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Naidu rejects no-confidence motion against Harivansh; suspended MPs sit on dharna on Parliament premises

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Rajya Sabha Chairman
Wenkaiah Naidu on
Monday suspended eight
Opposition members from the
House for the rest of the
Monsoon Session over the
unprecedented chaos in the
Upper House during the passing of the controversial farm
Bills on Sunday. Naidu also
rejected a no-confidence
motion moved by the
Opposition parties against
Deputy Chairman Harivansh
Narain Singh.

The suspended members
refused to leave the House and
sat on a protest dharna in front
of the Mahatma Gandhi statute
on the Parliament premises.

of the Mahatma Gandhi statute on the Parliament premises. The suspended members were joined by almost all the Opposition leaders, including former Prime Minister HD Deve Gowda, National Conference leader Farooq Abdullah, Samajwadi Party

leaders Ram Gopal Yadav, Jaya Bachchan, and leaders from the Shiv Sena. Meanwhile, 18 Opposition parties have written to the President of India, requesting him not to give his approval to the farm sector Bills passed by both Houses.

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The protest will continue overnight and the suspended members will again attempt to enter the Upper House. If they are stopped, the protest will continue on the Parliament lawns. A similar protest overnight had happened on the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Bill when members remained in the Lok Sabha till wee hours.

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The suspended members

— TMC's Derek O'Brien and
Dola Banerjee, AAP's Sanjay
Singh, Congress's Rajeev Satav,
Sayid Nasir Hussain, Ripun
Bora; CPI(M)'s KK Ragesh and
Elamaram Kareem — were told
by the Chairman that they had

displayed "unruly behaviour especially with the Chair and gross disorderly conduct".

"I am pained at what hap gross disorderly conduct".

"I am pained at what hap pened yesterday. It defies logic. It is a bad day for the Rayia Sabha, "Nadiu said.

Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs V Muraleedharan moved the motion for the suspension of the eight MPs.

Nadiu also rejected the noconfidence motion moved by 12 Opposition parties against his Deputy Harivansh, saying a notice period of 14 days is required. The suspended members were asked to leave the House, but when they refused to do so, the session was adjourned until 10 am and then for a hour again.

After the House reconvend at 10.30 am, Deputy Chairman Harivansh said he will ask the Leader of the Opposition to speak before any belis are discussed, but said that those who have been named by the Chairman cannot participate. The suspended members effect of the lower that House effects of the contraction of the contraction of the chairman cannot participate.

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The suspended members refused to leave the House while the Opposition protested loudly against the action, causing five adjournments of the Rajva Sabha. The Opposition said the members should have been given a chance to explain and demanded a vote on their suspension, but the Rajva Sabha said the decision was based on a Government motion.



TMC MPs Derek O'Brien and Dola Sen, Jammu & Kashmir National Conference MP Farooq Abdullah and others stage a protest over the suspension of 8 Rajya Sabha members, in New Delhi on Monday

Naidu said the members threw papers, wrenched mics away, "physically threatened" Deputy Chairman Harivansh Singh and even abused him. "I am naming Mr Derek O Brien. Please go out of the House," Naidu said, as he named the supended members.

as he named the suspended members.

But the eight suspended MPs didn't budge, even after the House adjourned, and one of them even called for a blanket and pillows for an overnight stay. Later, the protest started on the lawns of the Parliament complex, with MPs holding up placards that read - "We will fight for farmers" and "Parliament assassinated."

Two of the Government's three farm Bils, which have led to massive protests by Opposition parties and farmers, were passed on Sunday amid an uproar in the Rajay Sabba.

Congress termed "undemocratic" and "one-sided" the

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suspension of eight Opposition
Rajya Sabha MPs, including
three of its own, with Rahul
Gandhi saying the "muting of
democratic India continues by
initially silencing and later suspending the parliamentarians.
"Muting Of Democratic
India continues by initially
silencing and later, suspending
MPs in Parliament and turning
a blind eye to farmers' concerns
on the black agriculture laws.
This bomniscient' Government's
endless arrogance has brought
economic disaster for the entire
country," tweeted Congress
leader Rahul Gandhi.
West Bengal Chief Minister
Mamata Banerjee posted:
"Absolutely unbelievable! BJP
MURDERED democracy by
tuthlessly silencing all the
Opposition leaders in Rajya
Sabha. Clitzens of the nation,
raise your voice before we're
completely under Narendra
Modi's dictatorship!
#BJPKilledDemocracy".

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The second day of the ongoing Monsoon Session witnessed noisy scenes with ruling party and Opposition members coming face to face over assistant policemen's agitation.

As the session commenced on Monday, members from Opposition benches entered the Well of the House raising the assistant policemen's issue. The BJP members were demanding work adjournment motion over the issue, but the Speaker rejected the demand. Intervening over the issue, the Minister Hemant Soren said the Government is serious to solve the assistant policemen, who are on dharna at Morhabadi ground. The assistant policemen have staged a dharna at Morhabadi ground from the stage of and in this connection Government representatives have taken the initiative meet-ing the agitating policemen at Morhabadi ground, but once the Government representa-tives departs from dharna site assuring them promises, the BJP members reach the venue instigating them." He said on Sunday Government representatives

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Chief Minister Hemant Soren attending the ongoing Monsoon session of Jharkhand Assembly in Ranchi on Monday Ratan Lal I Pionee

visited Morhabadi ground, meeting agiating policemen representatives. Giridih MLA too was part of the Government delegation that visited the agitating policemen. Server claimed that the meeting was final, but hours after government delegation that visited the agitating policemen. Sorent samicable and everything was final, but hours after government representatives left the venue the policemen once again became agitated.

The CM in his strong message to agitating policemen and Opposition members said that the State Government is not going to tolerate arrogance and wrong practices of the protesting policemen.

He said the Government has not initiated strict action against agitating policemen but Government's patience should not be tested. Soren also feared apprehension of the spread of corona pandemic

due to dharna of assistant policemen.

After the Chief Minister's cremark, senior BJP leader and former Minister CP Singh attacking the Soren Government said you have got he Government so not issuing orders for lathicharge on assistant policemen.

Replying to Chief Minister temark that BJP lawnshers are instigating assistant policemen, Singh said. "BJP MIAs are going to Morhabad ground for morning walk and not for instigating policemen."

Former Deputy Chief Minister and Silli legislator Sudesh Mahot said if the Chief Minister is so much concerned about spread of corona pandemic due to dharna of policemen then he should personally visit the agitating assistant policemen to end the deadlock.

MSP for rabi crops hiked PNS NEW DELHI

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In a move to placate agitating farmers from Punjab, Haryana, Maharashtra and other States, the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA) on Monday hiked minimum support prices for rabi crops, including wheat, chana, gram, lentil, mustard, safflower among others, for the season 2021-22.

The MSP for wheat has been hiked from ₹1,925 to while MSP for chans (gram) has been hiked by 8.3 per cent from ₹4,875 to ₹5,100 a quintal, an increase of ₹225.

As per the CCEA decision, MSP for masor (lentil) dal has been hiked from ₹4,800 to ₹5,100 per quintal, an increase of ₹300. MSP of rapseced and mustand has been hiked by 70 per cent, from ₹4,425 to ₹4,650 been quintal, an increase of

per quintal, an increase of \$225. MSP for barley has been increased by 5.7 per cent, from ₹1,525 to ₹1,600, a hike of ₹75.

HC strikes down 100% quota in class

III, IV jobs in scheduled districts

increased to ₹112, from ₹5,215 to ₹5,327 per quintal.
Union Agriculture Minister Narendra Singh Toma announced the Cabinet decision to hike MSP of rabi tops for the season 2021-22 in the Lok Sabha. Hundreds of farmer unions across Punjab and Haryana have called for multiple protests in the coming days, including a total shutdown on September 25, against the two agriculture Bills.

Meanwhile, buoyed over good monsoon and higher acreage during the ongoing kharif crops, the Ministry of Agriculture has revised foodgrains production target for 2020-21 to a record 301 million tonnes, an increase of 1.5 per cent from 298.3 million tonnes, an increase of 1.5 per cent from 298.3 million tonnes, an increase of 1.5 per cent from 298.3 million tonnes, an increase of 1.5 per cent from 298.3 million tonnes are fixed earlier in April 2020. Earlier at the national conference for rabic campaign 2020, the Ministry has fixed the target of 119,60, 128.00, 5.00, 9.57, 29.00 and 47.80 million tonnes of rice, wheat, jowar, bajra, maize and

PM: FARM REFORM BILLS

In the wake of continuing Iprotest over the passage of the farm Bills passed by Parliament on Sunday, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Monday asserted that the Bills were the need of 21st century India and reassured farmers that the Government YmAndis, the Government purchase of their produce, and the MSP

mechanism will continue

mechanism will continue. Opposition parties and some RSS-affiliated organisations have maintained that the Bills were tilted towards corporates vis-à-vis the small and marginal farmers, constituting over 85 per cent of the farmers in the country. The PM, however, said that changes will help small farmers organise and get better price for their produce.

NEED OF 21ST CENTURY

Decision to affect teachers appointed by

A full Bench of the High A tuil Bench of the High Court comprising Justices HC Mishra, Deepak Roshan and S Chandrashekhar on Monday scrapped an adver-tisement for appointment of high school teachers floated by the State Government in 2016 the State Government in 2016 in 13 scheduled districts of Jharkhand.

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The judgment will render around 5,000 jobless who were selected as teachers through phase-wise selection process.

In 2016, the State Government issued an advertisement for the appointment of 17,572 teachers across 24 districts out of which 8,423 posts were meant for scheduled districts, lharkhand Staff Selection Commission had completed recruitment of around 9,000 posts in both non-scheduled and scheduled districts.

The court observed that 100 per cent reservation for local residents of 13 scheduled districts in the appointment is tricts in the appointment is tricts in the appointment is the services of the services of

Chief Minister Hemant Soren om Monday said it is a big challenge before the Government after the HC decision. He said the way 13 and 11 districts were divided by the previous Government it was a step to divide the State.

The previous Government

per cent reservation for local residents of 13 scheduled districts in the appointment is the violation of fundamental rights enshrined in the constitution. While passing the order the court said that all appointments made against the said advertisement in scheduled districts stand null and void that will affect as many as aspirants who were selected as the teacher. The court passed judgement while hearing wirt petition filed by one Sonii Kumari from Palamu district and many other similar petitions.

She was among the many petitioners who had challenged the advertisement and notification regarding the recruitment of teachers in which the



Previous Govt's actions

led to such issues: CM

disastrous for people here. Now the previous Chief Minister and BJP leaders must answer to the question as to what can be done in such a situation. The CM also

hit at the former Government for the recent NGT order and fine imposed for building a new Assembly and High Court in violation of the rules.

will be eligible for appointment in class III and IV posts for a period of 10 years. Among 24 districts of Jharkhand Ranchi, Khunti, Gumla, Simdega, Lohardaga, West Singhbhum, East Singhbhum, Earaikela Kharsawan, Latehar, Dumka, Pakur, Jamtara and Sahebgunj were declared as scheduled

Government had announced 100 per cent reservation for local residents of scheduled districts

residents of scheduled districts in the appointment of teachers. In July, 2016 the then BJP-AJSU Party Government headed by then Chief Minister Raghubar Das approved a reservation policy under which it was stated that for scheduled districts only local residents.

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districts.

Soni Kumari belonging to a non-scheduled district had applied for the post in one of the scheduled district. She challenged the post in one of the scheduled districts. She challenged the entire recruitment process after her candidature was rejected.

The petitioner represented by her lawyer LK Singh said that the government's reservation policy goes against the spirit of the Constitution of India that prohibits 100 per cent reservation. She contended that the reservation policy of the Government ignores fundamental rights of equality. She also cited the recent judgment of the Supreme Court that overturned 20 years old order of Andhra Pradesh Governor for 100 per cent reservation to Scheduled Tribe candidates in posts of school teachers in Scheduled Tribe candidates in posts of school teachers in Scheduled Tribe candidates in posts of school teachers in Scheduled areas. The Government counsel defended recruitment and is all such conditions were made with the idea of promoting and such conditions were made with the idea of promoting and protecting interest the people of scheduled areas the people of the scheduled areas

nomically backward.

In this matter the court had
completed hearing last month
and reserved its order on
August 21. The court observed
that notification violates fundamental rights and equal
opportunity as enshrined in
Articles 14 and 16 of the Con
The decision will have
future ramification also in
appointments in class III and IV
posts in the Government jobs.





झारखण्ड सरकार उपायुक्त सह जिला दण्डाधिकारी का कार्यालय, बोकारो। (खनन शाखा)

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12	13	195	but	साडी-2	0.005	शकेंद्र।									
13	13	239 502	रेवती	वाडी-2	0.015	लमेत ।									
14	14	149	telt	बाही-2	0.005	त्रिपुन मिर्धा यो भीम निर्धा पे० शमलील मिर्धा । कीम डोम । सा० देह ।									
15	17	143	tult	erift-2	0.005	दार्गन पूर्व के प्रत्ये पूर्व के श्रीक पूर्व के व्यक्ति पूर्व क्षेत्रक र पूर्व के अफीत पूर्व के व्यक्ति पूर्व के प्रत्येद पूर्व के वीक्ष्य पूर्व के क्षार्ट पूर्व के प्रतिक पूर्व के क्षार्ट पूर्व के क्षार्ट अपूर्व के क्षार्ट अपूर्व के क्षार्ट पूर्व के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट पूर्व के क्षार्ट पूर्व के क्षार्ट के क्षार के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार्ट के क्षार के क्षार्ट के क्षार									
16	17	130	रेक्त	शही-1	0.005	तथेत ।									
17	17	88	ted	WIRE-2	0.015	राधेव ।									
18	17	142	tell	40ft-2	0.005	लोचोन्द्र मुर्गू दो बैद्यानाथ मुर्गू पे० सुकल पुर्मू को मनोरंजन मुर्गू पे० रोसद मुर्गू। सीम संघात। सा० देह।									
19	17	138	teft	शक्ते-2	0.005	subset									
20	17	137	रेक्स	गारी-2	0.005	चगल मुर्च के लगा मुर्च के ठीवू मुर्च (जल्दैक)।									
21	17	129	tuft	सक्री-1	0.02	(जारर)। शिवार मुर्गू पे वहकी मुर्गू वो लक्त मुर्गू वो लेवा मुर्गू पे लुम्बा मुर्गू वो लोको मुर्गू वो श्रीवल मुर्गूबो होयन मुर्गू पे व्यना मुर्गू। साठ वेहर									
22	20	135	रेचरी	शरी-इ	0.005	लखीराण सीरेन यो गीसन सीरेन पे० टिकीस सीरेन यो व्यक्तिस सीरेन थी पुरण सीरेन पे० जीना सीरेन यो कुण शीरेन यो भुवन सीरेन यो गुरूवा सीरेन थे गुटक सीरेन। वीन संख्यात शा० देहा।									
23 24	20	134	रेक्षत	4181-2		छमेव।									
		330	test		0.04	मुस्तवाहा (अव्यात)									

यह अधिपोशणा हितबद्ध व्यक्तिरात्री की आपिता के हुएनो और अधिनियम स0-30/2013 की मारा 15 में प्र यथा उपक्षीत सम्प्रक जांच के परवाद किया गया है। मृत्री अर्जन के कारण पुनर्थवस्थायन के दिए संगादित परिवारों की सं जिनके लिए पुनर्थवस्थायन के क्षेत्र विस्तित किए पए हैं किसका संक्षिप विस्तर भिन्नवत हैं: प्राप्त प्रमुख प

त्या जा सकता है। ह०/-समाहर्त्ता-सह-उपायुक्त, कें कार्यालय में किसी कार्य दिवस कें दिन भूमि योज

देवधर ।

Bokaro reports 147 fresh Covid cases, 67 discharged in 48 hrs

Bokaro recorded 147 positive Board reconded 147 positive of fresh coronavirus in last 48 hours, all of them were transferred to Covid Hospital, and their contact tracing is being performed,

said AK Pathak Civil Surgeon Bokaro.

Meanwhile, 67 people were recovered and discharged from Covid hospitals after they test-ed negative for the Sars-Cov-2 virus for the second time and sent back to their home after

recovering fully, he said. District administration provided medical kits and in

tion-free certificates to the patients who were discharged and they were instructed to stay in their homes for 14 days in

कार्यपालक अभियंता का कार्यालय पथ निर्माण विभाग,

पथ प्रमण्डल, कोडरमा।

अल्पकालीन निविदा आमंत्रण सूचना संख्या– 01 वर्ष 2020–21 विश्वाचन दाता का पदनाम एवं पता
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 कार्यपालक अभियंता ,पद्य निर्माण विभाग, पथ्य प्रमण्डल,कोंडरमा । मुख्य अभियंता (या०), पथ निर्माण विभाग, अभियंत्रण छात्रायास सं०2 अपी, झारखण्ड, राँची निविदा प्राप्ति एवं खोलने का स्थान

 अधीक्षण अभियंता, पर्ध निर्माण विभाग, पर्ध अंधल, हजारीबाग। कार्यपालक अभियंता ,पध निर्माण विभाग, पथ प्रमण्डल, कोडरमा।

7. कार्य की विवरणी :-

ह्मo संo	अंचल का नाम	प्रगण्डत का मान	कार्यं का नाम	प्रानकतिका चारित (रूपय में)	अग्रधन की राशि (समये में)	परिमान विचन्न का मृत्य (रूपये में)	कार्य पूर्ण करने का समय
1	2	3	4	5	.6	7	. 8
i			Ordinary Repair Work in Kowar - Koderma Road from Km 38 to Km 79 under Road Division Koderma for the year 2020-21.	4999300.00	100000.00	5000.00	03(तीन) माह
2			Ordinary Repair work in Dhab - Pihra-Satgawan Road from Ch. 00.00 km to 21.325 Km under Road Division Koderma for the year 2020-21.	2999634.00	60000.00	5000.00	02(दो) माह
3			Ordinary Repair work in Dornchanch-Dhab Road from Km 0.00 to Km 16.40 under Road Division Koderma for the year 2020-21.	2999759.00	60000.00	5000.00	02(दो) माह
4	ALL MILE	E	Ordinary Repair Work in Bagodar to Sariya road (MDR-116) from km 0.00 to km 13.50 under Road Division Koderma for the year 2020-21.	3999883.00	80000.00	5000.00	03(तीन) माह
5	हजारीकाग	कोडरमा	Road Regair Work in Km 14 and Km 15 of Bariardih-Markachcho Road under Road Division Koderma for the year 2020-21.	2500000.00	50000.00	5000.00	02(पी) माह
6			Ordinary Repair Work in Jharkhand Dham Sampark Path under Road Division Kodenna for the year 2020-21.	2500000.00	50000.00	5000.00	०३(तीन) माह
7			Ordinary Repair Work in Beko to Makhanargo Road under Road Division Koderma for the year 2020-21.	2000000.00	40000.00	5000.00	02(यो) माह
8			Road Safety Work at Black Spot/Vulnerable Points in Roads under Road Division, Koderma for the year 2020-21	1500000.00	30000.00	2500.00	02(यो) भाह

- | See the year 2020-21|
 |निविदा की मती कार्याताय के सूचना पट पर देखी जा सकती है|
 |प्राक्तकरन की तीति घटने या बढ़ने पर अफ़ान एवं परिभाण विपन्न की राशि घटन वह सकती है|
 कार्य का परिभाग विपन्न के क्रय हेतु क्य निर्माण विभाग का निक्तमन प्रमाण पन ,GSTIN,
 सर्वविद्य प्रमाण-पन्न की सुस्पट प्रति संतन्त करना अभिवार्य होगा अन्यव्या परिभाण विपन्न निर्माण

कार्यपालक अभियंता प०नि०वि०पथ प्रमण्डल कोडरमा।

PR 233101 Road(20-21)D

देवघर समाहरणालय (जिला भू अर्जन शाखा)

-: अधिघोषणा :-

-: अधियाचणाः (अधिनियम-30/2013 की घारा-19 (1) के अधीन)
अधियोचणा संख्या 1075/मू अठ की घारा-19 (1) के अधीन)
अधियोचणा संख्या 1075/मू अठ दिनांक-15.09.2020
गुके आरवण्ड सरकार/जमारतां को यह प्रतीत होता है कि सार्वजनिय प्रयोजनायं याचा परियोजना-मुस्यूरा
गोड (पन्टपण्ड गोड़ पर)- च्यान-वाडस्ट-कोस्ट्रिया- चोनारायदीह (पान्डी-ठास्ट-22 पर) पथ पर पथ
का भीड़ीकरण एवं भजसूतीकरण हेतु शान-उपस्थनडबर, बाना-चारवां, बाना खे-388, अंपन-सोनारायठांडी,
रिस्ता-देवासर के जुन-6.650 स्वक्ष है की भीड़ अग्र-प्ययस्थनडबर, बाना-चारवां, क्यान एवं कुल-वाडस्ट है, जो मानक अपन सोनारायठांडी, रिस्ता-देवासर है, जिलास विक्षण नियाजिता है:
| अपन-वाडस्थानी किंदी स्वाधित गुड़े | अर्चन हिस्ताद व्यक्षित को गान परा

क. खाता		सर्व	स्वामित्व	भाग	अजन	हितबद्ध व्यक्ति का नाम व पता	41	ामा (भूख	e 410	1
स. सं.		मूखंड सं0	प्रकार प्रकार	का प्रकार	के अधीन क्षेत्रफल (एकड़ में)		₹0	₹0	đo	qo
1	2	3	4	5	6	7 हारून मियां वो मोठ लष्टकरी मियां वो मोठ	8	9	10	11
1	5	559	रैयती	बाड़ी-2	पोडेइयाँ नं०397	बघडबरा नं० 274	सरस कुण्डा 399	अजित स्रेसरा का शेष भाग		
2	11	208	रेयती	बाड़ी-2	0.02	जैकुमार राय वो मोते राय वो गन्दोरी राय पे० फेकन राय वो अमीन राय वल्द संतु राय कौम मुमिहार सा० मीशीरठीह (७०० १०)				
3	11	554	रेयती	बाडी-2	0.06	लचेव ।				
4	11	556	रेयती	बाठी-2	0.03	तथैव ।				
5	11	560	रैयती	बाही-2	0.03	लचेव ।				
6	12	553	रेयती	धानी-3	0.04	बैकुण्ड पंडीत पे० जगत पंडीत वो किशन पंडीत वो बालकी पंडीत पे० ऐतवारी पंडीत वो सुलोचनी देवी पे० राजु पंडीत वो वनशी पंडित पे० बुधन पंडित(ज०२०) कौम कुम्हार सा० देह।				
7	13	580	रेयती	धानी-3	0.015	काम मामान साठ दह बगढबरा (जंठ रठ)				
8	13	577	रेयती	धानी-3	0.035	अखरती मियां पे० नेहाल मियां कौम मोमीन साठ देह बगडबरा (जठरैठ)				
9	13	578	रेयती	धानी-3	0.02	लचेव।				
10	18	207	रैयती	धा नी −3	0.07	साहेब महतो यो कामदेव महतो पै० नुनेश्वर महतो वो कलावती देवी पदि गणेश महतो वो ऐशिया देवी पति चाषु महतो यो गोजर पादव पै० पांचु महतो वो राजू महतो वो रोहन महतो यो दुरवाज महतो पै० मंगर महतो कौम गोवाला साठ देह।				
11	19	209	रैयती	बाढ़ी-2		अशोक खुंo राय वो मनोज प्रo राय पेo विष्णु राय यो गजावर राय वो वस्जु राय पेo परनाथ राय (ज०रैo) कीम मुमिदार साठ मिश्राठीह				
12	19	210	रेयती	बाढ़ी-2						
13	19	555	रेयती	बाही-2	0.115	तथेव।				
14	22	576	रैयती	बाड़ी-2	0.05	दुलसी भिन्ना वो मुकुन्द मुरारी भिन्ना पैठ ब्राहमानप्द भिन्ना वो अभिषक भिन्ना पैठ ब्राहमानप्द भिन्ना वो नागेरवर भिन्ना पेठ गोपीनाध मीसीर वो देवेन्द्र भिन्ना वो अनिल मिन्ना पैठ परमेश्वर मिन्ना वो राजीव रंजन मिन्ना वो सोमनाय मिन्ना पेठ लक्ष्मीनारायण मिन्ना कौम ब्राहमण साठ सरसकड़ता।				
15		557	रैयती	-	0.055	मुस्तवाहा ।				
-		-	-	रकवा	0.605	**Noncont	_	_	-	_

यह ओधपाषणा हितबद्ध ध्वकिरायों की आपतियों के सुनने और अधिनियम स0-30/2013 की बात 15 में प्र यमा उपविधित सम्बक्त जांच के पत्थाति किया गया है। भूमि अर्जन के कारण पुनर्यववस्थापन के लिए संगावित परिवारों की सं जिनके लिए पुनर्यववस्थान के की यदिन किए गए हैं जिसका अधिवारि विवरण निमत्तत है: अपना स्ट्रिक्ट प्रमान अपना स्थान स्थान स्थान स्थान स्थान के स्थान . जिला भूमि अर्जन ता है। ____ धाना संख्या __ X ____ अंचल ___ X __ कार्य दिवस के दिन भूमि योजना का निरीक्षण किया जा सव

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RECOVERY RATE IMPROVES TO 80%

10K antigen tests conducted

The Covid-19 recovery rate of East Singhbhum has improved to 80 per cent from 78 per cent. Moreover, no fresh death has been reported in the first

death has been reported in the last 24 hours. It is for the first time that no death has been reported in the last 60 days. The recovery rate of the district is also the best in the State.

Meanwhile, the East Singhbuun health department on Monday achieved the target of carrying out 10,000 rapid antigen tests. The tests were conducted in various places including containment zones and market places.

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Those visiting Sakchi were subjected to undergo rapid antisent ests. The drive which began at 10 a.m. continued for about five hours till 3 pm. The on-the-spot rapid antigen test drive was supervised by the new Dhalbum SDO Nitish Kumar and special officer of Jamshedpur Notified Area Committee (JNAC). Krishna Kumar. The drive was carried out to detect Corona positive cases.

carried out to detect Corona positive cases. With coronavirus infections continuing to surge, the East Singhbhum administration has stepped up its efforts for early detection of the virus and defection of the virus and launched aggressive mass testing in market places and housing societies. The focus is on Trace, Track and Treat. The district has witnessed 11800 positive cases so far out of which 9,000 patients have recovered. The focus is early detection so that the patients can be isolated to control further spread.

According to the officials, the health department is conducting nearly 3,000 tests every day in housing colonies alone. "We are focusing on trace, track and treat. We have been approached by several societies too. The response at market places was also overwhelming," said the official.

"During a meeting with the SDO it was decided to speed up the tests. On Monday we achieved the target of conducting 10,000 rapid antigen tests on a single day. The test was also conducted at different housing societies which were declared as containment zones," said Dr R N Jha, civil surgeon of East Singhbhum district.

The health department had engaged around 400 medical personnel for the success of the drive, Jha explained that rapid antigen tests detect the presence of viral proteins (antigens) expressed by the COVID-19 virus in a sample taken from the respiratory tract of a person. The district administration has also decided to conduct minimum 20 tests per day in each block. The decision was taken at a meeting with all the Block Development Officers, Conal Officer In. Incident Commander and Medical Officer Incharge under the chairmanship of Sub-invisional Officer Sub-invisional Officer Sub-invisional Officer Incident Commander and the discussed the chairence and the block level in view of the prevention of Covid-19 infection and discussed the challenges to come.

Maoists posters against PM **Modi in Dhanbad**

PANKAJ KUMAR III DHANBAD

Maioist let their presence be field once again by pasting posters and banners against PM Narendra Modi in Tundi area of Dhanbad district. Police found posters at Kolhar, Maniadih and some other locations on either sides of Kolhar — Maniadih road that connects several villages to the Dhanbad — Tundi — Giridih state highway. The Maoist posters come up as part of the foundation day week that is being celebrated by the CPI- Maoists. The week commenced from midnight of August 27 midnight.

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August 27 midnight.

Though the Joint team of police and CRPF posted in the area removed the posters and banners,one of the several posters have termed prime minister Narendra Modi as killer and has called to burn him dead in the red fire of naxalbari along with the police officers who are working against the Maoists.

Another poster calls people

against the Maoists.
Another poster calls people to come out in large numbers and protest the Land Acquisition Act that the organization has termed as anti tribal and moolvasi of state. At same time another poster called for eliminating those who want to capture land of tribals and eliminate them from forests.

Amidst RAT drive in mining areas, 300 bed Covid hospital inaugurated

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Amidst the ongoing RAT Adrive in coal mines of BCCL that started from todaya new 300 bed covid hospital started functioning here in coal capital. Now, Dhanbad has 1005 beds available for Covid patients at nine hospitals at different locations in the district. Dhanbad deputy commissioner Uma Shankar Singh inaugurated the new facility at PG block of the PMCH along with the officials of the Maithon Power Limited (MPL) that has funded for the facilities under its croprorate social responsibility project besides the doctors of PMCH. MPL CEO Rahul Jha said, the company would be extending it's support for betterment of the society. The DC said the new hospital has a yoga centre, music area and telemedicine studio for betterment of the hospital is to be in the hands of PMCH that would appoint doctors and staff there.

The DC said that the plasma centre of PMCH with the trained paramedical staff would start operation very soon. The facilities are being increased keeping in view the rise in Corona patients that have come up during the ongoing RAT drive launched in the district at vulnerable locations.

कार्यालय, जिला परिवहन पदाधिकारी, धनबाद ।

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State's Covid recovery rate crosses 80%

Ranchi SSP found infected

harkhand's Covid-19 recov-ery rate went above 80 per cent for the first time since the entry of the virus in the State entry of the wirus in the State after I,599 patients recovered from the lethal infection on Monday, figures relaxed by the state health department stated. The national Covid recovery rate on Monday was 80.10 per cent against Jharkhands 80.55 per cent.

As per Government figures, the number of active cases of Covid-19 infection dropped in Ranchi as well as East Singhbhum, two of the worst-affected districts in Jharkhand, despite 1321 people

testing positive for the viral infection across the state in the past 24 hours. Meanwhile, Ranchi Senior Superintendent of Police (SSP)

Superintendent of Police (SSP) SK Jha, tested positive for Covid-19 on Monday, health officials said. Jha has gone into home quarantine, and a team of doctors is keeping a check on his health, the officials added.

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At least 259 patients recovered in Ranchi against 176 fresh
cases of infection, while East
Singhbhum reported 402 recoveries against 361 cases. The
number of active cases, however, shot up in Dhanbad after 111
people were found, infected er, shot up in Dhanbad after 111 people were found infected there and 34 patients recovered on the day. As per government data, there were 3,394 active cases in Ranchi, 2,522 active cases in East Singhbhum and 968 active cases in Dhanbad by Saturday evening.



A medic takes swab samples of a girl for Covid-19 testing at a camp in Ranchi on Monday

Ratan Lal I Pinnee

Of the 72,673 people infected by Covid-19 virus in Jharkhand so far, 58,543 have recovered and 13,504 were still battling the virus, stated a bulletin released by the National Health Mission (NHM) on Monday night. The Covid toll, however, jumped to 626 on Monday in the state as eight

more patients died during treat-ment, the bulletin further stated The Covid mortality rate in Jharkhand, as per government data, was 0.86 per cent, which is lower than the national aver-age of 1.60 per cent. Three of the eight Covid casualties reported in Jharkhand on Monday occurred in East Singhbhum, a occurred in East Singhbhum, a district that accounts for near-ly 50 per cent of the State's Covid fatalities, government data stat-ed. The district has reported 271 Covid deaths so far. Meanwhile, three patients died in Dhanbad and one each in Ranchi and Deoghar.

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The Government on Monday tested swab samples of 37,483 people and 16162 of them came negative. So far, health workers across plarkhand have collected swab samples of 1.81 lakh people and tested 1.80 lakh of them. As per 2011 census, the state has a population of 3.29 crore, which means that not even 1 per cent of Jharkhand residents have of Jharkhand residents have been tested for the virus yet.

observed the 36th Foundation Day at the SER Headquarters, Gardien Reach on Monday, IG-cum Principal Chief Security Commissioner SER, BB Kasar, observed the day by distributing cooked meals to the poor and needy people of the vicinity in wake of Cowd-19. As many as 200 cooked meals were distributed to the needy and poor people. The Day was celebrated to commemorate the conferring of the Armed Force status on Railway Protection Force at par with the other Paramilitary Forces of the Union of India o-n September 20, 1985. The Day was also elebrated at various RF centers of four Divisions viz. Kharagpur, Adra, Chakradharpur and Ranchi of SER.

INBRIEF

SER'S RPF OBSERVES 36TH FOUNDATION DAY

The Railway Protection Force (RPF) of South Eastern Railway (SER) observed the 36th Foundation Day at the SER Headquarters, Garden

AMARJEET IS NSUI NATIONAL COORDINATOR

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Amarijeet Kumar has been appointed as the
National Coordinator of NSUI. Kumar who is
known to solve all student related problems and
organise various social activities started working
with NSUI in 2015. He was appointed as District
General Secretary in 2015 and then as the State
Secretary two years later. "I want to thank my
national leaders who considered me worthy and
have given me the opportunity to work as a national coordinator," said
Kumar. Jharkhand Professional Congress President Aditya Vikram
Jaiswal said it will be easy to put the demands of the students of
Jharkhand on the national table. State Congress Secutive President
Rajesh Thakur, Keshaw Mahto Kamlesh, Manash Sinsha and others
congratulated Kumar for a bright future.

19 POLICE OFFICERS TRANSFERRED

is a fullute uptile. IT S ITANSFERRED Superintendent of Police, Garhwa Shrikant S Rao Khotre has transferred 19 policemen in various police stations, pickets and Ops. The SP transferred the police personnel of the rank of sub-inspector of Police and Assistant sub-inspector of Police and sais instructed all transferred police officers to contribute at their place of posting within 24 hours.

NUVOCO LAUNCHES 'ARTISTE SIGNATURE COLLECTION' NUVOCO LAUNCHES 'ARTISTE SIGNATURE COLLECTION'
Nuvoco Vistas Corp Ltd today unveiled the 'Artiste Signature
Collection', is first-ever collaboration for concrete designs with Gauri
Khan Designs and International Designs through a virtual aunch
programme. The Artise Signature Collection is a Proprietary
Signature Collection' that is specially crafted and available exclusively
for Nuvoco's customers, in a limited edition only. The collection
comprises unique patterns, splendid textures and preeminent designs
that are versatille providing endless design options when combined
together. Along with the offerings from International Designs, with its
earthy patterns and hues this entire collection represents brilliance in
creativity that can convert a dream abode into a masterpiece. This
venture also marks Khan's debut in creating designs for concrete
flooring, which blend modern clear-cut patterns with distinctive design
elegance and exclusive taste.

COLGATE PARTNERS WITH IPL 2020

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Colgate-Palmolive (India) Limited has collaborated as the official Smile Partner with six teams at the upcoming Dream11 Indian Premier League 2020. The teams include Delhi Capitals, Kings XI Punjab, Kollata Kinjith Kilders, Mumbai Indians, Rajasthan Royals, and Sunrisers Hyderabad. Colgate's Smile Icon will be visible across a variety of touch points across the tournament. Commenting on the partnership, Arvind Chintamani, vice president, marketing, Colgate-Palmolive (India) Limited, said, "While the pandemic has been a time of uncertainty and difficulty, the start of the upcoming T20 cricket season has brought a wave of optimism across the country."

Opp raises cops' stir, hunger death issues in House

The Opposition on second day of monsoon session tried to corner State Government on several issues such as stir of assistant policemen, withdrawing the controversial land mutation bill, poor law and order situation in State, and donesed for individual papels. and am demand for judicial probe over alleged hunger death of Dalit families in Bokaro district and shifting of engineering college from Chandankiyari in Bokaro district.

BJP MLA from Sarath Randhir Kumar Singh also raised the issue of assault of media persons at Madhupur block of Deophar district.

Earler, as the session commenced, BJP ahvmakers holding placards staged a demonstration outside the Assembly portice in support of their demands.

BJP MLA from Chandankiyari and former land revenue minister Amar Kumar Bauri said after the alleged hunger death of and demand for judicial probe

alleged hunger death of Bhukhal Ghasi of Kasmar block of Bokaro district in March this year, two other family members



BJP leader CP Singh during the ongoing M isoon Session of Jharkhand Assembly in Ranchi on Monday Ratan Lal I Pionee

ncluding Ghasi's son and daughter have died under mysterious circumstances. Bauri demanded a judicial probe over it, Rs 25 lakh as compensation to Ghasi family members and government jobs to dependent family members. Bauri also said the erstwhile Rashubar Das Government bad

Raghubar Das Government had announced to set up an engi-neering college at backward

Education Minister Jagarnath Mahto

toppers in July while declaring the JAC class X and XII results but the board had not declared the names of the top scorers at that time.

"The names of the toppers have been declared after a thorough scrutiny of the examination copies, hence the delay. This was done to ensure that there are no mistakes. An initiative of this kind by the Education Minister is welcome. This award will urge the future students to study hard and become top scorers," said JAC Chairpreson Arvind Prasad Singh.

shift the college from Chandankiyari.

Chandankiyari. Meanwhile, sources said on Tuesday the last day of monsoon session the Government is to clear bills. Sources said the government is going to table the Sarna religious code in the Assembly.

Minister Finance Minister Rameshwar Oraon said, "The

nection he had even talked to Chief Minister Hemant Soren." Apart from Sarna religious code, the government is going

code, the government is going to bring new motor vehicles act, penal code (amendment bill) and other bills on Tuesday. The last day of monsoon session is going to have a discussion on the supplementary budget of Rs 2,584 crore tabled by finance minister Rameshwar Oraon on Friday.

Police in line of fire for shoddy investigation in minor rape case

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The Ranchi Police has come under line of fire for not tracking police personnel who is he key accussed of gangrape case where accused along with two others had gang raped a 14 years old girl on August 12 at the police guest house at Old Police Line under Lower Bazaar Police Line under Lower Bazaar Police station of the capital city.

Concerned over delay in the investigation Governor Droupadi Murmu on Sunday summoned Harkhand Dog MW Rao where she directed police to ensure arrest of the accused and also expressed concern over a minor being raped at the police guest house by police personnel. Hours after the Raj Bhavan intervened in the matter, Ranchi police pick the water was police personnel. Hours after the Raj Bhavan intervened in the matter, Ranchi police picked the wopersons for questioning to establish identity of the third accused.

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District Children Welfare Committee Rupa Kumari to inquire about the status of the case. Two accused namely Vipud and Karan were arrested but the third accused who the victim could identify by his title Sharmaji is still traceless.

Ranchi police has been accused of hushing-up the matter and not taking any interest in digging-out the details of that police personnel who was involved in the crime.

Victim came into contact with the accused Vipul through social sites who also invited her to meet her. Trusting him she came to meet her. Trusting him she came to meet her near the Old Police Line where that accused police personnel was also present. They took her inside the guest house and raped her. Vipul booked a cab and sent her to Palamu under custody of his friend Karan. Her father lodged acase of kidanpping the next day when his daughter did not return. She was finally recovered on August 18. She was produced before Ranchi District Children on August 18. She was produced before Ranchi District Children Welfare Committee where her statement was recorded.

Edu Minister to gift Alto cars to State board toppers on Sept 23

Jharkhand Education Minister Jagarnath Mahto is all set to fulfill his promise of presenting the State toppers of class X and XII of the lharkhand Academic Council (JAC) with brand new Alto cars on September 23 on the Jharkhand Assembly premises. "This award (Alto cars) is for the meritorious studies."

for the meritorious students who have scored maximum marks and secured the top position in the matriculate and position in the matriculate and intermediate examination. #ON 23 09 20, Wednesday on the birth anniversary of Late Binod Bihari Mahto, tweeted the Minister on Sunday evening. Manish Kumar Katiyar, a student of Netarhat Residential

student of Netarhat Residential High School, who scored 490 marks out of a total of 590 is the class X topper while Amit Kumar of SRSSR High School Giridih is the intermediate topper. Kumar- a student of Science scored 457 marks out of 500 and has been declared as the overall top scorer from the three streams- Science, Arts and Commerce.

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Aconglomerate of various Atribal rights outfits in Jharkhand has threatened violent jnarkhand has threatened violent protests if the Government fails to pass a bill for separate Sarna code during the ongoing Monsoon session of the Assembly, slated to end on Tuesday.

on Tuesday.

The convener of National Adivasi Indigenous Religion Coordination Committee India (NAIRCCI), Arbind Oraon on Monday said that the government should not take the tribal community's demand lighty as the peaceful protests may not take much time to turn viocilent if the Government continues to be apathetic towards the demands of the tribal community.

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"So far, our protests have been peaceful and we also maintained social distancing on the streets. This should no way be seen as our weakness. We will take to the streets and resort to violent protests if the government does not pass a bill for Sarna code during the ongoing Monsoon session, 'said Oraon. Including a Sarna code in the religious census was one of the promises made by the ruling



People belonging to various tribal communities protest against State Government in Ranchi on Monday Vinay Murmu I Pione

Iharkhand Mukti Morcha (JMM) during the 2019 Assembly polls in which the party toppled a former BJP Government and came to power. "In March, we met the Chief minister and he assured us that the government will pass a Bill for inclusion of Sarna code in the religious census. However, Covid-19 pandemic diverted the attention of the Government, and we also remained quiet as the situation.

Government, and we also remained quiet as the situation demanded immediate attention," said Oraon.

On Monday, tribal youths formed a human chain on both sides of the road near Shehjanand Chowk in Ranchi and held placards carrying slogans like, "No Sarna Code, No Yote" and "Garv Se Kaho Hum Sarna hai (take pride in calling yourself Sarna)" when Chief Minister Hemant Soren's con-

voy crossed the road while Soren was on his way to the State Assembly. Mandar MLA Bandhu Tirkey also raised the matter of Sarna code during the zero hour of the assembly on Monday, and asked the gov-ernment to send a draft to the centre seeking addition of Sarna code in the 2021 census. Sarna code has been a long-pending demand of the tribal community in Jharkhand.

pending demand of the tribal community in Jharkhand. Several hundred members of the tribal community from Jharkhand staged a protest at Jantar Mantar in New Delhi on February 18 demanding a sep-arate Sarna Code in the 2021 census. Bablu Munda, president of Kendriva Sarna Samiti, a trib-

a Sarna Code since decades, but no Government has ever both-ered to pay heed to their demands. After several years of no interest shown by any Government, former Chief Minister Raghubar Das had assured that he will speak to the Centre about our demands. But

assured that he will speak to the Centre about our demands. But his Government was toppled before he could take any initiative regarding our issues." Munda said.

Sarna followers are nature worshippers who do not consider themselves Hindus and have been fighting for a separate religious identity in India for decades. Lakhs of tribesmen who were born in Sarna-following families got converted to Christianity over the past century after the advent of the missionaries, claim tribal gurus. These tribesmen have also been at loggerheads with the Rashtriya Swayamseavak Sangh (RSS) over being tagged as Hindus by the saffron outfit. In 2014, thousands of Sarna followers handed over a memorandum to then Union minister P Chidambaram and demanded recognition of Sarna as a seprate religion. The crusader back then had also staged protests at Jantar Mantar in New Delhi, but their pleas went unheeded. In 2015, about 30,000 tribesmen held a nationwide campaien for the same.

JMM, Congress vow to protest against Agro Bills

Tharkhand Mukti Morcha (JMM) and Congress on Monday decided to protest against the Agricultural Products Trade and Commerce Bill and Agricultural Assurance Agreement bill passed by the Central Government.

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"The farmers fear that the minimum support price based procurement system will end and exploitation by private companies will increase. The strategy of state-wide programs will be decided after the monsoon session. The bill will be opposed in the same way as the Central Government tried to tamper with the Land Acquisition Act," said Oraon.

Attacking the Central Government, the JPCC Chief said that the law has been made in accordance with the big industrialists, who wish to dominate the Indian food and agriculture business, which will undermine the bargaining power of farmers.

JPCC Spokespersons, Alok Dubey, Lal Kishore Nath Shahdeo and Rajesh Gupta were also present in the meet-

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Bhattachrya said that the party will not allow the big capitalists to exploit the poor farmers of the State and it will strongly protest against the bill.

"The ruling Bharatity almata Party (BJP) led Central Government has tried to provide benefits to its friends in the corporate world through the bill so that they can earn huge profit on the basis of farmers. This will increase hoarding and big capitalist will get huge benefit from it, said Bhattacharya.

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IINRG celebrates 97th Foundation Day with fervour

Indian Institute of Natural Resins and Gums (IINRG), Namkum cel-ebrated its 97th Foundation Day on Monday, On this occasion, Director and Vice Chancellor, ICAR-Indian and Vice Chancellor, ICAR-Indian Institute of Agricultural Biotechnology, Garhkhatanga, Ranchi Arun Patnaik was the Chief Guest and Principal Scientist and Head, Hill and Plateau Research Centre of ICAR Arun Kumar Singh was present as a Special Cuest.

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Addressing the gathering online, Patnaik congratulated the INRG team on the 97th Foundation Day of the institute and said that the institute has done remarkable work in the field. nas unde reminatore work in the field of natural resins and gums and lac cul-tivation on pigeonpea has been a major achievement by the scientists. Patnaik termed the fruit-growing threading developed by the institute as a big step and said that it should be

as a big step and said that it should be promoted on a larger scale. There is good potential in the use of hydrogel technology and the work being done in the field of pheromone, he added. Addressing from the Delhi head-quarters of the ICAR on the occasion, Assistant Director General, Agricultural Engineering, Kanchan Kumar Singh said that there is a need to make a big compilation on the achievements of the institute. Singh said that the Firomone technique is being used continuously in Jharkhand

said that the Firomone technique is being used continuously in Jharkhand on fruits and vegetables and the result is positive. Like every year, this time also a lecture series was organized in hon-our of Dorothino Rees, the first direc-

our of Dorothino Kees, inc..... tor of the institute.

Director IINRG Kewal Krishna
Sharma said that the institute has
gained expertise in the field of production, processing and value addition,



ow efforts are being made to increase the area of use. Sharma said that through the two networks through the project, the institute has been successful in broadening the area of gum and resin. He said, "We will be able to complete 100 years of establishment of the institute in the year 2023. We are still trying to make our achievements in a

big way to the farmers."

The program was also addressed by former Director of the Institute and former National Director of NAIP Bangali Babu, Director General (Assistant) Shyam Narayan Jha and former Director Ram Ramani.

A booklet related to advanced farming techniques of lac was also

launched on the occasion. Institute for research training and capacity build-ing, equipment development and other areas for coordinated work in the field of natural resin and gum and non-Governmental the Memorandum of or natural resist and gum and non-Governmental the Memorandum of Understanding was signed with the organization Cyclical Development Institute, Oramanjhi, Ranchi. It was signed by KK Sharma and Director of Cyclical Development, Devendra Nath Thakur. On this occasion, the Governmental personnel of the tech-nical, skilled supporting staff catego-ry of the institute were given the award of the best worker. In the technical cat-egory, Sunil Kumar, Raj Kumar Nayak and Ranvijay Singh were awarded the Best Worker for their outstanding work in the rank of Chief Officer, Officer and Mandeshwar Singh, Senior Assistant, Assistant and Administrative Section, Ashwaneghar, Assistant Officer and Skilled Support Staff.

shameful': Govt

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Asserting that it had a clear majority in the Rajya Sabha during the passage of the farm Bills, the Government on Monday described the behaviour of Opposition members in the Rajya Sabha as "very shameful and irresponsible" as also their refusal to leave the house despite the Chairman's order to suspend them on Monday. The Government also pointed out that there is enough visual evidence that the Deputy Chairman would have been nearly physically assaulted had the Marshals not protected him.

Union minister Ravi Shankar Prasad said the conduct of leaders of opposition parties was "illegal" and violative of all parliamentary norms and rules and accused the Congress of double standards on the issues including contract farming. "The Government had a the well of the house, to re to their seats 13 times. He said

on the issues including contract farming.

"The Government had a clear majority yesterday, 110 present members were supporting the Agriculture Bills and only 72 were opposing. We had a decisive majority...their agenda was to stop the House (Rajya Sabha) from passing the Bills," Prasad maintained.

On the Opposition's claim that the bills were passed without voting on Sunday, Prasad

said the deputy chairman had asked the members of Parliament (MPs), who went to

the well of the house, to return to their seats 13 times. He said discussion went on peacefully from 9.30 am to 1.30 pm and after that the deputy-speaker said "you want it to go to select committee, I have to put it to motion and please, go back on your seats". "How can voting take place when you won't go to your seats," he asked.

Pointing to the possibility of the chairman being physically attacked, the Union minister said, "Yesterday was a shameful day in parliament history. Mic was broken, a leader of a party tore a rule book" and the chair came "very close to being physically hurt." "But for Marshalls, some physical hurt was possible," he sought to say adding there is enough visual evidence if Marshallls would have not protected the Deputy Chairperson, he would have been nearly physically assaulted.

He said following their

ed. He said following their suspension the opposition members had no right to stay back in the house which they did on Sunday. He said once suspension is ordered there is no discussion allowed and members have to exit the house.

Opp behaviour in |LS clears changes in FCRA, Rajya Sabha 'very | Aadhaar must for NGOs now

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The Lok Sabha on Monday passed the amendments to the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010 that seek to make Aadhaar mandaseek to make Aadhaar manda-tory for NGOs to receive for-eign funds. The amendments aim to streamline the provi-sions of the FCRA by strength-enism and enhancing trans-parency and accountability in the receipt and utilisation of foreign contribution worth thousands of crores of rupees every year, said MoS Home Affairs Nityanand Rai. The amendments will limit the use of foreign funds

Affairs Nityanand Rai.

The amendments will limit the use of foreign funds received under FCRA for administrative purposes from the current limit of 50% to 20%. Also, Aadhaar card will be mandatory for all office bearers of NGOs and other organisations which are seeking funds from foreign sources.

"The annual inflow of foreign contribution has almost doubled between the years 2010 and 2019, but many recipients of foreign contribution have not utilised the same for the purpose for which they were registered or granted prior permission under the said Act. Many of them were also found wanting in ensuring basic statutory compliances such as submission of annual returns and maintenance of proper accounts," the proposed

Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code Bill passed

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Parliament on Monday passed the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (IBC) Bill providing reliefs to companies facing insolvency due to the lockdown. Raya Sabha had already passed the Bill. Finance Minister told Lok Sabha while replying to the debate on IBC (Second Amendment Bill) that (Second Amendment Bill) that the Government passed Ordinance to protect the com-panies facing insolvency cases due to the Lockdown. 'Many countries changed rules due to the Lockdown to protect the companies who were facing insolvency cases and recovery cases.

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These amendments were mainly to stop the recoveries and extension of time limit due to Lockdown," she said, explaining why Government brought Ordinance and needed to accommodate the amendments.

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"This has led to a situation where the Central Government had to cancel certificates of registration of more than 19,000 recipient organisations, including non-governmental organisations,

Bill to shield docs. healthcare workers from attack OK'd

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Parliament on Monday
passed the Epidemic
Diseases (Amendment) Bill
2020 to include Covid-19 pandemic in the list of epidemic
diseases and also include the
stringent punishments to those
attack doctors and healthcare
workers. Rajya Sabha had
passed the Bill earlier. During
the randemic the Government workers. Rayla Sanda nad passed the Bill earlier. During the pandemic, the Government had issued an Ordinance to protect doctors and healthcare workers after a series of reports of attacks against them. Health Minister Harsh Vardhan thanked the Lok Sabha MPs for passing the Bill unanimously and said society must observe zero-tolerance to any form of violence against healthcare service personnel and damage to property. As per it is provisions, the commission or abetment of such acts of violence will be unishable with an imprisonment for a term of three months to five years, and with a fine of ₹50,000 to ₹2,00,000.

during the period between 2011 and 2019," it added.

Dementia education, brain boosting games may reduce Alzheimer's risk

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An eight-week programme Acombining dementia education with lifestyle changes to diet, physical activity and cognitive engagement through high properties of the programme of the p

reduction in Alzheimer's risk—
using the Australlan
National University
Alzheimer's Disease Risk
Index — than the control
group over the duration of the
study. The size of the risk
reduction was clinically significant, similar to the difference in Alzheimer's risk
between a person who has
diabetes and one who doesn't.
Memory loss is one of the

finding difficulties during con-cervation, natients may forget earliest symptoms, along with a gradual decline of other intellectual and cognitive functions leading to change of behavior, RK Dhamija

ALZHEIMER DISEASE

hunctions leading to change of behavior, RK Dhamija (Director Professor and HOD). Department of Neurology at Delhi-based Lady Hardinge Medical College said. He added that as there is no cure, it is important that one should take up reading, play brain challenging games like crosswords and Sudoku, connecting with people to keep the mind active. Tilestyle diseases such as diabetes, high blood pressure should be strictly controlled.

"Since it is a neuro-degen-

finding difficulties during conservation, patients may forget their recent conversation, where they had kept their well as the state of their their characteristics, where they had food or not or forget bank/ATM passwords or their way to home. Around 5 crore people are suffering with dementia and it is estimated that every year one crore people with dementia are added, said Dr Dhamija. In India, 40 lakh people are afflicted with the neurodegenerative disease. "The Government isn't currently prioritising their needs, since the medical system is already burdened with the responsibility of providing basic care for infectious illnesses, cardiac ailmens, oncology problems etc. But the Government needs to look into this gap in geriatric care on an ureent basis" said low

Since it is a neuro-degenerative disease, it is therefore important to recognise the symptoms early. Timely and regular follow-up with a neurologist along with good supportive care can minimise the suffering of these patients," Dr Dhamija said.

Initial symptoms are memory impairment, word-

the Government needs to look into this gap in geriatric care on an urgent basis," said Joy Desai, Director of the Neurology Department at Jaslok Hospital & Research Centre, Mumbai.

SC agrees to hear plea seeking re-opening of anganwadi centres



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The Supreme Court on Monday agreed to hear a plea which has sought directions to the Centre, all States and Union Territories to forthwith re-open all Anganwadi centres in the country which was a cloud

amid the COVID-19 pan-demic.

The apex court issued notices to the Centre, states notices to the Centre, states and UTs and sought their responses on the plea which has claimed that functioning

responses on the plea which has claimed that functioning of all Anganwadi centres in the country came to a 'sudden halt' and poor pregnant and lactating women and children were 'left in the lurch'. 'Issue notice, returnable in four weeks. Counsel for the petitioner is permitted to serve a copy of this petition to the office of a 'Solicitor General of India,' a bench comprising Justices Ashok Bhushan, R S Reddy and M R Shah said.

The bench was hearing a plea filed by Maharashtra-based Dipika Jagatram Sahani who has sought a direction to the Centre, all states and UTs to 'conduct growth monitoring of children to document growth in the wake of the after effects of the pandemic more par

of the pandemic more par-ticularly malnourishment among children and anaemia in girl children and initiate corrective steps forthwith".

The petition has said that the Centre, states and UTs the Centre, states and UTs should forthwith re-open all Anganwadi centres and provide Angangwadi services in accordance with the provisions of the National Food Security Act, 2013.
"This public interest petition filed under Article 32 of the Constitution of India.

tion filed under Article 32 of the Constitution of India, relates to the closure of the integrated child development services all across the coun-try, which provided supple-mentary nutrition to preg-nant women, lactating moth-ers, adolescent girls and chil-dren up to the age of 6 years," it said.

"The Anganwadi centres

dren up to the age of 6 years," it said.

"The Anganwadi centres which were running under this scheme for decades was closed down using COVID as an excuse," it claimed, adding,

"As a result, the most vulnerable sections of the Indian population suffered malnutrition nation-wide. This petition seeks the re-starting of the Anganwadi centres immediately."

It has also sought a direction to the Centre, states and UTs to provide hot cooked meals, take home rations in consonance with the provisions of the National Food Security Act, 2013 as well as Security Act, 2013 as well as The Supplementary Nutrition (under the Integrated Child develop-ment Services Scheme) Rules, 2020.

Pakistan trying to target Indians working in Afghanistan, Parl told

The Government on Monday informed the Parliament that Pakistan is trying to target Indians working in Afghanistan.

The Government in a written reply in Lok Sabha said that several Indians working in development projects in Afghanistan have been attacked or kidnapped in the last 12 years.

Pakistan under the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1267 has also tried to designate four Indians working in Afghanistan as terrorists, the Government

reportedly said adding that the request was not approved. "Pakistan has been targeting Indian professionals working in Afghanistan through a variety of ways. Several Indians working in Afghanistan on various development projects have been attacked and kidnapped over the past 12 years." Minister of State for External Affairs V Muraleedharan said. "With the assistance of [the] Government of Afghanistan, India has been able to secure [the] release of many Indians from captivity. In addition, [the] Indian

said.

The Government also informed Monday that it has adopted a multi-pronged approach to strength of the north of the no Control (LoC) with Pakistan. In a written reply in Rajya Sabha, the Government informed that improved tech-nological surveillance, weapons and equipment for security forces, improved intelligence, and

intelligence and operational coordination are also being carried out, reported a news agency.

MoHUA gets metro rail proposals from 6 States

Only 4% patients got

Covid-19 ICU beds via

proper channel: Survey

The ministry of housing and urban affairs (MoHUA) has received proposals of 392 km metro rail from six States with an estimated cost of \$1,27,825 croe so far. The proposals have been received from Maharashtra, Karnataka, Kerala, Tamil Nadu, remaining three corridors of Delhi metro phase 4 and Jammu and Kashmir.

As per the ministry data, the remaining three corridors of Delhi Metro Phase 10 km June 10 km

the remaining three corridors of Delhi Metro Phase IV -Inderlok-Indraprastha, Rithala-Bawana-Narela, and Lajpat Nagar-Saket G Block corridors would be 44 kms long

PNS III NEW DELHI

As the number of coron-avirus cases in India mounts and demand for medical facilities increases, a survey by LocalCircles said that only four per cent patients were able to get a Covid-19 ICU bed through the routine process, while 78 per cent had do use connections and clout. Another four per cent said they did not get an ICU bed at all.

After receiving many com-

ICU bed at all.
After receiving many complaints from citizens from
across the country about their
family friends or associates
not being able to find an ICU
bed at a government or private
hospital, LocalCircles conducted a survey to get citizens
pulse on the issue and received
over 17,000 responses from

and it would cost Rs 12,635 crore. The deadline of the pro-ject is December 2024. Bangalore Metro Rail Project (Phase 2A and 2B) will

be 58 kms long and it would cost ₹14,844 crore. The project is expected to be completed within 45 months from the date of sanction.

of sanction.

Chennai Metro Rail Project
Phase -II is 119 kms long and
it would cost ₹63,246 crore.
The dealine of this project is
June,2026.

June,2026.

Maharashtra's metro rail projects include Nagpur, Thane, Pune and Nashik. The total length of these four cities' metro will be 119 kms and it would cost ₹22,961 crore.

CBI files case against Delhi-based firm for causing loss to banks

PNS III NEW DELHI

The CBI has registered a case against Delhi-based private firm Kwality Ltd and its directors for causing an alleged loss of over ₹1,400 crore to a consortium of banks led by Bank of

India.

Following registration of the case on September 10, the agency on Monday conducted searches at the premises of the accused firm and its directors.

The CBI registered the case on a complaint from Bank of India against Kwality Ltd and others including its Directors, and other unknown persons for causing an alleged loss of ₹1,400.62 crore to Bank of India and other consortium banks, the agency said.

"It was alleged in the complaint that the said accused had cheated the Bank of India-led consortium comprising BoI (lead bank), Canara Bank, Bank of Baroda, Andhra Bank, Graporation Bank, IDBI, Central Bank of India-led consortium comprising BoI (lead bank), Canara Bank, Bank of Baroda, Andhra Bank, Corporation Bank, IDBI, Central Bank to the tune of ₹1,400.62 core by way of diversion of bank funds, sham transactions with related parties, sharicated documents/receipts, falsified books of accounts, created false assets and liabilities among others," it said. The searches were conducted at eight locations including Delhi, Saharanpur, Bulandshahr (Uttar Pradesh), Ajmer (Rajasthan) and Pash), Ajmer (Rajasthan) and Pash), Ajmer (Rajasthan) and the premises of the private company and other accused persons in the case. Further inwestigation is continuing, it further said.

Those manued as accused in the case induce Kwality Ltd. Saiplay Dringra, Siddhant unknown persons.

According to the FIR, excluding the High Registration of the Pirk video.

sion/misappropriation of public money by the accused firm and individuals was done during the period 2010-2017.

commitment to supply over 93K

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citizens located in over 211 districts of the country.

On experiences of people in their social network with regard to getting a COVID-19 ICU bed, 55 per cent citizens said that they did not have any person in their network who needed it.

Thirty, eight ner, cent

needed it.

Thirty eight per cent respondents said they had to use clout to secure an ICU bed while seven per cent said they had to follow up extensively to secure the ICU bed.

"Caracal has already identified the required land, facility and local partners to be able to commence production immediately.

Over 20 per cent of the components fitted on the components fitted on the land, with Caracal now making commitment to fully manufacture the rifles in (the) country, in alignment with

SC stays ex-UP Min's interim bail

PTI I NEW DELHI

The Supreme Court Monday stayed former Uttar Pradesh minister Gayatri Prasad Prajapati's interin bail, granted for two months on medical grounds by the Allahabad High Court, in a gang rape case.

The Lucknow bench of the Allahabad High Court on Allahabad High Court on September 3 had granted the interim bail to Prajapati who was a minister in the erstwhile Samajwadi Party Government.

CCMB scientists analyse 2,000 SARS-CoV-2 genomes from India

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Cientists at the CSIR-Centre
for Cellular and Molecular
Biology (CCMB) in Hyderabad
have analysed more than 2,000
SARS-CoV-2, the virus that
causes Covid-19 genomes from
India available in the public
domain to understand the various strains in circulation.
The clade or genetic group
circulating in India has 70 per
cent similarity with the major
strain around the world, hence,
one vaccine or drug is sufficient to fight it, they said.
Earlier in June, the team
had revealed the presence of a
distinct virus population
among Indians. This was
named the clade I/A3i, and is
recognised by the presence of
4 specific variations in their
genetic makeuv (genomes).
At that time, 41 per cent of
all Indian SARS-CoV-2

genomes belonged to this clade.
However, the current analysis showed that the proportion of the A3i clade dropped to 18 per cent, it said. The findings of the study done with scientists from CSIR. Institute of Integrative Biology as collaborators, are now peer-reviewed and published in the journal Open Forum Infectious Diseases published by the Oxford University Press.
The decrease in the pro-

Oxford University Press.

The decrease in the proportion of A3i clade is accompanied by an increase of the A2a clade, also referred to as the G clade or the 20A/B/C clades in other nomenclatures.

Viruses of the A2a or the G clade carry the D614G mutation in their spike protein which is shown to be associated with an increased infectivity.

At present, approximately 70 per cent of all Indian as well

as global SARS-CoV-2 genomes fall into this clade. "As expected for a strain which is more infectious, A2 a clade quickly became the dominant clade in India just like everywhere else. There is no evidence to state that this mutation is clinically a more difficult one," Dr Rakesh K Mishra, Director, CCMB and a coauthor of the study said. "The similarity in viral genome globally should be considered a positive news, because a vaccine or a drug targeting this mutation will work with the same effectiveness all over the world," he added.

It is, however, important to

added.

It is, however, important to note that no clade at present has been conclusively shown to be associated with a more ere form of COVID-9. an increased risk of death, said the scientists.

There can't be universal policy on right to protest: SC in anti-CAA blockade case

There cannot be a "universal policy" on right to protest and possible curbs as also balancing it with acts like blocking of roads are needed because the situation may "vary" from case-to-case, the Supreme Court said on Monday.

The top court's observation came while reserving the verdict on a batch of pleas against the anti-CAA protests which had led to blocking of a road in Shaheen Bagh in the national capital last December.

The situation normalized later due to COVID-19

pandemic fear and subsequent observance of protocol.
"There were some super-vening circumstances which came into play and it was no one's hand. God almighty tiself intervened," said a bench comprising Justices S K Kaul, Anriuddha Bose and Krishna Murari.
Taking note of the sub-

K Nauu, Anitrudona Bose and Krishna Murari.

Taking note of the submissions of lawyers including Shashank Deo Sudhi, the bench said: "We have to balance right to protest and the blocking of roads. We have to deal with the issue. Their cannot be universal policy as the situation may vary on case to case basis.

"In parliamentary

dent should not have happened. Yesterday in Haryana there was 'Chakka Jam' in Haryana. They have also called Bharat Bandh on September 24-25," he said.

democracy protest can hap-pen in Parliament and on roads but on road it has to be

roads but on road it has to be peaceful?"

Amit Sahni, one of the lawyers who had filed the plea in the case, said that this kind of protests should not have been allowed in the larger public interest.

"This was allowed to have continued for more than 100 days and people faced difficulty. This kind of incident should not have happened.

UAE-based defence firm renews carbines to Indian Army

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

The UAE-based arms manufacturer Caracal on Monday renewed its commitment to supply 93,895 carbines to the Indian Army under a deal which has been pending since 2018.

The Caracal in a statement stressed that it is committed to the 'Make in India' initiative and referred to its selection for the deal to supply the carbines.

country, in alignment with the 'Make in India' initiative," the company said in a state-ment.

Computerised over 16K lower courts; more than 51L cases pending in HCs: Law Minister

The Government has complete station of 16,845 district and subordinate courts, Parliament was informed on Monday.

Union Minister of Law and Justice Ravi Shankar Prasad also said 51,52,921 cases were pending in high courts across the country.

In a written reply to a query in Lok Sabha, the minister said the Governmen has released ₹1,459.52 crore to

various organisations involved in implementation of the pro-ject. This includes ₹1,077.76

This includes ₹1,077.76 crore released to all high courts, out of which ₹790.04 crore has been utilized till August 31, he said.

In the 2020-21 fiscal, funds have been released for eSewa Kendras in high courts and district court complexes, equipment for VC cabins and connectivity in court com-

connectivity in court com-plexes and creating help desk



AGRICULTURE BILLS =

Didi calls Opp to unite against 'Hitler Raj'

Pengal Chief Minister dumanta Banerjee has reacted to the alleged 'forced passing' of the farmers' Bills by comparing the BIP Government with "Hitler Raj" and said that her party Trinamool Congress will start an indefinite agitation demanding a rollback of the 'draconian law'.

"draconian law"
Saying that "yesterday will
be remembered as a Black
Sunday" in the history of parliamentary democracy in India
Banerjee on Monday said, 'the
forced passage of the Bills in
Rajya Sabha only reminds one
of the Hitler Raj ... it is dictatorship at its pak,' adding her
party would however not take

things lying down a prolonged movemon the "draconian law."

protonged movement against the "draconian law."

Even as two 'TMC MPS Derek O' Brien and Dola Sen were suspended from attending his session of the Rajva Sabha Banerjee said "no amount of coercion will deter us. We will not bow our head before this dictatorial Government," adding "the way the Bills were passed in the Upper House by sheer physical force has made our heads hang in shame. We feel disturbed and ashamed.

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"I condemn the yesterday's
incident in the Rajya Sabha ...
the way the Bills were forcibly
passed without following the
norms. Now it is clear that this
Government is not only attack-

ing the opponents but also the farmers and daily wagers ... The farmers' independence is being higacked they are being made powerless... The day is not far when we will face a food crisis. India is now staring at a famine."

Apprehending that the proposed labour reforms could bring untold hardship for the country's work force Banerjee said the Government's proposals for labour reforms would come as a botl on the work force. Calling for a broad-based opposition unity, Banerjee said, at time has come when all the said to the country's work force face that the country's work force baneries and the country's work force baneries and the country is the country to the country to the farmer in the farmer is the farmer in the far

opposition unity, Banerjee said, 'a time has come when all the parties should unite against this dictatorial government which systematically destroying all the democratic institutions of the country ... if need be the

Former AMU student Sharjeel

the parties should come forward to join hands against this

the voices of decent are ruth lessly suppressed. If you raise to join hands against this
Government."

Attacking the Centre for

Lessly suppressed. If you raise your voice they will implicate youu in false cases.

RJD to kick off agitation from Sept 25

Patna: After the contentious rama: Arier the Contentious agriculture Bills were passed in Parliament, the Opposition Rashtriya Janata Dal (RJD) in Bihar has decided to start its agitation from September 25. Jagadanand Singh, the State president of RJD in Bihar, said that members of RJD will motted. members of RJD will protest against the Bills in each of the 38 district headquarters in Bihar. The Agriculture Produce Market Committee (APMC) was dissolved

AMU anti-CAA protester Sharjeel under lens

SPO on whether this comes under the crime or not? The decision will be taken only after getting a legal opinion for filling the case. Meanwhile, other agen-cies including ATS are moni-toring his activities. Shamil Usmani, an alumnus of AMU, who was the main accussed of inciting the ruckus on

Shamil Usmani, an alumnus of AMU, who was the main accused of inciting the ruckus on 15th December night in AMU campus, was arrested from Azamgarh. He was sent to jail in two main cases of AMU ruckus.

in 2006 by the NDA Government in

in 2006 by the NDA Government in Bihar and its consequences were such that the state government was unable to stock any foodgrains, he said. "How could they claim that after removing APMC it would help farmers? We have not seen any of the farmers being benefitted by it. It has adversly affected farmers, Singh said, adding that a large numbers of farmers migrated from different parts of Bihar. IAMS

After this, Sharjeel was released from prison on bail. After his release from prison, he tweeted one post from his Twitter account last week in which he has asked people to come out on the streets and protesting and finished his tweet with poetry. This post was objected by the former student of ANU and former district spokesperson of BJP, Nishit Sharma, and tagged the tweeter account of the UP Police for action.

different parts of Bihar

Of those killed in the mishap were a two-year-old girl and a 75-year-old man. A portion of the 43-year-old illani building, situated in the Patel Compound at Narpoli near Dhamankar Naka at

12 killed, 10 others hurt as Thane building collapses

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At least 12 persons, including seven children and teenagers, were killed and 10 others injured when a three-storey building collapsed when they were sleeping at their homes at Narpoli in the power-loom town of Bhiwandi in the adjoining Thane district in the early hours of Monday.

As many as persons, including skt children, were rescued from under the debris by the National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) and local fire brigade teams during the rescue and relief operations carried out by them for the better part of the day.

Of those killed in the mishap were a two-year-old girl and 1-2 "S-wear-old man and the seven and the seven of th

near Dhamankar Naka at Bhiwandi, crashed at 3.45 am.. The building had in all 40 flat. There were 150 residents in the building when it collapsed. The rescue teams deployed a Dog Squad, high-tech sensors cameras, gas cutters to locate and rescue the victims trapped under the debris.

The injured were rushed to the hospitals at Bhiwandi and nearby Thane.



National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) and Fire Brigade carry an injured person from the site after a three-storey building collapsed at Bhiwandi in Thane district on Monday

admitted to the local hospitals at Bhiwandi and some shifted to the Thane hospitals the officials

said.

Thane's Guardian Minister
Eknath Shinde today visited the
crash site and inspected the
rescue and relief operations. He
also visited the hospital and
enquired about the health of the
injured

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Shinde announced a com-pensation of Rs 5 lakh to the next of kin of those killed in the mishap. The minister also ordered an inquiry as to why no repairs had been carried out in the Building despite the fact that the Bhitwandi_Nizampur Municipal Corporation

(BNMC) had served to that effect in February this year.
Meanwhile, BNMC's

Meanwhile, BNMC's Municipal Commissioner Dr. Pankaj Ashiya has suspended the then Assistant Municipal Commissioner Sudham Jadhav and Engineer and Verification officer Dudhnath Yadav, pend-

officer Dudhnath Yadav, pending the inquiry.

The BNMC chief said that the collapsed building figured on the list of dilapidated and dangerous structures and a vacate notice had been issued to the residents in February this year. President R. N. Kowind and Prime Minister Narendra Modi mourned the death of the people in the Thane building crash.

Aligarh: 86 new corona cases including 17 from district jail PRADEEP SAXENA ■ ALIGARH

The corona is now active in district jail as well. 86 new cases have been found including 17 from the district jail. After several days, the number of infected people today is less than 100. 165 people recoved and returned home. The number of corona infected paties has now reached 7430 in the district.

district. 86 people have been found infected in JN Medical College, Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay Joint Hospital, Private Lab, and Antigen Test. 17 people

were found from the district jail alone. District Magistrate Chandra Bhushan Singh said that based on symptoms, the infected patients are being admitted either to the covid-19 aumitted either to the covid-19 hospital or home Isolation. Samples have been taken for family members and they are kept in home-quarantine. People in contact are also being sampled. ipieu. Meanwhile, a corona

patient has run away from the Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay joint hospital today. Police have been informed by the hospital administration.

10 Kerala districts under security scanner post al-Qaeda arrests KUMAR CHELLAPPAN ■ KOCHI

Ten out of 14 districts in Kerala have come under the

I Kerala have come under the scanner of various intelligence agencies of the Centre, according to sources in National Investigation Agency (NIA). The caution by the Centre has come as a follow up to Saturday morning's arrest in Ernakulam district of three persons with allege link to Al Qaeda. The three were taken to Delhi where they are being questioned about their activities in Kerala. in Kerala.

Then districts in the State have sleeper cells of various terrorist organisations and they are under observation. We are also in the process of finding out their associates in the State Police," said an official who did not want his name to be quoted. The presence of thousands of migrant workers across the State have become a serious issue in Kerala. in Kerala

Jamaat-e Islami questions legality of arrests by NIA KUMAR CHELLAPPAN III KOCHI

Wrelfare Party of India, the political outfit launched by the Jamaat e Islami, came out on Monday questioning the legality of the arrests of three migrant workers from Ernakulam district by the NIA on Saturday.

Ernakulam district by the NIA on Saturday.

"We cannot believe the version of the NIA that the three were arrested because of their links with Al Qaeda. These arrests smack of a conspiracy," said Hameed Vanniyamblam, WPI, president, in a statement released to the media.

According to Hameed, the news being spread by the investigation agency is with the objective to create Islamophobia and also to help the Sangh Parivar elements.
"Their intention is to create "The Sangh Parivar elements."

Parivar elements.

"Their intention is to create ethnic hatred for the migrant laborers among the local population. These innocent workers are being portrayed as terrorists," said Hameed.

Melaghar Municipal Council

Melaghar Sepahijala Tripura

Former AMU student Sharjeed Usmani, who was among the main accused in connection with the ruckus in AMU regard-ing the CAA-NRC, is once again on the radar of the district police and agencies. After objec-tion to the post made on social media recently, its investigation is being conducted from the SP city level. At the same time, legal opinion has been sought from No shortage of corona preventive drugs in Aligarh, savs dist admin

PNS III ALIGARH

Corona preventive medicine Civermectin has no shortage in the district. The drug inspec-tor denied the rumors of a shortage of medicine in the market, saying that some black marketers are trying to make profits by spreading such rumors.

rumors.

Drug dealers have been alerted regarding these. Along with this, an inspection was also done about the availability of zinc along with Cefzim, Doxycycline, Azithromycin, Vitamin C, and Multi-Vitamins, and no shortage was reported.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Karnataka's Congress MLA Sangamesh tests Covid +ve

Bengaluru: Karnataka's Congress legislator BK Sangamesh from Bhadravathi has been admitted in a private city hospital after testing cornavirus positive, a party official said on Monday. "As 55-year-old Sangamesh tested positive on Sunday, he was brought to Bengalura from Shivamogga and admitted in the private hospital here for treatment," party spokesman Rajeev Gowda told IANS.
Bhadaravathi is about

Bhadaravathi 280km northwest of Bengaluru in the southern state. IANS

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J&K LG launches home delivery of prasad for Vaishno Devi pilgrims

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The Lieutenant Governor,
Manoj Sinha, who is the
Chairman of Shri MataVaishno
Devi Shrine Board on Monday
formally launched home delivery of Shri Mata Waishno Devi
Pooja Prasad for devotees who
may not be able to visit the
famed Hindu pilgrimage, locatde between three peaked
mountains popularly known as
Trikuta', during the Board
meeting at the Raj Bhavan on
Monday.
To get Prasad delivered
home packed in sanitized
boxes, a devotee can book the
Pooja Prasad through Shri
Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine

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nas entered into an agreement with the Postal Department.

The Lieutenant Governor, while chairing the first meeting of the Shrine Board since taking over in August this year, welcomed the Board Members, at the outset.

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General Manager

1.036 new Covid cases. 23 die in J&K

PNS III JAMMU

Twenty three Covid-19 patients died in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir on Monday while the total number of recoveries reported a slight jump in comparison to total number of fresh positive cases.

cases.

According to the media bulletin, 1,158 patients recovered and discharged from different hospitals while 1036 new cases were detected taking new cases were detected taking the tally of active positive cases of Coronavirus to 21887 while the death toll reached 1024. Out of these 1036 fresh cases, Jammu division report-ed 536 and Kashmir division

sees, 23 die in J&K
reported 473 cases. On the
other hand, out of 23 deaths, 14
deaths were reported from
Jammu region and nine
patients died across Kashmir
valley on Monday.
Out of a total number fo
65026 positive cases, 42115
patients have recovered so far
while 21887 are active positive.
Out of these 12643 cases are
active in Jammu and 9244 in
Kashmir region.
On the other hand, the
team of doctors headed by
Principal Government Medical
College, Jammu Dr NC Digra
Monday claimed the premier
Health Institution is catering
well to all sick patients amid the
Covid-19 Pandemic.

SEARCH FOR MISSING PERSON



General public is here by informed that one person Name: Gagan Deep Bhatiya, Slo Jitender Pal Singh Bhatiya, Rlo H. No. 200, Gujranwala, Parl-II, Model Town, Delhi. Age: 36 years, Height: 5'6", Complexion: Fair, Face: Round, Built: Normal, Wearing: Blue Patka, Blue Jeans and White Blue Shirt, has been

missing since 14.03.2018. In this regard a FIR No. 95/18 U/s 365 IPC, dated 14.03.2018 has been lodged at P.S. Model Town, Delhi.

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Feet has been kidnapoed since 23.04.2017 from her house In this regard a FIR No.116/17 dated 24.04.2017 has been

lodged at P.S. Harsh Vihar, Delhi.
Sincere efforts have been made by local police to trace out information about this girl but no clue has come to light so far. Any person having any information or clue about this girl kindly inform to the following.

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Seema

General public is hereby informed that one lady namely Seema with her daughter Sangeeta, age 6 year Wlo Amar Singh R/o House-1213, Baba Haridas Colony, Tikri Kalan, Delhi Age: 30 yrs, Height: 511, complexion shallow, face round. Wearing yellow saree and blouse has been missing/ kidnapped since 20.11.2014 from the area of PS Mundka, Delhi . In this repart a case EIR No. 569/14. area of PS Mundka, Delhi.
In this regard a case FIR No. 569/14
dated: 21.11.2014 U/s 363 IPC has
been registered at PS Mundka, Delhi.
Sincere efforts have been made by local
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daughter, but no clue has come to light
so far.

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Mockery of House

The Govt's steamrolling of farm Bills in Rajya Sabha erodes parliamentary procedure. Worse, it sets a precedent



It would not like to show that it has been taken aback on the farm Bills but it certainly is trying to undo the damage. Clearly the Government has become over-confident about subverting parliamentary fairplay and justifying its authoritative weight. That it has been forced sider a hike in the minimum support price (MSP) of Rabi crops and repeatedly assure that kisaan haats would continue are an admission of its somewhat dodgy understanding of Indian farmers and their concerns. The latter are not only a volatile political constituency: they are aware stakeholders and not a silent majority. So while the Government is in a rush to push big bang farm

reforms, steamrolling three Bills that began as ordinances and would have lapsed otherwise, it has ignored their guestions and dishonoured the democratic convention of dialogue, consultation and careful consideration. Worse, it has even made Parliament a tool in its exercise of ticking off the boxes in its manifesto, trampling any opposing view as redundant, even if well-argued. Controversial Bills in this country have always been open for discussion in the House, often moved to relevant parliamentary committees for in-depth appraisal and closing deficiencies. By skipping the rulebook, the Government has stretched its political adventurism a bit much. While it insists that the new laws will remove trade barriers so that the smallest farmers can sell their produce outside monopolised markets and get a higher price, the reality is that such farmers are still unprotected against the corporatisation implicit in these Bills. Architecture-wise, the Bills look reformist, dismantling the heavily cartelised Agricultural Produce Market Committee (APMC) mandis and mid-dlemen, but growers need gestational and transitional time to come out of a regulatory framework and take charge of their individual fortunes. For one, the smaller and margin-al farmers are not literate or educated enough and entering into one-on-one contracts with corporations would give the latter negotiating rights and greater control over price fixing. In that sense, they could still end up being exploited as before. The middleman would simply get replaced by a food major or a retail giant, which, as a "sponsor," can control inputs in the "farm to fork" chain. Besides, farmers, knowing their limitations, have never been into direct dealing but operated through commission agents, some of whom are a trusted link in their eco-system. The farmers fear that in an open, competitive market, they would not get the MSP that the Government promises to continue and given the diversi ty and multiplicity of markets, the guaranteed official procurement would be hit over time. They would, therefore, still be in a crisis. The bigger market players would also affect their cropping patterns. Besides, the proposed laws are still vague on definition of mechanisms that would replace the regulated economy. Considering that farmers form 60 per cent of the country's population, any sweeping change concerning them merits some thought

and actionable plans than a blanket and summary imposition.

Politically, this was the Government's worst move in the House. As the Opposition protested, demanding that there be a discussion and possibly a referral to a committee, the live telecast was muted so that the nation did not hear the counter-arguments. Frustrated and agitated, the Opposition stormed the Well of the House. Procedure says that no Bill can be passed amid such din. But the Deputy Chairman, Harivansh Narayan Singh, precisely used this noise, knowing full well that the Government did not have the numbers in the Upper House to afford a division of votes, to his advantage. He called a voice vote, a highly subjective assessment method based on decibel power of members, and saw through the Bills. A voice vote is allowed only in Bills that have majority support. For a Bill that is split down the middle in terms of support, a division of votes is the only way out to decide the outcome. Especially when even the BJP's House collaborators from the Opposition — regional parties like the Telangana Rashtra Samithi (TRS), the YSR Congress and Biju Janata Dal (BJD) — opposed the farm Bills. How did Singh assess through all that commotion that ruling party MPs were louder? Will serious business in the House be henceforth transacted on the basis of a shouting match or subjected to the discretion of the Chair than the rulebook? Also, if any Opposition member challenges a voice vote, the rulebook provides for a division of votes. Opposition MPs claim they asked for a division but were ignored. Clearly, the Government's brief to the Deputy Chairman was clear, the Bills had to be passed at any cost. The Government may claim a pyrrhic victory but what of the farmers' protests that are spreading like wildfire? The Opposition parties may be inconsequential to it but they represent the voice of the people, too. More importantly, after small farmers, what would happen to the small workers, as another Bill that allows firms with up to 300 workers to fire them without Government nod, is pending? Can the Government then shed the capitalist tag? Time and again Prime Minister Narendra Modi wishes there was a responsible and aggressive Opposition to push him harder but conversation is a two-way traffic that depends on his Government's willingness to listen in the first place. By taking away the mikes, podiums and cameras, parliamentary proceedings look like a silent era film. Only a drone-like narration can be heard. Accepted for its stupor-inducing repetition and rant than as a matter of faith.

Going rural

Forcing post-graduate medical students to spend three months in rural areas will be beneficial for the doctors too



n an answer to Parliament in 2019, Ashwini Choubey, Minister of State for Health, had stated that assuming an availability of 80 per cent, there was only one doctor per 1.445 people in India. Of course, if one added up alternative systems of medication, the number would be closer to the World Health Organisation's mandated one doctor per thousand population but over the past few months, we have seen many alternative medical practices wither away in the face of the pandemic. What these statistics do not reveal is just how skewed India's medical system is towards large metropolitan areas. It

is only when you see thousands of patients from across India crowding the entrances at All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) in Delhi that you realise just how bad things must be for families to transport critically ill patients hundreds of kilometers for proper care. The fact is that cities like Delhi and Mumbai, while suffering immensely from the pandemic, have enough beds and facilities. There was a joke, not one of any laughing matter though, that there were more intensive care beds and ventilators in Delhi's Saket area alone than in some other Indian states.

Part of the reason for the deficiency of healthcare in upcountry India is that young specialist doctors want to work, for rather obvious reasons, in big city hospitals. And it is unfair, given the poor facilities in even smaller towns, let alone rural areas, to expect young doctors to work there for extended periods of time. However, if young medical specialists did spend time in rural areas, they would possibly understand the gravity of the medical scenario a lot better than they currently do and suggest innovations in existing infrastructure. Operating in cities, they are often insulated from the realities of India just as much as "expert commentators" on news television channels. The Government's mandate that post-graduate medical students spend three months in rural areas is understandable and while some of them might be disappointed, this is a practice that should ideally be spread across disciplines. If we talk about "two Indias," then the only way to redress that is to across disciplined. If we taik audict two industry, filed to only way to tendess that is ensure that young people from urban India see the problems of rural India and understand why they behave — with their votes and their money — the way that they do. Being a warrior on social media isn't quite the same thing.

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Mumbai belongs to India

The Constitution gives its citizens the right 'to reside and settle in any part of the territory of India' and no political power should try to redefine it



he crass attempt by Shiv Sena to intimidate the national award-winning national award-winning actor, Kangana Ranaut, and to demolish her property without adequate notice, must be condemned by all those who cherish democracy and rule of law in the country. It is also time to iaw in the country. It is also time to own Mumbai and no Indian will grant it the power to issue entry visas for the city. Mumbai belongs to

for the city. Mumbai belongs to India.

The demolition of the actor's property in Pali Hill area on September 9 for alleged violations was preceded by repeated threats by party leaders and some goons, who warned her not to return to he home in Mumbai from Himachal Pradesh. Among those who adopted such a threatening tone was the State's Home Minister. In addition, party leaders have hurled filthy abuses at the Somebody should tell these worthies to read Article these worthies to read Article 19(1)(d) and (e) of the Constitution of India which says all citizens shall have the right' to move freely throughout the territory of India." The Shix Sena must also be told that "we the people" are not going to go we present the propose are not going to go we present the propose are not going to go we present the propose are not going to go we present the propose are not going to go we present the propose are not going to go we present the propose are not going to go we present the propose are not going to go we present the propose are not going to go people. ople" are not going to give up se rights ever and give in to goon-

da raj.

The Chief Minister of Himachal
Pradesh, Jairam Thakur, has rightly taken up the cudgels on behalf of
Ranaut and said that the attitude of Kanaut and sad that the attitude of the Maharashtra Government is "condemnable" and smacks of wendetta politics. This disrespect to "Himachals daughter" is intolerable, he said while ensuring "Y Plus' security for her. This should alert the Maharashtra Chief Minister to what lies abead because nobody will tol.

Maharashtra Chief Minister to what lies ahead because nobody will tollerate this kind of behaviour by Shiv Sainiks towards citizens hailing from other States.

The Bombay High Court has rightly rapped the municipal corporation on the knuckles and said the demolition "smacks of malafide" and is "deplorable." The court noted that what the corporation to the what the corporation to the what the corporation bad suddenly more than the composition of the way to the work of the work of the work of the way to the work of the municipal corporation would act with "similar swiftness" in respect of

other numerous unauthorised constructions. In its order constructions. In its order of September 9, the court has recorded in detail the attempts made by the municipal corporation to stall the hearing and to prevent it from taking cognisance of the petition until it had completed the demolition. This is indicative of the arrogance of the executive and disrespect for the judiciary.

The Shiv Sena has to be told that it does not own Mumbai.

The Shiv Sena has to be told that it does not own Mumbai. Sainiks have lived in this delusion for too long. In fact, seven decades ago, there was a strong argument in favour of making Bombay a Union Territory in view of its cosmopolitan outlook and strategic location.

A memorandum submitted

and strategic location.

A memorandum submitted on behalf of the Gujarat Research Society in 1948 to the Linguistic Provinces Commission argued Provinces Commission argued for Bombay's independence. It said "Bombay has been an all Indian city with an international outlook and a distinctive non-provincial culture in which people from all provinces of India and even foreigners play their part...It would, therefore, be unfair to transfer an international contraction of the provinces of the part...It would, therefore, be

and cere interesions pay their part...It would, therefore, be unfair to transfer an international port like Bombay to the province of Maharashtra... crated on the narrow ground of a provincial language.

The Commission saw merit in this argument and said. "Nationalism and sub-national-ism are two emotional experiences which grow at the expense of each other." It said Bombay "should receive special treatment and be disposed of in the best interests of India as a whole" and in its own interest.



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Commission, which submitted its report in September, 1955, also warned of the pitfalls of regional chawinism. "The Constitution of India guarantees common citizenship to all Indian people. There can, therefore, be only one nationality in India; it said. All this eventually convinced the Centre that Bombay should be a Union Territory and Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru made the announcement on lanuary Minister Jawaharlal Nehru made the announcement on January 16, 1956. SK Patil, the president of the Bombay Pradesh Congress caid "the city would be an oasis in the desert of regionalism in India" and "a shining example of cosmopolitanism and liberal nationalism." It is therefore strange that India's tris, therefore, strange that India's grand old party — Nehru's Congress — which professed such liberal values, now shares power with the Sena but has no

such liberal values, now shares power with the Sena but has no influence over it. The Shiv Sena is trying to portray Ranaut as a person who is ill-disposed towards Mumbal, Maharashtra and Marathi people. This does not appear to be true although there can be issues in regard to her choice of words. Ranaut has not attacked any of these entities. Her attack is on the Shiv Sena for converting liberal Mumbai into a garrison of hate. Nor is the Sena the sole repository of Chhatrapati Shivaji Segacy, Indians across the world adore him for his valour, his nationalism and for his invaluable contribution towards preserving India's civilisational values. The tempts by the Shiv Sena to appropriate him and reduce him to an icon of Marathi pride

must, therefore, be resisted.
Shiv Sena leaders are also
talking about what Mumbai has
given to different professionals,
including actors, directors and
others in the cine and television
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world. They seem to forget what these individuals have given to Mumbai. The city became what it is because the best of entrepreneurs and talented persons in business, trade, manufacturing, entertainment and hospitality gravitated towards this city, invested billions of rupees and generated employment for millions. People from different States — Gujarat, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Jammu and Kashmir and Kerala to name a few — arrived in this city chassing their dreams and made Mumbai what it is todays For example, what would Mumbai business and industry be if the Gujaratis and Marwaris had not made it their home? Or, what would Bollywood be without the Punjabis? Or what would eateries be without the Irani and Udupi restaurants?

It is indeed tragic that the Shis can, which stood so firmly for Indian nationalist causes during le life of its frebrand founder.

Sena, which stood so firmly for Indian nationalist causes during the life of its firebrand founder, Balasaheb Thackeray, should now become a caricature of itself and metamorphose into a "Sonia Sena" If it fails to appreciate and respect our constitutional dharrespect our constitutional dhar-ma, many more States and Chief Ministers will call it out. Bharat Mata will never allow Mumbai, a jewel in her crown, to fall into unworthy hands. (The writer is an author special-ising in democracy studies. Views expressed are personal)



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Without swift and immediate various swit and immediate action, at an unprecedented pace and scale, we will miss the window of opportunity to 'reset' for...a more sustainable and inclusive future.

Prince of Wales



I appeal to those Senate Republicans – please follow your conscience, let the people speak, cool the flames that have been engulfing our country.



MPs who fought to protec

West Bengal CM



It pained me a lot because what happened yester-day in the House is unfortunate, unacceptable and condemnable.

Raiva Sabha Chairman



LETTERS T THE EDITOR

Public indifference

- It is due to the co disregard for COVID-19 pi cols that Mumbai has becom worst-hit State in the country. It was recently observed that walk-ers on Marine Drive had been openly flouting the guidelines under which both wearing a face mask and following social distance is mandatory. They not only risked their lives but also put others in danger. Despite BMC's attempt to keep law and order, the officials have been facing resistance from the people who are unwilling to pay fines for non-compliance. CSMT, Crawford Market and Bora Bazaar are other areas where worst-hit State in the country. It Bazaar are other areas where such irresponsible attitude is on public display. It's high time that people realise their responsibilple realise their responsibil-in helping the State vernment stop the spread of

Bhagwan Thadani Mumbai

Time to adapt

— The mega sporting extrav-nza, Indian Premier League started last week, was eager-

The politics of religious hate-mongering

he Supreme Court made some pertinent and instructive observations while hearing a plea alleg-ing that *Sudarshan Hews Bindas* position wakes communal remarks about the entry of members of the Muslim community into the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC). The court made it amply clear that the media cannot target or malign a religious community in the name of journalistic freedom. It is a sad reality that sections of the media sometimes use nation-al security for justifying violations of constitutionally guaranteed rights.

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guaranteed rights.

The programme tried to link civil service aspirants from the Muslim community to "illegal funding" and "overseas terror organisations" and showed green T-shirts, skull caps and flames with the intent of portraying Indian Muslims as the fifth column.

The upon phrase like "flow libed" and "outsided".

The very phrases like "love jihad" and "enticement of wives and daughters" were coined to show the community in a bad light. It is a bare-faced calumny to say that the Muslim youth join the civil services as part of



a "deep-seated conspiracy."

The TV programme is not an aberration but a part of a wider project of spreading religious hatred for political gains. A secular democracy like ours cannot tolmasses being pigeonholed as "us-and-them" or

Suicidal behaviour

Suicidal behaviour

Sir — The spike in self-harm, suicidal ideation and behaviour amid COVID-19 pandemic is a major concern. Anxiety, job loss, stress, loneliness and financial insecurity top the list of concerns during this time. Help-seeking was highest among individuals aged 25 to 40 years, followed by those between 18 and 25 years and between 40 and 60 years, as reported. Given the gravity of the issue, the Government needs to increase socio-economic safety nets and devise ways to support those in need.

Khushbu Ved

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MLALADF released

 The Himachal Pradesh Government has announced the release of the MLA's Local Area Development Fund (MLAL-ADF), stating that the first instalment would be available in October. Other States, too, should release funds for devel-

Yash Pal Ralhan

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ly awaited by cricket fans across the globe. Barring three short series in England, we haven't seen a lot of cricket this year. Though these couple of weeks will have many of us glued to the TV screens, one is yet to get used to the cricketers playing in empty stances to motivate them. Bal Govind Notida

Sir — Appropriate policy response and sustainable alternatives are needed to further the argument around the current argument around the current argument around the current agricultural methods practised in India. According to the latest data released by National Crime Records Bureau on accidental deaths and suicides, 10,281 farm-ers committed suicide in 2019,

Aid for farmers

whereas the figure for daily wagers rose to 32,559 from 30,132. The total number of suicides in the country went up to 1,39,123 in 2019 from 1,34,516 to 1,39,123 in 2019 from 1,34,516 in 2018. These worrying statistics call for an urgent response from the Government to assist the food producers of this nation.

Noor Ahmad

Hyderabad

down from 10,357 in 2018.

analysis

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New weapons in doctors' tool box

The healthcare sector is improving efficiencies due to the surge in usage of robotics and AI in medical processes and other operations



obile robots are becoming increasingly popular across obile robots are decorning increasingly proposed and different business sectors as they are used to assist work processes and even accomplish tasks that are impossible or dangerous for humans. Due to their advanced to the control of the control o technological systems, mobile robots can be used for surveil-lance, planetary exploration, patrolling, emergency and rescue operations, recomaissance, petrochemical applications, indus-trial automation, construction, entertainment, as museum guides, for personal services and intervention in extreme environment. transportation, medical care as well as many other industrial and non-industrial applications.

and non-industrial applications.

Hence, mobile robotics is one of the fastest-expanding fields of scientific research. And now, more than ever, the Coronavirus crisis has highlighted the way we can optimise the use of mobile robotics and Artificial Intelligence (A) to successfully flight any pandemic. Given the highly infectious nature of the Coronavirus and the consequential need for social distancing, companies, both large and small, have realised that robots can provide cortact-free alternatives to healthcare workers. Hospitals are devising ways to use robots to minimise the presence of healthcare staff in the Covid-care facilities. Hence, a large number of hospitals across the globe are currently using robots for rendering services such as automated testing, supporting public safety and public works, decontaminating hospitals and public spaces, ensuring delivery services, maintaining patient database and diagnosing diseases.

Multi-purpose robots are also used for temperature checking, as dispensers, for patient registration entry, delivering medication, food and so on. The aim is to quickly deploy telehealth technology during the current outbreak to allow for curbside screening of patients as enabling remote screening will reduce the contact time between patients and frontline healthcare workers, who are critical in the fight against the pandemic.

Applications of robotes are playing a major role in loboratory diagnostics services, tioo. However, apart from automate manual operations that are labour-intensive, time-consuming and repetitive in order to reduce the burden on frontline healthcare workers. Hence, mobile robotics is one of the fastest-expanding fields

ing and repetitive in order to reduce the burden on frontline health-care workers. They can play an important role in high-tech appli-cations, too, such as performing complex surgeries like the lat-est Elon Musk's Neuralink chip implantation surgery, other neuro surgeries, cutting bones and so on.

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A few of the roles played by Al during the pandemic relate to early warnings and alerts, prediction and detection of outbreak of diseases, real-time disease monitoring worldwide, analysis and visualisation of spreading trends, prediction of infe tion rate and infection trend, rapid decision-making to identify

isis and visualisation of spreading trends, prediction of infection rate and infection trend, rapid decision-making to identify effective treatments, study and analysis of the pathogens and drug discovery. During this time, Al diagnostic tools are used to distinguish COVID-19 from other types of pneumonia within seconds by analysing the patients' chest CT scan images. Newer models hold great potential to relieve the pressure of frontline radiologists, improve early diagnosis, isolation and treatment, and thus contribute to the control of the epidemic. Medical robotics can be considered as the application of robotics technology to healthcare to diagnose and treat diseases, or to correct, restore or modify a body function or a body part. With the help of medical robotics, surgeons can carry out operations more precisely and in a less invasive way. Surgical robotics segment dominated the medical robotics market in terms freenue in 2019 and rehabilitation robots are gaining popularity due to the rising ageing population subject to increasing physical disabilities. It is predicted that hospital and pharmacy robots will contribute around 12 per cent to the global medical robotics market by 2025.

Due to the major use of automation processes, the robotics industry is reacting major heights by contributing to every sector of the economy and working as a lever to reduce human efforts. The healthcare sector has improved efficiencies because of it. (The writer is Co-Founder, Addverb Technologies)

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Don't bank on banks

There's no pressing need for a firm hit by the crisis to rush to banks for relief. To enjoy the fruits when the going is good and come to the bank or Govt for help when in crisis is unacceptable



on March 27 the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) Governor, Shaktikanta Das, announced a comprehensive action plan to resuscitate the economy devasted by the Coronavirus. Apart from measures to increase availability of credit and reduction in the cost of capital, the plan sought to ease the stress of loan repayments on businesses and individuals. Among others, this included a three-month moratorium on payment of instalments in crespect of all term loans outstanding on March 31. On May 22, Das announced extension of the moratorium for three months till August 31. To ease the burden of payment on those who availed of working capital facilities. He Governor allowed them to convert accumilated interest for the deferment period into a funded interest term loan (FIT1) which can be paid by March 31, 2021.

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The RBI eased asset classification norms for all accounts coming under moratorium, too. These accounts will be treated as non-performing assets (NPA) from 270 days overdue instead of 90 days overdue as per extant rule. It has also extended the 270-day resolution period for all large stressed accounts will be readed as not extended the 270-day resolution period for all large stressed accounts under its June 7, 2019 circular (on its expiry; if banks are not ready with a resolution plan, the Insolvency and Bankruptey Code [IBC] Comes into play) by a further 180 days. To address the situation after the moratorium ends, on August 6, the RBI announced a scheme for one-time restructuring of the debt for large companies, besides extending till March 31 an existing restructuring scheme for micro, small and medium enterprises (MSME) with relaxed norms. It also set up an expert committee under KV Kamath to recommend the required financial parameters, along with the sector-specific benchmarks for this special window.
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From the above, it is abundantly clear that the SC does not want banks to charge interest on interest est for the moratorium period. Whether or not this will get reflected in its order, one can only wait and watch. Meanwhile, it may be worthwhile to look at the desirability or otherwise of such a move in particular, its impact on the viability and financial stability of the banking system.

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would be devastated by the pandemic.

The SC has gone a step further by aligning itself with a plea that the banks should also not be charging "interest on upaid interest amount during the moratorium period." Such a sweeping and toroad-based generalisation is totally divorced from the reality. No doubt, the Coronavirus has caused unprecedented damage but this cart be pushed to a point of arguing that almost everyone has been incapacitated and hence unable to service he loans. After all even during the lock-down, a number of activities, especially health related, all essential goods and services besides firms in several other sectors service besides firms in several other sectors permitting work from home (WFH) continued their business. Look at the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) During Aprillune 2020 it was about 23 per cent less than during Aprill-June 2000; and be termed as not reduced to zero.

Businesses which contributed to this GDP (about 72,550,000 crore during Aprill-June 2002) can't be termed as not being in a position to service their loan. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. A large number of borrowers have not availed of the moratorium for two out of the first three monts (March-May) initially allowed by the RBI. Further, 90 per cent of such borrowers did not avail of the moratorium for one month. In other the strength of the moratorium for one month. In other words, they continued to pay their EMI.

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nary profit (for instance, in the automobile sector during 2017-18/2018-19). Why can't the surphus or savings from those years be used as a buffer against the current sethack? Alternatively, in future, say during 2022-23, when the pandemic impact will subside and the sectors start generating good profits, the surplus to be teatined therefrom will provide adequate cushion to pay for current liabilities (including interest on interest).

The point in short is that there is no compelling need for a firm impacted by the crisis to rush to banks for relief. To enjoy the fruits when the going is good and come to the bank or Government for bail-out when in crisis is totally unacceptable. A bank does not run a charity, its business model involves taking money from depositors in lieu of promising a fixed return (call interest rate) which is added to the invested amount and returned to the depositor on maturity. The bank lends the funds thus collected to borrowers, wiz industries, businesses or individuals and so on and uses the interest earning to service its depositors (besides paying for its own "intermediation" expenses).

The bank is legally bound to honour its contractual obligation to the depositor (e.it must return to him/her the principal amount plus accrued interest on the maturity/due date. Imagine a situation wherein a bank defers payment of the interest protions any by as months (because it is under stress for that long). Then it will uncessarily have to pay "interest on the unpaid interest amount."

The depositor won't forego this just because the bank was under stress. This logic holds with equal force when it comes to the borrower kish equal force when it comes to the borrower kish equal force when it comes to the borrower kish equal force when it comes to the borrower kish equal force when it comes to the borrower kish equal force when it comes to the borrower kish equal force when it comes to the borrower kish equal force when it comes to the borrower kish equal force when it comes to the borrower kish e

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On the other hand, to expect the Government to pick up the cost tag would also be fllogical and unifar. Apart from COVID-related expenses on medical facilities and health infrastructure (besides increasing expenditure on defence in the current security environment), the Union's scarce resources need to be preserved only for addressing basic needs of the poor whose survival depends on daily wages and who — unlike firms — had neither any savings from the past nor any hope of having any windfall gain in the future.

To conclude, if SC orders what it has alluded to, this will affect the viability of banks or further bload fiscal deficit (in case, the Government foots the bill), thereby On the other hand, to expect the

banks or further bloat fiscal deficit (in case, the Government foots the bill), thereby jeopardising the country's macro-economic fundamentals. This should be avoided and businesses need to remain focussed on making best use of the RBIS package. Even so, the most crucial requirement at this juncture is to "flatten" the COVID curve at the fastest pace so that economic activities get back to normal. Sans this, any relief, howsoever generous, won't be of much help.

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Get a healthy mix of online, classroom learning

Just 25 per cent students have access to smartphones, laptops and the net. HEIs must develop mechanisms with in-built functionalities to overcome this



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the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 offers accreditation to institutions for running open distance learning and online programs. This is a unique opportunity for Higher Education Institutes (HEIS) to enhance the courses being offered, improve access increase enrolment and provide opportunities for lifeting learning. Fear before the lock-long learning. Fear before the lockment and provide opportunities for life-long learning. Even before the lock-down, online learning platforms like NPTEL and MOOCS were being utilised in Uttar Pradesh (UP) for tech-nical education. However, these were considered largely experimental and the reliance on e-learning in higher edu-cation was minimal. The pandemic, however, decreed teach-from-home and learn-from-home. The PM e-Vidya scheme was launched and HEIs in UP embraced online education. Around 15,000 teachers adopted online pedagogy and over nine lakh students

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However, like any technological revolution, online education brings with it both opportunities for unparalleled growth and threats in the form of newly vulnerable populations. To get maximum dividends, we need to construct a structured environment for online education with the twin targets of inclusion and personalisation.

Content preparation, delivery and assessment will need to be optimised differentially to match the needs of varied target groups. High calibre e-content is the foundation of any such programme. A wealth of course content is available in English on various open source platforms. This may be integrated into the curriculum to maximise delivery at the earliest. Meanwhile, efforts have to be made to prepare content in regional languages. The course material needs to be engaging and interactive, with liberal use of audio, video, visuals and other features tailored to the course.

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For instance, a course in zoology would be more visual while a course in language will require an interface equipped with grammar and spelkneck Online learning is self-paced and self-motivated. Students can learn at their own speed, going back and re-

reading, skipping or accelerating through concepts as they choose. However, it relies heavily on the learner's inclinations. Laid-back students may fall behind the rest of the class. Thus, a time bound-schedule with frequent evaluation is necessary. Special attention must be paid to students not doing well, as to why their grades are slipping.

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This scenario again points to the need of a robust system of content delivery and assessment. Discussion forums and Breakout rooms (Google Classroom, Moodle, Zoom and so on) allow small—sized groups to be formed, with the instructor being able to visit each of these and share his notes. With whiteboard integration, science teachers find mini gadgets like tabs with pers convenient for performing mathematical derivations and solving numerical problems. Cross-institutional collaborative learning is also possible on platforms such as MS teams, WebEx, Skype and Google Hangoust which allow learners to discuss problems in real time. Simulation software and virtual labs help in imparting practical knowledge to the students. This needs to be supplemented by tutorials and remedial classes, which should be perknowledge to the students. 11115 necessity to be supplemented by tutorials and remedial classes, which should be personalised and customised further.

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essential for learning from peer groups and acquiring networking skills and civic sense. The challenge is to arrive at an optimal blend of online and classat an optimal blend of online and class-room teaching. Topics that require introspection and debate should be taken up in traditional settings. For example, philosophy requires the abil-ity to analyse a given set of hypotheses and synthesise new postulates. It may be difficult to acquire this proficiency virtually. Assessment of the students both during and at the end of a course has always been a challenge for distance learning programmes. Using e-plat-forms, a combination of online and offline evaluations may be used. offline evaluations may be used. Artificial Intelligence (AI)-enabled verification, face movement recognition, screen locking and remote invigilator are some techniques that can minimise are some techniques that can minimise chances of use of unfair means during

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Simultaneously, stringent quality control measures need to be put in place to evaluate teachers. Of course, the end-term performance of the students is an absolute parameter for making such assessments. But concurrent evaluations are essential to check time lags and protect the students interests. The Learning Management System (LMS) is a good solution that can be indigenised and adapted by institutes. It can review per-

develop mechanisms v formance and learn about the impact of teaching with dashboards and reports. Institutions can modify the existing features of LMS to identify a user's learning abilities, articulate accordingly and extract meta-data to make suitable recommendations for helping them.

External reviews of content delivery by subject experts and industry doyens will be vital to upgrading the standards of education. Peer review is a necessary part of any academic endeavour and will become easier through e-platforms. The NEP paves through course flexibility and transfer of credits. Online education will be a cornerstone in this. A Computer Science major student wanting to create a start-up can do courses not being offered in his/her college, like an e-platform of Commerce minor, from a university specialising in it, through an e-platfort if diverse interest is, and est a well-rounded education encompassing all their diverse interest.

Basic compulsory courses like thics, health and hygiene, digital awareness and communication skills can also be offered by universities online. Some HEIs can strive to become centres of excellence for providing specialised courses, like AI,

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Learning, creative and liberal arts or
yoga and meditation, online. Students
can attend these even during their vacations, thus freeing up time for regular
courses. The increased flexibility in timings may be used to maximise the payoff from physical college hours.

However, the biggest challenge in
UP is equity and inclusion. The NITI
Aayog, in its Strategy for New India @75
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They can develop tabs preloaded with e-content and devise a system for They can devetop tabs pretoaded with e-content and devise a system for issuing such tabs for a fixed time, like books issued from library. Students can use them at home, even without internet connectivity. The local industry can be motivated to use their Corporate Social Responsibility funds (CSR) to provide hardware and software to coleges. The National Broadband Mission, aiming to provide internet access in all villages by 2022, will be a great help. The Government can establish e-Learning Parks in schools in remote areas with computers and internet connectivity.

Students enrolled in higher education programmes can use these to access digital platforms after school hours. The benefits of online learning extend to beyond just students. Online education opens up avenues for lifelong learning. Once people get habituated to learning and absorbing content through e-platforms, they can continue to read and learn beyond the years of format training. The NEP has called for a complete revamping of the higher education sector. Colleges will have to reimagine their mission and work together towards reforming education. Coordination and collaboration will be key to future growth. To jump start the Coordination and collaboration will be key to future growth. To jump start be process, the UP Department of Fligher Education has developed a portal for uploading of e-contents by HEIs. This is available to students across the country free of cost. Called the UP Higher Education Digital Library, the bilingual portal was started on Teacher's Day. UP has declared September and October as Viduadam Madn and unged teachers to contribute to this library, in Keeping with our culture of charity. More than 3,000 pieces have been uploaded by HEI faculty voluntarily on the library till date. (The author is Additional Chief Secretary Higher Education Department, UP)



SOUTH CHINA SEA WATCH -

Timeline of recent developments

Beijing: A look at recent developments in the South China Sea, where China is pitted against smaller neighbours in multiple territorial disputes over islands, coral reefs and lagoons. The waters are a major shipping route for global commerce and are rich in fish and proscible oil and gas reserves.

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The drills were timed to coincide with the visit to Taiwan by a high-ranking US envoy for talks and to attend a memorial service for former Taiwanese President Lee Fenghui, who led the island's transition to full democracy in the face of Chinese threats.

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rine warfare aircraft, crossed into Taiwan's air defense identification zone on Friday and Saturday.

Saturday. Taiwan responded by activating its ground-based air defence systems and scrambling fighters, who ordered the Chinese planes to leave, saying they would "bear all the consequences" if they did not. The Taiwan Strati is abusy transit route to and from the South China Sea which is roughly divided between China to the west and Taiwan to the east.

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CHINA COAST GUARD
LEAVES INDONESIA

An Indonesian patrol ship confronted a Chinese coast guard vessel that spent almost three days in waters where Indonesia claims economic rights and are near the southermost part of China's disputed South China Sea claims. "We asked them to move out as it was Indonesia's EEZ but they insisted that it: is China's nine-dash- line territory. Our officers at the vessel argued with them until they moved out," said Ana Kurnia, chief of the Indonesian Maritime Security Agency. "The Chinese coast guard vessel finally left the North Natuna Sea on Monday at 11:20 am," he said. China's "nine-dash line" delineates its claim to virtually the entire South China Sea. A 2016 international arbitration ruling involving the Philippines invalidated most of China's sweeping claims in the sea, but China has ignored the ruling.

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A US official accused China last week of bullying and insincerity in its dealings with Southeast Asian nations.

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US Assistant Secretary of
State David Stilwell said
Tuesday that Chinese insincerity is best illustrated in its
aggressive behaviour in the
South China Sea, where it has
turned disputed reefs into
weaponised artificial island
outposts despite a commitment not to militarise the
region.

In later testimony before In later testimony berore the Senate, Stilwell said it was now clear to the US and others that China "seeks to disrupt and reshape the international environment around the nar-row self-centered interests and interior values of a single

row self-centered interests and authoritarian values of a single beneficiary, the Chinese Communist Party."

Chinese Foreign Minister Wang Yi lashed back at the US in last week's ASEAN meetings, saying Washington was the "biggest driver of militarisation" and the "most dangerous factor damaging peace" in the region.

Woman suspected of sending package containing poison to Trump arrested

Washington: Authorities have arrested a person suspected of sending the deady poison richin in an envelope addressed to the White House but intercepted before it could be delivered there, a law enforcement source said on Sunday.

In response to a Reuters query seeking confirmation of media reports that a woman accused of mailing the richinated letter had been taken into custody at the US-Canadian border, the PBH field office in Washington issued a statement saying. "An arrest was made of an individual allegedly responsible for sending a suspicious letter."

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The RCMP further stated that a FBI analysis of a substance inside the envelope detected the presence of ricin," at the convertient of t

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The law enforcement source, familiar with the case but speaking on condition of anonymity, told Reuters the "suspicious letter" referred to in suspicious reter referred on the FBI statement was the same as the envelope found to have contained ricin. The source also said the person arrested was a woman

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Initially asked about the incident on Saturday, the FBI said it had joined the US Sercie Service and the US Postal Inspection Service in the investigation of "a suspicious letter received at a US, government mail facility."

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Trump warns no TikTok deal if China's ByteDance keeps any 'control'

Washington: President Donald Trump on Monday threw into doubt a deal to restructure own-ership of the popular video app TikTok, vowing to block any deal that allows its Chinese par-ent firm to retain any control.

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But details of the plan

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He added Oracle and Walmart "are going to have total control over it. They're going to own the controlling interests. If we find they don't have total control, then we're not going to approve the deal."

ByteDance, under pressure in China not to give in to US demands, said it would hold an 80 per cent stake in TiklTok Global after a public share offering. The Chinese firm said the current plan "does not involve the transfer of any algorithms and technologies" and that reports to the contrary were "rumors."

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Oracle offered a different view of the transaction.

"Upon creation of TikTok Global, Oracle/Walmart will make their investment and the TikTok Global shares will be distributed to their owners, Americans will be the majority and ByteDance will have no ownership in TikTok Global," Oracle vice president Ken Glueck said.

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Greece says talks with Turkey on East Med could restart soon Greek-Turkish talks on the issue were last held in 2016. In recent years, the dispute that has been fueled by soured relations between the EU and Turkey and well as the discoveries of large

Athens: Greece and Turkey are close to reviving talks on a tense dispute over rights to exploit potential offshore natural gas deposits in the eastern Mediterranean, a Greek official said on Monday.

said on Monday.

"We are close to restarting
the exploratory talks. ... There
will be an announcement when
this is finalised but the atmosphere is good," Greek government spokesman Stelios Petsas

ment spokesman Stelios Petsas told reporters. Petsas also confirmed local media reports that US Secretary of State Mike Pompeo is expect-ed to visit Greece for a meeting with Greek Prime Minister

Under international pres-sure, Turkey pulled back a research vessel in the area while both countries have also eased their naval presence and halted military exercises.

Kyriakos Mitsotakis to discuss the crisis, but added that the schedule is still being worked out.

The two neighbouring NATO members have been at

NATO members have been at odds for decades over maritime boundaries for commercial exploitation in an area between Turkey's southern coast, several Greek islands and the war-divided island of Cyprus.

Under international pres-

natural gas fields in orner paris of the eastern Mediterranean. Turkey argues that Greek islands near its coastline should be excluded from the calculation of commercial maritime bound-aries that far exceed the limits of Athens calls the Turkish position a violation of international law but says it is willing to settle the dispute at an international court.

Around the Globe

Sydney: Marine biologists were planning the rescue of around 270 whales stranded on a sandbar off the remote west coast of the Australian island of Tasmania on Monday.

Washington: Barbara Lagoa, the Cuban-American federal appellate judge under consideration by President Donald Trump for the U.S. Supreme Court, is a o.s. Supreme outri, is a conservative jurist whose resume includes a role in a heated international custody battle and the distinction of being the first Hispanic woman to serve on Florida's top court

Jerusalem: An Israeli court on Monday approved the extradition of a former teacher wanted in Australia on charges of child sex abuse, paving the way for her to stand trial after a six-year legal

Opp in Pakistan launches alliance to oust PM Imran Islamabad: Demanding Pakistan Opposition parties have agreed Prime Minister Imran Khans to launch an alliance named immediate resignation, the Pakistan Democratic Movement

country's major Opposition par-ties have launched an alliance to hold a countrywide protest movement to oust his govern-ment.

movement to oust his government.

A 26-point joint resolution
was adopted on Sunday by the
All Parties Conference (APC),
which was hosted by the
Pakistan Peoples Party (PPP)
and attended by Pakistan Muslim League-Nawaz (PMLN), Jamiat Ulema-e-Islam Fazi
(UU-P) and several other parties.
At a joint press conference
after the end of the multi-party
meeting, JULF chief Mualana
Fazil ur Rehman read out the resolution and said that the

to launch an aliance named replastan Democratic Movement (PDM) to organise countrywide protests against the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) government from October.

The resolution alleged that he Khan government has been granted "fake stability by the same establishment" that interfered with the elections to bring the incumbent rulers to power. In an obvious reference to the powerful Pakistan Army, the resolution expressed "extreme concern" over the increasing interference of the establishment in the internal affairs of the country and regard it as a "danger to the nations stability and institutions". PTI

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Sensex falls 800 points as Covid cases surge globally

IANS ■ MUMBAI

The Indian stock market plunged on Monday, tracking a global selloff due to a fresh spurt of coronavirus cases across Europe.

The BSE Sensex plunged over 800 points and the Nifty50 closed below the 11,300 mark as the resurgence in Covid cases has also given fuel to anticipation of renewed lock-down restrictions across countries in Europe, including the UK and France.

The BSE Sensex closed at 38,034.14, lower by 811.68 points, or 2.09 per cent, from the previous close of 38,845.82. The Nifty50 on the National Stock Exchange (NSE) settled at 11,222.20, lower by 282.75 point, or 2.46 per cent, from its previous close.

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The across-the-board selloff was led by auto, telecom,
metal and FMCG stocks.

Manish Hathiramani, tech-

nical analyst with Deen Dayal Investments, said: "The mar-kets have broken the support of 11,300 on a closing basis and this is definitely an alarming situation. We could drop to 10,950-11,000 levels as the fall

10,950-11,000 levels as the fall today has been fierce and on the back of good volumes."
"The resistance on the upside is at 11,550-1,600. Until then the markets look weak," he added. Siddhartha Khemka, Head of Retail Research at Motilal Oswal Financial Services, said that the global cues were negative at the start of the day with lofty valuations, fading US stimulus and fresh wave of coronavirus infections in Europe being major risks. "In wave of coronavirus infections in Europe being major risks. "In the US, attention is turning back to negotiations on frish stimulus and the forthcoming election. Further, European markets fell after a report on bank allegations and signs that London is heading for a second lockdown," he added.

₹ rises by 7 paise to 73.38 in line with Asian peers

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The rupee strengthened by 7 paise to close at 73.38 against the US dollar on Monday, extending its gains for the second day on the back of firm Asian currencies and weak crude oil prices. Forex dealers said inflows

into Indian equities and firm ing Asian currencies against the dollar lent support to the local currency.

local currency.

At the interbank forex market, the domestic unit opened at 73.43 and later rose to a high of 73.26 in the day trade.

2-year wait for States not opting | Privatise select for GST compensation formula

States which failed to submit Stheir options before the GST Council meeting in October will have to wait for at least two years to get compensation on Goods and Services Tax col-lection shortfall expected dur-ing the transition period, Finance Ministry sources said on Monday.

Finance Ministry sources said on Monday.

The sources said that such states will have to wait till June 2022 to get compensation dues, subject to the condition that the GST Council extends the cess collection period beyond 2022.

This is so because the Council is expected to adopt one of the two options given by the Centre to meet the GST compensation needs of the states this year.

The states which decide against operationalisation of the new GST compensation formula will get their dues only to the extent of compensation cess collected in FY21

and distributed in proportion among all states and union territories. ries. The balance shortfall will

fall calculated by the Centre that is directly on account of GST implementation.
Option-2 allows states to borrow the entire projected GST compensation shortfall of Rs 2,35,000 crore (total shortfall of Rs 3 lakh crore minus Rs 65,000 crore collections of the compensation of the compen The balance shortfall will only be met from the collection of GST compensation cess beyond the five-year transition period that ends in June 2022. This will be subject to GST Council approval to the extension of compensation cess. The GST Council, in its 41st meeting on August 27, 2020, had decided to give its member-states two borrowing options to meet their compensation shortfall and a response time of 7 working days from the formal receipt of the detailed proposal on the options by email. Almost 15 states had submitted their options by September 15 and ed as GST compensation cess) for FY21

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So far, 21 states/UTs have expressed preference for Borrowing Option-1 proposed by the Centre.

With GST Act requiring

With GST Act requiring voting for any resolution regarding an option by at least 20 states, the move is expected to be adopted by the GST Council at its meeting next month,

month.

If this option is indeed adopted, all states would be able to move ahead and borrow under the scheme suggested by the Centre to meet their shortfall arising due to GST switchover. If states still opt out, they will have to wait to get full compensation. states had submitted their options by September 15 and more have joined since.
Option-1 on GST compensation brought before the Council last month allows states to borrow, under a special dispensation from the Reserve Bank of India, a sum of about Rs 97,000 crore short-

PSU banks, dilute role of DFS: Raian

Pormer RBI Governor Raghuram Rajan on Monday suggested the government to privatise select public sector banks, set up a bad bank to deal with NPAs and dilute the role of Department of Financial Services.

vices. The reforms are necessari The reforms are necessary to ensure growth of the bank-ting government without the periodic boom-bust cycles, said a paper titled 'Indian Banks: A Time to Reform?', co-authored by Rajan and former Reserve Bank Deputy Governor Viral Acharya.

Bank Deputy Governor Viral Acharya.

"Re-privatization of select PSBs can then be undertaken as part of a carefully calibrated ed strategy, bringing in private investors who have both finan-cial expertise as well as tech-nological expertise; corporate houses must be kept from acquiring significant stakes,

given their natural conflicts of

given their natural conflicts or interest," the paper said. Noting that the govern-ment obtains enormous power from directing bank lending, it said sometimes this power is exercised to advance public from directing bank lending, it said sometimes this power is exercised to advance public goals such as financial inclusion or infrastructure finance, sometimes it is used to offer patronage to, or exercise control over, industrialists. "Winding down Department of Financial Services in the Ministry of Finance is essential, both as an affirmative signal of the intent to grant bank boards and management independence and as a commitment not to engage in 'mission creep' when compulsions arise to use banks for serving costly social or political objectives," the paper noted. Acc to the paper, private asset management and national asset management and national asset management bad banks' should be encouraged in parallel to the online platform for distressed loan sales.

Kolkata Metro GM reviews service under present circumstances

Kolkata: Manoj Joshi, General Manager, Metro Railway has reviewed the Metro services under the present circum-stances in a high level meeting held on Monday at Metro Rail Bhavan.

He laid special emphasis on sanitization of station premises, coaches, escalator hand rails, smart gates and all other surfaces which the commuters are likely to touch during their journey.

rney. He also said that the station

He also said that the station staff should always be vigilant and refill the sanitizer bottles as and when required. The RPF personnel were also told to carry out their duties and always remain alert and focused on the com-muters to maintain social dis-tancing.

Banks not risk averse, they are being prudent: SBI chairman

A sserting that there is muted demand for loans, SBI Chairman Rajnish Kumar on Monday said banks are not risk averse but they are being prudent in these trying times to avoid a repeat of the post-2008 scenario when there was "dilution" in credit underwriting

standards. Data clearly shows that

Data clearly shows that investment in the economy has come down, the head of the country's biggest lender said.

"If the capex (capital expenditure) is not happening and investment in the economy is not happening at the same pace, then obviously this is a demand issue and the risk

Govt sets foodgrain output target at record 301 mn tonnes for 2020-21

aversion would be where there is a demand and banks are not lending? he said at a virtual event organised by AIMA.

Non-food bank credit grew of 7.5 per cent year-on-year in July as against a growth of 11.4 per cent in the same month of the last year, as per latest data by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI).

The target for the 202021 crop year (July-June) was set at the National Conference for Rabi Campaign 2020, which was held on Mon to review the progress of the kharif (summersown) season and plan for the rabic crops. Addressing the event. Agriculture Minister Narendra Singh Tomar congratulated farmers and state govts for

GM Northern Railway holds performance review meeting

New Delhi: Focus on Safety on tracks, Mobility Enhancement work, 160Kmph speed Enhancement, BDU and tracks, Mobility Enhancement work, 160Kmph speed Enhancement, BDU and Freight Loading Rajiv Chaudhry, General Manager, Northern & North Central held a review meeting with the departmental heads of Northern Railway through video conferencing. Deliberations were held on keeping focus on safety on tracks, enhancement of speed, Business Development Units and Freight loading. He said that, safety is the prime focus over Northern Railway. He reviewed the work done over the zone in improving the maintenance standard of track, welds and removal of scraplying near the tracks. He instructed the divisions on conducting drives to enhance departmental heads of Morthern Railway through video conferencing. Deliberations were held on keeping focus on safety on tracks, enhancement of speed, Business Development Units and Freight loading. He said that, safety is the prime focus over Northern Railway. He reviewed the work done over the zone in improving the maintenance standard of track, welds and removal of scrap lyring near the tracks. He instructed the divisions on conducting drives to enhance the safety and counsel the staff whenever necessary & required.

The pulse of the nation

If there is one lesson that this Ipandemic has taught us, it is the importance of being 'Atma Nirbhar' in food. Imagine the scramble for food when every-thing including import is shut down. Most countries which had food grains declared an export embargo during the pandemic. India is a rare country which not only fed its citizens and did if for free, but also gave food as humanitarian aid and exported it to countries in need.

During the lockdown, in

try on an ambitious and desirable path of self-sufficiency. The Government acted on supply, demand and regulatory fronts with equal emphasis. The twin factors critical to immediate increase in pulses production was determining the Minimum Support Price (MSP) and procurement from farmers directly at this rate. Through the National Food Security Mission (NFSM) alunched in 2016-17 additional area was brought under pulses cultivation. The Government aimed at increasing productivity and productivity

pulses cultivation. The Government aimed at increas-ing productivity and produc-tion of pulses in the country by distribution of seed mini-kits, subsidy on production of qual-ity seeds, creation of 150 pulse seed hubs, involving ICAR institutes and State Agriculture Universities for cluster frontline demonstrations. The Government increased MSP of pulses by 8-16 per cent in 2016-17. Elaborate arrange-ments were made for procur-

ments were made for procur-ing of pulses from farmers under the Price Support

or procurement operation was increased manifold. Foreseeing a need to have strategic buffer of pulses, 20 lakh MT buffer stock of pulses was created through the Price Stabilisation fund with a corpus of more than Rs 10,000 croer. The State Governments -- particularly those Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Karnataka which lead in pulses production -- worked in close coordination for procurement of pulses.

All these measures resulted in a 42 per cent increase in pulses production which is unheard of in any category of food articles and, certainly, such a jump has not been achieved in a span of one year in any country. National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation Of India Ltd. (NAFED) played a pivotal India Ltd. (NAFED) played a pivotal role in procurement under PSS and PSF by procuring 8.7 lakh MT in 2016-17. This amount was equivalent to the last 15 years combined. for procurement operation wa increased manifold. Foreseein

SBI raises ₹7,000 cr via Basel III compliant bonds

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

The country's largest lender State Bank of India on Monday said it has raised 7,000 croe by issuing Basel III compliant bonds. "The Committee of Directors for Capital Raising at its meeting of held today on September 21, 2020 accorded its approval to allot 70,000 Basel III compliant non-convertible, taxable, redeemable. Debt instruments in the nature of debentures to bond subscribers," SBI said in a regulatory filing. The allottment of bonds to the subscribers took place on the same date i.E. September 21, 2020, it added. The bonds qualify as the II capital of the

qualify as tier II capital of the bank, and has face value of ₹10 lakh each, bearing coupon rate

of 6.24 per cent per annum payable annually for a tenor of 10 years, it said. There is call option after 5 years and on anniversary thereafter, it added. Call option means the issuer of the bonds before the maturity date by paying back the principal amount to investors. A month back, SBI had raised ₹8,931 core by allotting 89,310 Basel III-compliant debt instruments to bond subscribers. Under the globally accepted Basel-III capital regulations, banks need to improve and strengthen their ntal regulations, banks need to improve and strengthen their capital planni Basel III norms are being implemented in phas-es since 2013 by Indian banks to mitigate concerns on poten-tial stresses on asset quality and

consequential impact on per-formance and profitability of banks.

INDIAN RAILWAYS

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E-Open advertised tender with e-Reverse Auction No. WTA-515
Electronic bids are invited for and on behalf of the President of India from established and reliable manufacturers or their subsidiaries/associates, for supply of the

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based 3-phase propulsion, control and other equipment for train sets suitable for operation on 25 KV AC OHE system	10 Nos 16 car ra		Deputy Chief Materials Manager, Furnishing Depot, Rail Coach Factory (RCF), Kapurthala.				
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EMD Amount		Rs. 50	I Lakhs (Rupees Fifty Lakhs)				
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e at the appointed time. Joint Director/Hailway Stores(M for and on behalf of the President of India

APPEAL FOR IDENTIFICATION



General public is hereby informed that one unknown person name & address own. Age: 45 Yrs (approx), ht: 5'6", Complexion: Shallow, medium Build, Face round, White Beard & Hair, Wearing red T-shirt was admitted in Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi & died during treatment on 04.09.2020.

regard a FIR No. 365/20, dt. 04.09.2020 U/s 279/304-A IPC has been registered at PS Safdarjung Enclave, New Delhi.

Any person having any information or clue about this person having any linioning.
ased may kindly inform to the following.
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P.S. Safdariung Enclave, New Delhi Ph.: 011-24106346, 24106345, 9582558059

SEARCH FOR MISSING GIRL



General public is hereby informed that one girl namely Shakshi, D/o Vinay Chaturvedi, R/o B-730 4th floor, Nai Basti, Nangloi Delhi. Age 17 yrs., height 5', wheatish complexion, normal built, face round, wearing black suit salwar and red & black chappal in feet has been missing/kidnapped since 09.08.2020 from the area of PS Nangloi Delhi.

Shakshi in this regard a FIR No. 902/20
U/s 363 IPC Dt. 108.2020 has been registred at PS Nangloi
Delhi. Sincere efforts have been made by local police to trace out
the missing girl, but no clue has come to light so far. Any person ng any information or clue about this missing/kidnapped girl may andly inform to the following

E-mail: cic@cbi.gov.in Fax: 011-23011334 Ph.: 011-23014046 011-23015218

PS Nangloi Delhi Ph.: 011-25947225, 25949470

SEARCH FOR MISSING/KIDNAPPED

General public is hereby informed that man namely Rishl Lal Sharma S/o La Manphool, R/o GH-14/210, Paschi Vihar, Delhi has been missing/kidnappe since 04.09.2020 near fire station from the a FIR No.729/20 u/s 365 IPC o regard a FIR No.729/20 u/s 365 IPC dated 05.09.2020 has been registered at P.S. Paschim Vihar West, Delhi. Sincere afforts have been made by the local police

efforts have been made by the local police to trace out the missing/kidnapped man the missing/kidnapped man but no clue has come to light so far. The description of the missing/kidnapped man are as under. Name: Rishi Lal Sharma, Gender: Male, Age: 70 years Height: 510', Complexion: Shallow, Face: Round, Wearing: White shirt-part and leather shoes in his feet.

If anyone has any information regarding this missing/kidnapped Man, kindly inform SHO/ Paschim Vihar West, Delhi.

P.S. Paschim Vihar West, Delhi. Ph. No. 011-25268394, 25280980

"SERVING CUSTOMERS WITH A SMILE" **SEARCH FOR MISSING**



General public is hereby informed that one girl namely Poola, Dro Vijender Singh, Rro H.No. 135, Docklan Pana, Village Tikari Kalan, Delhi, Age: 18 years, Height: 55°, Complexion: Fair, Face: Oval, wearing Sky Blue Suit-Salwar and Golden Jutti in feet, has been missing kidnapped from Madhu Buty Parlor, 40 Foota Road, Rajdhani Park, in the the area of P.S. Nangloi since 01.09.2020. In this regard a FIR No. 952/20 U/S 365 IPC, dated 05.09.2020 has been lodged at P.S. Nangloi, Delhi. Sincere efforts have been made by the local police to trace out the girl but no clue has come to light so far. If any one having any information about her please inform undersigned. Website: http://dx.inc.in

E-mail: cic@cbi.gov.in Fax: 011-24368639 Ph. No.: 011-2436863 , 8638. 24368641

P.S. Nangloi, Delhi Ph: 011-25947225, 25949470

SEARCH FOR MISSING FEMALE

General Public is hereby informed that one female (depicted in the photo) namely Anuradha Dío Sh. Mukesh Kumar R/o H. No. 55/2, Rajpura Gurmandi, Model Town, Delhi Aged-23 Years has been reported missing since 11.09.2020 at 2:00 PM from her ouse vide DD No. 58 A Dated



mail: cic@cbi.gov.in orwebsite: http://cbi.nic.in Sd/. Tele No.: 011-24368638 or 24368641 SHO, Model Town, Delhi FAX No.: 011-24368639 Tel:: 011-27459202, 27120032, 27456072, DPGR87/JML/2020 27461963, Mob.: 8750870230 DP/387/NW/2020

SEARCH FOR MISSING GIRL



General public is hereby informed that one girl namely Pooja Kumari Dio Vakil Mehto Rio B-50, Jawala Puri Camp No. 4, Paschim Vihar, Delhi. Age 17 years 11 months 24 days, Height 5/3°, Complexion wheatish, Face oval, ID mark: A mole under the right yee, wearing Pink colour Suit-salwari and V-shape chappal in feet has been missing/kidnapped since 09,09.2020 cut this girl, but no clue has come to light sexchim Vihar West, Telhi. In this regard a case FIR No. 737/20 dated 10.09. 2020 U/s 363 IPC has been registered at PS Paschim Vihar West, Delhi. Any person having any information or clue about this missing/kidnapped girl may kindly inform to the undersigned at the address or telephone nos. given below.

Website: http://dbl.nic.in Email: cie@cbl.gov.in Fax: 011-23014046, 23015218 Ph: 011-23014046, 23015218 Ph. 011-25268394, 25280980

APPEAL FOR IDENTIFICATION

The general public is hereby informed that an unidentified person about 35 years of age whose name, residence, and family is unknown had been found unconscious near NDMC Parking, near Bharti Delhi Emporium, BKS Marg, Connaught Place, New Delhi on 19.09.2020 at 21:46 hts. The unidentified person was admitted to the Dr. RML hospital. During the treatment, he was declared dead by the doctors. In this regard, a vide has been registered with DD No: 47-A dated 19.09.2020 at PS Connaught Place, District New Delhi. Sincere efforts have been made by the focal police to identify the deceased person, but no clue has come to light so far. The description of the UIDB is as under: Sex: Male, Age: about 35 years, Height: 57*, Complexion: Pair, Face: Round, Wearing: Grey colour track pant. If aryone has any information about his relatives, kindly inform the SHO/Connaught Place, District New Delhi E-mail: ciefgebl.gov/in

E-mail: cic@cbi.gov.in Ph.: 011-24368638, 24368641 Fax: 011-24368639

P.S. Connaught Place, District New Delhi. Ph. No. 011-23747100,23363898

SEARCH OF MISSING/KIDNAPPED

General public is hereby informed that one man (depicted in the photo), Namely: Ram Lal, S/o: Late Sh. Tara Lal, R/o: H.No. G-127, LIC Colony Paschim Vihar, Delhi Aged: 71 years, has been missing/kidnapped from the area of P.S. Paschim Vihar West, Delhi since 06.09.2020. In this regard a case vide DD No. 91-A. Dated 07.09.2020, has been lodged at P.S. Paschim Vihar West, Delhi. His physical description is as under

Height: 5'3", Complexion: Fair, Face: Round, Clothing: Sky Blue Colour Shirt, Black Colour Pant and Black Co Any person is having any information/clue about this missing man, may

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It's Risky A team of US researchers has found that rtain treatments for cancer may increase the chance of death if they contract COVID-19. The study by the researchers at the University of Cincinnati, shed light on yays standard anti-cancer treatments may impact outcomes for patients with both cancer and the coronavirus



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Stay young at heart

in people with Diabetes. Heart attack if not treated straight away can be fatal.

Assessment of a suspected CHD patient involves the medical and family history, assessing the lifestyle and taking blood tests. Further tests to confirm a diagnosis of CHD includes non-invasive tests like an electrocardiogram (ECG) to identify the structure, thickness and movement of each heart valve, X-ray to look at the heart, lungs and chest wall to rule out any other conditions that may be causing symptoms. Treadmill test (TMT) during exercise to know the effect of exercise on the heart, Cardiovascular cartography heart flow mapping. CT angiography and the invasive coronary angiography to identify whether the coronary arteries are narrowed and how severe the blockages are.

are. Although coronary heart disease cannot be cured, treatment Although coronary heart disease cannot be cured, treatment can help manage the symptoms, improve the functioning of the heart and reduce the chances of problems such as heart attacks. Effective management includes a combination of lifestyle changes, medicines and non-invasive treatments. Invasive and surgical treatments are required in more sever cases and the outcomes are favourable in most of the cases, where the person is able to resume their normal life. Some simple lifestyle changes include eating a healthy balanced diet, doing regular exercise, no smoking and controlling blood cholesterol and sugar levels. These can reduce the risk of CHD, stroke and dementia.

SUMMERCOOLERS

CINNAMON: If one is to sell something during the current time, all that is needed is to call it immunity booster and it will run out of the shelves at the speed of light. And rightly so, when immunity is your reed
... rightly so, with immunity is your preliminary shield to keep the COVID-19 infection at bay.
But one needs not look for

leeds not leer ol, triglyclook for such an ingredient in the markets, it is right in the kitchen. Cinnamon, widely used as a flavouring agent, is loaded with powerful antloxidants, such as polyphenols. It has antiinflammatory properties.

reduced risk of heart disease, the world's most com-mon cause of prema-ture death. It keeps

Not only this, cinnamon as a spice is also known for its immunity boosting properties. Just add it in your *kadha* and you are good to go.

It is also linked to a

a mild shampoo i the morning. However, if you have an oily skin, oil your hair and leave it for an hour and then wash off. One wash off. One can wrap a hot towel around the head for 10 minutes to help in the better absorption of the oil.

If one reason why you don't want to sport long hair is because they fall, use aloe vera. It soothes the scal



Create memories

It is estimated that at least 50 lakh people live with Alzheimer's in India and the number is expected to increase in the coming years. DR AZAD IRANI tells you the early symptoms one should look out for

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Izheimer's disease first described in 1906 by Alois described in 1906 by Alois Alzheimer (in Latin' de', which means a deprivation or loss, 'ment', which means mind; and 'ia', is a state). Alzheimer's disease is presently the commonest cause of dementia having its onset most often after the age of 65 years. Presently, it is estimated that at least 50 lakh people live with Alzheimer's disease in India (that is 1003) per cent of our entire population). However, as life span increases, it is estimated that this figure may double in the ensuing decades.

The term dementia includes symptoms not only of memory loss but may also include abnormalities of various other cognitive domains such as language functions, social and behavioural aspects, inability to navigate and directional confusion occurring in a person with previously intact such abilities.

Alzheimer's disease is characterised by gradually progressive memory loss as its core feature lzheimer's disease first

Alzheimer's disease is charac-terised by gradually progressive memory loss as its core feature which also is the earliest feature. The memory loss is mainly for recent events and episodes (called episod-ic memory in medical terminolo-gy). The patients' memory for past events of life remains unaffected in

the early years. Early features of episodic memory loss include repeating the same questions again, misplacing personal items, forgetting to pay bills, keep appointments, difficulty retrieving names and also multitasking which was previously easily possible. A change in personality or development of late-life depression or anxiety also warrants an evaluation for onset of dementia.

Current studies believe that the brain abnormality leading to

Current studies believe that the brain abnormality leading to Alzheimer's disease starts at a much earlier age and may be strongly related to poor life-style habits namely bad sleeping habits, like late nights or lesser sleep hours, excessive stress, obesity, Diabetes, high cholestrosty. Diabetes, high cholestrosty between the control of the control

nemory loss or for the younger onset cases.

A common parlance among the young these days is that they suffer from poor memory. Encouraging for them would be to note that this gen-erally is the result of lack of concenerally is the result of lack of concen-tration arising out of poor sleeping habits, excessive stress and physical inactivity. However, if these poor lifestyle factors are not addressed in time they may sow the seeds for future dementia. Therapy for Alzheimer's unfortunately is not curative. As is known the dementia

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slowly progresses to a point where in the later stages the patient looses most of the memory, mobility and sense of bladder-bowle control. Therapy mainly remains symptomatic with medications that help replace some chemicals in the brain to partially boost up the memory. Stimulating the mind with brain games, social interaction with family/friends, music therapy or any hobby that interests the patient helps slow down the symptom progress. Massive funds have been spent and even presently being invested all over the world on experimental studies for drugs still in the pipe-line.

So would knowing the early symptoms help us? Yes, changing one's life style habits for the better with strict control of contributory illnesses like Diabetes mellitus, hypertension, obesity, sleep apnea are the best ways thence, to fight this fierce, by progressive condition which affects not only the patient but the entire family who has to cope with this illness which may run into years resulting in what is often known as caregiver burnout for family members. An adequate sleep schedule, a good fitness regime, a healthy diet, regular meditation and avoidance of stress in today's fast life would hence be of utmost importance to prevent this unforgiving illness.

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SAY BYE TO

STRAWBERRY LEGS

Strawberry legs can make you



RUKSHMANI THAKKAR shares tips that can help you get rid of it

Women have multiple hair removal options, if they choose to. From waxing to epilators to laser hair removal and shaving, are some of the easily available options for hair removal. Keratosis Pilarsis is a non-containing skin englistics.

and shaving, are some of the easily available options for hair removal. Keratosis Pilarsis is a non-contagious skin condition which can be cause due to shaving. Also known as a strawberry legs, this condition gives you small red bumps that have a seed like appearance.

Strawberry legs can make you feel a little conscious of your appearance if you're wearing shorts, skirts or dresses. However, this is not something that one should worry about. Its one of the most common skin conditions and has over 1 core cases each year in India alone. It can be easily controlled and treated by selecting the right skin care routine and service. Here are some insights into this problem and how one can deal with it. Characterised by the appearance dark spots, Strawberry legs can be caused due to unclogged pores, excessive keratin building up extra skin which blocks pores and hair follicles. These blocked pores and hair follicles can lead to ingrown hair, causing the skin to get patchy and dry. Frequent usage of razors can also cause a condition called Folliculitis, where hair follicles can become inflamed and infected. follicles can become inflamed and infect

You can prevent strawberry legs with

- the following:

 Opt for dy brushing or exfoliation a day before shaving

 Opt for waxing instead of shaving

 Moisturise your skin to prevent dryness, patchiness and uneven skin

 Use a loofah during shower

 Shave once hair growth is enough

Home treatments for strawberry legs:

Dry brushing: Using this technique can help you in removing excessive skin build up. It also prevents ingrowths.

Scrubbing for foliation: Scrubbing and acfoliating on a daily basis can help in cleaning of the degard pores. It also makes skin soft and supple. One can use Human and Kind Body Scrub, it is vegan and gentle on the skin.

If you don't wish to buy one, you can also make a scrub at home with semolina, oil and honey, baking soda and milk can also be used.

Loofah: Loofah also helps in exfoliating and removing dry skin. Ideally, a loofah should be used for every alternate shower.

- shower.

 Doctor prescribed creams and ointment can also help in curing the appearance of strawberry legs if the condition is aggra-
- vated.

 Chemical exfoliation: Chemical peels are also a great option but should be used under the guidance of a professional aesthetician.

thetician.
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Dadi Ka Kehna

Most women love long and silky hair but end up with dull and lifeless ones and hence prefer to keep them short. ROSHANI DEVI shares household tips that one can follow to keep long tresses



one of the most basic things that one must do for long hair is to oil them regularly. One can use coconut, almond or even olive oil. Massage it into the scalp and leave it overnight. Wash with a mild shampoo in the morning. follicles that may be blocked by excess oil. You can apply y excess 011. You can apply ure aloe vera gel to your calp and hair a few times a week.

Apply a m mask made of egg, it is an excellent source of protein, which helps your hair grow longer.

Just crack open

Just crack open two eggs, strain the yolks and use the egg white on your hair. Let it stay for 20 minutes and wash off.
Another reason why hair don't grow long could be split ends. Boil two-three cloves of garlic with an essential oil and massage this on hair roots. Garlic is known to reduce breakage and improve blood circulation, which leads to long hair.

TIPTOP

In a first-ever recorded medical procedure of its kind, doctors at BLK Hospital removed a ruptured Hydatid cyst from the right lung of Buhi-Un-Nisa, a 45-year-old woman from Srinagar, without conducting an open chest surgery. The cyst, formed by the larvae of tapeworms, was excised piecemeal by freezing it using a cryoprobe.

The patient showed initial symptoms and discomfort in July this year when she spit blood while coughing. She underwent a CT scan of the chest which revealed 43 X 35mm cyst (equivalent to a size of tennis ball) in superior segment of lower lobe of right lung. The patient followed the CT scan with a bronchoscopy procedure therefater in Srinagar. However, her condition deteriorated, and she went into respiratory distress. Ruhi-Un-Nisa was unable to lie down and had not slept for close to two months. She had severe difficulty in breathing she went to hospital in Kashmir where

she was advised to rush to Delhi for emer-

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The patient came with severe breathlesness and constantly felt a salty-bitter taste in her mouth. Doctors suspected the symptoms to be caused by a ruptured Hydatid

The team led by Dr Sandeep Nayar HOD, Chest & Respiratory Diseases, at BLK Hospital flushed out the spilled fluids/contents from both lungs. He then excised the ruptured membrane with the help of a Cryoprobe (a surgical probe to apply extreme cold to body tissues and freeze them). The membrane was frozen and extracted through the mouth and it gave immediate relief to the patient from her symptoms. Dr Nayar performed this procedure through bronchoscope under local anesthesia. CT chest and bronchoscopy repeated after four days ensured that the lung was completely cleared of the cyst. . The team led by Dr Sandeep Nava

SLIMLINE

TIPTOP

ong hours of digital exposure dehydrate the skin, damages our skin cells and the delicate skin around the eyes. Le Ritual has therefore launched the range to detoxify and repair the skin damage. The current range includes a face serum and eye serum apt for use in both morning and evening skincare regime.

apt for use in both morning and evening skincare regime. Le Ritual Antioxidant Rich Face Serum builds a defense system for your skin and repairs the skin against digital exposure. It also hydrates, brightens, reduces wrinkles, dark spots and hyperpigmentation. It also

detoxifies, protects the skin collagen against UV, pollutants damage, glowing screens. Le Ritual Omeg Rich Under Eye is proven to work best for under-eye dark circles, fine lines, wrinkles and puffiness. Regular use of serum helps boost collagen around the eyes and increases elasticity, firmness and stimulates micro-circulation around the or the service of the ser

around the eyes The digital detox duo set is available at

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The duo is exclusively available at Amazon, Nykaa, Flipkart and Big Basket.

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In a rare case, 86 year old lady who herself was a doctor, became one of the oldest cadaveric Ldonor in Delhi. A resident of South Delhi, the lady was declared brain dead on September 12 late at night, at a Delhi hospital, after suffering from an acute stroke post which the family expressed her wish of donating her liver and kidney at the time of her death.

Many hospitals were apprehensive of retrieving the organs from an 86 year old, undermining the health of those organs, but Indraprastha Apollo welcomed this liver donation as it would be life saving for a patient in need. A 42 year old man who was a patient of Hepathiti C, consequently, had suffered from liver failure and was in urgent need of a liver transplant the liver transplant team headed by Dr. Neeraw Goyal carried out the process of extracting the liver from the lady, harvesting it to ensure it can be used for transplant in a healthy condition and successfully conducting the procedure of liver transplant. While the kidney was accepted by the hospital where she died, the donor's liver was transplanted at Indraprastha Apollo Hospitals, into the 42 year old man at midnight on September 13, within hours of the donation.

Dr Neeraw Goyal, Senior Consultant, Liver Transplant, Indraprastha Apollo Hospitals, said: "The usual acceptable age for cadaver ongan transplant is 65 years of age, people beyond that age are considered as marginal donors. When we got to know that there is a cadaver donor for liver, we decided to evaluate the organ to examine whether it will be suitable for donation. The liver biotypy revealed that the lady had a perfectly bealthy liver, like that of a young person, hence we decided to go ahead with the procedure."



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Kareena turns 40, wishes pour in

Actor KAREENA KAPOOR KHAN Actor Karlena Kapuuk Khan turned 40 on Monday, and sever-al Bollywood personalities took to social media to wish her. Sister and actor Karisma Kapoor wrote, "Will continue to

mapour wrote, "Will con protect you always. Happy 40th birthday to my lifeline! Love you the most."
"Happy birthday

and congratulations on the to be addition," wrote Kajol, referring to the fact that Kareena is expecting her second child with Saif.

Alia Bhatt wrote, "Happy birthday, dearest Bebo. May every wish you make come true." Katrina Kaif posted, "Happiest birthday to the most wonderful, there's no one like you, may u get back all the kindness &



'I travelled enthusiastically during a pandemic, got quarantined and five COVID

tests with a smile but that one 'Short Run' hit me hard. What's technology for if it can't be used? It's time BCCI introduces new rules. I've always believed in being graceful in a win or loss but it's also important to ask for policy changes that improve the game in future.' —Preity Zinta

Director ANDRIJ PAREKH, the Indian connect in the Emmys 2020 winner roster. has dedicated his award to all people of



Ukrainian descent, won an Emmy for directing his debut *Hunting* episode of drama series Succession, one of the big win-ners at the annual gala this year.

"I am deeply honoured and humbled by this award. This dis-tinction has been bestowed upon me on my birthday. So, thank you for the gift," Parekh said.

He dedicated the award to "all the kids whose names like mine are difficult to pronounce."

A mini Friends reunion at Emmvs



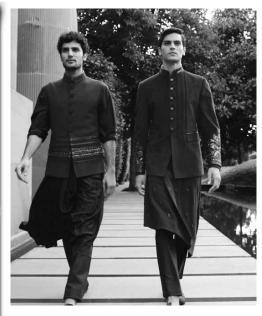
Actors **Jennifer Aniston**, **Lisa KUDROW** and **COURTENEY COX** united for a mini reunion to cele brate their hugely popular sitcom, Friends, during a video call with host **Jimmy Kimmel** at the virtual Emmy award gala.

While Aniston was on video call with Kimmel, Cox joined in. "Of course I'm here. We live together," she said.

"Yeah, we've been roommates since 1994, Jimmy," Aniston added, referring to the year when the sitcom premiered.

Kudrow also entered the picture, following which Kimmel wondered if they don't live with their own families. "Where else

would I live?," Kudrow said.
The first *Friends* episode had aired on September 22, 1994, and the show lasted till 2004



A hopeful

SHANTANU & NIKHIL's collection, The Resurgence, is all about recreating the grandeur which brides dreamt of before the pandemic, simply because luxury is timeless and will continue to be prized by Indians. By CHAHAK MITTAL

A fter days of uncertainty and nothingness due to the pandemicing their own ways tor ise to life again. For
designers Shantanu and Nikhil, the spirit of this much-needde revival came
with the FDCI India Couture Week
2020. What better than the duo's collection, The Resurgence, could explain this?
For them, it is an ode to hope, the
spirit to resurrace and recommence their
duties for the universe. Said Shantanu,
"With an almost spiritual connotation to

duties for the universe. Said Shantanu, "With an almost spiritual connotation to the capabilities of cyclic existence, the collection celebrates a renewed strength and power to adapt and #Rise Again."

So how does a Shantanu-Nikhih bride look like this time? Taking inspiration from the central emotion of the duo's collection —"hope"—their bride celebrates her way towards a new, optimistic world of happiness, leaving the sorrow and uncertainty behind. Added Shantanu, "With hope, we're moving ahead of the

sorrow that has gripped the world. While we take baby steps towards normalcy, the collection reconstructs romance through fluidic drapes and godly architecture symbolic of the hope within. With this, we also celebrate a new world and our 20 years. We are reinterpreting our classics and bringing back the opulence of our journey with new sustainable practices put into place for tices put into place for our brides. We take our brides. We take pride in our artisans and their crafts-manship. This season we did revisit a lot of metallic embroidery, Goth applique and the classic zardozi, all creat-



ing neo-luxe bridal looks."
For Nikhil, newer times call for newer actions and with the blurring lines between technology and fashion in the new normal, it felt "fitting" to have showcased the duo's Ceremonial Couture "20 Collection, virtually. He added, "It is an exciting and unusual experience and feels great to be a part of an ecosystem that is constantly innovating and connecting with a larger audience every now and then."

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Shot at The Roseate Hotels and Resorts, Delhi Aerocity, its architectural design added to the collection's raw portraval. The anti-trend aesthetics, the structure and the linearity as a signature were kept intact. For the duo, "this digital model of a showcase definitely democratised fashion and integrated with it a cutting-edge customer experience. We have tried to use this platform creatively to showcase a film-like presentation than just a blatant runway showing."

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So has it been pivoted around the wedding perspective only? Nikhil said, "In this pandemic, one thing is very clear that design will become a lot more precious, sus-tainable, valuable and yet, luxu-rious. We have always been strong advocates of anti-trend couture, where the focus is on neo-shapes, silhouettes, min-imalism and of course, the neo-shapes, silhouettes, min-imalism and of course, the wearer. The brides of today are looking at timeless and classic vintage with hints of contemporary light-ness."

To represent the

strength we need to leave behind the melancholy and fight on, the col-lection was given a

metallic touch. The gold and sheen done in hand-woven silks and brocades represented a beacon of hope. The abundance of fluidic drapes created through light fabrics like georgete and chifforn worked in tandem to create a sense of positivity and asse, which is much needed at a time like this.

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Talking about whether the festive market is outdoing the wedding market this year, Shantanu said, Thida has always been a country of celebrations and there is nothing more celebratory than an Indian wedding. Hence, the demand for heavy and glorious couture will remain unchanged. With several weddings being postponed, the new wedding season has brought with it double excitement and the brides will not compromise on their wedding sowns, our signature drapes, anti-trend styles and cuts are still our brides go-to apparel for their dream wedding.

He added that their brides are looking for the same grandeur as it was earlier but they are now far more emotional about things they do in their lives. Hence, buying behaviour is now hedonistic in nature and design is paramount. While the designers tweak their approaches a little to showcase couture, they feel going digital has made every fashionists their front row client. Nikhil said, "We have opted for digital launch in the past as well and it has helped us connect to a larger and never audience. In the wake of the ongoing pandemic, when the entire world is relying on the digital platforms to keep themselves busy and run their businesses, there is no other medium bigger than this to present fashion to people. Hence, the challenge now at hand would be to translate the grandeur of the physical runway into a virtual one, making it as alive and experiential as the former where everyone will have a front row access."

Three works by VASUDEO S GAITONDE, an artist who captured the essence of Indian modernism, go on sale at the Christie's and the Sotheby's. By UMA NAIR

Bringing alive the timeless French song, La Mer by Charles Trench song, La Mer by Charles Trench, a painting by artist VS Gaitonde, in a suffusion of green, showcasing the softness and gentility of the sea. This is a masterpiece created in 1983 and was bought at the Pundole Gallery. It is also one of the three works by the artist to go up on sale. It will be a part of the Christie's South Asian Modern 4. Contemporary Art Sale on September 23 in New York.

The other two works belong to the Sotherly's ale that will be held in London on September 29. Part of The Gunnar and Inger Hansen Collection, these two works clebrate Gaitonde as the ultimate abstract master.

The first is a 1954 amorphous-looking work that belongs to George Butchen, a British art critic for The Guardian and a stalwart supporter of the Durgeoning Hander of the Charles of the Charle



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The second comes from the Inger Hansen collection, a Danish couple who collected Indian art. The work hails from 1969, a smoky crimson and tangerine sunset that her adds the sounds and flats and sharps of a raga.

Following a 1964 trip to New York on the Rockefeller Fund Fellowship, where Caitonde encountered several abstract expressionists' works and conceptual artists for the first time, his style began to evolve. His paintings began to explore the rela-

tionships between form, light and colour in a diligent and sophisticated manner. The work was all about how the "planes of paint spread over the canvas, a reminder of nothing other than self. An almost spiritual sublimation gets created from within paint rather than by reference to any school of thought."

What makes Gaitonde stand apart in the Indian modern art tradition was the way he immersed into its shared language and a universal vocabulary. For many of his contemporaries, the language was just a tool to express something. For

Gaitonde, the language became the subject. He did Gaitonde, the language became the subject. He did not attempt to use line and colour to create forms; his forte was the exploration of the relationship between line and colour. If he captured the essence of Indian modernism, it was by disengaging from its effusion, its gaiety and its materialism. "The central characteristic of Gaitonde's artistic personality, it must be understood, is that he likes to stand alone. This independent-mindedness was accompanied by a firm belief in his identity as a painter," wrote critic Dnyaneshwar

Nadkarni.

An uncompromising artist of integrity, Gaitonde distanced himself from anything he deemed superfluous to the contemplative rigour he believed his art required. After he shifted Delhi in the early 1970s, he was "very much the artist in a garret." The few writers who visited him spoke about the dusty interiors and the immense reticence of the place.

Goan artist Theodore Mesquita, who met him in Delhi in 1991, described him as a "hermit," who is impassive to the mundane world around him.



KBC returns

Deviyon aur sajjano, brace yourself for the 12th season of Kain Banega Crorepati (KBC). This season, the show makes a comeback with a two-fold messaging that conveys not just a better return amid a pandemic but also a motivational nudge for participants and viewers to consider setbacks as a stepping stone. It is produced by StudioNEXT and hosed by actor Amitabh Bachchan.

The first ever digital audition of this season raised hope, dreams and aspirations among people from across the country.

While the core of the show remains the same, it comes with a few changes relevant to the current times. It will not host in-studio audiences keeping in line with the government mandated safety guidelines and protocols in response to COVID-19. The in-studio audience pleyed a huge role as a life-line – Audience Poll, to help the contestants on the hotseat move ahead in the game. This year, this life-line will be replaced by another lifeline Video-A-Friend. The other three lifelines remain the same – 50:50, Ask The Expert and Flip The Question. The number of fastest finger first contestants who will compete to be on the hot seat per week, has been enjoy the gameshow by participating and matching their knowledge with the contestants on the hot seat. (The show premieres from September 28, Monday to Friday at 9 pm on Sony Entertainment Television.)



I was a hit nervous in the beginning, but it was more excitement than nervousne for me to make my debut. I just wanted to do well and



It was a weird game, sometimes the luck goes your way, but it's easy to become the villain from the hero. So it's important to enjoy the good days



Rohit is always open to take suggestions on the ground. I crunch situations he is very . cool and composed He takes tough decisions



If the team wants to go with six bowlers then you need an all-rounder and if Stoinis can contribute with both bat and ball it's really good for the

Mitch Marsh suffers injury

ustralian all-rounder Mitchell Marsh A sustralian all-rounder Mitchell Marsh suffered an ankle injury while bowl-ing during his side Sunrisers Hyderabads IPL opener against Royal Challengers on Monday.

past due to Which he has missed hum-ber of editions of IPL. Marsh didn't come back to field during the rest of the RCB innings.

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RUTURAJ RACK IN TRAINI

RUTURAJ BACK IN TRAINING:
CSK batsman Ruturig Galikvad is back in training ahead of Tuesday's IPL game against Rajasthan Royals after clearing the two mandatory Covid-19 tests. "The first thing you wanns see on a Monday morning. Look who's back! Smilling face with heart-shaped eyes *Puturaj *WhistlerOad's *Péllove," CSK posted on its Twitter handle on Monday along with a picture of the batsman.

DHONI PREFERS ALL ROUND PLAYERS
CSK pacer Deepak Chahar has revealed skipper MS
Dhoni prefers players who can contribute in all
departments, especially in the shortest format of the
game. "I think Dhoni prefers those who are good in all game. Training broining pleafs those who can contribute in batting, bowling and fielding. A bowler can have a bad day but he can change a match by grabbing a good catch or can win the batto with a six or a four," Chahar told Aakash Chopra in his show Aakash Vaani. "If you told Alaksh Chopra in his show Alaksah Vaani. "It you look at our team, we have many players who are good in every department. T20 is a format that requires you to do everything. There are a lot of teams in the IPL which have a strong batting line-up or a strong bowling attack but they remain dependent on a few cricketers," he said.

BUMRAH ENJOYS FREEDOM UNDER RO

BUMINAH ENJUST FREEDUM UNIDER HU India pace spearhead Jasprit Burnath said the freedom he enjoys playing under Rohit Sharma's captaincy in Mumbal Indians set-up has been a huge confidence booster for him in his career. "For me, he (Rohit) has always given me the freedom, he has always told me to express yourself (myself), be whatever you want, be it any situation, take ownership of your own bowling, so that gives me a lot of confidence and a responsibility that I'm responsible for whatever I'm doing." Burnarls asid: "So that's a big thing for a captain because then he gives a bowler so much of confidence.

ASHWIN PAIN HAS SETTLED DOWN

Senior India off-spinner R Ashwin is hopeful of recovering from his shoulder injury as his pain has subsided considerably and the scan reports have been "encouraging" after a nasty fall during Delhi Capitals' IPL opener against KXIP. Ashwin endured dream and nightmare in a space of six deliveries as he scalped two KXIP batsmen and then suffered a jerk on his left shoulder trying to dive and stop a run.



Padikkal makes 56 before AB's quick 51 lift RCB to 163

evdutt Padikkal displayed his highly rated talent with a half-century on IPL debut before AB de Villiers provided the much needed vided the much needed final flourish to take Royal Challengers Bangalore to 163 for five in their tournament opener against Sunrisers Hyderabad here

Sunrisers Hyderabad here on Monday.

The class and calmness Padikkal (56 off 42, 8 fours) showed in his first high-profile game was remarkable, so much so that Australian limited overs captain Aaron Finch (29 off 27) was happy to play second fiddle at the other end.

Sunrisers pulled things back in the middle overs following a 90-run opening stand between Padikkal and Finch. De Villiers (51 off 30) came up with crucial boundary hits towards the end to take the team score past 160.

past 160.

20-year-old The 20-year-old
Padikkal, possessing a near
perfect balance in the
crease, played all around the
ground, playing the pull
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and aerial cover drive with



Sunrisers Hyderabad players celebrate after taking wicket

equal confidence

equal confidence.
Padikkal got going with
three boundaries in an over
off left-arm pacer T
Natarajan. The left-handed
opener brought up his halfcentury with a slog sweep
over the fielder at deep
square leg.

with the openers look-ing good, RCB cruised to 86 for no loss in 10 overs. However, both Padikkal and

IPL opener against NOYA Chaurenges ow Monday.

The 28-year-old Marsh twisted his ankle on the follow through during the fifth over of the RCB innings and he was seen hobbling out of the ground. Vijay Shankar completed the remaining two balls of the over and gave away nine runs. Marsh, who bowled only four deliv-cries, has had a history of injuries in the past due to which he has missed num-er of editions of IPL Marsh didn't come Finch fell off successive

Finch fell off successive balls and that put the brakes on the scoring rate with RCB collecting only 30 runs from the next five overs. Skipper Virat Kohli departed after scoring 14 off 13, leaving de Villiers to provide the final flourish. The South African star delivered once again, smashing his 200th six for RCB in the process.

smashing his 200th RCB in the process.



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Indian tennis player Prajnes Indian tennis player Prajnesh Gunneswaran overcame : sluggish start to advance to the second round of the French Open men's singles qualifying event but country's top player Sumit Nagal bowed out after a close defeat on Monday. Seeded 16th, Nagal — who became the first Indian in seven years to win a singles match at a Grand Slam with his opening round victory at the US Open — lost 67: 40; 5-71 to Germany's seasoned player Dustin Brown in one hou and 47 minutes. Nagal had his chances in the second set as he second set as he

Royals start as underdogs against Super Kings

vdutt Paddikal chats with RCB teammate Aaron Finch during IPL game

PTI SHARJAH

Adepleted Rajasthan Royals have an onerous task of stopping the mighty Chennai Super Kings on a Sharjah belter with no Ben Stokes in their line-up but skipper Steve Smithis availability after recovering from a concussion injury has lifted some gloom ahead of their IPL match on Tuesday. The absence of Stokes would severely impact Royals campaign at least in the first half of the tournament because of the balance heb rings to the side but having Smith in the playing XI would mean that the contest will not be without a fight. Smith, who missed the ODI series against England, has undergone various concussion test protocols and is ready to tee off.

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absent from the first
match will be Jos
Buttler, their impact
player at the top-order.
The England batsman
will be missing the first
game as he arrived sepa-

need to undergo mandatory 36-hour quarantine in Dubai. Jofra Archer's presence will be important along with sea-soned T20 stars like South African batsman David Miller, Australian pacer Andrew Tye and England all-rounder Tom Curran.

Curran.

The Royals' main problem lies in their Indian core, which hasn't exactly been consistent. The likes of Sanju Samson, Robin Uthappa, Jaydev Unadkat

Sharjah pitch will be a dif-ferent challenge for the bowlers both in terms of surface as well as the size of the ground. CSK have once again showed how to work around with resources and Sam Curran coming good with an all-round show means that Dwayne Brawo would not be missed even if he misses a few more games due to injury. injury.
Rayudu and Faf du Plessis

Regulation and read unlessing perfectly maintained the CSK "run-chase template" of attacking in the back 10 by preserving wick-ets.

The addition of Pinnsh Chanda a very runof Piyush Chawla, a very suc-cessful IPL bowler, is also a

and Varun Aaron have failed to live up to the expectations over the years. Sharjah pitch will be a dif-

However it needs to be seen how Deepsk Chahar is shaping up after sustain-ing a niggle in the final over of the MI innings. In case, Chahar can't make it, they have ready replacement in Shardul Thakur.

It hurts to not close off game: Agarwal

Crestfallen after losing their IPIL opener, Kings XI Punjab batsman Mayank Agarwal said it feels terrible to not close off the game after making a stupendous comeback against Delhi Capitals here.

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here. Chasing 158 to win, KXIP were looking down the barrel at 55 for 5 but Agarwal's blistering 89-run knock took them to 157. They needed one run off the final two balls but Marcus Stoinis' twin strike took the game to the Super Over, which they lost on Sunday night. "We had a tough day. There are a lot of positives to take out. The way we came back was fantastic, the way we bowled with the new ball was terrific. It really hurst so not close off the game from the situation we were in, feels terrible," Mayank told KXIP TV. "This is just the first game. We can get things rolling again, let's see how we will go in the coming games. I think to play agame like that first up was fantastic. Everyone was up for it, guys really put in the effort. "Definitely, we should have insided the game when we needed one run," he added.

Prajnesh advances, Nagal exits from French Open Qualifiers



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not let him continue with the momentum.

Prajnesh, India's second-highest ranked singles player, got the better of Turkey's Cem Ilke 6-3, 6-1 after losing his service early in his opening qualifier of the clay court Grand Slam. Another Indian featuring in the qualifying draw is Ramkumar Ramanathan.

Pirlo off to winning start



Turin: Andrea Pirlo got his coaching career off to a winning start as fuventus launched their bid for a 10th consecutive league title with a 3-0 win over Sampdoria on Sunday.

Swedish debutant Dejan Kulusevski opened the scoring after 13 minutes in Turin with Leonardo Bonucci adding a second on 78 minutes and Cristiano Ronaldo a late third.

The match was played in front of 1,000 spectators as Serie A stadiums reopened on Sunday to a limited number of fans after a seven-month cornavirus lockdown.

Pirlo could not have hoped for a better start to his coaching career having taken over

from Maurizio Sarri this sum ner. The

Sampdoria, coached by veteran Claudio Ranieri, came just days after the former Italy and Juventus star received his coaching diploma. Juventus handed debuts to

Juventus handed debuts to new signing Weston McKennie and Kulusevski, who joined from Atalanta in January before immediately returning to Parma on loan. Kulusevski curled in the

Kulusevski curled in the first goal in a move started by Ronaldo, who hit the bar minutes later. But it was not until the last quarter of an hour that the champions finally killed of the game they dominated. AP

Halep finally wins Italian Open

Top seed Simona Halep won her first Italian Open title on Monday after defending cham-pion Karolina Pliskova retired injured while trailing 6-0, 2-1 in the final.

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World No 2 Halep was competing in her third Rome WTA final, having finished runner-up in 2017 and 2018 on the cay at the Foro Italico.

"Finally after two finals I could win this title," the Romanian said.

I love this tournament and

"Howe this tournament and I'm really happy to have this beautiful trophy in my hand." "12 2013 here I started to go in the top in world tennis. I real-ly enjoyed and I realy was happy on court that I could play the semi-finals back then. Since then I have started to play real-ly well."

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Pliskova, the second seed, was playing with her left thigh heavily bandaged.
The Czech struggled with her serve from the outset, falling behind to a double break, hand-

ing Halep a 3-0 advantage with a double fault. Halep, 28, saved three break points against her on her next service game before conquering a first one-sided round in 20

a first one-sided round in 2d minutes.

Pliskova had treatment or her lower back and upper lep before the second set, bu pushed on with a break for 1-after half an hour.

But the 28-year-old called time in the third game, heading towards Halep to signify the ene of the match after 32 minutes.

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