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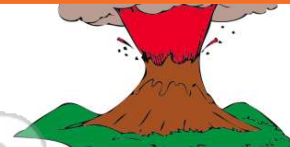
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- A China
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- C 20 B.C.
- D 79



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ANSWER KEY

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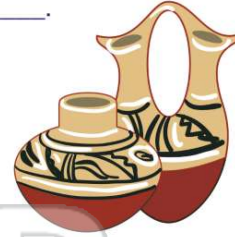
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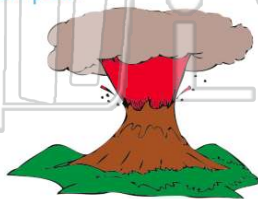
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