

Dhal gets Apex Scale

Bhubaneswar (KCN): Gagan Kumar Dhal has been promoted to the Chief Secretary Rank and he will receive the Apex Scale.

1985 batch IAS officer Mr. Dhal who is now posted as the Agricultural Production Commissioner (APC) got the Rank upgraded following the vacancy created by U N Behera.

Mr. Dhal is also Chairman of Odisha Forest Development Corporation (OFDC).

He will be supervising five major departments in the State Government.

After Mr. Behera applied for leaving the Service, the State Government recently accepted the Voluntary Retirement (VR) proposal of 1983

batch IAS officer. Mr. Behera who

from VRS. Mr. Dhal's two



has assumed the charge of the Chairman of Odisha Electricity Regulatory Commission, opted

other batch mates, Upendra Prasad Singh and Surendra Narayan Tripathy, who are on deputa-

tion to Central Government have also reached the Apex Pay scale. While Mr. Singh is now serving in the Ministry of Water Resources (MoWR) as Director General National Mission Clean Ganga.

Similarly Mr. Tripathy is now serving in the Ministry of MSME as Development Commissioner MSME.

Meanwhile, the State Government has also effected some changes in IFS level. While 1982 batch IFS officer Subhash Chandra Mishra is posted as new PCCF Kendu Leaf.

1984 batch IFS Ajit Bharthuar will be Special Secretary in the Department of

Forest and Environment. The Additional PCCF Sambalpur Circle 1986 batch IFS LK Tiwari is given in situ promotion.

1986 batch IFS PK Mohan is new State Director of Bamboo Mission.

1989 batch IFS Sushanta Nanda is transferred to hold the post of CEO Chilka Development Authority.

The Director of the Forest Training Institute Angul 2004 batch IFS AK Prabhakar is given in situ promotion.

The Union Government has also allowed 2003 batch IPS Himanshu Lal extension in UIDAI till July 2017.

Mr. Lal is now Assistant Director General in UIDAI.

IS destruction at Syria's Palmyra a 'war crime'

PARIS (KCN): The UN on Friday led condemnation of attacks by Islamic State jihadists on two sites in Syria's ancient city of Palmyra, calling the destruction a "war crime" and "cultural cleansing."

In a statement, Irina Bokova, director general of the Paris-based UN cultural agency UNESCO, described the wrecking as "a new war crime and an immense loss for the Syrian people and for humanity."

"This new blow against cultural heritage... shows that cultural cleansing led by violent extremists is seeking to destroy both human lives and

historical monuments in order to deprive the Syrian people of its past and its future," Bokova said.

IS recaptured Palmyra, a UNESCO World Heritage site, from government forces on December 11 and the new devastation reportedly occurred earlier this month.

Syria's antiquities chief Maamoun Abdulkarim told AFP in Damascus earlier Friday that local sources said IS destroyed Palmyra's tetrapylon monument, while satellite images showed damage to the facade of the city's Roman amphitheatre.

The tetrapylon,

built during the rule of the Roman Emperor Diocletian in the third century, consisted of four sets of four pillars each supporting massive stone cornices.

The monument had suffered considerable damage over the centuries and only one of the 16 pillars was still standing in its original Egyptian pink granite. The rest were cement replicas erected in 1963.

The Roman amphitheatre dates to the first century and was used by IS for public executions during its occupation of the city between May 2015 and March 2016.

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Center forms Maha Body

Bhubaneswar (KCN): The Union Government has constituted a High Powered Committee to assess availability and utilization of River Mahanadi and tributaries water.

The Committee formed by Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation will also examine the existing water sharing agreements on river Mahanadi and consider the claims of Odisha, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra and Jharkhand.

The Committee has been set up with reference to complaint of State of Odisha under section 3 of the ISRWD Act, 1956 regarding utilisation of waters of Mahandi Basin, the statement said adding it will be chaired by Member (WP&P), Central Water Commission, which will submit its report within three months.

The Committee will also have 11 other members comprising representatives from Odisha, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra and Jharkhand, Union Ministries of Agricul-

ture, Environment Forest and Climate Change, Water Resources, River Devel-

projects and from taking up future projects.

"We have



opment and Ganga Rejuvenation, Indian Metrological Department and Central Water Commission.

The State Government had filed an appeal in the Supreme Court for a setting up Tribunal to adjudicate on the water sharing row arising due to the construction of barrages by Chhattisgarh government upstream.

Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik told the State Legislative Assembly that State Government has filed an original suit in the Supreme Court under Article 131 of the Constitution of India.

The State also sought an injunction against Chhattisgarh from continuing works on ongoing

claimed as a part of equitable share a minimum flow of 12.28 million acre feet of Mahanadi water at Hirakud as per the detailed project report of Hirakud project and a further utilization of 3.67 million acre feet in the surplus flow," Mr. Patnaik informed the Odisha House.

He said the illegal action of Chhattisgarh Government in unilaterally planning and constructing projects and barrages in the upper catchment of Mahanadi would spell socio-economic and ecological hazard to our state and its inhabitants.

State Government on November 22 last year filed a

statutory complaint before the Centre seeking a tribunal under the Interstate Water Dispute Act, 1956 to solve the row with MoWR.

As per the 1956 Act, the Centre may form it within a year if it feels the dispute can't be settled through negotiations. The state's injunction plea is intended to prevent Chhattisgarh from undertaking works since formation of the tribunal may take time.

Odisha has been demanding that Chhattisgarh stop all construction activities of on-going projects immediately and the Ministry of Environment and Forests should review clearance given for the projects on the basis of what is actually going on in the ground and not on the information provided by Chhattisgarh.

After a tripartite meeting on the dispute in New Delhi chaired by Union water resources minister Uma Bharti on September 17 failed, Mr. Patnaik had said the state will explore legal options. Accordingly State Government went to Apex Court.

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Madonna on Trump: 'We have gone as low as we can go'

NEW YORK (KCN): Madonna is trying to put a positive spin on President-elect Donald Trump's Friday inauguration.

The superstar spoke at the Brooklyn Museum Thursday night with artist Marilyn Minter about art in a time of protest, among other things.

Madonna says Trump has done the public a great service because she believes the nation has now hit rock bottom, and the only direction it can go is up.

The discussion was moderated by au-



thor and poet Elizabeth Alexander, who performed a work at the first inauguration of President Barack Obama.

On the eve of Trump becoming

president, both Madonna and Minter vowed to lead protests against him, including attending Saturday's Women's March in Washington.



Sunny Leone and Rajnesh Duggal's bold and steamy hot scenes in Bollywood's dark love story Beimaan Love.

Lawrence, director Aronofsky caught kissing

New York: Actress Jennifer Lawrence and director Darren Aronofsky were spotted kissing after a dinner date here.

"She struggled when she dated Chris (Martin) and seemed very stressed out. With



Darren, it will probably be different. He does not attract attention like Chris does. He is very low-key. He does not seem like a person who enjoys being a celebrity. Jennifer is the same," said the source.

Rangoon's Ye Ishq Hai: Kangana Ranaut, Shahid Kapoor song envelopes you like a warm hug, watch video

There is love that is simmering just beneath the surface, ready to explode at a moment's notice. At present, it is about stolen glances and stolen moments. Very soon it may bring about tears and heart-break. But then, when have lovers thought about the future? Just now, it is just perfect, just the two of them and their own world. Rangoon's new song 'Ye Ishq Hai' is the song of that love. It slowly creeps on you, it takes you over and before you know it, you are committed to it. The song has that elusive magic that only Gulzar and Vishal Bhardwaj can produce. Listen to it once and you will find yourself doing it over and over again.

The song has been pictured on the film's principal cast: Shahid Kapoor, Kangana Ranaut and Saif Ali Khan. It would be safe to say

that this is Kangana

tion, you find them in

Watch | Rangoon

bring to life Gulzar's

setting and romance



and Shahid's most bold roles till date.

Shot aesthetically, Rangoon captures love like it is, without worrying about what Indian censors will have to say. You see Kangana and Shahid making love without inhibi-

threes of passion knowing that they should not go ahead with their romance but it is bigger than both of them. Caught in the middle is Saif who is in love with Kangana but unable to stop her budding romance with Shahid.

Trailer: Kangana Ranaut, Shahid Kapoor Are Caught Amid Two Wars

Rangoon Trailer: Kangana Ranaut, Shahid Kapoor Are Caught Amid Two Wars

As the dulcet tones of Arijit Singh

words, let the song wash over you but don't miss the brilliance of camera either. From the shot of Shahid and Kangana sprawled on rocks to the virgin beauty of North-East, the film manages to bring both the film's period

to you. There are two particular scenes from the song which will stay with you — one where Kangana is lighting a candle and the other where Shahid touching her scar while she sleeps.

Art imitates life? Kim Kardashian films cameo for jewel heist movie

A Hollywood source said the sisters are making cameos for the film which stars Sandra Bullock, Rihanna and others.

Four months after being robbed at gunpoint in Paris, Kim Kardashian is filming a cameo for the upcoming female heist caper "Ocean's Eight."

Kardashian, dressed in a white sheer ballgown and fur jacket, and her half-sister Kendall Jenner, wearing white lace, were photographed in New York on Monday, after apparently shooting scenes at a fictitious Metropolitan Museum of Art

gala for the movie.

A Hollywood source said the sisters are making cameos for the film, whose A-list stars include Sandra Bullock, Rihanna, Cate Blanchett and Anne Hathaway.

Vogue magazine editor Anna Wintour and fashion designer Zac Posen have also been spotted near the set of the movie, whose plot reportedly includes a jewel robbery at New York's annual Met Gala, a celebrity-packed fundraiser.

In October, Kardashian was tied up and robbed of some \$10 million of



jewellery in Paris while attending fashion week. The robbery caused her to retreat from public life and social media but in the past couple of weeks, the TV reality star has travelled to Dubai, begun making appearances again and returned to her popular Twitter and Instagram accounts.

"Ocean's Eight" is a female-driven spinoff of the "Ocean's Eleven" crime caper trilogy starring George Clooney and Brad Pitt in the early 2000's.

It is expected to arrive in movie theatres in June 2018

Padhi gets more depts Cash flow to normalise soon: Urjit Patel

Bhubaneswar (K-CN): For better supervision, the State Government has allocated various departments between three Top Ranking senior IAS Officers.

While the Chief Secretary Aditya Prasad Padhi will handle as many as 19 Departments of the State Government, the Development Commissioner R Balakrishnan will look after 17 departments.

Agriculture Production Commissioner (APC) Gagan Kumar Dhal will supervise at least five departments, sources said.

The General Administration (GA) Department recently has issued the notification on new arrangements.

Chief Secretary Mr. Padhi will be in charge of the departments which includes Energy, Finance, Food Supplies & Consumer Welfare, Forest & Environment, General Administration (GA),

Health & Family Welfare, Home, Housing & Urban Public Relation, Labour & ESI, Public Grievance & Pen-



Development, Industry, Electronics & Information Technology, Law, MSME, Panchayatiraj, Parliament Affairs, Planning & Coordination, Revenue & Disaster Management, SC/ST Welfare, Steel & Mines and Water Resources.

Similarly, the departments including Skill Development & Technical Education, Excise, Higher Education, Information &

sion Administration, Public Enterprises, Rural Development, School & Mass Education, Science & Technology, Sports & Youth Services, Handlooms, Tourism & Culture, Women & Child Development, PWD and Social Security & Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities departments will be handled by the Development Commissioner R Balakrishnan.

The files of Agriculture Department, Cooperation, Fisheries & Animal Resources Development, Commerce & Transport departments will pass through Agriculture Production Commissioner Gagan Kumar Dhal, the sources added.

In addition Mr. Padhi will review the major files of policy affairs, cabinet decisions and other departments before getting the final nod from the Chief Minister, the notification said adding his intervention will be sought in other departments before the files are forwarded to the CM for approval.

As per the notification, the Chief Secretary can go through the files of any department he wants.

Any file to be forwarded to the Chief Minister for approval, will pass through the Chief Secretary and Finance Minister via Development Commissioner, the sources said.

NEW DELHI (K-CN): Reserve Bank

Patel, according to sources, told this to

its impact. He told the com-

mote areas in the country.



of India Governor Urjit Patel on Friday is learnt to have said that cash flow in the country will normalise soon.

the Public Accounts Committee (PAC) of Parliament while answering queries from the lawmakers on demonetisation and

mittee that the situation in urban areas was "almost normal", and efforts were on to improve the cash flow to rural and re-

"It will take a few more weeks for the situation to improve in rural and remote areas," the sources quoted him as saying.

Earlier this week, the RBI Governor had told the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Finance that the new currency notes, worth Rs 9.2 lakh crore, were introduced into the financial system post demonetisation.

One of the PAC members told Patel that there was a huge mismatch between the cash deposited and the actual cash in the cooperative banks.

To this Patel said that he has information on the issue and the matter was being investigated by the Financial Intelligence Unit-India (FIU-IND).

Sensex, Nifty slip; Axis Bank tumbles

Indian shares were slightly lower on Friday after two straight sessions of gains, dragged down by Axis Bank Ltd

on disappointing results while investors remained cautious ahead of Donald Trump's inauguration as the U.S.

president later in the day.

Broader sentiment was also subdued even after China's fourth-quarter economic growth beat expectations and Federal Reserve Chair Janet Yellen took a less hawkish policy stance.

MSCI's broadest index of Asia-Pacific shares outside Japan slipped 0.2 percent, and looked set to end the week 0.1 percent lower. "From the viewpoint of probability, I feel the downside prob-

ability is more than upside because factors that pertain to the latter have already been discounted," said Madhumita Ghosh, head of Corporate Solutions Victory Inc.

If India does not see proper growth in the coming times, then markets may fall further, she added.

The broader NSE Nifty was down 0.36 percent at 8,405 as of 0543 GMT, while the benchmark BSE index was 0.39 percent lower at 27,201.69.

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The jihadist group had already ravaged the city during the nine months it held the site before being forced out of Palmyra in a Russian-backed offensive last March.

Moscow on Friday deplored the new destruction, with President Vladimir Putin's spokesman Dmitry Peskov calling it "a real tragedy from the point of view of cultural and historical heritage."

Asked whether the Russian military is likely to step in to recapture Palmyra for a second time, Peskov said only that: "Russian military continues to support the Syrians in battling terrorists."

- 'Barbarians' -

For his part, Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov, calling those who demolish world treasures "barbarians", added: "Such ideology and practice have absolutely no place in modern civilisation."

Sensex reverses course, sinks 274 points; banks take a hit

MUMBAI (KCN): Turned off by a set of poor quarterly numbers, market today developed cold feet as the Sensex failed to stick with its two-day

broader NSE Nifty, which cracked below the key 8,400-mark. Banking stocks felt the pinch, and global leads failed to pick up either. After a lower

27,009.81. The index gained 72.94 points in the last two sessions. The Nifty too ended lower by 85.75 points, or

cent, respectively. Much of the losses in banking came from private lender Axis Bank, which plunged 6.86 per cent after it

fell 2.83 per cent. The caution overshadowed better than expected China's fourth quarter GDP growth and Fed

Airtel, Asian Paints, ITC, Bajaj Auto and HDFC Bank ended higher by up to 1.31 per cent, which capped the fall.

In Asia, Hong Kong's Hang Seng slipped 0.71 per cent while Shanghai Composite rose 0.70 per cent and Japan's Nikkei 0.34 per cent. Europe remained weak, with London's FTSE falling 0.01 per cent, Frankfurt 0.09 per cent and Paris CAC 40 0.1 per cent.

Foreign portfolio investors remained net sellers as they sold shares worth Rs 132.26 crore yesterday, provisional data showed. Sector-wise, metal suffered the most by losing 2.37 per cent, followed by infra (2.04 per cent), PSU (1.97 per cent), power (1.97 per cent), realty (1.94 per cent), consumer durables (1.84 per cent) and bank (1.77 per cent). Selling pressure extended to broader markets which pushed the BSE mid-cap index down by 1.54 per cent and small-cap by 1.27 per cent. In the 30-share Sensex pack, 24 lost and 6 ended higher.



winning momentum and dropped over 274 points to end at 27,035 -- a nearly two-week low -- as investors braced for Donald Trump's presidency.

Ditto with the

start, the Sensex stayed in the negative space throughout and closed down 274.10 points, or 1 per cent, at 27,034.50, a level last seen on January 10. Intra-day, it hovered between 27,264.41 and

1.02 per cent, at 8,349.35 after shuttling between 8,423.65 and 8,340.95. On a weekly basis, both key indices recorded fall of 203.56 points, or 0.74 per cent, and 51 points, or 0.60 per

reported a sharp 73 per cent decline in net profit at Rs 580 crore for the December quarter yesterday. ICICI Bank too faced selling pressure and lost 2.34 per cent to end at Rs 263.40 while state-run SBI

chair Janet Yellen taking a less hawkish stance on rate hike. Losses in Adani Ports, Tata Steel, NTPC, L&T, ONGC, Hero MotoCorp and M&M, among others, too kept the Sensex on edge. But Bharti

Live Cricket Score, India vs England, 2nd ODI: India 381/6, England 297/5 as Eoin Morgan, Moeen Ali keep battling in Cuttack

Cuttack(KCN): (Yesterday Cricket Matter) to it trying to catch it. A fan throws it back and it hits Stokes on the jaw. He is not amused

1706 hrs IST: WICKET! Kedar Jadhav hits it straight to mid-wicket. Hits the lower part of his bat and gets no distance on that. End of the 46th over and India are 323 for the loss of five wickets

1704 hrs IST: SIX and FOUR! Jadhav goes over bowler's head for six then goes over keeper's head for four! Ridiculous from Jadhav. Liam Plunkett can't believe it

1700 hrs IST: Over number 45 done. India are 308 for the loss of four wickets. How many can MS Dhoni and Kedar Jadhav from the remaining 30 balls? Can India reach 350?

1658 hrs IST: 300 up for India as MS Dhoni smokes one straight past the bowler for four! That was just power. No fielder would have put a hand to stop that. Brilliant, brilliant from Dhoni

1655 hrs IST: Kedar Jadhav joins the act and get a four through third man area! India are 296 for the loss of four wickets after 44 overs. 36 balls remaining in the innings. How many can India score?

1652 hrs IST: MS Dhoni is bowled off a free-hit. He realises it later and runs. India get four byes on that ball. Marching towards 300. Another big total coming up

1649 hrs IST: WICKET! Yuvraj Singh c Jos Buttler b Chris Woakes 150!

A superb innings from Yuvraj Singh comes to an end. Tries to go over long on rather than covers to a ball that was going away from him. Woakes has his fourth

1647 hrs IST: CENTURY NUMBER 10 FOR MS DHONI in ODIs. A magical hundred from Dhoni. He gets there with a single. This has been pure masterclass from him

1645 hrs IST: MS Dhoni smashes a six but as the ball hit the wire of spider cam, umpire calls it dead. He sends the next for six over mid-wicket. This man, on 99*

1643 hrs IST: 150 for Yuvraj Singh! First time in his career that he has reached 150. First Indian player to achieve this feat against England in ODIs.

1639 hrs IST: India are 268 for the loss of three wickets after 41 overs. Ben Stokes to bowl to Yuvraj Singh now who is batting at 147*. MS Dhoni on 90*

1636 hrs IST: Review! Yuvraj Singh has

been given out by the on-field umpire but he has reviewed it. The ball is full and is has taken the upper part of Yuvraj Singh's bat. But it has also bounced after hitting the bat. Not out

1633 hrs IST: So India have 10 overs to play. They are currently on 261 for the loss of three wickets. Two big hitters at the crease. Both set for long time now. Yuvraj on strike as Woakes comes on to bowl

1629 hrs IST: Effortless from Yuvraj Singh! He just likes batting against England. Six over the bowler's head. India are marching towards a big total in Cuttack. Highest ODI score for him now beating 139

1626 hrs IST: Yuvraj Singh is now the highest run scorer for India in ODIs against England. Goes past Sachin Tendulkar, who had scored 1455 runs. Yuvraj Singh has 1461*

1623 hrs IST: No stopping Yuvraj Singh today! He bludgeons another six over mid-wicket. All those shots we have missed in the last few years are on show. He is closing in to his 150 now. MS Dhoni into 80s

1620 hrs IST: Yuvraj Singh smashes two consecutive fours to end the 38th over and India are 237 for the loss of three wickets. Woakes to bowl again and MS Dhoni is on strike

1614 hrs IST: SIX! You don't want to believe it but MS Dhoni has pulled off one of those tennis slap shots and it has gone all the way for six over long-on. Brilliant hitting from Dhoni

1610 hrs IST: 36 overs gone and England bring back Crish Woakes, the bowler who has taken all three wickets so far in the Indian innings. But that was at the beginning. India have piled up 192 since then

1604 hrs IST: An emotional moment for Yuvraj Singh to score a century after six years in one-day international cricket. This video captures it nicely for us

1600 hrs IST: India are 197 for the loss of three wickets after 34 overs. All thanks to Yuvraj Singh and MS Dhoni who brought India out of danger after being 25 for three at on moment

1556 hrs IST: YUVRAJ SINGH SCORES HIS 14th ODI CENTURY. What a player he has been for India. The man who won the two World Cups has scored a century after six years. And doesn't he

like it. Thanks the skies for this. Both arms up in the air. Emotional moment for him. Fourth against England

1550 hrs IST: Two fours in the over for Yuvraj Singh and he moves into the nineties. Super stuff from him. After such a long time we are witnessing a vintage innings from the flamboyant all-rounder

1547 hrs IST: MS Dhoni is getting some physio attention but nothing looks serious. Players take drinks in the meantime. Ben Stokes will be bowling after this. Yuvraj Singh will be on strike

1544 hrs IST: End of the 31st over and India are 172 for the loss of three wickets. The partnership worth 147 runs. Yuvraj clearly the



aggressor in this but Dhoni coming into his own now

1540 hrs IST: Over number 30 ends in Cuttack. India are 167 for the loss of three wickets. This partnership going from strength to strength. Liam Plunkett to bowl the 31st over

1538 hrs IST: FIFTY! MS Dhoni, you beauty. The former captain gets to his 62nd ODI half-century. Though a outside edge for four, he will take it. He hits one off the next ball. Brilliant batting

1535 hrs IST: India move on to 156 for the loss of three wickets. Yuvraj Singh on 81* and MS Dhoni on 48*. England searching for wickets in Cuttack. Ben Stokes into the attack now.

1533 hrs IST: DROPPED! Leading edge of MS Dhoni's bat and that flies towards the ropes. Jake Ball tried to catch running backwards but it goes through his hands. Four to Dhoni

1531 hrs IST: Over number 28 ends. India are 151 for the loss of three wickets. Morgan has some problems as none of the bowlers are proving to be successful for him. Here's Liam Plunkett

1528 hrs IST: SIX! You got to be kidding! Super power from MS Dhoni. Goes down the pitch and just smashes it over mid-wicket for a six. That as flat as you like. Rocket. India bring up their 150 and the lat-

est team fifty is off just 38 balls

1525 hrs IST: What a partnership this has been between Yuvraj Singh and MS Dhoni. In no time they have taken India to 141 for the loss of three wickets at the end of the 27 overs in Cuttack

1519 hrs IST: End of the half overs of the Indian innings. They are 132 for the loss of three wickets after 25 overs. Solid platform for both Yuvraj and Dhoni. The former Indian captain is also looking to score runs now

1517 hrs IST: Century stand between Yuvraj Singh and MS Dhoni! From 25 for three, India are 125 for three. Super stuff from the two veterans of Indian cricket. Keep going

West Indies. Brilliant batting today

1455 hrs IST: Though England have got their field right, Yuvraj Singh and MS Dhoni keep finding the singles every over and score the runs. Moeen Ali to MS Dhoni now

1452 hrs IST: Moeen Ali bowled the 17th over of the innings but he could not bring any success to England. India are 86 for the loss of three wickets after 17 overs. They are scoring at a rate of little over five runs per over. Ben Stokes again

1449 hrs IST: First fifty stand between Yuvraj Singh and MS Dhoni after the historic and still fresh in the memory 2011 World Cup final against Sri Lanka in Mumbai

1447 hrs IST: 50-run stand between Dhoni and Yuvraj. A single from Yuvraj that is a half-century stand for the fourth wicket for India. Dhoni then takes a single for himself

1445 hrs IST: Ben Stokes will be bowling after drinks. This will be his first over. Yuvraj Singh is on strike. MS Dhoni has ben the slow scorer in this partnership so far. Yuvraj attacking more

1440 hrs IST: Yuvraj Singh gets an edge but gets four! Lucky for him that there was no slip in place. He gets an edge but it has gone for four. Then takes a single to keep the strike for the next over

1435 hrs IST: Clever from Dhoni! He sees there is no slip and just tipples the ball through slip area for four! Opening the face of the bat. India are 69 for the loss of three wickets now

1434 hrs IST: Another good over from India. They take six runs off it and move on to 64 for the loss of three wickets. Liam Plunkett to continue with Yuvraj Singh on strike. He is really looking to take on the bowling

1431 hrs IST: FOUR! That MS Dhoni shot over point with him in the air. One of the few sights in ODI cricket that will leave you in awe. He completes 4,000 ODI runs in India

1430 hrs IST: Maiden over from Liam Plunkett! That is the third in this Indian in-

nings. Yuvraj Singh did get to play his shots but not for runs. India remaining at 58 for three. It is Jake Ball again to MS Dhoni

1425 hrs IST: Dhoni is happy to leave the ball alone outside off. Only three runs from the 13th over. India are 58 for the loss of three wickets. It's Liam Plunkett bowling Yuvraj Singh now

1421 hrs IST: 50 up for India in the 11th over. Another four from Yuvraj Singh to help India reach the team fifty. He is in no trouble playing those drives. Super batting from the left-hander

1415 hrs IST: Maiden over from Chris Woakes. Ninth over fetches no runs for India as MS Dhoni just happy to play it out. India remain at 39 for the loss of three wickets. Jake Ball will continue and Yuvraj Singh on strike

1410 hrs IST: Three fours from Yuvraj Singh in that Jake Ball over. All on the leg-side and good looking shots. India move on to 39 for the loss of three wickets. Yuvraj Singh is looking in nice touch

1405 hrs IST: Jake Ball is coming on as the first change bowler in the eighth over for England. India are 27 for the loss of three wickets. Big wickets for England. Yuvraj Singh on strike

1400 hrs IST: MS Dhoni and Yuvraj Singh are at the crease for India. After six overs, India are 27 for the loss of three wickets. England bowlers have their tail up in Cuttack

1353 hrs IST: WICKET! Shikhar Dhawan b Chris Woakes. England on a roll in Cuttack. Chris Woakes has a third wicket as Dhawan plays on. A delivery that was angled away from the left-hander but Dhawan attempts to drive, gets an inside edge and back onto the stumps

In other news, 119 ranked Denis Istomin has shocked defending champion and second ranked Novak Djokovic in the Australian Open. Catch it here

1349 hrs IST: Just the three runs from the fourth over of the Indian innings. Yuvraj Singh is the new man in for India. Shikhar Dhawan is at the other end

1345 hrs IST: WICKET! Virat Kohli c Ben Stokes b Chris Woakes. This is a big, big wicket for England. Virat Kohli is caught in the slips! An outside the off delivery that is as full as a yorker and Kohli just dabs at it. He gets an outside edge and a brilliant catch from Ben Stokes. India 22/2

1343 hrs IST: Two

fours from captain Virat Kohli to get off the mark. Two straight drives from him and the crowd is right into it. Woakes is disappointed with his bowling

1340 hrs IST: WICKET! KL Rahul c Ben Stokes b Chris Woakes. Another low score for Rahul. He is caught in the slips. Woakes gets it good on the seam and just a bit away movement that takes the edge off Rahul's bat

1336 hrs IST: Consecutive boundaries! Shikhar Dhawan drives through covers and gets two fours in two deliveries. First one was pitched up from Willey and Dhawan played it on the up. Next was slightly fuller, he drove again

1334 hrs IST: India start with six runs from the first over. Both openers off the mark. David Willey will share the new ball from the other end. Shikhar Dhawan will be on strike to him

1330 hrs IST: KL Rahul begins with a four! First ball of the match and it is an over-pitched delivery from Woakes that has been creamed through covers for four! What a start for India

1328 hrs IST: Shikhar Dhawan and KL Rahul make their way to the middle to open the innings for India. Both will like to get some runs under their belt after failing in the first ODI. Chris Woakes has the ball in hand and will begin for England

1325 hrs IST: Time for the National Anthems of the two nations. England first followed by India. The Barabati stadium buzzing with people. Thousands in for the match

1312 hrs IST: In case you missed the toss, we got you covered. Morgan calling it right this time

1307 hrs IST: Playing XI for India

Shikhar Dhawan, KL Rahul, Virat Kohli, MS Dhoni, Yuvraj Singh, Kedar Jadhav, Hardik Pandya, Ravindra Jadeja, R Ashwin, Bhuvneshwar Kumar, Jasprit Bumrah

1305 hrs IST: Playing XI for England

Jason Roy, Alex Hales, Joe Root, Eoin Morgan, Ben Stokes, Jos Buttler, Moeen Ali, Chris Woakes, Liam Plunkett, David Willey, Jake Ball

1303 hrs IST: Both England and India have made a change to their playing XI from Pune. India replace Umesh Yadav with Bhuvneshwar Kumar while England bring in Liam Plunkett to replace Adil Rashid

1300 hrs IST: England win toss and elect to bowl against India.

Morgan cites the reason for it is dew. It is a lot hotter than Pune so one can expect dew in the night. Virat Kohli says that it is not in his hands

1255 hrs IST: The pitch is slightly cracked up but nothing in it for bowlers. This pitch has given runs to batsmen and penalty of them. Sunil Gavaskar says "The pitch is older brother of Pune pitch because it has more cracks. But still a batting pitch. Nothing in it for the bowlers."

1250 hrs IST: We are just 10 minutes away from toss in Cuttack. India won the toss in Pune and decided to bowl against England. Will Virat Kohli be lucky again today? 1230 hrs IST: People are queuing up in numbers outside the Barabati stadium in Cuttack

1215 hrs IST: The last time an ODI was held in Cuttack, there was a lot of disturbance from the crowd. This time, the crowd is not allowed to bring in water bottles and pouches. But this is what happened in 2015 during an India-South Africa ODI

1200 hrs IST: The toss is just an hour away. It will be very crucial in context of this game being a day-night match. Pitch and dew coming into play. Also, both India and England spinners struggled in the high-scoring match in Pune.

1150 hrs IST: Yuvraj Singh made a comeback to the ODI team after a gap of four years and it was a vintage innings in Pune, though short. But his shot making was superb. A couple of sixes were that really got the crowd going. He is working hard in nets

1145 hrs IST: The England bowlers had a big problem bowling to Virat Kohli and Kedar Jadhav in the first ODI in Pune. Both scored centuries with a strike rate of over 100. For the second ODI, England have decided to use the short ball to Kohli and see if that works. Shamik Chakrabarty is in Cuttack and this is his report from the press conference: England eye short-cut to success

1130 hrs IST: Hello and welcome to the coverage of the second one-day international between India and England from Cuttack. The two teams know the importance of this game. First, an India win will give them an unassailable series lead. An England win will tie it 1-1 and they will still be in this three-match series. Cuttack is supposed to have some dew in the night and the toss becomes an important factor for both teams.