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Q6(b)

In the face of rising global climatic concerns, how do you contextualize the relevance of Chipko Movement and its Gandhian tone? Answer analytically

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Reni 1974

Gaura Devi and village women stopped felling by embracing trees, a defining Chipko action.

Bhatt and Bahuguna

Organisers who linked local forest defence to a national ecological argument.

Gandhian repertoire

Non-violent body protest, fasts, marches and village constructive work.

Forest as sponge

Chipko's claim that trees protect soil, water and slope, now central to climate adaptation.

Gender

Women as daily users of forest who became public defenders of the commons.

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