as "Team India" to propel (c)/ the country forward, is a good sentiment; but, it belies reality. (d)/ No Error.(e)/

9. The U.S. capital was rocked by the murder of a young couple who served there as Israeli embassy staffs. (a) The assailant, who risen slogans to “Free Palestine” following his arrest shortly (b) after the violent act, named by authorities as Elias Rodriguez. He has charged with two counts of first-degree murder, the murder (c) of foreign officials, causing death with a firearm, and discharging a firearm in a crime of violence. (d) No Error. (e)