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Germany extends a warm hug to skilled Indian students



Prime Minister Narendra Modi and German Chancellor Olaf Scholz during a press meet after their delegation level talks, at the Hyderabad House,

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Friday said the conflicts in Ukraine and West Asia are a matter of concern and India is ready to make every contribution restoration of peace. He also said war is not a solution to problems. His remarks came after talks with German Chancellor Olaf Scholz, who called upon India to contribute to find a political solution to the ongoing conflict in Ukraine. Prime Minister Modi also said the confidence that Germany has expressed in India's skilled manpower is amazing as the European nation has decided to increase visas for the skilled Indian workforce from 20,000 to 90,000 per year and this will give a further push to the economic growth of Germany.

"This is the right time to join India's growth story... India becoming a lobal trade and manufacturing hub," Modi said, adding, today India stands on strong pillars of democracy, demography, demand and data.

He further said India is doing record investments in roads, railways, airports and ports and the Indo-Pacific region is very important for the future of the world. Modi made these assertions at the 18th Asia-Pacific Conference of German Business. Chancellor attended the conclave. The conference was held on Friday after a gap of 12 years.

"The ongoing conflicts in Ukraine and West Asia are a matter of concern for both nations. India has always been of the view that war cannot be a solution to problems. India is ready to make every possible contribution for the restoration of peace," Modi said

the seventh Governmental Consultations (IGC) with the visiting German Chancellor.

Modi said he and Olaf agreed that the global forums established in the 20th century were inadequate to address the challenges of the 21st century. "There is a need for reforms in multilateral institutions, including the UN Security Council," the prime minister said. Modi said India-Germany ties were a transformational partnership of capable and strong democracies and not transactional relationship.

The world is passing through times of tensions, conflicts and uncertainty. In the Indo-Pacific region, there are serious concerns about the rule of law and freedom of navigation. In times like this, the strategic partnership between India and Germany has emerged as a strong anchor," he said.



Court rejects Hindu petition in Gyanvapi case

BISWAJEET BANERJEE VARANASI

In a significant development in the Gyanvapi case, Judge Yugal Shambhu has rejected the appeal filed by the Hindu side in the level to be the side in the side side in the lawsuit between the self-styled idol 'Adi Vishweshwar' and the Anjuman Intezamia Committee. The decision pertains to the 1991 lawsuit in the Varanasi court.

Vijay Shankar Rastogi, the 'friend of the petitioner' representing the Hindu side, expressed his dissatisfaction with the court's ruling, stating, "We will appeal against this decision in the High Court." Rastogi further clarified that their side had requested an additional survey, which has been dismissed by the court. "We had argued that the earlier survey was incomplete, as it was conducted solely by the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI)

The order originally mandated a fivemember team to carry out the survey. This court has disregarded all aspects of our plea and has violated the order of the High Court. Now, we will approach the High Court for further redressal," he added. The case remains a focal point of tension, with both sides preparing for further legal

battles in their pursuit of justice. The Hindu side's submission came in response to the arguments presented by the Muslim side, the Anjuman Intezamia Committee. The Muslim side argued that another survey was unnecessary, as the had already conducted one previously.

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Terrorists deployed modus operandi of previous ambushes

group of highly trained A Pakistani terrorists, who targeted the army vehicle in the high-security area of Bota Pathri near the tourist resort of Gulmarg in Baramulla district Thursday evening, adopted the same modus operandi of previous ambushes carried out in the frontier districts of Rajouri, Poonch, and Machhedi in Kathua.

The terrorists had first targeted the driver's cabin by opening a barrage of fire from the front. At the same time, the army truck was fired upon from the right side to inflict maximum injuries to the soldiers present inside the track. The terrorists, it is believed, used both AK-47 rifles and M-4 carbines to pierce the truck frame.

Two army jawans and two porters were 'killed in action' while three others were undergoing treatment in the military hospital. The condition of one of the injured soldiers was stated to be critical.

So far the Indian army has lost over 50 soldiers including seven officers in at least 15 incidents of ambushes since October 2021.

Highly placed sources revealed the army truck, transporting grass bags, was targeted by the group of four to five terrorists while it was negotiating a sharp curve along the serpentine road. In the absence of any local population living in the restricted area, the local police and army columns arrived on the spot as first responders to evacuate the injured soldiers and porters



A security personnel stands guard on the Gulmarg-Botapathri road during a search operation following a terror attack on an army vehicle in which two soldiers and two army porters were killed, in Gulmarg, Jammu and Kashmir, Friday

lying in a pool of blood. Meanwhile, Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha on Friday paid homage to the brave soldiers and Defence Porters who made the supreme sacrifice in the service to the nation in Bota Pathri Sector on October 24, 2024. The martyred soldiers have been identified as Rfn Jeevan Singh, Rfn Kaisar Ahmad Shah, and Defence Porters Mushtaq Ahmad Chowdary and Zahoor Ahmad Mir.

In Udhampur, reacting to the recent incidents of terrorist violence in Kashmir valley Northern Army Commander Lieutenant General M V Suchindra Kumar Friday said, the Unified Headquarters has discussed the spate of terrorist attacks in Jammu and Kashmir at a meeting in Srinagar and formulated a strategy, highlighting the focus is on breaking the cycle of violence and

dismantling the terror ecosystem. "I must assure you that the situation is under control," the Army Commander told reporters. On security forces' ongoing response, Lieutenant General Kumar said the security forces have been able to neutralize 720 terrorists in Jammu and Kashmir over the past five years. "As far as residual terrorists are concerned, multiple agencies keep updating figures. They are varying between 120 to 130. Now, the recruitment figures are in single digits... And is at its lowest."

He said that the antiinfiltration grid along the Line of Control and focused counter-terrorism operations in the hinterland have managed to create an environment of peace and development in the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir.

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Negligence only if doctor lacks qualification: SC

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he Supreme Court on The Supreme Court on Friday said a doctor can be held liable for negligence only when there was no requisite qualification and skill, or failure to exercise

during treatment

Bench of Justices PS Narasimha and Pankaj Mithal said when reasonable care, expected of the medical professional, was extended or rendered to the patient unless contrary was proved, it would not be a case for actionable

"A medical professional may be held liable for negligence only when he is not possessed with the requisite qualification or skill or when he fails to exercise reasonable skill which he possesses in giving the treatment," the Bench said. The SC made the observations while setting aside an order of the National Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission (NCDRC) which had held a

doctor negligent. doctor negigent.

According to the complainant, their minor son was diagnosed with a congenital disorder in his left eye which required a minor surgery, which was performed in 1996 by one Dr Neeraj Sud at Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education & Research (PGIMER), Chandigarh.

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India, China to complete LAC disengagement before Diwali



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▼ndia and China are likely to **⊥**complete troops' disengagement from the Line of Actual Control (LAC) in eastern Ladakh by October 28-29, and commence patrolling thereafter as agreed upon. Both sides started disengagement, and moved back from the two friction points in Demchok and Depsang plains two days ago, sources said here on Friday. They said patrolling will begin at the two friction once the

disengagement is complete

and both sides will move their respective troops dismantle temporary structures. Eventually, they added, the patrolling status is expected to move back to pre-April 2020 level.

hopeful of is commencing patrolling at Points 10, 11, 11A, 12 and 13 tabletop plateau in

Depsang. The agreement framework for disengagement was first agreed upon at the diplomatic level and then military-level talks took place, sources said, adding the nitty-gritty of agreement was worked in Corps Commander-level talks.

Adhering to agreements between the two sides, Indian troops have begun to pull back equipment to rear locations in these areas. Five tents on each side in the Demchok area and half of the temporary structures in dismantled. Indian soldiers are moving back to the west side of the Charding Nala, while Chinese soldiers retreat to the east side, sources said. There are about 10 to 12 temporary structures and around 12 tents on both sides, all of which are set to be removed. Once all tents and temporary structures have been fully removed, a joint verification process will begin, both on the ground and through aerial surveys.

Moreover, the Chinese army reduced the number of their vehicles in the area, and the Indian army also withdrew some troops in the area. After this process is completed, patrolling is likely to resume in Depsang and Demchok within the next four to five days, sources said.

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Over 25 hoax threats on Friday

RAJESH KUMAR NEW DELHI

The deluge of hoax bomb threats slowed down a bit on Friday with around 25 domestic and international flights operated by Indian carriers receiving bomb threats. Seven flights each from IndiGo, Vistara, and SpiceJet received threats, while six Air India flights were targeted. The barrage of threat messages have left civil aviation stakeholders alarmed and disrupted operations as most major airports over the past two weeks.

Thousands of passengers have also been forced to contend with extensive delays as the warnings forced officials to undertake thorough inspections. Some planes were also forced to make emergency landings after receiving bomb threats in mid-air.

The number of hoaxes has increased the airlines' burden as a number of flights have had to be diverted, delayed, or subjected to searches after posts on social media said they had bombs on board. Some threats have also led to much more serious situations.

AAP claims Arvind Kejriwal attacked

SAUMYA SHUKLA

Delhi's ruling Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) has alleged that individuals associated with the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) attempted to Kejriwal during his padyatra in West Delhi's Vikaspuri on Friday evening. The Delhi BJP leaders have denied the claim. The AAP also blamed the police and alleged that "Delhi Police did not stop the BJP goons". However, the Delhi Police has denied the claim, stating there has been no attack on the AAP chief, and no complaint has been registered on the same.

Trashing the claims made by AAP, Delhi BJP Virendra Sachdeva claimed that there has been no attack on Kejriwal and said "it is public resentment, which has grown steadily since campaigning began", adding that "Kejriwal must realise that the people are fed up with him and his MLAs. He should ous situations.

Continued on page 2 refrain from contesting elections, and the tickets of all



58 AAP MLAs should also be revoked.

Leader of Opposition in Delhi Assembly Vijendra Gupta called the AAP's claim another attempt to play the victim card. "The AAP government is attempting to mislead the public with new dramas each day. Facing declining popularity and unsuccessful policies, AAP leaders are now playing the victim card. Today's so-called attack on Kejriwal is yet another orchestrated ploy aimed solely at gaining public sympathy," Gupta said.

Taking to social media, AAP leader Manish Sisodia said the attack on Arvind Kejriwal is extremely condemnable and

worrying.

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Brace for a weekend of Diljit Dosanjh, satsang and traffic jams

The areas most affected include South, South West and Central Delhi

BY RAJESH KUMAR

As the National Capital region grapples with high volumes of vehicles, leading to traffic congestion due to the festive season, commuters will have to be ready to face some of the worst traffic this weekend. The areas most affected include South, South West and Central Delhi thanks to a two day-live concert of renowned actor and singer Diljit Dosanjh who has brought his "Dil Luminati" tour to town. Then there is a massive satsang gathering at Chattarpur. Delhi Traffic Police have advised people to use public transport to avoid congestion on roads

In view of Diljit Dosanjh's live concert at Jawaharlal Nehru stadium for two days beginning from Saturday, traffic police have advised commuters to avoid BP Marg, Lodhi Road, Lala Lajpat

Rai Road and roads connecting Nehru around According to the traffic police advisory, adequate traffic arrangements have been made for diversion and regulation of traffic.
To ease congestion, the police have advised general people and motorists are also advised to use public transport. Dosanjh has performed in Canada, US, England, New Zealand, Italy and Australia. Interestingly, Dosanjh's fans will have to pay Rs 12,999 for the gold (standing) category to watch him perform live at Jawaharlal Nehru stadium. The fan pit' passes are priced at Rs 19,999, while standing lounge area access will cost Rs 60,000. Meanwhile, tickets for the 'MIP lounge', a seating area, will be available for Rs 55,000.

Meanwhile, people of Delhi and NCR have been facing harrowing traffic jams these days as roads





here are often five to six times the capacity they can handle. Illegal unregulated broken roads, breakdown of vehicles and encroachment on roads are issues, plaguing the traffic in Delhi. Besides, traffic police seem to be helpless to handle it.

According to the advisory, the Satsang congregation will be held from 4 am to 6 pm at Chattarpur, Mehrauli from Friday to Sunday. Around three to four lakh people are expected to attend the event. Around 80,000 devotees generally stay overnight at the satsang complex, while the remaining commutes in the morning from different parts of Delhi and NCR from 5 am and leave by 6 pm for elaborate traffic arrangements have been made, the advisory said.

Entry to the satsang complex is from Bhati Mines Road for all

devotees and all types of vehicles. All invitees and devotees intending to go to the satsang complex are advised to reach before 6 am to avoid congestion enroute. The organisers have made separate entries for different categories of vehicles and visitors, it stated. Devotees coming from Faridabad

and Gurugram are advised to reach the complex, Bhati Mines via Dera Border to avoid any inconvenience. Restrictions on plying of heavy transport vehicle on Bhati Mines road between Chattarpur Road (SSN Marg) Gurgaon Road T- Point and satsang complex will remain effective from Friday to Sunday between 4 am to 6.30 pm to avoid any traffic blockage, it said, adding that the general public is hereby advised to avoid Chattarpur Road (SSN Marg) during 4 am to 6.30 pm.

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Uddhav outwitted, son Aaditya to take on Shinde Sena's Deora in Worli

 $T^{ ext{he Eknath Shinde-led Shiv}}$ Sena on Friday sprang a nasty surprise on the rival Shiv Sena (UBT) by deciding to field two-time MP, former Union Minister and current Rajya Sabha member Milind Deora as its candidate against Uddhav Thackeray's son and sitting MLA Aaditya Thackeray from Worli Assembly constituency in south Mumbai.

The decision is being seen as a tactical move by the ruling Shinde Sena to upset the plans of the Uddhav Thackeray-led Shiv Sena and tie down its key campaigner Aaditya to the Worli constituency during the electioneering for the November 20 State Assembly

Confirming his readiness to take on 34-year-old Aaditya in

Worli constituency, 47-year-old Milind wrote on micro-blogging site "X": "Chief Minister Eknath Shinde ji believes that justice for Worli and Worlikars is long overdue. Together, we're paving the way forward and will share our vision soon. It's Worli NOW!" It may be recalled that Aaditya had won the Worli seat for the first time in 2019 Assembly polls against then united NCP candidate Suresh Mane by a handsome margin of 67,427 votes. At a time when everyone thought that Aaditya's re-election from Worli was a foregone conclusion, Milind's nomination as the Shinde Sena candidate has come a bolt from the

Aaditya and Milind is going to be tough one, considering that the latter is as much as popular as the Sena (UBT) candidate The prestigious Worli seat forms a part of the South Mumbai Lok Sabha constituency, from where Milind had been elected to Lok Sabha twice on a Congress ticket in 2004 and 2009. His late father and veteran Congressman Murli Deora had represented Mumbai south for four terms in 1984, 1989, 1991 and 1998. A former minister in the Manmohan Singh Cabinet from May 2011 to May 2014, Milind Deora quit the Congress and joined the Eknath Shinde-led Shiv Sena in January this year. Subsequently, Milind was elected to Rajya



Sabha on a Shinde Sena ticket in February 2024.

Much to the advantage of Aaditya, the Mumbai South constituency is held for the past three terms (2014, 2019 and 2024) by the Uddhav Thackeray-led Shiv Sena. Two



of the six Assembly seats Worli and Shivadi - are currently held by the Shiv Sena (UBT), while one seat (Byculla) is held by the Shinde Sena. Both Aaditya and Milind have their plus and minus points. Both are convent school back-

his schooling from Bombay Scottish School at Mahim, graduated in History from the Bombay University and later obtained an LLB degree from the same university. Milind attended the Cathedral and John Connon School and Sydenham College. He later acquired a Bachelor of Business Administration from the Questrom School of Business at Boston University.

Being the son of the soil and coming from the Thackeray family, Aaditya speaks Marathi very well, while Milind -despite being a non-Maharashtrian speaks Marathi well. Both of them speak English well. Both of them are popular in Worli and have a good influence on middle-class voters. Worli number of Kolis (fishermen) live, Aaditya will be their first choice, while Milind has already gone on record saying that he would do his bit to Kolis, if elected. What goes in Aaditya's favour

is that Worli Assembly has been the parent Shiv Sena bastion, having won all the State Assembly elections since 1990 - except one election in 2009 when the united NCP's Sachin Ahir had won seat. In addition, being a one-term MLA Aaditya is familiar with his constituents and their issues. He has been interacting with his constituents on a regular basis ever since he was elected to the State Assembly from Worli in

For Aaditya, Worli is an

keeps, while it is quite likely that Milind may quit as MLA if he wins the polls, because he prefers to be in Parliament and not in the State Assembly. If Eknath Shinde has chosen to put Milind as a candidate from Worli, it is with the intention of making matters difficult for both Uddhav Thackeray and Aaditya. While Aaditya will have to devote attention and time for campaigning, the senior Thackeray will have to pitch in to ensure his son's victory, since it is a prestigious battle for both of them and the party. On the contrary, Milind has lit-

tle to lose if he is not able to win the Worli seat. All the same, a keen battle is on the cards in Worli constituency.

AAP Government unable to implement ban as firecrackers being sold openly at DUSIB shelter home

SAUMYA SHUKLA NEW DELHI

mid clear directions on Athe ban of firecrackers in the national Capital in light of the rising air quality index, it seems that the AAP led Delhi government is unable to implement it on the ground with firecrackers being sold openly in a shelter home run by its own department of Delhi Urban Shelter Improvement Board (DUSIB).

In the shelter home situated near to Bangla Sahib gurudwara and traffic training park, crackers were being sold in the open ahead of the festival of Diwali. The owner of the shop, who lives in the shelter, was alien to the concept of ban and shared that while she has only few, her fellow residents have purchased many from shops in Sadar Bazar.

"I only have a few in my shop. Although, other people in the shelter have already bought many in wholesale from the Sadar Bazar market," she stated, adding that people burn these crackers on every Diwali since she has been living there

for the past three years.

Near the shelter home, which has two gents quarters, two ladies quarters and two family quarters with about 200 people residing, is the office of Deputy Commissioner of Police (Traffic) New Delhi range. Moreover, there are also caretakers and guards present in the shelters even as there seems to be no awareness of the ban.

claimed that such fireworks are burst by the people. "There are children who live here their family. They get very excited to burn the crackers and hence the parents have to buy them

some," a man said. Earlier, Delhi Pollution Control Committee (DPCC) on October 14 had notified the ban on manufacturing, storage, sale and use of firecrackers in the city until January 1, 2025. In a notice, it stated that all kinds of firecrackers, including green ones, would be banned.

ferred under Section 31 (A) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, read with Rule 20 (A) (6) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) (Union Territories) Rules, 1983, and keeping in view the need in public interest to curb high air pollution in Delhi, DPCC hereby directs as under: There will be a complete ban on all kinds of firecrackers on manufacturing, storage, selling, including delivery through online marketing platforms, and bursting of all kinds of firecrackers up to Jan 1, 2025 in the territory of NCT of Delhi," stated an order by DPCC.

Every year, the air quality index registers record breaking numbers despite a complete ban on

In November last year, a day after Diwali, according to the federal government's Safar app, the Air Quality Index (AQI) in Delhi was 445, with some places recording readings above 520 in the afternoon.

Police book seven fake ED officers who 'raided' Delhi man, sought Rs 5 crore

STAFF REPORTER ■ **NEW DELHI**

he Delhi Police has The Delhi Police has booked seven persons who conducted a "fake" raid against a man living in DLF Farms area and tried to extort Rs 5 crore from him by impersonating as Enforcement Directorate (ED) officials.

The federal probe agency issued a statement Friday say ing it was informed on October 22, around 12 pm that "some people posing as ED officers were conducting a fake ED search at Ashoka Avenue, DLF Farms in Chattarpur area of south

"It was also informed that the fake ED officers have taken the victim to Kotak bank in Hauz Khas to withdraw Rs 5 crore from his bank account so that the same can be taken away in the name of ED raid," the agency said.



and police officials that seven people came to his house in the night of October 21 in two cars and claimed to be ED officers who had come for executing a raid.

He told the officials that three people interacted with him as

the rest wore face masks. The conmen asked the victim as to why he was withdrawing cash regularly from his bank

account, the ED said.

cheques of his old bank account and the "fake" ED officers threatened to arrest him and take him away unless he agreed to pay them crores of rupees, the agency said. As the victim stated that the money could be taken out only from the bank next

stayed at the victim's house that night. When the fraudsters took the

morning, the fake ED officers

man to the bank next day, he "managed" to message his lawyer who soon landed at the bank and confronted the conmen and sought their IDs, according to the ED.

"The fake ED officers grew suspicious of being caught and ran away before the bank gates could be closed by the bank Manager," the ED said. Some of those who stayed back at the victim's home also ran away after they got a wink of what happened at the bank.

They, however, were not able to take the cars with them as the gates of the house were locked, the ED said.

It was after this that the agency officials were informed and they reached the bank along with the

The police registered an FIR, recorded the statement of the victim, and seized the cars that were parked at his house,

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He alleged that the BJP has carried out this attack through its goons. AAP leader Saurabh Bharadwaj labelled the incident a "cowardly" act, claiming it was due to Kejriwal's growing "If Kejriwal faces any harm, the BJP will be solely responsible," Bharadwaj Bharadwaj warned. Ahead of the February 2025 elections, AAP leaders, including Kejriwal, are conducting padyatras across Delhi's assembly constituencies.

At a press conference, Delhi Chief Minister Atishi accused the BJP of resorting to "dirty politics" against AAP. "The people of Delhi have seen the depths to which BJP's tactics can sink. Arvind Kejriwal was attacked by BJP goons during his padyatra in Vikaspuri. The BJP knows it cannot defeat AAP and Arvind Keiriwal in elections, so they've resorted to these tactics and want to harm him," she stated.

However, the nature of the attack is not clear as of yet.
According to AAP Rajya
Sabha MP Sandeep Pathak, "the BJP cannot tolerate the way people are supporting and loving him. First they tried to kill Kejriwal in jail and now they are doing all people cannot defeat Arvind

the Meanwhile, approached the Delhi High Court seeking a direction to the Centre to allot a residence in the Capital to the party's Convener Arvind Kejriwal. The senior counsel appearing in the court on behalf of the party said according to the guidelines issued in this regard, the president of a national political party is entitled to a residential accommodation in Delhi and therefore, former CM Kejriwal should be allotted a residence. Justice Sanjeev Narula sought the Centre's stand on the petition and listed it for hearing on November 26.

President Murmu bats for tech in medical sector for people's welfare in remote areas PIONEER NEWS SERVICE

 $P^{\text{resident Droupadi Murmu}}_{\text{on Friday said medical pro-}}$ fessionals have immense responsibilities to deliver as their decisions are often linked to saving lives and pitched for modern technologies in the medical sector for people's welfare in remote areas.

Speaking at the second convocation function of All India Institute Medical of Sciences(AIIMS), Raipur in Chhattisgarh, she told the gathering of medical students that there is a very slight gap between working emotion-free and lack of sensitivity. According to the President, medical professionals will play a decisive role in realising the

dream of 'Viksit Bharat' (devel-

oped India) by 2047. "We have been passing through such an era wherein modern technologies greatly impact the life of humans rapidly. For

the welfare of people living in remote areas, such technologies can be used," she said. "AIIMS Raipur has been mak-

ing efforts in this direction. I have been told that AIIMS Raipur has been working on an Artificial Intelligence-based clinical decision support system through which doctors in

remote areas will be provided with assistance in real-time during (medical) emergencies," she said. Established in 2012, AIIMS Raipur has earned a lot of reputation in a few years of its journey, she said. The institution has been working to eradicate malnutrition with national and international

cooperation, the President said. "Treatment is provided to patients in the Sickle Cell Clinic here. Awareness camps are also organised to identify Sickle Cell patients. These works being done by AIIMS Raipur will improve community health and the lives of citizens," she

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For example, last Thursday, an Air India flight from Mumbai to London was intercepted by Royal Air Force fighter jets after receiving a bomb threat. Two days before that, Singapore

Armed Forces scrambled two fighter jets to escort an Air India Express plane, which took off from Madurai, away from populated areas following a bomb threat. On Tuesday, the Nepalese Army rushed its bomb squad to the Kathmandu airport after a Vistara flight from Delhi got a bomb threat. Unknown miscreants threatened to blow up Indigo flight 6E133 from Pune to

Jodhpur on Wednesday - for the second time this week. The plane landed at the isolation bay of Jodhpur airport before being searched by police and CISF officials. A bomb disposal squad and a dog squad were also called to the scene.

Officials said passengers' luggage as well as every nook and corner of the flight was thoroughly searched before the plane was allowed to take off for its further destination.

An IndiGo spokesperson said that among the flights targeted were: 6E 87 (Kozhikode to Dammam), 6E 2099 (Udaipur to Delhi), 6E 11 (Delhi to

Mumbai), 6E 17 (Mumbai to Istanbul), 6E 108 (Hyderabad to Chandigarh) and 6E 133 (Pune

to Jodhpur). 'Flight 6E 2099, operating from Udaipur to Delhi, received a bomb threat. Following security agency guidelines, the aircraft was redirected to the isolation bay before take-off and standard operating procedures were followed. All passengers were safely disembarked," the airline spokesperson said in a statement.

In 12 days, more than 275 flights operated by the Indian carriers have received bomb threats. Most of the threats were issued through social media.

Both sides are coordinating the

communication. Each morning, local military commanders from both

nations talk on the hotline to discuss

through

disengagement

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The complainant alleged the physical deformity diagnosed on their son could have been cured by a minor operation as there was no other defect in the boy's eyes. The procedure, it was stated, required slightly lifting the left eyelid and making a correction in comparison with the right

The doctor, however, was accused of botching up the procedure, which deteriorated the boy's condition postsurgery. The complainant, therefore, alleged medical negligence against Dr Sud and the PGIMER which was dismissed by the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission in 2005.

Aggrieved by the above decision, the complainants preferred an appeal before

the NCDRC. The NCDRC set aside the State Commission's verdict and held the doctor and the hospital were "jointly and severely liable" for paying a compensation of Rs 3 lakh and Rs 50,000 towards the negligence in treatment. Dr Sud and the PGIMER filed an appeal challenging the NCDRC order in the top court.

The SC observed the complainants hadn't brought any evidence for it to establish negligence on the part of Dr Sud or the

The Bench noted the deterioration of the patient's condition post-surgery was not necessarily indicative of the surgery being improper or inappropriate.

The SC said since the complainants have failed to prove any negligence on part of the doctor or the PGI, they were not entitled to any compensation.

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Besides this, a large number of breakdown of buses / commercial vehicles have further added woes to the commuters here. Friday also witnessed the breakdown of vehicles during the peak

hours. To deal with frequent bus breakdowns that choke traffic, the Delhi Traffic Police and the transport department have created a WhatsApp group for swift removal of the stranded vehicles. According to a senior traffic police officer who is a member of this group, if a bus broke down earlier, the process of locating it and sending a mechanic for repairs would

take hours. It was mandatory that the mechanics were from the same depot as the bus. This caused delays in the mechanic reaching breakdown spot if it was far from the depot.

After the WhatsApp group was formed, the transport department changed its strategy and started sending help from the depot nearest to the breakdown spot. Once the repair work is done, the official concerned updates the status of breakdown in the group. "With this group, it becomes easier for us to identify and locate the place of breakdown," police officials Delhi Transport

Corporation has a fleet of 7,582 buses. Of these, 2,644 were procured by the stateowned public transporter between 2007 and 2010. "With this group, it becomes easier for us to identify and locate the place of breakdown. Our ground staff immediately alerts us and we put a photo of the bus with the driver's contact on the group," a traffic assistant commissioner of police who is also a member of this

The group includes all depot managers, service providers, traffic commissioners, deputy transport commissioners, commissioner and other senior transport department The members. The depot managers get to know about the breakdown and the one (Traffic)

closest to the spot immediately sends help. The traffic personnel concerned regulate traffic till the bus gets repaired or removed by the transport department. Once the work is done, it is also updated on the group, the traffic police officer said. Special Commissioner of Police Chaudhary said the cooperation between the two departments led to fruitful results, with the average time for locating the bus and reaching the spot coming down. "We are committed to streamline the system and hassle-free transportation," he said.

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"The adversary is frustrated due to our successes. They aim to push terrorists across, but we have foiled infiltration attempts. Their goal is to instill fear among the population, but we will not allow it," he stated. He said, "The Indian Army will continue to strive to provide a secure environment to the people of the Union Territories of J&K and Ladakh. Our endeavors in kinetic and non-kinetic operations have facilitated greater security." Referring to the security situation in the Jammu region, he said that various agencies are undertaking operations to achieve the desired outcomes. "Village Defence Groups (VDGs) have ensured the

security of remote areas for

decades. The VDG setup is

being strengthened, with over

600 VDGs being established

and 10,000 modern weapons

also being trained," he said.

the planned actions for the day, and they also meet at designated points once or twice daily, according to The removal of tents and temporary infrastructure is progressing smoothly, and there is cautious optimism that this momentum will help build confidence for future talks. However, the focus remains on maintaining trust and ensuring that any further steps are mutually agreeable, it was learnt. The ties between the two Asian giants had nosedived following a fierce clash in the Galwan Valley in June 2020 that

> conflict between the two sides in decades. Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri on October 21 said in Delhi that the agreement was finalised following negotiations over the past several weeks and that it would lead to a resolution of the issues that arose in 2020.

marked the most serious military

On October 23, Prime Minister provided to them. They are Narendra Modi and China President Xi

India, China to complete... Jinping endorsed the agreement on patrolling and disengagement along the LAC in eastern Ladakh during their bilateral meeting on the sidelines of the BRICS Summit in Kazan in Russia.

China also confirmed the pact the next day with Beijing saying that a resolution has been reached on "relevant matters" and that it will work with New Delhi to implement these resolutions. Chinese Foreign Ministry spokesperson Lin Jian said, going forward, his country will work with India to implement these resolutions.

The meeting between the two leaders was followed by directions to revive various bilateral dialogue mechanisms on both sides, signalling attempts to normalise relations.

Referring to New Delhi's consistent position on the eastern Ladakh row, Misri, at a media briefing in Kazan after the bilateral meeting, had said restoration of peace and tranquillity in the border areas would create space for returning towards the path of

normalisation of bilateral relations. This meeting happened, as you are all aware, close on the heels of the disengagement and patrolling agreement and the resolution of issues that had arisen in the India-China border areas in 2020," he said.

Court rejects Hindu petition ...

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They questioned the validity of conducting an additional survey while the Hindu side has appealed the case in higher courts, including the Allahabad High Court and the Supreme Court.

The committee's lawyers also expressed concerns about the practicality of excavation, stating that digging within the mosque premises could cause significant damage.

The dispute centers around the Gyanvapi complex, where the Hindu side claims that the original location of a 'Jyotirlinga' lies beneath the dome of what they believe is a mosque. They argue that water from the sacred 'Argha' once flowed into the Gyanvapi Kund, a

site believed to bestow knowledge upon

The Hindu side has demanded an investigation by geologists, water engineers, and archaeologists to examine the water source and determine its historical significance. They have also called for a thorough analysis of the structure identified as a 'Shivling' within the Gyanvapi complex, which the Muslim side refers to as a fountain in the 'wazukhana'.

JNU denies external pressure, says no seminar on West Asian conflict cancelled

sserting that it wants to Aprovide a platform for balanced discussions, the Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU) on Friday said it has cancelled no seminar on the West Asian conflict but had to postpone one where Iranian Ambassador Iraj Elahi was scheduled to speak due to logistical and protocol rea-Amitabh Mattoo, the Dean of

the School of International Studies (SIS), said the university plans to invite Elahi, who was supposed to addresses the seminar on the subject on Thursday, on a rescheduled

date soon, likely next month. He said that invitations for two other events -- on November 7 when Palestinian ambassador was supposed to speak and November 14 when Lebanese ambassador was to speak -- were not sent through official channels so there is no question of cancelling them. He said there was no "external pressure" behind the universitv's decision and that it wants to "maintain the integrity of our (JNU's) academic platforms"

His remarks come a day after seminar coordinator Sima Baidva informed students about the alleged cancellation of the Iranian ambassador's

due to "unavoidable circumstances".

Mattoo, however, said on Friday none of the seminars has been cancelled. "The only seminar that was postponed is the one where the Iranian ambassador was scheduled to speak. That was due to a communication gap between the Center for West Asian Studies and the faculty," he

According to Mattoo, the faculty member extended the invitation to the ambassadors without consulting the the Center for West Asian Studies, leading to logistical challenges. "Given that a high-



ranking dignitary, of ambassadorial status, is involved, it is important for us to ensure appropriate hospitality and uphold the dignity of his office," he added.

Asked about concerns over potential restrictions on discussions related to the West Asia conflict, Mattoo said, 'Yes, there is a charged atmosphere globally, and there are intense discussions around West Asian issues. However, this does not mean we will restrict discussions. Our goal is to ensure a balanced representation of diverse views and to maintain the integrity of our academic platforms. He said that the School of with the Center for West Asian Studies, remains committed to academic freedom and diverse viewpoints. "We hope the Iranian ambassador will confirm the rescheduled date soon, likely in the coming month," he said, adding that the postponement was not indicative of any "compromise on academic freedom

or of external pressure." "As the Dean of SIS, I assure you that we remain committed to academic excellence, freedom, and exposing our students to a wide array of perspectives," Mattoo said. He also elaborated on the protocols JNU follows when hosting high-ranking digni-'When an ambassador or

senior official visits, we ensure there are appropriate security arrangements in place and that the audiences include students and faculty members, not outsiders who may have their own agenda," he said. In this instance, the lack of communication between the faculty member who extended the invitation and the university administration created some logistical challenges, he stated. "As academics, we are trained to think, teach, and write, but not always to handle the operational details of event-planning," he said.

MCD health department planning on banning pigeon feeding points in city

SAUMYA SHUKLA NEW DELHI

The Municipal Corporation I of Delhi (MCD) health department is planning banning feeding pigeon points in the national capital, citing health reasons. There are over hundreds of sites where people use to feed pigeons across the capital city. The bird excreta generated by the pigeons is also a cause of multiple diseases. It is estimated that each pigeon is estimated to create 11.5 kilograms of excreta every year. Being acidic in nature, it also causes damage to buildings and monuments through acidic saltpetre, besides spreading salmonella germs.

While these are a surreal site to watch for onlookers and passerby, a senior official from the health department of the MCD said that they are evaluating the health risks theses sites put to those who are in close proximity and exposed to the flock of birds.

He also added that while this plan is still in a nascent stage, final decisions to go ahead with a proposal to do so will



only be made when there are enough clinical reports on

Across the national Capital, there are approximately 100 sites like these on streets of Delhi where one can feed these pigeons, especially in Old Delhi area, including areas in Shantivan, Laxmi nagar, CR Park, Daryaganj, Old Delhi Railway Station, Seemapuri, Hasanpur depot, kalkaji and Connaught Place to name a few.< "Nothing is final as of yet and things are still in a very early stage. We are looking at the health risks that these gathering of birds at one place pose to those who are living nearby," the officer added.

An official elaborated, "The risk doesn't happen from some animal lovers.

birds, it occurs when many of them are gathered in one area. When they are fed in one place in large numbers, their droppings also accumulate there. Now the people who come to feed them are at a lesser risk, however elderly and frequent visitors need to be precautious. Along with that there are vendors selling dana nearby. There are also caretakers for these birds in the Old Delhi area who are at high risk. Hence, we are evaluating the situation'

Officials fear that these sites can become breeding grounds for diseases like fungal infection, Salmonella, E. Coli, Influenza, Hypersensitivity Pneumonitis, and can exacerbate respiratory conditions like asthma.

Although, another official said, "However, nothing substantial has been proved and unless experts suggest the same, we won't implement it on the

Earlier too such a plan was proposed, however, it was not implemented after backlash was received by experts and

Transport Department impounds more than 1,200 overage vehicles



The Delhi Transport Department has impounded more than 1,200 overage vehicles in a drive launched earlier this month, keeping the deteriorating air quality in consideration.

According to the Delhi Transport Department's official data, the 1,251 seized vehicles include 140 fourwheeler diesel vehicles over 10 years old and 446 petrol two-wheelers and 665 petrol three-and four-wheelers, all over 15 years old. Delhi has a large number of registered vehicles, with two-wheelers making up about two-thirds of the total. Vehicles are the main source of air pollution in Delhi, accounting for 41%

of the total pollution load. On Tuesday, the Transport Department also launched an online portal for the owners of the overage seized vehicle to scrape, retrieve, or sell their overage vehicles along with a Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) to streamline the whole process.

As the drive intensified, the transport department directed all Registered Vehicle Scrapping Facilities (RVSFs) to follow the 'Guidelines for Vehicles in Public Places of Delhi, 2024', in accordance with a Delhi High Court ruling. Officials have cautioned that failure to comply may Earlier this month, the Delhi lead to an RVSF being exclud-

According to a public notice issued by the Transport Department on October 10,

ed from the initiative.

vehicles have been de-registered so far in the national

Transport Department launched a fresh round of crackdowns on overage vehicles, an exercise that will continue till December to combat

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air pollution in the national

The department has asked traffic police to deploy four teams in every municipal zone in coordination with its enforcement wing to impound diesel and petrolrun vehicles, older than 10 and 15 years, respectively.









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2. 32/DGM/SM/(WC-8)/ET/ 2023-24		C/o Boundary wall (Raising of Boundary wall and Direction Boards in Swernim Vihar in Sector-82), Noida.	71.06			
3.	28/DGM/SM/(WC-1)/ 2024-25	C/o Boundary wall, Barbed wire fencing (C/o Temporary M.S.Sheet Boundary wall for Encroachment drive dumping ground on Community Facility Plot No.C-1, Sector-4), Noida.	32.43			
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5.	15/DGM/SM/(WC-6)/ 2024-25	External Development of Road, drain and culvert of Sector-75, 76, 77, 78 and 79 (C/o RCC box culvert at 45.00 mtr. wide road between sector-113, 80, 81 and Sector-79 near Metro line), Noida.	81.62			

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7.	43/DGM/SM/(WC-9)/ET/ 2023-24	Emergency Work (Fencing with RCC post vacant Noida land for safety of land of different Village and Sectors of Work Circle-9), Noida.	50.45	

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Rai conducts demonstration showcasing use of drone technology to identify sources of pollution that Delhi's war on pollution has

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Environment Minister Gopal Rai conducted a demonstration on Friday showcasing drone-based services to identify sources of pollution in the hotspot areas, aiming to levereffective pollution control. The air quality index stood at 270 as against 386 on Thursday, as the transport sector contributed 16 percent air pollution. He also stated that if this pilot is

successful, improvements will be made in the highly polluted regions. During the demonstration held at Wazirpur, one of the city's pollution hotspots, Rai discussed the recently released 21-point Winter Action Plan designed to tackle various pollution sources, including dust, vehicle emissions, and open burning."Drone mapping was conducted on Friday at the Wazirpur hotspot by a listed agency of Survey of Índia. The goal is to maximise the use of modern technology to combat



pollution effectively," he said, adding that as part of the pilot project, the drones operated at a height of 120 metres, covering a 200-metre radius, and transmitted data on various pollution sources to the Environment Department and DPCC.

"Engineers from both agencies will analyse this data and submit a report, which will inform fur-

ther actions for pollution control. If the pilot project proves successful, drone mapping will be extended to other hotspots across the city," he shared. He urged residents to actively

participate in pollution reduction efforts and said, "The Delhi government is working tirelessly, day and night, to combat pollution. Today's demonstration is

part of a broader strategy to monitor 13 hotspots known for their significant pollution impact," he said.

dispersing pollutants.

Meanwhile, Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) Municipal Mayor Shelly Oberoi shared

she added.

Additionally, Rai acknowledged recent improvements in air quality attributed to strong winds

intensified as 372 surveillance teams, 1,295 officers, and a fleet of anti-smog guns hit the streets in a no-tolerance crackdown on road dust and pollution.

"The MCD's total road length in Delhi is approximately 15,500 sanitation workers manually sweeping these roads. Additionally, the MCD has deployed 52 mechanical road sweepers, 195 water sprinklers, jetting machines, and 30 Anti-Smog guns, especially in hotspot areas identified by the DPCC,"

Oberoi said, "Zonal DCs have been appointed as nodal officers for all these hotspot areas. There are 612 sites registered on the DPCC web portal, which are regularly monitored by zonal teams. Furthermore, there are 106 designated MCD sites for dumping C&D waste. Of these, 55 sites are covered with barricading sheets, and the waste is sent to C&D plants for scientific processing."

Delhi zoo gears up for winters with species specific animal care

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Specially-designed shelters, wooden planks, mats, bamboo screens, thatch covers to block winds, room heaters and dehumidifiers will be installed in the Delhi Zoo to shield its animals from the harsh winter

In view of the rising pollution levels, the zoo officials are focussing on continuous health monitoring of the animals, besides putting in efforts to minimise local pollution within the zoo premises.

A detailed winter management plan to ensure the well-being of its resident animals has been prepared by the Delhi Zoo. Species-wise and age-specific strategies have been implemented, focussing on protecting the animals from the harsh cold while maintaining their health and comfort throughout the season, a zoo official said To safeguard vulnerable animals, the zoo will segregate dominant males in species such as the Manipuri deer,



during the winter months, preventing conflicts and ensuring the newborns' safety, he said. Herbivores and birds will receive paddy-straw bedding and specially-designed shelters to keep them warm, while carnivores and primates will be provided with wooden planks and mats to insulate them from the cold surface.

Temperature-control measures are also a priority, with room heaters and dehumidifiers being installed in the enclosures to maintain a stable environment. Special attention will be given to the reptile house, where thermoregulation and humidity levels are monitored

closely to suit the needs of its inhabitants. In terms of diet, the zoo has introduced winterspecific changes to help the animals stay warm and energised. "We have included nuts, jaggery and sugarcane in their diet, along with nutrient supplements and immunoboosters to support their health," he added. Speaking about the sensitive species and birds, the official said, "They will also receive extra shelter enhancements, including bamboo screens and thatch covers to block cold winds, while young primates will be given blankets for warmth.

Meanwhile, veterinary protocols will be strictly followed to promptly address any health issues arising during the winter season, ensuring that all animals receive timely medical attention if needed, he added. As the mornings and evenings have turned slightly chilly, experts have predicted that the temperatures will start declining in the capital in about a instructions from Anmol week to 10 days. Bishnoi and Naveen alias Arzoo.

In crackdown on Lawrence Bishnoi gang, Special Cell nabs seven suspected shooters It was also learnt that Ritesh and

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n a crackdown on the Lawrence Bishnoi gang, the Delhi Police Special Cell has arrested at least seven suspected shooters who were planning to target nephew of a former MLA from Rajasthan. In a related development, the Crime branch also arrested a 55-yearold man for supplying arms and ammunition to the Lawrence Bishnoi gang in Delhi-NCR. Additional Commissioner of Police of Special Cell) Pramod Kumar Kushwah said, "During the continuing surveillance on

several gangsters and their active modules, an input was received about a suspect Ritesh of the Bishnoi syndicate who was nabbed from South East Delhi. On his instance raids were conducted in Rajasthan, and Sukhram was nabbed." He added that Sukhram disclosed that he was getting

Sukhram had been instructed to meet two other gang operatives in Abohar, Punjab. Subsequently, on Thursday, two

more operatives, namely Sahil and Amar, both native of Abohar, were nabbed. Further, three more operatives namely Badal, Parmod and Sandeep were caught from Sirsa, Haryana, Addl CP said. During the probe, it was learnt

that they were tasked to carry out the murder of one Sunil Pahalwan, of Rajasthan and the nephew of a former MLA from Rajasthan namely Raj Kumar Gaur. Further targets were also assigned to them whose identities are being kept confidential for operational reasons.

He said the accused are also being interrogated and it will also be probed if they are in many ways linked to the attack on Baba Siddique. Six firearms and 24 live cartridges have been recovered so far from the arrested accused.

Government urges people to limit outdoor activities amid toxic air level

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 $A^{
m mid}$ soaring levels of toxic air in many cities, the government has urged people to restrict outdoor activities, such as sports and exercise, especially for vulnerable populations like the elderly, pregnant women, and those with existing respiratory and cardiovascular conditions

The Union Health Ministry has also asked states/UTs to strengthen the healthcare system to address the pressing issue of air pollution, which is expected to worsen during the festival season and with the onset of winter.

The Ministry has also encouraged the public to use public transport and avoid heavily congested areas.

In a letter to states/UTs, Director General of Health Services (DGHS) Dr. Atul Goel advised discouraging stubble and waste burning and spreading awareness about reducing firecracker use during festivities.



also emphasised promoting transportation, limiting reliance on diesel generators, and curbing fossil fuel smoking.

"Additionally, individuals should minimise their exposure to polluted air by should

monitoring air quality indices through government mobile applications before venturing outdoors, avoiding congested areas, and opting for cleaner fuels at home for cooking, heating, and lighting," Dr. Goel said in the letter written

He pointed out that air pollution has recently become a serious health challenge, with the Air Quality Index (AOI) in certain states/UTs reaching moderate to poor levels.

The states must scale up participation in sentinel

NIA launches probe into train derailments

pollution-related diseases under the National Program on Climate Change and Human Health, he added.

Terming the government steps as much-needed one, Dr. Shobha Gupta, gynecologist and IVF expert from Mother's Lap IVF Ĉentre said Diwali celebrations can pose specific risks to pregnant women and those with respiratory sensitivities. Though firecrackers are banned in the city, violations continue to occur.

"Increased pollution levels from fireworks can aggravate respiratory conditions, negatively impacting both maternal and fetal health. Expectant mothers should avoid areas with heavy smoke or pollution given that fireworks release harmful chemicals like sulfur dioxide and particulate matter that can worsen asthma or cause respiratory distress.

"A pregnant woman should stay indoors as much as possible, and use air purifiers

if needed," advised Dr. Gupta. Dr. Jyoti Kapoor, Director of Manasthali Wellness, advised individuals with respiratory issues, allergies, or asthma to take precautions, as they are particularly vulnerable to air pollution from fireworks. 'Diwali can be a time of excessive waste. Opt for ecofriendly decorations, such as clay diyas, which are biodegradable, or use LED lights instead of incandescent bulbs to save energy," she added.

While fireworks are banned in Delhi, they are still being sold in neighboring states where restrictions do not apply.

Delhi government announced a ban on firecrackers on September 9, with Environment Minister Gopal Rai stating that all types of firecrackers, including green crackers, are prohibited from being sold, purchased, stocked, or manufactured in the capital. The formal notification of the ban was eventually issued on October

Congress slams NDA over terrorist attack in Gulmarg

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 $T^{
m he}$ Congress on Friday slammed the NDA government at the Centre over the terror attack in Jammu and Kashmir's Gulmarg, saying its policies had completely failed to establish security and demanded that it should immediately take accountability as well as ensure the safety of Army personnel and civilians. Two soldiers and two Army porters were killed in the attack on Thursday while another porter and a soldier were injured. Terrorists attacked a vehicle of the force six kilometres from the tourist spot of Gulmarg in north Kashmir's Baramulla district. The terrorists opened fire on the Army vehicle in the Bota Pathri area when it was headed for the Nagin post in Afrawat range. In a social media post in Hindi, Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi said "The news of the martyrdom of our brave soldiers in the cowardly attack on an Army vehicle in Gulmarg, Jammu and Kashmir, is extremely saddening.

visit Australia to boost research collaboration PIONEER NEWS SERVICE Union Minister for Education Dharmendra

Education Minister

NEW DELHI

Pradhan has said research collaboration is the bedrock of collaboration between India and Australia during his ongoing visit there.

In a significant move to enhance bilateral cooperation in the education sector, Pradhan is visiting Australia from October 22 to 26. The visit is expected to foster collaboration, participation, and synergy in critical areas of mutual interest in education, the ministry said here in a statement on Friday.

It said the minister visited the Macquarie Park Innovation District at Macquarie University, Sydney, Australia. He was received by the Vice-Chancellor and President of the University Professor. S. Bruce Dowton and other officials.

Pradhan explored how the University supports researchers and entrepreneurs in developing and scaling their ideas. He appreciated the University's unique approach to collaborating with industry experts and communities to create a holistic learning experience.

The Minister also noted that the University has been with Indian partnering educational institutions and industries. He emphasized industrythat strong academia links like these are crucial for driving innovation and preparing students for success.

Later in the day, Pradhan interacted with Indian students studying across Australia in an event held by the Group of Eight. He noted that they are working on cutting-edge research robotics, chemicals, astrophysics, superconductivity, manufacturing, healthcare, med-tech, climate change, water management and urban planning.

He highlighted that research collaboration is the bedrock of collaboration between Australia and India and said the insightful interaction has given him several points to ponder and has also convinced him that broader deeper research collaboration is required

between both countries. The minister visited the campus of University of New South Wales (UNSW). He congratulated UNSW on completing 75 years and noted that Indian students have been in UNSW since its

third year of inception.

Pradhan also interacted with start-ups incubated various schools of the UNSW. He explored their products and services and appreciated their spirit and passion for innovation and change. He encouraged the start-ups to tailor their solutions to Indian society and the market. He also interacted with Indian students in UNSW.

The Minister visited UTS Moore Park, a sporting precinct housed at the University of Technology, Sydney. He noted that this is first-of-its-kind in Australia where university programs in sports are integrated within elite sporting facilities, providing a fertile base for a holistic learning experience in sports management, sports research, and allied health.

He also discussed potential partnerships between UTS and Indian higher education institutions to deliver cuttingedge sports management and research programs.

Earlier this week from Pradhan October20-21, visited Singapore and met the Prime Minister, Deputy Prime Minister, Education Minister and other dignitaries expand cooperation in skill-based education and research.

Jharkhand CM files nomination for state Assembly polls

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE SARAIKELA/ RANCHI

Former Jharkhand Chief Minister Champai Soren, AJSU party chief Sudesh Mahto and others on Friday filed their nomination papers from their respective constituencies for the upcoming state assembly Soren filed his nomination as

BJP nominee from Saraikela, which is among 43 assembly constituencies going to polls in the first phase on November 13. The November nomination process for the first phase, which started on October 18, is set to conclude on October 25.

Soren, who joined the BIP on August 30 citing "insult" and "humiliation" at the hands of JMM leaders, claimed that there is a wave in favour of the saffron party in the state. "There is a wave in favour of

the BJP in the Kolhan region as well as entire Iharkhand. The BIP will win all 81 seats and form the government this time," he said.

The former Chief Minister said the population of tribal has decreased in Jharkhand's Santhal Pargana region. "The



government . Jharkhand has never worked Bangladeshi

to stop Bangladeshi infiltrators," he alleged. The JMM candidate from Saraikela seat, Ganesh Mahli, who recently joined the party after defecting from the BJP, also submitted his documents before the election officials on

The JMM in its fourth list of candidates on Thursday announced the name of Mahli as party nominee for the seat. AJSU party chief Sudesh Mahto filed his nomination from Silli, which is among 38 assembly constituencies that will go to the polls in second phase on November 20. Mahto was accompanied by Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma to the nomination centre. Exuding confidence about his victory, Mahto said that people would

vote for development.

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The National Investigation Agency (NIA) has begun a preliminary enquiry to ascertain any sabotage angle in recent train derailments and accidents, officials said on Friday. They said at least four such

cases are being looked into by the anti-terror agency officials. "A preliminary enquiry has been registered to look into sabotage angles in recent accidents/derailments. At least four such cases are being

looked into," an official said.

Nothing concrete has come

up so far to suggest there were sabotage attempts in these train derailments/accidents, the official added. Some cases have been reported in the past over two months where empty gas cylinders, cement sleeper and boulders among other items were placed on railway tracks, suggesting deliberate attempts to damage railway properties

and harm passengers. On October 9, a goods train on its way to Kundanganj in Uttar Pradesh hit a cement Raebareli-Prayagraj railway section. The driver applied emergency brakes after seeing the construction part, but could not prevent the engine's cattle guard (front portion) from hitting the

On September 22, an empty gas cylinder was found on the track by a goods train loco pilot, who applied emergency brakes and stopped the train near Prempur Railway Station in Kanpur.

An attempt was also made to derail the Kalindi Express, heading towards Bhiwani Prayagraj, September 8, by placing an LPG cylinder on the track. A bottle of petrol matchboxes were also found sleeper placed on the at the site hinting at a

sabotage bid. Twenty coaches of the Sabarmati Express passenger train derailed near Govindpuri station Kanpur after its engine hit an object placed on the track, in the wee hours of August 17. The loco pilot of the train said that some boulder hit the cattle guard of the engine which got severely damaged and bent. There were no casualties reported in the derailment that occurred Kanpur between Bhimsen railway stations at around 2.35 AM. Railways Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw had last month said that the railway administration was on alert against potential train sabotage bids and was holding talks with authorities including the NIA and police

RPSC cancels exam for 111 senior posts due to confidentiality breach

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The Rajasthan Public Service Commission (RPSC) has cancelled a competitive examination for recruitment to 111 senior posts of the Local Self Government Department following breach of confidentiality during the conduct of the test. In the Revenue Officer Grade II and Executive Officer Class-IV Competitive Examination, 2022 conducted by the Commission on May 14 last year, 1,96,483 candidates had appeared for 111 posts.

Of them, a total of 311 candidates were included after the exam in the list issued for eligibility check and document verification.

There were incidents of cheating at examination centres at Bikaner and three verifications were registered there on also



the day of the examination. "It is clear from the FIRs and their challan reports that cheating took place at the examination centres through ultra-modern electronic devices. Regarding the complaints received, the Commission had written to SOG (Special Operations Group) and ATS (Anti-Terrorist Squad) on June 12 this year for investigation of the complaints," a release from the RPSC said. On the candidates appearing suspicious in the document

verification, the Commission re-examined

documents candidates from August 2 to 8. ADG ATS and SOG has informed the Commission that serious facts have come to light regarding the secrecy of the examination during the examination. The SOG has also registered a case and several accused have been

arrested.

"In view of all the above facts, the Commission found that during the conduct of the said examination, there was a complete lack of desired purity at some examination centres. Commission has decided to cancel the Revenue Officer Grade I and Executive Officer Class-IV (Local Government Department) Competitive Examination, 2022 and conduct the examination of all the applied candidates again in the near future," it said.

Your efforts should be focused on shaping our national vision of 'Viksit Bharat': J P Nadda at UCMS

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Union Health Minister J P Nadda on Friday emphasised the essential contributions healthcare professionals make to society and urged the newly graduated doctors to embody values of compassion, integrity, and dedication as they begin their medical careers. He was speaking at the 53rd foundation day convocation ceremony of the University College of Medical Sciences (UCMS) held here. Nadda highlighted the

government's commitment to strengthening India's healthcare system, emphasizing the importance of making medical services accessible to all citizens. He called on the graduates to

align their work with the national vision of 'Viksit Bharat'-a developed Indiaencouraging them to take an

active role in shaping this Reaching out to the students, he said, "Your efforts should be



national vision of 'Viksit

On the occasion, Lieutenant Governor of Delhi, VK Saxena, Prof. Balaram Pani, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi; Dr Mahesh Verma, Chairperson, Governing Body of UCMS and Vice-Chancellor, GGSIU, Prof. B Srinivas, Secretary, NMC and Deputy Director General, Medical Education were among those present at the

Nadda also talked about the significant financial investment made by the government in medical education and stated that approximately Rs 30-35 lakh is spent on each MBBS student. This investment underscores the expectation for these new focused on shaping our doctors to shoulder greater He further announced a

responsibilities and contribute meaningfully to the healthcare

landscape. Nadda also outlined important changes introduced in the National Health Policy in 2017, which transitioned the focus of healthcare from a predominantly curative model to a more comprehensive approach.

discussing

advancements in healthcare sector, Nadda noted several achievements, including the establishment of 22 All India Institutes of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), the opening of new medical and nursing colleges, and a remarkable increase in available medical education seats-over 100% more in MBBS and MD programs.

commitment to adding 75,000 more medical seats in the next five years, as promised by Prime Minister Narendra

Modi.

The ceremony also celebrated the accomplishments of the graduates, with degrees conferred to 146 MBBS students, 145 MD/MS students, 17 BSc (MT) radiology students, and four MSc (R&MIT) students, alongside 62 awards outstanding recognizing achievements. Besides, four certificates in Medical Laboratory Technology were awarded.

The event was also attended by Dr. Girish Tyagi, Registrar, Delhi Medical Council, President of the Delhi Medical Association, Dr Amita Suneja, Principal, UCMS.

Canada resolves five extradition requests for Khalistani terrorists

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

Of the 26 requests sent to Canada for extraditing Khalistani terrorists, Ottawa has resolved only five and the rest remain in limbo, India's top envoy to that country has said, calling it the result of "inaction". The five men are in the process of being extradited, High Commissioner Sanjay Verma told PTI in an interview this week. He said he is not at liberty to disclose the name or give details.

The interview took place on Wednesday, a couple of days after his return to New Delhi. India recalled him and five other Indian diplomats after they were named "person of interest" in a Canadian investigation into the 2023 killing of Hardeep Singh Nijjar, a Khalistani terrorist who was a Canadian citizen. Relations between the two

countries have plunged to their lowest level ever over the issue of Canada's tacit support for Khalistani extremists among the large Sikh-Canadian population of about 8 lakh. New Delhi accuses Ottawa of doing next to nothing to stop the activities of Khalistani supporters who seek to undermine the sovereignty and territorial integrity of India.

"According to the last information that I had, five of them have been resolved. Twenty-one are still pending, and these are pending since decades. So, I would say that there is an inaction rather than consultation. All the issues which get into the judicial system of a country, sometimes consultations, because we

follow two different judicial systems," he said. But, if there is no action in the

the last

Verma said.



last four-five or 10 years, then "I would only call it inaction",

extradition requests are for people who have been charged in India with terror and Recently, the Ministry of related crimes. India has also External Affairs said the 26 sought "provisional arrest" of

remains pending with Canada, under the Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty. Among those named by the ministry are Gurjeet Singh, Gurjinder Singh, Gurpreet Singh, Lakhbir Singh Landa and Arshdeep Singh Gill.

Nijjar, who was declared a terrorist by India, was shot dead outside a gurdwara in Surrey in the Canadian province of British Columbia on June 18 last year.

During the interview, the recalled envoy also spoke about the long-standing people-to-people ties between the two countries and the genesis of the Khalistani problem in Canada and how it became a hotbed of this movement Asked if the frosty relations

can ever warm up, Verma said: "I would only want that ties between the two countries get better. But, it should be better not because we want to make it better but because (we) both respect each other, both want to understand each other, both understand each other's core concerns.' He said India's core concern is very clear. "It has been told

many times to our Canadian friends that our core concern is the anti-India elements there, the Khalistani extremists and terrorists over there, who keep challenging India's sovereignty and territorial integrity. They (Canada) will need to somewhere handle them." He pointed out that the

Khalistanis in Canada are Canadian citizens, not Indian nationals. "So, what will be the future of India, this will be decided Indians. Foreigners will not decide it. They are ... Of Indian-origin but for us they are foreigners. Foreigners never had, have or will have any right to interfere in our internal affairs. Indians first arrived in

Canada in the early 1900s by

ship. Despite facing racial discrimination segregation, the Indians continued to live in Canada and eventually became citizens. A second wave of immigration happened after the 1984 Operation Blue Star on the Golden Temple in Amritsar, and the ensuing Sikh militancy for a separate Khalistan state in Punjab. While the Khalistani movement has no takers in Punjab or India now, it continues to flourish among a

Canadian Sikh community. The second round of Sikh immigrants found refuge in Canada due to "lenient Canadian legal system", Verma said. "They were able to get their permanent residence in citizenship in Canada. They sought asylum in Canada, on fictitious grounds.

small minority of Sikhs in the

Yogi vs Akhilesh: High-stakes battle in UP by-polls set to shape political future

The stage is set for a high-stakes showdown between Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath and Samajwadi Party (SP) chief Akhilesh Yadav in the assembly bypolls scheduled for November 13. While Adityanath will lead the National Democratic Alliance (NDA) campaign, Yadav is set to spearhead the INDIA bloc's electioneering. The contest has become particularly intense following the Congress's decision to stay out of the race in nine of the ten seats, leaving a virtual direct face-off between the BJP and the SP.

"The by-polls are not just about local issues, but also a litmus test for the broader alliance politics ahead of the 2027 assembly elections," Dr. Prashant Kumar explains. "A strong showing by the SP will bolster Akhilesh's position as the central figure of the INDIA bloc in Uttar Pradesh, while a victory for the BJP would reaffirm Yogi's grip over the state."

Among the nine assembly seats going to bypolls, eight were vacated after the election of sitting MLAs to the Lok Sabha in the 2024 general election. These eight seats are Karhal (Mainpuri), Katehri (Ambedkarnagar), Kundarki (Moradabad), Khair (Aligarh), Majhawan (Mirzapur), Meerapur (Muzaffarnagar), Phulpur (Prayagraj) and Ghaziabad Sadar (Ghaziabad). The Sisamau seat was vacated fol-

tenced by a court in a crimi-Another political analyst R.K. Mishra comments, "This

lowing the disqualification of sitting SP MLA Irfan

Solanki, who has been sen-

bypoll is not just about winning seats; it is a battle for prestige. For Adityanath, the stakes are even higher as he looks to recover from the setbacks the BJP faced in the 2024 Lok Sabha polls in Uttar Pradesh. It's a chance for him to reassert his hold over the party and state. After the BJP's less-than-

expected performance in the general elections, Adityanath has taken on a proactive role in the by-election campaign, seeing it as an opportunity to restore party morale and demonstrate his enduring influence. Adityanath's frequent visits to the constituencies and his direct engagement with party workers show that he is leaving no stone unturned. This is as much about managing internal dissent within the BJP as it is about winning seats.

Election Commission initiated prepa-"Adityanath's stature as a rations for the by-elections in July, Adityanath has led from strong leader is being ques-

tioned, especially after the the front. He has toured all party's defeat in key conthe constituencies, conducted stituencies during the Lok strategy meetings with local Sabha elections," says Mishra. leaders, and addressed public "The bypolls are his chance to

His campaign has been bol-stered by government-organized "rozgar melas" to attract young voters and the announcement of new schemes targeting farmers

to polls, Karhal, Kundarki, Sisamau, and Katehri are considered SP bastions. Political analyst Pradeep Tiwari notes, "Adityanath's strategy is clear—focus on breaching the SP strongholds. By fielding four OBC candidates, the BJP is trying to woo the backward class voters, which could be a

game changer." In contrast, SP chief Akhilesh Yadav has focused on micromanaging the campaign from his election war room at the party office. While his approach may appear low-key compared to Adityanath's public blitz, it is strategic. Yadav is banking on the PDA formula (Pichada or back-Dalits, Alpsahkhyaks or minorities), which delivered significant gains for the INDIA bloc in the recent Lok Sabha polls. The SP emerged as the largest party in Uttar Pradesh, winning 37 seats, while Congress bagged six, pushing the INDIA bloc's total to 43 against the NDA's 36.

"Yadav's emphasis on strengthening booth committees and directing leaders to focus on areas traditionally loyal to the BJP reflects a disciplined, ground-up approach," says Prof. Anil Singh, a political observer. "He's aiming to consolidate his core support base rather than getting caught in the BJP's aggressive campaign tactics." Yadav has also ensured the INDIA bloc's unity in Uttar Pradesh by announcing that the SP will contest all nine seats, with Congress's acceptance of this decision reinforcing his leadership within the alliance. An SP insider remarked, "Once the nominate ons are filed, the SP juggernaut will roll out in full force, with Akhilesh at the helm."

stituencies like Karhal, where Yadav's cousin, Tej Pratap Singh Yadav, has filed his nomination. Of the nine seats going to the polls, four were won by the SP, three by the BJP, and one each by the Nishad Party and RLD in the 2022 assembly elections. The stakes are particularly

high in Karhal, an SP stronghold, and Ghaziabad Sadar, where the BJP hopes to regain lost ground.

With polling set for November 13 and counting on November 23, all eyes are on the outcome, which could set the tone for the political narrative in Uttar Pradesh ahead of the 2027 assembly elections. As R.K. Mishra puts it,

This by-election is as much a test of Akhilesh's leadership as it is a referendum on Yogi's governance. It is a prelude to the battles yet to come."

Cyclone Dana paralyses life in Bengal

Even as severe cyclone Dana grazed past Bengal, tearing through Odisha coastline, its 'tail' and 'wings' packed heavy rains with gusty wind lashed southern parts of the State late on Thursday night and the entire Friday, affecting more than more than a million people, sources in the administration said If there was no casualty till

Friday evening it was because of the State Government evacuating 3.5 lakh people from coastal areas shifting them to safer places, closing down educational institutions and evacuating tourists from beach towns of Digha, Mandarmani, Bakkhali, Mausuni Islands, Namkhana and Udaipur, in East Midnapore and South 24 Parganas police said.

The cyclone made a landfall in Odisha at about 3.30 am since when it has been raining heavily throughout the nine districts of Bengal, sources said.

"We saw roaring winds catching and swinging the trees by



es), " a homemaker at Gosaba village by the Sunderbans said adding how the whole night a herd of deers swam across the Zilli river to take shelter inside the village before swimming back during

Mandarmani, Kakdwip, Canning, Baruipur, Howrah and Kolkata witnessed massive waterlogging.

Intermittent power cuts with the exception of Kolkata added to the people's woes, sources said.

There was extensive damage in East Midnapore and parts of South 24 Parganas where scores of trees were uprooted, officials said adding sea water had gushed inside the Sagar Islands where the famous Kapil Muni Ashram is situated. "We have reports that water has entered the temple... It Is expected to recede in a few hours," an official

prove that his charisma and

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are still intact."

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State minister Sujit Basu said that 13 battalions of SDRF and 14 battalions of NDRF had been deployed in coastal areas. Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee along with senior officials has been monitoring the situation entire night said Minister and Kolkata Mayor

Notwithstanding, large parts of Kolkata reeled under waterlogging with reports of protests coming from several areas as people complained inaction on the part of government.

"Much of the waterlogging is because the cyclone coincided with high tide as a result the lock gates of the major canals could not be opened .. However the water started flowing out after the high tide," officials said.

As part of precautionary measures the State had closed down government schools till Friday. While about 170 express trains were cancelled by Southeastern Railways 68 suburban trains too were not run by the Eastern Railways. The Port and Airport authorities too suspended operation on Thursday. Ship and ferry services had not been resumed till Friday evening, sources said.

The fishermen too had been asked not to venture out in deep seas and the order was to remain till Saturday, sources said.

Solar hydrogen-based microgrid to power Indian Army's off-grid location in Ladakh

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 $E_{\text{diesel-guzzler gensets, a}}^{\text{liminating dependence on}}$ solar hydrogen-based microgrid will soon power the Indian Army's off-grid loca-tion in Chushul, Ladakh, ensuring a reliable energy supply even during harsh winter conditions, where temperatures can plummet to -30°C at an altitude of 4,400

This innovative eco-friendly system, designed by the NTPC, a Public Sector Unit (PSU) will enhance operational efficiency while promoting sustainability in one of the most challenging envi-

On Friday, Defence Minister Rajnath Singh laid the foundation stone of this unique project through video conferencing in the presence of Chief of India defence services, CMD, of the NTPC A statement released from

the Government said that this system will operate independently, using hydrogen as an energy storage medium to supply 200kW of power round-the-clock throughout the year. "This system will replace existing diesel gensets at off-grid Army locations, providing a sustainable power supply despite harsh winter conditions, where temperatures drop to -30°C at an altitude of 4,400 meters.

"The NTPC will maintain the project for 25 years, aiming to support Indian soldiers stationed in these strategically significant tough terrains and challenging climate," said the statement.

These systems offer numerous advantages, including the integration of renewable energy sources, a stable power supply under adverse conditions, reduced carbon emissions, and the promotion of a cleaner and sustainable energy ecosystem as they are highly scalable and suitable for various applications.

Moreover, these systems combine the reliability of battery storage with the extended energy storage capability of hydrogen, ensuring a consistent power supply. Given Ladakh's high solar irradiance and low temperatures, this project will facilitate the production and utilization of green energy, eliminating reliance on fuel logistics and enhancing self-sufficiency in remote areas affected by road connectivity disruptions. Once operational, it would

usher in a new era of decarbonisation of the defence sector far off the Himalayas. As a part of the Government's 'National Green Hydrogen Mission,' NTPC has started a trial run of a hydrogen bus in

Leh recently towards achieving its renewable energy targets and carbon neutrality in The company is further set-

ting up a hydrogen fuelling station and solar plant along with five fuel cell buses for operation on intracity routes

NTPC is committed to achieving 60GW of renewable energy capacity by 2032 and becoming a major player in green hydrogen technology and energy storage domain.

Oath administered to newly elected MLAs in Haryana Assembly

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE

 $B^{\text{JP MLA Harvinder Kalyan}}_{\text{was unanimously elected}}$ speaker of the Haryana Assembly here on Friday. Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini moved a resolution in the House proposing Kalyan's name while BJP MLA Ranbir Gangwa seconded the pro-

Kalyan is a three-time MLA from Gharaunda in Karnal district. Prior to Kalyan's election as

speaker, Protem Speaker and senior Congress leader Raghuvir Singh Kadian administered oath to the newly elected MLAs of the 90-member House.

Kalyan, who assumed the Chair, after being elected as speaker, was congratulated by the chief minister and his party MLAs, Congress MLAs, including Bhupinder Singh Hooda, INLD MLAs Aditya Devi Lal and Arjun Chautala, and several other legislators. Earlier, Saini and other newlyelected MLAs were administered oath as member of the House of the 15th state

Pro-tem Speaker and senior Congress leader Raghuvir Singh Kadian administered oath to the newly elected MLAs.

Saini, who was sworn-in as the Haryana chief minister on October 17 in Panchkula, was the first one to be administered oath by the Protem Speaker.

After Saini, his council of ministers -- seven-time MLA from Ambala Cantt Anil Vij, Israna MLA Krishan Lal Panwar, Badshahpur MLA Rao Narbir Singh, Panipat Rural MLA Mahipal Dhanda, Faridabad legislator Vipul Goel, Gohana MLA Arvind Sharma and Radaur MLA Shyam Singh Rana -- were administered oath by the Protem Speaker.

Among ministers, Barwala MLA Ranbir Gangwa, Narwana MLA Krishan Kumar Bedi, Tosham legisla-



MLA Arti Singh Rao, Tigaon MLA Rajesh Nagar and Palwal legislator Gaurav Gautam were administered oath.

while Choudhry took oath in English.

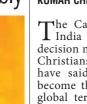
After the council of ministers, women MLAs were administered oath. Among them were BJP MLA Bimla Chaudhary, Congress MLA and former minister Geeta Bhukkal, BJP MLA Krishna Gahlawat, Congress MLA Manju Choudhary, Congress MLA Pooja, Independent MLA Savitri Jindal, BJP MLA Shakti Rani Sharma, Congress MLA Shakuntla Khatak and Congress MLA and Olympian wrestler Vinesh Phogat.

after taking oath.

After taking oath, former chief minister Hooda exchanged greetings with Chief Minister Saini and Vij, both of whom were seated together, and shook hands with them.

Singh, Ghanshyam Saraf, Kapoor Singh, Satpal Sangwan were also administered oath besides INLD members Aditya Devi Lal and Arjun Chautala. Congress MLAs Jassi Petwar and Vikas Saharan after taking oath, said "Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan,

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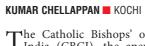
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Bedi took oath in Sanskrit

Phogat, who was wearing a sports jersey, said 'Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan, Jai Khiladi, Jai Naujawan and Jai Haryana'

MLAs, including Nirmal Jai Samvidhan".

Assembly polls, the BJP returned to power for a third consecutive term by winning 48 seats, while the Congress won 37 seats. The INLD won seats and three Independents were also elect-



Christians in the country, have said that Kerala has become the nerve center of global terrorism. "This has been substantiated by various intelligence and security agencies of the Government," said the CBCI statement issued late Wednesday

The statement further stated that terrorism which was decimated in Kashmir has raised its head in Kerala with vigor has led to widespread apprehension and fear among the State's population.

The CBCI said in the strongly worded statement that though the Government has the list of institutions, organizations and outfits which are the epicenters of terrorist activities and the list of locations from where they oper-

ate, the State authorities are suppressing the facts with an The Catholic Bishops' of eye on votes. It has also warned that organizations the State to express their solidarity with terrorist outfits like Hamas, Hezbollah and Houthis have sown seeds of hatred and discord.

The CBCI statement comes at a time when the Waqf Board of Kerala has issued an eviction order to more than 600 families settled in the picturesque Cherai-Munambam coastal village.

Functioning as an organization under the Government of Kerala, the Waqf Board claims that more than 400 acres of land is owned by the Board and the residents who have been residing there for more than seven decades should vacate at the earliest. Out of the 600 families, more than 400 families belong to the Christian community while the rest are from Hindu com-



munity. All of those who have been asked to vacate are poor fishermen and hold legal documents certifying that the land belong to them.

What welcome the visitor to Cherai village is an eerie of silence and it resembles a ghost village. There is a steep fall in the number of tourists visiting the village for experiencing the serene ambience of the sea shore and enjoy

sun-bath. The few well to do families have locked their residences and left for Europe and USA following threats issued by some extremist out-

Philip Joseph, vicar of the age old Church of Velankanni blamed the Waqf Board and the bureaucracy as the main culprits in this impasse. "They came from nowhere and took the land. Politicians of major

claiming that 33,000 acres of prime land belong to it and this means that thousands of people would find themselves out of their houses and prop-

Benny Kallingal, an expatriate Indian who returned to his native village with dreams of setting up a business so that at least 100 unemployed youth could be provided with a source of life is planning to go back as his dreams lie shattered.

'The tragedy is that all these residents in the village hold valid and legal documents that confirm the ownership. We have been asked to leave the village with the claim that the Waqf order is binding on all," said Kallingal. Siji Jinson, secretary to the parish, laments that her

parties are playing hide and father, grand father and their predecessors have been paying property tax till 2022. "In The Kerala Waqf Board has August 2022, the revenue the tax and told us that the land belongs to the Waqf and we are unauthorized settlers. What kind of justice is this?'

asked Siji. Joseph, Kallingal and Siji charged that the bureaucrats and major political parties are indifferent to our problems. The mainstream media in Kerala too is ignoring this burning issue," they said. Kerala, once described as the

role model for social harmony has become another Kashmir and the day is not far off when we become trespassers in our own State," said Denny Jose, secretary, BJP, Minority Morcha. Hundreds of members of the

laity are sitting on relay fast in front of the Church demanding the scrapping of the controversial law in the Waqf Act.

Indian scientists develop smart window technology operating without need for external electrical energy

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team of Indian scientists Ahave developed novel smart window technologies that operate without the need for external electrical energy, enhancing both their energy efficiency and functionality. Existing electrochromic smart window technologies require external power to function, allowing them to change color from transparent to blue and vice versa when an electrical stimulus is applied. While effective at blocking visible and near-infrared radiation thus lowering room temperatures—these technologies are often cost-prohibitive due to the expensive materials and processes involved. However, researchers led by

Dr. Ashutosh K. Singh at the

Centre for Nano and Soft

Matter Sciences (CeNS), an

autonomous institute under

the Department of Science &

Technology (DST), have addressed these limitations through two key studies. In the first study, the team eliminated the reliance on

external electrical power for electrochromic devices. In the second, they made the fabrication process more affordable. The result is a self-powered electrochromic smart window that operates using energy stored during its switching from transparent to colored states, significantly

improving its energy efficiency, affordability, and func-

Supported by the DST under the "Advanced Materials Technology (AMT)" program, this research focused on developing affordable electrochromic window technology in India. The team created a device that

stores electrical energy by changing color in response to a small electrical stimulus generated by electrochemical reactions occurring within the device itself. This technology is known as the Redox Potential-Based Self-Powered Electrochromic (RP-SPEC) device, commonly referred to as self-powered smart win-

In its colored state, the RP-SPEC device blocks both visible light and near-infrared (NIR) radiation, leading to significant reductions in room temperature and power con-

sumption. The device is constructed using tungsten oxide (WO3) electrochromic film, vanadium-doped nickel oxide (V-NiO) as the ion storage film, and aluminum as the anode, all coated on a single sheet of tin-doped indium oxide (ITO). This innovative design eliminates the need for an ITO-based counter electrode, making the device more cost-effective.

The research is published in the journal 'Small'. The development of these

electrochromic devices represents a major step towards sustainable energy utilization in buildings. By optimizing the process parameters and adopting cost-effective materials, we have created devices that not only enhance energy efficiency but also offer scalable and affordable solutions for modern infrastructures," Dr. Ashutosh K Singh point-

NHRC takes suo motu cognisance of media report of VIII standard girl suicide tel premises i.e. in the lawful

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¬he National Human The National Human Rights Commission (NHRČ) has taken suo motu cognizance of a media report that a 13-year-old girl student in VIII standard at a private school, allegedly died by sui-cide in Andhra Pradesh's Guntur district two days ago. Reportedly, the incident happened in the school hostel campus at Reddypalem village panchayat area of the District on 23rd October, 2024.

'The Commission has observed that the contents of the news report, if true, raise a serious issue of violation of the human rights of the vic-

The girl has reportedly committed suicide inside the hos-

custody of the school authorities which is a matter of concern," said a statement from the Apex body of the Human Rights. Accordingly, notices have been issued to the Chief

Secretary and the Director General of Government of Andhra Pradesh calling for a detailed report supported by a thorough probe within four weeks, added the statement. It is expected to include the status of the police investigation and post-mortem examination including the cause of death. The authorities are also

directed to share the report of any other enquiry conducted in the matter, said an official from the NHRC.

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Resilient India

As the threat of climate change grows, the nation's strategies offer a roadmap for dealing with natural calamities more effectively

yclone 'Dana' recently made landfall on the eastern coast of India, bringing with it heavy rains, strong winds and high tidal waves. While the cyclone's impact caused damage to infrastructure and disruptions to daily life, the nation's response showcased advancements in disaster preparedness and resilience. The Government's coordinated efforts, improved early warning systems, and proactive measures helped mitigate the cyclone's impact, preventing large-scale casualties and ensuring a quicker recovery. This development marks another step forward in India's ongoing efforts to handle natural calamities more effectively. Cyclone 'Dana' formed over the Bay of Bengal, following a trajectory that saw it intensifying into a severe cyclonic storm as it approached the coast. The eastern states of Odisha and West Bengal, already familiar with the threat of cyclones, were put on high alert. Cyclones are not new to India; in fact, the country has been battling such natural disasters for centuries. However,



a significant shift has been seen in recent years with India's proactive approach to cyclone management. India's approach to disaster management has evolved over the years. The Indian Meteorological Department (IMD) has made significant strides in forecasting the path and intensity of cyclones. With the use of advanced satellite technology, Doppler radar systems, and numerical weather prediction models, the IMD now provides early warnings with much greater accuracy. In the case of Cyclone Dana, the IMD issued timely alerts well in advance, allowing state governments to initiate precautionary measures. Over the past decade, India has vastly

improved its capacity to evacuate people from high-risk zones to safety. For Cyclone Dana, over 300,000 residents from coastal districts were moved to cyclone shelters, which had been strengthened as part of disaster preparedness programmes. Another critical component of India's improved disaster response is the emphasis on community awareness and participation. The improvements in India's cyclone preparedness did not happen overnight. The devastating impact of past cyclones, such as Cyclone Phailin (2013), Cyclone Fani (2019), and Cyclone Amphan (2020), served as a wake-up call for policymakers. For instance, Cyclone Phailin, which struck Odisha in 2013, caused widespread damage despite timely evacuations. The experience underscored the need for more resilient infrastructure and better early warning systems. Cyclone Fani in 2019 showed progress in the country's disaster response, as timely evacuations of over a million people saved countless lives. With Cyclone Amphan in 2020, the Government further fine-tuned its strategies, deploying more resources to affected areas and utilising technology for real-time monitoring. These efforts demonstrated that lessons from past cyclones were being effectively incorporated into future preparedness plans.



Farmers harvest paddy as clouds cover the skyline ahead of the landfall of Cyclone 'Dana', in Nadia

UN's relevance at stake as Israel defies it



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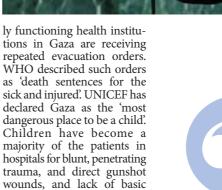
Israel's continuous assault on Gaza and blatant violations of international law are threatening the very foundation of the UN's credibility and existence

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– srael has been following a concerted policy to destroy Gaza's healthcare system, particularly those devoted to paediatric and neonatal, sexual and reproductive health services, and thus, committing war crimes and crimes against humanity', a UN Independent International Commission of Inquiry said in a new report, which is being presented to the UN General Assembly very soon. Israel has slammed it as 'outrageous', accusing the investigators of bias. Israel has been on a spree of retaliatory attacks on Gaza for the last year, after Hamas, stormed into its territory, killing and kid-napping several Israeli citizens. So far, Israeli retaliatory strikes, reportedly, had killed more than 42,000 civilians in Gaza and displaced almost its entire popula-

Ground reports indicate that Israel has adopted a calculated strategy of meting out 'punishment' to people, by systematically targeting Gaza's health infrastructure. Hospitals are now on the brink of collapse due to a shortage of electricity, medicine, equipment and specialised personnel (WHO). The year-long continuous bombardment had not spared operating rooms, medical equipment, health workers or ambulances with the Red Cross or Red Crescent emblem. At least 165 doctors, 260 nurses, 184 health associates, 76 pharmacists 300 management and support staff, and around 85 civil service defence workers lost their lives, and hundreds of bodies have been recovered from several mass graves around hospital grounds. Thousands of wounded people are suffering from life-changing injuries, and their lives are at risk for want of specialised care (WHO).

Israel's denial of medical supplies has endangered also the lives of at least 350,000 chronically ill patients. Patients in hospitals and people in relief centres are also showing signs of diseases associated with overcrowding such as stomach complaints, lung infections and rasnes. The incessant bombing has contaminated Gaza's air with asbestos dust, raising the threat of cancer shortly. Even those handful of partial-



Every day almost 10 children are losing one or both legs, and operations and amputations are conducted with little or no anaesthesia. The absence of a power supply has also enhanced the death toll of newborns as incubators stop functioning. The children staying a long time in hospitals without adequate nutrition are developing nutritional deficiencies which would result in long-term health consequences. Hospitals have turned into 'graveyards for thousands

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of children.

The threats to children go beyond 'bombs and mortars', as over 645,000 school children in the Gaza Strip, have lost a full academic year, and more than 800,000 children, three-quarters of Gazas entire child population, urgently need mental health and psychosocial support.

The UN Commission's report



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INFRASTRUCTURE

described the wide-scale disruptions in sexual and reproductive health care services, as 'reproductive violence, and infringement of women and girls' reproductive rights and rights to life, health, human dignity and non-discrimination. It has had irreversible long-term effects on the mental health and fertility prospects of about 540,000 women and girls of reproductive age.

Women are giving birth in hospitals when hospitals are drastically short of epidurals, anaesthesia and antibiotics. Many have been forced to give birth in unsafe conditions at home or in relief camps, with little or no medical support, risking the danger of lifelong injuries and even death. As women's access to food is severely restricted, pregnant and lactating women are at higher health and malnutrition risks (WHO).

have been blocked to the besieged territory for months together. More than seven hundred water wells have been destroyed, and half of Gaza's cropland (67.6 per cent), over 71 per cent of orchards and other trees, 67 per cent of field crops, and 58.5 per cent of vegetables nave been damaged (FAO). Israel has justified its attacks on major medical facilities under the plea that over 85 per cent of them were used

The entry of food and water

by Hamas for terror operations. But, so far, it has not provided evidence to substantiate the claim, the Commission's report mentioned.

Meanwhile, the UN General Assembly adopted a resolution, ordering Israel to withdraw from occupied Palestinian territory within one year. Earlier, the ICJ also ruled that Israel's continued occupation was 'unlawful' and ordered to end it 'as rapidly as possible'. Israel, in defiance, intensified onslaughts on the civilian population in Gaza and its natural resources, and declared the UN chief as a persona non grata, barring his entry to Israel.

Israel's actions blatantly breach

the Geneva and Hague Conventions, and the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, by intentionally starving a population, and continuing armed assaults on health apparatus and personnel. As the UN celebrates the adoption of its Charter on October 24, which is binding on the UN Member States, and, categorically, prohibits the use of force in international relations. After eight decades of its adoption, Israel's flagrant violation of its principles has threatened the very existence

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THE EDITOR

Overcoming investment biases: The real key to portfolio success_



While market conditions and external events do play a role, the primary driver of investment success is often the investor's own behaviour

≺he saying "You are not a failure until you start blaming others for your mistakes" by renowned basketball coach John Wooden holds significant truth, especially when evaluating the performance of our personal investment portfolios. It's a common tendency among investors to attribute poor results to external factors such as the choice of stocks or funds, the portfolio managers, market conditions, or other events beyond their control. Although these elements can influence investment outcomes, the primary factor affecting portfolio performance often lies in the investor's own behaviour. As investment expert Benjamin Graham famously noted, "The investor's chief problem, and even his worst enemy, is likely to be himself."

Recent investment trends, including significant inflows into thematic, sectoral, or small-cap funds, suggest that certain behavioural biases may already be influencing investor decision-making. Recognising these biases is crucial for investors to overcome them and make better investment choices. As psy-



Branden stated, "The first step toward change is awareness. The second step is acceptance." While various investor biases can lead to suboptimal decisions and unsatisfactory outcomes, some are particularly prevalent during a bull market like the one we are currently experiencing. Here are a few common behavioral biases: Overconfidence Bias: This bias leads investors to believe they possess more knowledge about the financial markets or specific investments

than they actually do, causing them to disregard expert advice or factual data. The impressive returns on equity investments in recent years have left many investors overly confident in their decisionmaking skills, often without acknowledging that much of

this success is due to the general bull market. Such overconfidence can be dangerous when the markets reverse course, as it may prompt investors to over-allocate to stocks or sectors they think will continue to perform well. Anchoring Bias: Many newer investors, especially those who entered the market post-COVID-19, have come to expect unusually high returns from equities, based on the exceptional gains seen in recent years. This anchoring can lead them to expect annual returns of 20 per cent or more, assuming such performance is typical. Setting expectations at these levels is risky because it may influence financial plans that later prove unrealistic when market con-

ditions change. **Herding Bias:** Also known as the bandwagon effect, herding bias is common during bull markets, where many investors follow the crowd. The prevailing optimism in a bull market creates an illusion that stock prices will only keep rising, leading to irrational decision-making. This mentality can inflate asset prices and eventually result in significant losses when the

market corrects itself. Recency Bias: This bias causes investors to place too much emphasis on recent events while ignoring long-term historical data. For those who began investing after the COVID-19 pandemic, the past few years have shown consistent market growth, leading to the false impression that downturns are rare or manageable. To navigate these biases, investors should strive to make informed and rational decisions, especially during periods of strong market growth. A long-term investment strategy can help counteract the temptations posed behavioral biases. Regularly investing through systematic investment plans (SIPs), maintaining a disciplined asset allocation and setting realistic expectations are practical approaches to reducing the impact of biases on one's portfolio. Ultimately, the key to successful investing lies in acknowledging that our behaviours and mindsets significantly influence outcomes.

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OVERWORK JEOPARDISES LIFE

DIPLOMACY AMIDST TENSION

Madam — Prime Minister Narendra Modi's recent visit to the BRICS summit has been hailed as historic, particularly for India. The summit, dubbed the "Kazan Diplomacy," made significant strides in easing tensions between India and China, marking a critical ice-breaker since the 2020 Ladakh border dispute. This easing of Sino-Indian tensions has renewed hopes of restoring trade relations. For the first time, BRICS was presented as a non-western grouping, syncing India's tone of dehyphenation between Russia and the West. On the economic front, discussions centred around strengthening the New Development Bank, moving towards alternatives to the SWIFT system, and promoting de-dollarisation.

Additionally, the Nijjar issue, raised by the Five Eyes Alliance, saw India respond with a strong message of international solidarity, affirming that India is not alone. However, while these outcomes appear positive, they may not fully serve India's strategic interests. BRICS, often alliterated as 'non-western', is actually the brainchild of American giant Goldman Sachs. Practically, reviving Indo-China talks is not a landmark achievement but a necessity for BRICS to avoid the fate of SAARC. Plus, China's investments in India have been associated with intellectual property violations, data theft, and interference in domestic politics. The push for de-dollarisation could further tilt the balance towards 'Yuan', exacerbating India's trade deficit with China. In this scenario, India must focus on "strategic self-interest." As External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar notes in The India Way, India's foreign policy must be driven by realpolitik, especially in the context of BRICS, where China's dominance is unmistakable.

Abhisek Pani | Bhubaneswar

Madam — A four-year-old child and her father died after being run over by a taxi pilots, 18,766-nearly 15 per cent were

Priyanka's political debut



riyanka Gandhi Vadra is all set for her political debut from the seat of Wayanad, the peculiar constituency from the heartland of southern India. The Congress is all set to make Wayanad an important position to fortify the states of the south, particularly after

with an allegedly dozing driver when they were walking to board a bus for school in Kolkata on Tuesday morning. Amid the persistent demand for a 70-hour work culture by Infosys co-founder, N R Narayana Murthy, and other corporate entrepreneurs, overwork makes drowsy drivers meet fateful accidents on high-

According to a study, almost a third of app-based cab drivers work for 14 hours a day, while more than 83 per cent work over 10 hours and 60 per cent work over 12 hours. This kind of overwork is a slow way to slaughter people. Long work hours made drivers physically exhausted. Plus, the 10-minute delivery at the doorstep policy of certain e-commerce platforms are two of the reasons behind many road traffic accidents in our country. On the other hand, Indian Railways have been playing with our lives by not filling up vacant posts and by forcing their personnel, even loco pilots, to overwork. An RTI reply says that of 1,27,644 sanctioned posts of loco pilots and assistant loco

tions, where the INDIA Alliance lost Haryana but managed to settle well in J and K. So far, Privanka Vadra wishes to enter into full-fledged politics since really long, but never ever fills her the nomination to officially join her polit-

ical family into reality. But now that she has finalised her commitment and filled out her nomination on October 23. This will help Congress to gain a personal touch with the people of South India, as after Rahul Gandhi chooses to keep Rae Bareilly, there creates a vaccum of political connection in targeting the southern states specifically. Now it is up to the people of south heartland states, that how the people will response and support her in her political decision. Whether her debut turns smooth or not, is something only time can tell

Kirti Wadhawan | Kanpur

vacant as of March 1 this year. How can a loco pilot remain alert if he has to do Sujit De | Kolkata

FOCUS ON REAL ISSUES

Madam — The Assam CM Himanta Biswa Sarma has promised to name all the districts in Assam with the names of Ram and Krishna. While this may be in consonance with his religious sentiments, how is it going to help the people of the state? Name changing is getting to be the main thrust of the politics of the BJP. Infiltration is a serious problem in Assam, but the numbers dished out seem to be arbitrary with no real data to back There are much more serious problems

Assam is facing than the need for name changing. It would be better for the people and the nation if CM's dealt with issues that matter and not silly games! Anthony Henriques | Mumbai

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DO YOU HAVE A GALLOPING MIND

Through meditation and practices like pranayama, one can anchor the wandering mind



RAVI VALLURI

ong ago, there lived an old farmer who was barely productive. Day after day, he would sit on the porch and gaze at the farmland as his son toiled hard and cultivated the land. Seeing his father unemployed frustrated the son. Finally, he gave in to the obnoxious thoughts in his mind and decided to nail his father in a coffin and throw him off a cliff. As he was about to do so, he heard a knock from inside the coffin. The startled son opened the coffin and saw his father sleeping peacefully in it, and remarked, "Throw me if you want, but save the wood of the coffin for your dire times." The old man was mindful and aware. The ungrateful son had a galloping mind. 'Vitrushnasya vashikara sajana vairagyam' is an aphorism in Sanskrit that implies that a mind that gallops is an obstruction in itself.

We hear from fellow meditators that they experienced bliss, or saw a shimmering light, and felt that they could observe some celestial beings holding and touching them during the process of meditation. And then the mind starts wandering and galloping. Meditation happens very naturally, like a person brushing his teeth or undertaking his daily chores. The human mind, which is free from feverish desires, cravings, illusions and dreams attains poise. Lord Krishna says in the Bhagavad Gita, "You cannot get into yoga (union with self) unless you drop the hankering for desires in you.

A former colleague who retired recently mentioned during our morning walks that he was unable to sleep or rest peacefully as his mind was cannonaded with innumerable thoughts, worries and anxieties. If 80 per cent efficacious events transpired in our lives and there were 20 per cent unwelcome situations, the mind focuses on the



20 per cent. A mind that gallops is never grateful nor counts its blessings. Such a mind becomes fossilised, is full of anger and continues living in the events of the past. It suffers from attitudinal problems and great lack. A person with such tendencies should realise and pause to think that everything in life is transitory and ephemeral. The hope of spring is replaced by the simmering heat of the summer, followed by welcome rains in the monsoons, which the dry lands ache for. Autumn provides us with opportunities and then winter makes out a balance sheet of the assets and liabilities of work done and those not undertaken. A wandering mind is akin to a pendulum, swinging between daydreaming and wishful thinking, consequently landing in mediocrity and unproductive activity.

The retired colleague probed further as to whether meditation or reading would assist the mind in composing itself for a good night's rest or sleep. It is indeed a paradoxical situation. The mind needs to be occupied and yet be free from cravings so that it does not gallop or wander. This trait or quality can be cultivated only through the practice of vairagya or dispassion. The 'I' factor in the mind lives in the past or future. Instead of being a repetitive parrot, it needs to reinvent and reengineer its configuration and layout. Freshness ignites a spark for providing a new trajectory or direction in life. Politeness makes the mind humble and is propelled out of its closet to learn and it becomes contemporary to acquire skills hitherto not tried. When challenged, the mind slowly but surely stops galloping and regains composure. By practising pranayama, breathing techniques, yoga and pursuing knowledge over a period, the mind stops galloping, regains its alacrity and glides into a space of dispassionate meditation and joyous living.

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BRICS Summit: A defining moment for the Global South



With calls for economic stability, environmental action and cultural unity, the Kazan Declaration emerges as a manifesto for South-South collaboration



few days after India's External Affairs Minister's historic visit to Islamabad for the 23rd meeting of the SCO Council of Heads of Government, the most significant annual event of the Global South unfolded in Kazan, Russia: the BRICS summit. Kazan, conquered by Ivan the Terrible in 1552, marks the end of the Kazan Khanate and the beginning of Russian expansion eastward. As the local Tatar proverb warns, "If the

heavens give, they also take away," it serves as a sobering reminder of the precarious balance between fortune and misfortune, urging humility and preparedness for inevitable change. This week's summit signifies a pivotal moment for the Global South, challenging Western dominance while exposing its mockery of international humanitarian laws and the chaos it fuels in West Asia, particularly in Palestine and Lebanon, threatening to lunge the entire world into unprecedent ed conflict and despair.
As leaders from Brazil, Russia, India,

China, South Africa and their new members, along with other observers, convene, this summit transcends a mere gathering of nations and boldly asserts the aspirations and capabilities of the Global South. While Brazil's President Lula da Silva could not attend due to health issues, the voices of his counterparts resonated powerfully, highlighting a profound commitment to cooperation, peace and mutual respect—values starkly contrasting the narrative perpetuated by the West. At this critical juncture, it is essential to clarify that BRÍCS, a coalition dedicated to tackling the pressing issues of our time—from economic instability to environmental crises—is not merely a reaction to Western hegemony but a proactive strategy aimed at reshaping the global order based on equity and collabora-

As Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi articulated during his address, "In a



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world facing unprecedented challenges, our cooperation must be grounded in mutual respect and common interests. The world looks to us for leadership that transcends borders and fosters peace." Meanwhile, Chinese President Xi Jinping insisted, "As we navigate the complexities of a multipolar world, our shared responsibility is to promote peace, stability and development. BRICS must stand as a pillar of support for developing nations, ensuring their voices are heard on the global stage." This alliance signals a fundamental shift in how nations engage with one another, moving away from zero-sum games toward a collaborative approach that recognises the NEW MEMBERS, approach that recognises the interconnectedness of global challenges.

As Kishore Mahbubani recently pointed out in an interview with this writer, we are all in the same boat; if the boat is sinking, there's little value in arguing about who has the bigger cabin. THIS SUMMIT The West, by contrast, continues to entrench itself in a militaristic and hostile narrative, frequently resorting to propaganda that demonises nations like China GATHERING and Russia. Their actions manifest deadly conflicts that leave the rest of the world in turmoil, profiting from the misfortunes of

ASSERTS This perverse approach often disregards the cultural and historical contexts of the Global South, presuming to lecture them on how to behave. The West has OF THE GLOBAL abandoned its wisdom; as Henry Kissinger once reflected, "The ability to think and act rational-

BRICS nations exemplify this capacity, constructively detailed in the Kazan Declaration, prioritising collaboration over confrontation. As President Vladimir Putin asserted during the summit, "Our collective strength lies not in military might but in our ability to forge alliances based on shared interests and mutual respect. It is time for us to reject the outdated paradigms that have long governed international rela-The declaration issued at the

summit serves as a powerful manifesto for South-South cooperation, highlighting that the true strength of nations lies in their ability to unite for mutual benefit, rather than succumbing to the divisive tactics historically employed by imperial powers. As leaders from BRICS nations deliberate on economic collaboration, environmental sustainability, and cultural exchange, they reaffirm their commitment to creating a world where cooperation supersedes historical grievances and petty political squabbles.

This is not a manifestation of warmongering; rather, it represents countries historically struggling to achieve mutual respect and dignity for all citizens. This commitment starkly contrasts the Western obsession with maintaining hegemony through military interventions and economic coercion—shamelessly punishing small nations like Cuba with sanctions while turning a blind eye to the massacre of unarmed civilians in Palestine and Lebanon. Yet, they continue ly in the face of adversity is the to preach about how to protect hallmark of a great power." The democracy and universal human

rights. In this precarious period where the West often exploits humanitarian crises as a pretext for military interventions, BRICS champions a principled approach that prioritises dialogue and partnership.

The commitment to peace-building reflects a deep understanding that true security cannot be achieved through military might but through fostering genuine relationships grounded in respect and equality. This summit represents a pivotal call to action, where BRICS nations acknowledge that their strength lies in recognising shared destinies rather than past grievances. Historical lessons caution against allowing mistrust to dictate inter-national relations, as genuine peace stems from understanding and collaboration.

The BRICS summit challenges the prevailing narrative of fear and division. It highlights the urgent need to tackle global challenges like climate change and economic instability, showcasing the Global South's proactive stance in crafting a future rooted in cooperation and collective growth. Let us hope for a better world, where these Asian giants, India and China, will come together to heal historic scars of mistrust, opening more gates for Indo-Pakistani peace, ensuring no room for proxies to manipulate these countries into becoming pawns of the West. Have we been used and manipulated, bullied enough? Is this the final moment for us to unite for greater emancipation?

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Has celebrity endorsement eclipsed the art of advertising

While famous faces lend instant appeal, the question arises: Have we lost the human touch that made ads meaningful

n the early days of advertising, brands leaned heavily Lon compelling stories and memorable taglines to forge deep emotional connections with consumers. Think of the Hutch ad with the loyal dog faithfully following a boy, Cadbury Dairy Milk's joyous dancer celebrating in a stadium, or Surf Excel's "Daag Ache Hain" campaign.

These weren't just commercials; they became cultural touchstones that left lasting impressions on how we remember those brands. Brands like Hutch and Airtel built their reputations on narrative-driven ads without relying on celebrities, focusing on themes like reliability, friendship and joy. The success of these campaigns lay in making the story the hero and seam



lessly integrating the product into narratives that resonated deeply with audiences. However, there's been a noticeable shift toward extensive celebrity endorsements, with famous faces promoting everything from luxury cars to everyday appliances. This raises the question: Has the art of storytelling been overshadowed by the allure of celebrity charisma? Yet, some celebri-

ty-driven ads have managed to ences. maintain that emotional connection through powerful narratives. Amitabh Bachchan's association with "Kaun Banega Crorepati (KBC)" is a prime example.

The show's branding isn't just about a game show; it's about dreams, aspirations, and lifechanging moments for ordinary people. Similarly, Shah Rukh Khan's long-standing partnership with Hyundai has produced ads that go beyond showcasing cars. The recent Hyundai Samarth initiative highlights inclusivity and empowerment for people with disabilities. In these ads, Shah Rukh Khan doesn't just endorse a product; he becomes part of a narrative that promotes positive social values,

resonating deeply with audi-

These campaigns succeeded

not merely because they featured a celebrity but because they tapped into universal emotions and values that consumers could relate to. The story remained the hero, and the celebrity enhanced the narrative without overshadowing it. It was advertising at its purest-focused on connection and meaning.
From Bollywood actors

endorsing financial products like mutual funds to cricketers promoting real estate or soft drinks, celebrity endorsements have become penetrative. MS Dhoni's involvement in mutual fund advertisements is a prime example of this. His trustworthiness, especially in tier 2 and tier 3 cities, has made financial products seem more



approachable and credible to audiences that might otherwise be skeptical. Similarly, big-name stars in paan masala ads, while controversial, have undeniably increased the visibility and sales of these prod-

But why has there been such a shift toward celebrity-centric advertising? Several factors contribute to this trend. In an age of fragmented attention spans, grabbing consumer



challenging, and celebrities Their recognisable faces and

star power can make a product stand out in a crowded media space. Celebrities also embody trust and credibility; consumers often associate a celebrity's success with the quality of the product they endorse, especially where trust in unfamiliar brands may be lacking. The rise of social media has transformed attention has become more celebrities into influencers

with massive followings, and brands tap into these personal connections to reach audiences. As brands expand globally, they use celebrities with international appeal to reach wider, more diverse markets.
While celebrities can help create buzz, technology-particularly Artificial Intelligence (AI)-also plays a significant role in shaping modern advertising strategies. AI algorithms analyse consumer behaviour, preferences, and trends, helping brands create highly personalised and targeted campaigns. However, this data-driven approach can sometimes lead to formulaic ads that prioritise metrics over creativity, risking the loss of the human touch that makes storytelling so powerful.

The rise of social media influ-

encers has introduced a new dynamic to endorsements. Únlike traditional celebrities, influencers often have niche audiences and engage with them on a more personal level. Their brand value lies in relatability and authenticity, which can feel more genuine compared to the polished image of mainstream celebrities. Brands now balance using high-profile celebrities for mass appeal with influencers for targeted, authentic engagement, understanding that while star power is influential, content and genuine connections with consumers still matter deeply.

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Israeli strikes kill 38 people in Gaza's Khan Younis, three journalists in Lebanon

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sraeli strikes killed 38 people in Gaza and three ⊾journalists in Lebanon on Friday as growing worries about supply shortages in Gaza and international pressure for a cease-fire mounted

The deaths reported by Gaza health officials were the latest in the southern Gaza city of Khan Younis, where people have in recent days lined up for bread outside the city's only bakery in operation. They come a day after United States Secretary of State Antony Blinken said that Israel had accomplished its objective of "effectively dismantling" Hamas and "effectively implored both sides to revive negotiations.

Also on Friday, an Israeli airstrike on a compound housing journalists Lebanon killed southeast three media staffers. Outside of now-collapsed buildings rented by various media outlets, cars marked "PRESS" lay covered in dust and rubble after the strike, Associated Press photos showed.

The Israeli army did not issue a warning prior to the strike. Representatives of the news networks and Lebanese politicians accused Israel of war crimes and intentionally targeting journalists.

"These were just journalists that were sleeping in bed after long days of covering the conflict," said Imran Khan, a senior correspondent for Al Jazeera English who was among the journalists in the compound In a social media post, he said

he and his team were unhurt. The Beirut-based pan-Arab Al-Mayadeen TV said two of its staffers — camera operator Ghassan Najar and broadcast technician Mohammed Rida were among the journalists killed early Friday. Al-Manar TV of Lebanon's Hezbollah group said its camera operator Wissam Qassim was also killed in the airstrike on the region. Mayadeen's director Ghassan



bin Jiddo alleged that the Israeli strike on a compound housing journalists was intentional and directed at those covering elements of its military offensive. He vowed that the Beirut-based station would continue its work.

Lebanon's Information Minister Ziad Makary said the journalists were killed while broadcasting what he called Israel's crimes, and noted they were among a large group of members of the media. "This is an assassination, after

monitoring and tracking, with premeditation and planning, as there were 18 journalists present at the location representing seven media he wrote in a institutions," post on X.

The Israeli military did not immediately comment on the strike. Ali Shoeib, Al-Manar's well-known correspondent in south Lebanon, was seen in a video filming himself with a cellphone saying that the camera operator who had been working with him for months was killed. Shoeib said the Israeli military knew that the area that was struck housed journalists of different media organisations.

"We were reporting the news and showing the suffering of the victims and now we are the news and the victims of Israel's crimes," Shoeib added in the video aired on Al-Manar TV.

The Hasbaya region has been spared much of the violence along the border and many of the journalists now staying there have moved from the

nearby town of Mariavoun that has been subjected to sporadic strikes in recent weeks. Earlier in the week, a strike hit an office belonging to Al-Mayadeen on the outskirts of Beirut's southern according suburbs, Lebanon's Health Ministry.

Lebanon's Health Minister said Friday that 11 journalists have been killed and eight wounded since exchange of fire began along the Lebanon-Israel border in early October 2023.

In November 2023, two journalists for Al-Mayadeen TV were killed in a drone strike. A month earlier, Israeli shelling in southern Lebanon killed Reuters videographer Issam Abdallah and wounded other journalists from France's international news agency, Agence France-Presse, and Qatar's Al-Jazeera

The killing of journalists has prompted international outcry from press advocacy groups and United Nations experts, although Israel has said it does not deliberately target them.

On Thursday, the Committee to Protect Journalists said it had preliminarily counted 128 journalists killed in Gaza since the war began.

Israel has accused journalists working for Al Jazeera of being members of militant groups, citing documents it purportedly found in Gaza. The network has denied the claims as "a blatant attempt to silence the few remaining journalists in the region?

CHOGM: LEADERS ASK BRITAIN TO RECKON WITH SLAVERY

King Charles says past can't be changed

AP WELLINGTON

King Charles III told a summit of Commonwealth countries in Samoa Friday that the past could not be changed as he indirectly acknowledged calls from some of Britain's former colonies for a reckoning over its role in the trans-Atlantic slave trade. The British royal understood "the most painful aspects of our past continue to resonate," he told leaders in Apia. But Charles stopped short of mentioning financial reparations that some leaders at the event have urged and instead exhorted them to find the "right language" and an understanding of history "to guide us towards making the right choices in future where inequality exists?

"None of us can change the past but we can commit with all our hearts to learning its lessons and to finding creative ways to write the inequalities that endure," said Charles, who is attending his first Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting, or CHOGM, as Britain's head of state.

His remarks at the summit's official opening ceremony echoed comments a day earlier by British Prime Minister Keir Starmer that the meeting should avoid becoming mired in the past and "very, very long endless discussions about reparations." The UK leader dismissed calls from Caribbean countries for leaders at the biennial event to explicitly discuss redress for Britain's role in the slave trade and mention the matter in its final joint

But Britain's handling of its involvement in the trans-Atlantic slave trade is seen by many observers as a litmus test for the Commonwealth's adaptation to a modernday world, as other European nations and some British institutions have started to own up to their role in the trade.

"Ī think the time has come for this to be taken seriously," said Jacqueline McKenzie, a partner at London law firm Leigh Day. "Nobody expects people to pay every single penny for what happened. But I think there needs to be negotiations."

Such a policy would be costly and divisive at home, McKenzie said.

The UK has never formally apologized for its role in the trade, in which millions of African citizens were kidnapped and transported to plantations in the Caribbean and Americas over several centuries, enriching many individuals and companies. Studies estimate Britain would owe between hundreds of millions and trillions of dollars in compensation to descendants of slaves.

The Bahamas Prime Minister Philip Davis on Thursday said he wanted a "frank" discussion with Starmer about the matter and would seek mention of the reparations issue in the leaders' final statement at the of climate change.



event. All three candidates to be the next Commonwealth Secretary-General — from Gambia, Ghana and Lesotho — have endorsed policies of reparatory justice for slavery. Starmer said Thursday in remarks to reporters that the matter would not be on the summit's agenda. But Commonwealth Secretary-General Patricia Scotland told The Associated Press in an interview that leaders "will speak about absolutely anything they want to speak about" at an all-day private meeting scheduled for Saturday.

King Charles said in Friday's speech that nothing would right inequality "more decisively than to champion the principle that our Commonwealth is one of genuine opportunity for all." The monarch urged leaders to "choose within our Commonwealth family the language of community and respect, and reject the language of division."

He has expressed "sorrow" over slavery at a CHOGM summit before, in 2022, and last year endorsed a probe into the monarchy's ties to the industry.

Charles — who is battling cancer — and his wife, Queen Camilla, will return to Britain tomorrow after visiting Samoa and Australia where his presence prompted a lawmaker's protest over his country's colonial legacy

He acknowledged Friday that the Commonwealth had mattered "a great deal" his late mother Queen Elizabeth II, who was seen as a unifying figure among the body's at times disparate and divergent states.

The row over reparations threatened to overshadow a summit that Pacific leaders and the Commonwealth secretariat — hoped would focus squarely on the ruinous effects

EAST BOUND FESTIVAL SPECIAL TRAINS-2024

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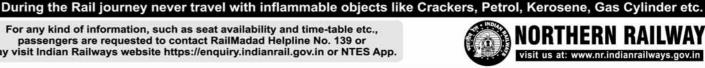
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Trump says China's leader will | Harris warns of 'brutally serious' bully Harris 'like a baby'

AP WASHINGTON

Donald Trump said Thursday that China's leader would handle Vice President Kamala Harris "like a baby" if she's elected to the White House, as the former president and his top allies increasingly have moved to infantilise the Democratic nominee.

"If somehow Kamala wins, she'd have to deal with Xi Jinping," conservative radio host Hugh Hewitt said of the Chinese president. "How would he handle her?

Trump replied, "Like a baby." "He'd take all the candy away very quickly," Trump continued. "She wouldn't have any idea what happened. It would be like a grand chess master playing a beginner."

Trump has built his political career around name-calling, inventing jeers for his opponents going back to his first run for president in 2016, when he

slammed Republican primary rivals like "Low Energy" Jeb Bush, the former governor of Florida, and "Little" Marco Rubio, the Florida senator. The former president also has a long history of belittling women. But Trump has unleashed a special array of personal often condescending — attacks against Harris, from calling her "lazy" — a word long used to demean Black people in racist terms — to insisting she's a "stupid person" and asking whether she is "on drugs." He's also called Harris, the first woman of colour to lead a major-party ticket, "slow" and has accused her of "slow" and has accused her of having a "low IQ."

The latest line of attack, combining sexism and deeply personal jeers with referring to Harris as a child, comes with Election Day now barely a week off. His campaign did not immediately respond to a request for comment about the remarks.

The former president, who has escalated his already dark and inflammatory rhetoric in the race's final stretch, spoke at a rally later Thursday in Tempe, Arizona, where he criticised Harris' handling of immigration. He accused Harris of perpetrating "a wicked betrayal of America" and having "orchestrated the most egregious betrayal that any leader in American history has ever inflicted upon our people, even though crime is down. During an evening event in Las

Vegas, Trump compared Harris to "a vulture" in the way he characterised her approach to tax increases. "Even after Kamala wrecked your economy with inflation, she came after you with tip income, like sort of like a vulture would do. Trump said. "If she gets four more years, Kamala Harris will pick your pockets."

Harris has offered her own share of insults against Trump, calling him "increasingly unhinged and unstable." During a CNN town hall Wednesday she also called Trump a "fascist." She was set to join a rally Thursday night in the Atlanta suburbs with for mer President Barack Obama and musician Springsteen. In his Thursday morning interview with Hewitt, Trump said he watched Harris' town hall on CNN and described her as coming off "like a child, almost."

"She's an empty vessel," Trump said. "But she's beautifully pushed around by a very smart very powerful, very liberal viciously liberal but very, very smart, powerful party called the Democrats.'

Some of Trump's allies have used similar attack lines. On Wednesday, former Fox News Channel host Tucker Carlson was warming up the crowd at a Trump rally in Georgia when he suggested that Trump was ready to punish the vice pres-

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consequences if Trump wins

AP CLARKSTON

Bruce Springsteen and Barack Obama lent their star power to Kamala Harris' quest for the presidency on Thursday, as the vice president implored Georgia voters to consider the "brutally serious" consequences if Donald Trump wins a second term in the White House

Harris asked voters to imagine who'll be sitting in the Oval Office just three months from now and think about the new president's priorities.

'It's either Donald Trump in there stewing over his enemies list, or me working for you, checking off my to-do list," she said. "You have the power to make that decision.

The presence of Springsteen, whose career spans five decades, and former President Obama, still one of the biggest names in Democratic politics, highlights how Harris is leaning on some of the most noteworthy names in the party to help her deliver her

closing message and lambast her opponent.

Obama, who got a rousing reception from the rally crowd at a packed high school football stadium outside Atlanta, told his audience, "I get why people are looking to shake things up, but what I cannot understand is why anybody would think that Donald Trump would shake things up in ways that are good for you.

Harris echoed that message in her speech, warning that "the consequences of him being president again are brutally serious." The lengthy rally ran well behind schedule and seemingly took a toll on attendees. While the vast majority of seats remained full, hundreds of people streamed out of the event early as Harris spoke after hours of program-

The other speakers wasted no time attacking Trump.

Obama argued his successor was always "trying to sell you stuff," was someone who only

cares about "his ego, his money, his status," and regularly gives lengthy speeches that are "just word salad." "We do not need four years of a wannabe king, a wannabe dictator," Obama said before offering Harris as someone "ready for the job."

After arguing Trump is focused only on himself, Obama added, "If you elect Kamala Harris ... she will be focused on you."

Springsteen, too, focused on Trump.

After a performance of "The Promised Land," a ballad off his 1978 album "Darkness on the Edge of Town," Springsteen told the Georgia audience he was backing Harris because he wants "a president who reveres the Constitution.

There is only one candidate in this election who holds those principles dear, Kamala Harris. She's running to be the 47th president of the United States. Donald Trump is running to be an American tyrant," Springsteen added before playing "Land of

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Trump campaign called Harris' use of Obama and Springsteen "a desperate, last-ditch effort to "a desperate, last-ditch effort to salvage her spiraling campaign."
"Relying on celebrities is nothing new for the party of Hollywood elites — and as voters realize the depths of Kamala's incompetence and radicalism, she needs an added draw," the campaign said in a statement. Harris' rally in Clarkston - an eastern Atlanta suburb — reflected the suburb's reputation as the "most diverse square mile in America." The community has taken in waves of immigrants and refugees, and 40% of its population was foreign-born in

Hope and Dreams" and "Dancing in the Dark." The

The DJ working the crowd before the event started called out not only to graduates of historically Black colleges and univer sities, but to West Indians. Among those in the snaking line to enter were people of Asian descent and women in hijabs.

Dhaka court scraps 2015 case against Khaleda Zia

Acourt here has scrapped a Case against former prime minister Khaleda Zia and three others over the death of 42 people across the country during the Bangladesh Nationalist Party's blockade programme and general strikes in 2015.

Dhaka Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Ziadur Rahman passed the order on Thursday, accepting a police report filed in this regard, state-run news agency Bangladesh Sangbad Sangstha reported.

The three other accused in the case were BNP standing committee member Barrister Rafiqul Islam Miah, former vice-chancellor of Dhaka University late Professor Emajuddin Ahamed and former adviser to BNP chairperson Shamsher Mobin Chowdhury.

The case was filed with the Dhaka Metropolitan Magistrate Court by AB Siddique, president of Jananetri Parishad, on February 2, 2015. The court later ordered Gulshan Police Station to file a report.

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PROTECTION OF SLOPE IN HIGH **CUTTING AND CONSTRUCTION OF** GABBION WALL

Tender Notice No. CE/CON/2024/ OCT/03; Dated: 21-10-2024. Open tender through e-tendering system is invited from experienced and reputed contractor(s)/firm(s) for the following works. Tender No. CE-CON-DK-PW-2024-05. Name of work: Protection of slope in high cutting and construction of Gabbion wall with backfill and structural fill behind the wall a Piphema yard in between Ch: connection with Dimapur (Dhansiri) Kohima (Zubza) New BG Railway Line project. Approximate Value ₹224,46,75,556.52/- E-tender will be closed at 14:30 hrs. on 26-11-2024 and opened at 15:30 hrs. on 26-11 2024. For details of Tender please visit

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investigating officer submitted his report saying allegations brought against the accused were not found to be true. Last month, the 79-year-old BNP chairperson was acquitted in five separate cases, including one filed over allegations of celebrating a "fake birthday" and another for supporting war criminals.

Zia was under house arrest for the past five years and returned to her home from the hospital as a free person following a presidential pardon

She was acquitted of all charges against her following the fall of the Awami League government led by her archrival Sheikh Hasina on August 5. Zia served as the prime minister of Bangladesh from March 1991 to March 1996, and again from June 2001 to October 2006.

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PUBLIC NOTICE CORRIGENDUM AGAINST TENDER NO. NGCD-WF-LUB-09-24-25

It is to inform to the public at large that
Mrs. Meenakshi Yadaw W/O Mr. Titu Yadav @
Titu Kumar who is the owner of the Commercial
Plot on land area measuring 27:59 150, Mtrs.,
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Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of subsection (2) of section 366 of the Companies Act, 2013, an application has been made to the Registrar of Companies that a section 8 company may be registered under Part I of Chapter XXI of the Companies Act 2013, as a company limited by Shares.

The principal objects of the company are a

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A copy of the draft memorandum and articles of association of the proposed company may be inspected at the office at 9G, Vandana Building, 11 Tolstoy Marg, Connaught Place, New Delhi

the date of publication of this notice, with a cop to the company at its registered office.

Name(s) of Applicant 1. Rahul Dewan 2. Anand Prasad

Tender Value: ₹3.41.91.771.83: Earnes Money: ₹3,21,000.00. E-tenders will be closed at 15:00 hrs. on 13-11-2024 and Opened at 15:00 hrs. on 13-11-2024 at office of the Divisional Railway Manager (Works), Rangiya. The complete

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Notice is hereby given that any person objecting to this application may communicate their objection in writing to the Registrar of

ted 17th October, 2024

PUBLIC NOTICE Re: Entire Ground Floor and First Floor without roof/terrace rights "said floors" part of Property bearing No. E-85, rae measuring 200 sq. yds. (total area 1800 sq. ft.) situated in the residential colony known as South Extension, Part-I, New Delhi; hereinafter referred to as the "said romesty".

lotice is hereby given to the general publ cluding Banks, Financial Institution informed by our client, Mr. Mayun Patil, he is the sole and absolut vner of the said floors vide (1) Sale De gistered as Document No. 2023/9/I/5485 o 13.09.2023- (SRO-V (1) in respect of Ground Floor; and (2) Sale Deed registered a Document No. 5354 on 25.08.2023- (SRO-1)) in respect of First Floor. In this connection ur client has further informed us that the ollowing original documents namely (1) Gif Deed registered as Document No. 12552 lated 25.09.2009 executed by Mr. Jai Dayal ir avour of Mrs. Pramila Lakhina and Mr. Anki ocument No. 11325 on 31.12.2013 execute thina; (3) Rectification Deed registered a cument No. 1672 on 07.03.2015 execute by Mr. Jai Dayal in favour of Mrs. Pram akhina and Mr. Ankit Lakhina; (4) and Mis locuments including Stamp papers, have leen lost, misplaced and not traceable hese documents form part of the chair ocuments and hereinafter called the "sa documents". An FIR regarding loss of these said documents has been lodge with Delhi Police Crime Branch vide Lf No.2241494/2024 dt 24.10.2024. Now ou lient intends to mortgage the said floors wit ndusInd Bank Ltd., for availing loan facility. If the aforesaid original said documents or ar of them are/is found or have/has been found by any person, the same may be returned ar ivered to the undersigned at the addres entioned herein below. Further, if an nerson, body, institution is having any clair and/or objection in respect of the said floors le/she/they may raise his/her/ thei objection/s, in writing, with documentar evidence, by Registered AD Post, to the undersigned at the address mentioned herei below within 07 days of publication of this notice. Otherwise, after expiry of 07 days from the date of publication of this notice, no

bjection shall be acceptable and the sa oors shall be mortgaged by our client in vour of, IndusInd Bank Ltd., and no objection eneral Public may also take note that ar leal or transaction done by anybody on th isis of the said documents or any of the shall be illegal and not binding on our clier The person doing so shall be liable to t

SHIVKANT ARORA, ADVOCATE

1-74. LOWER GROUND FLOOR

FOR M/S INTELLECTIVE LAW OFFICES

DEFENCE COLONY, NEW DELHI-110024

he General Public is hereby informed London, NW1 5NE is the rightful and absolute owner/allottee and in physical Plot No. E - 217 A, E Block, measuring super area 253.31 Sq. Yards located in Village Nangalkalan in "TDI City", Kundli, Sub-Tehsil Rai & Distt, Sonepat, Haryana duly registered in the office of Sub-Registrar, Rai, Sonepat, Haryana Conveyance Deed bearing No. 2462

Unfortunately, I have lost/misplaced the original documents viz., conveyance letter, zoning/setback plan, booking receipt and the extension letter for the said plot. The said plot is free from any encumbrances, mortgage, charge or ien and is not subject to any finance whatsoever by any individual, bank or

If anyone finds or locates the abovenentioned documents or has any bjection, claim, interest or dispute elated to the said plot, then he/she/ within 15 days from the date of this

Lavish M. Sakhrani R/o 101, Berkley Court, Glentworth Street, London, NW1 5NE

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby informed that I, Nisha M. Sakhrani r/o 101,

Berkley Court, Glentworth Street

London, NW1 5NE is the rightful and

and lawful possession of Residential Plot

area 253.31 Sq. Yards located in Village Nangalkalan in "TDI City", Kundli, Sub-

Tehsil Rai & Distt, Sonepat, Haryana duly

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deed, letter of allotment, possession

letter, zoning/setback plan, booking

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said plot. The said plot is free from any

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and is not subject to any finance

whatsoever by any individual, bank or

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related to the said plot, then he/she/

they should contact the undersigned

within 15 days from the date of this

Glentworth Street, London, NW1 5NE

Nisha M. Sakhrai

R/o 101, Berkley Court

No. 2463 Dated 12/12/2013

financial institution.

PUBLIC NOTICE that I, Lavish M. Sakhrani r/o 101, Berkley Court, Glentworth Street, Berkley Court, Glentworth Street, ondon, NW1 5NE is the rightful and absolute owner/allottee and in physical and lawful possession of Residentia Plot No. F - 219, F Block, measuring super area 314.5 Sq. Yards located in Village ehsil Rai & Distt, Sonepat, Haryana duly registered in the office of Sub-Registrar, Rai, Sonepat, Haryana and conveyed in ny name vide Conveyance Deed bearing No. 2464 Dated 12/12/2013.

> original documents viz., conveyance deed, letter of allotment, possession letter oning/setback plan, booking receipt and the extension letter for the said plot. The said plot is free from any encumbrances, mortgage, charge or ien and is not subject to any finance vhatsoever by any individual, bank o inancial institution. anyone finds or locates the above

nentioned documents or has any bjection, claim, interest or dispute related to the said plot, then indersigned within 15 days from the date of this publication.

> R/o 101, Berkley Court Glentworth Street, London, NW1 5NE

> > **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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Berkley Court, Glentworth Street,

ondon, NW1 5NE is the rightful and

absolute owner/allottee and in physical

nd lawful possession of Residential

Plot No. E - 217. E Block, measuring

super area 253.31 Sq. Yards located in

Village Nangalkalan in "TDI City", Kundli, Sub-Tehsil Rai & Distt, Sonepat,

Haryana duly registered in the office of

Sub-Registrar, Rai, Sonepat, Haryana

and conveyed in my name vide

Conveyance Deed bearing No. 2460

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letter, zoning/setback plan, booking

receipt and the extension letter for the

said plot. The said plot is free from any

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Glentworth Street, London, NW1 5NE

R/o 101, Berkley Court,

Dated 12/12/2013.

financial institution.

publication.

F-Tender Notice No. CON/2024 OCT/02 Date: 22-10-2024. Open tender through E-Tendering system is invited from experinced and reputed contractors (s)/firm(s) for the following works: Tender No. CE/CON/M-P/ROB/2024/02. Name of work: Construction of Road over Bridge (Bridge No. 01) of span 5x25 Slab) + 1x36 (Composite Girder) + 3x12 (RCC Solid Slab) + 3x25 (RCC Girder) along with VUP in approach and construction of 02 nos of culverts at Ch. 800 m in between Murkongselek - Sille Block section in connection with Murkongselek -Pasighat new B.G. Line Project of N. F. Railway. Tender Value: ₹40,09,12,941.43/-. Earnest Money: ₹21,54,600/-. Date & Time of Closing of Tender: 14.30 hrs. of 19-11-2024 & opening at 15.30 hrs. of 19-11-2024. The complete information with tender documents of above e-tender will be available in website www.ireps.gov.in

Chief Engineer/Con/4 **NORTHEAST FRONTIER RAILWAY**

PROCLAMATION REQUIRING THE PPEARANCE OF PERSON ACCUS (See Section 82)

CASE NO. 3213/2018 ASHOK ARORA VS MATTU SALVINDER SINGH

MATTU SALVINDER SINGH S/O VEER SINGH R/O FLAT NO. 130. 1ST FLOOR, TYPE-2, TIMARPUR, DELHI-110054 Also at:- Store Incharge, Molona Azad Medical college & Associates Hospital Bahadurshah Zafar, Marg, New Delhi WHEREAS complaint has been made before me that Mattu Salvinder Singl has committed (or is suspected to have committed) the offence punishable under section 138 NI ACT, and it has been returned to a Warrant of arrest thereupon issued that the said Mattu whereas it has been shown to my satisfaction that the said Mattu Salvinde Singh has absconded (or is concealing himself to avoid the service of the said warrant). Proclamation is hereby made that the said Mattu Salvinder Singh is required to appear before this Court to

> Ms. Sanghmitra Metropolitan Magistrate-01 Room No.54 Distt. Shahdara KKD Court Delhi-110032

> > Dated: 23/10/2024

CAN FIN HOMES LTD

CIN: L85110KA1987PLC008699,

Above Canara Bank Building, First Floor, Piot No C – 3,

Sector – 1, Noida, Uttar Pradesh, Pin Code: 201301,

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 real

with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., Noida Branch, will be sold by holding e-auction on "As is where is" "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 02-12-2024, for recovery of Rs.21,78,059 (Rupees Twenty One Lakh Seventy Eight Thousand Fifty Nine Only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from Mr. VIPIN SHISHODIA S/O SURENDER PAL SINGH ,Mrs. PRATAP SINGH (Guarantors), as on 25-10-2024, together with further interest and other charges thereon. The reserve price will be Rs. 17,00,000/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakh Only) and the earnest money deposit will be Rs.1,70,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Seventy

(Description of the immovable property)

Residential House Second Floor (Top Floor), Plot No G-62, Khasra No. 1482, Balaj Enclave, Village-Raispur, Pargana-Dasna, Tehsil And District Ghaziabad. Bounded By East: Road 20 Ft. Wide On Ground Floor, West: Land Jawahar, North: Plot No. G-61

South: Plot No. G-63 Known Encrabance: Ni The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website o

Link for participating in e-auction: https://sarfaesi.auctiontiger.net

Date: 25-10-2024 Can Fin Homes Ltd Place: NOIDA

Can Fin Homes Ltd., (https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx).

Office of the Superintending Engineer 1st Circle, Public Works Department, Almora Phone/Fax: 05962-230295 Email: sepwdalm@rediffmail.com

Letter No.: 4886(I)/ Nivida-01/2024-25

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING (E-Tendering)

E-TENDER NOTICE The superintending Engineer, 1st Circle, PWD Almora invites tender through E-Tendering (Two Bid System) on

behalf of Honourable Governor of Uttarakhand for following works. All other information will be available from dated 26/10/2024 & onwards on website http://www.uktenders.gov.in Cost of Farnest Validity

SI. No.	Name of Work	Cost of Tender Form	Money (Rupee in lakh)	Validity of Tender	Time of Completion	Contractor's Category of Registration for tendering
1	PD PWD Almora Improvement and Strengthening work of Betaleshwar-Syalidhar Motar Road in Almora District under CM Ghoshna No. 777/2021 (Length 4.00 Km.)	₹ 5000.00 + 18% GST	₹ 5.94 Lakh	120 Days	15 Month (including Rainy Season and Winter Season)	Class "B" & Higher in Road work in Central Govt./ Any state Govt./ Any Govt. Undertaking.
2	PD PWD Ranikhet Damarikaran work of Gairkhet Balmara- Saraikhet Motor Road (Gairkhet to Balmara Section Km. 11 to 15) in Sult Constituency under CM Ghoshna No. 490/2014	₹ 5000.00 + 18% GST	₹ 8.85 Lakh	120 Days	12 Month (including Rainy Season and Winter Season)	Class "A" & Higher in Road work in Central Govt./ Any state Govt./ Any Govt. Undertaking.
3	CD PWD Ranikhet Improvement and Damrikaran of Amyadi - Kudkoli Motor road under State Sector in Tarikhet Block of Almora District (Length 3.75 Km.)	₹ 5000.00 + 18% GST	₹ 4.71 Lakh	120 Days	15 Month (including Rainy Season and Winter Season)	Class "B" & Higher in Road work in Central Govt./ Any state Govt./ Any Govt. Undertaking.
4	PD PWD Bageshwar Almora Construction work of Type-II and Type-III Residential Buildings for the staff of Civil Judge (Judiciary) court, Garur in District-Bageshwar under State Sector.	₹ 5000.00 + 18% GST	₹ 7.46 Lakh	120 Days	15 Month (including Rainy Season and Winter Season)	Class "A" & Higher in Building work in Central Govt./ Any state Govt./ Any Govt. Undertaking.

E-AUCTION PROGRAMME FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER'2024

The forth coming e-auction schedule for Sale of Railway Scrap material under the jurisdiction of Dy. CMM/NFR/New Jalpaiguri for the month of November'2024 unit wise, is hereby fixed as under For GSD-New Jalpaiguri Month DATED FIXED

1	November'2024	05-11-2024, 12-11-2024 & 26-11-2024				
For A	For Alipurduar Division					
SN	Month	DATED FIXED				
1	November'2024	05-11-2024, 12-11-2024 & 26-11-2024				
For K	For Katihar Division					
SN	Month	DATED FIXED				
1	November'2024	05-11-2024, 12-11-2024 & 26-11-2024				
Intere	Interested bidders are advised to bid through IREPS website					

(www.ireps.gov.in) for registration, training, participation in e-Dy. CMM/New Jalpaiguri **NORTHEAST FRONTIER RAILWAY**



PUBLIC NOTICE

M/s Worldwide Resorts And Entertainment Pvt. Ltd.
CIN: U74999DL2016PTC299194

Registered office: 738, 2nd Floor, Block-A, Shastri Nagar, North West Delhi, New Delhi 110052
Corporate office: SCO 2, 3 & 4 Old Judicial Complex, Jharsa Road, Sector 15, Gurugram, Haryana-122001
Email:legal@mdlrgroup.com; Phone No: 0124-4829000

Whereas M/s Worldwide Resorts And Entertainment Pvt. Ltd. is in process of developing an Industrial Plotted Colony known as "The Go City" on the land admeasuring 118.15 acres situated in the revenue estate of village Bans Haria and Bans Khusla, Sector M-9, M-10, M-13 & M-14 of Manesar, District Gurugram, Haryana under License No. 136 of 2022 dated 08.09.2022 vide Memo N. 4711/Asst.(MS)/2022/27450issued by the Director General, Department of Town & Country Planning, Haryana, Chandigarh. ("DGTCP") And Whereas M/s Worldwide Resorts And Entertainment Pvt. Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as the "Company")has applied for change of Bank Account(s) from Axis Bank Limited, Branch: Sector-15, Gurugram, India and accordingly the Company has obtained In-principal Approval from change of Bank Account(s) from Haryana Real Estate Regulatory Authority, Gurugram, Haryana. (HARERA). Accordingly vide this public notice, the general public is hereby notified/informed that the following changes have been made in the Bank Accounts:-

PARTICULARS PREVIOUS BANK ACCOUNTS NEW BANK ACCOUNTS Axis Bank Limited IFSC Code UTIB0000791 IOBA0001205 120502000000912 Master Collection Account No. 922020049747950 RERA Account No. 922020049744841 120502000000915 921020041922279 120502000000914 Promoter Free Cash Flow Account No.

M/s Worldwide Resorts And Entertainment Pvt. Ltd. Dated: 26.10.2024

Government doubles Ioan Right time to join India's growth story, limit under Mudra Yojana

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

The government has doubled the loan limit under the Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY) to Rs 20 lakh to promote entrepreneurship country.

This increase aspires to further the overall objective of the Mudra Scheme which is funding the unfunded, the finance ministry said in a statement on Friday. A notification in this regard

was issued on Thursday. As announced by the Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman on July 23, 2024, in the Union Budget 2024-25, the limit under the Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY) has been enhanced from the

current Rs 10 lakh to Rs 20 "The limit of Mudra loans will be enhanced to Rs 20 lakh from the current Rs 10 lakh for those entrepreneurs who

have availed and successfully



said Sitharaman presenting the Budget in the

enhancement specifically beneficial to upcoming entrepreneurs facilitating their growth and expansion. The move is in

The guarantee coverage of PMMY loans up to Rs 20 lakh will be provided under the Credit Guarantee Fund for Micro Units (CGFMU).

PMMY was launched on April 8 2015 by Primo

April 8, 2015, by Prime Minister Narendra Modi to facilitate easy collateral-free micro-credit of up to Rs 10 lakh to non-corporate, non-farm small and microentrepreneurs for incomegenerating activities.

Loans under PMMY are provided by Member Lending İnstitutions (MLIs) banks, Non-banking Financial Companies (NBFCs) Institutions Microfinance (MFIs), and other financial intermediaries.

As per the existing scheme, banks provide collateral-free loans up to Rs 10 lakh under three categories -- Shishu (up to Rs 50,000), Kishore (between Rs 50,000 and Rs 5 lakh) and Tarun (Rs 10 lakh).

PM Modi tells German business forum

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Tnviting German businesses to invest in the country, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Friday said there is no better place for investment than India and this is the right time to join the country's growth story.

Addressing the 18th Asia-Pacific Conference of German Business 2024 here, the prime minister emphasised that the time was 'right' for foreign investors to participate in India's growth story, join 'make in India' initiative and 'make for the He also said the confidence

that Germany has expressed in India's skilled manpower is amazing as the European nation has decided to increase visas for the skilled Indian workforce from 20,000 to 90,000 per year and this will give a further push to the economic growth of germany. "This is the right time to join India's growth story... India becoming a global trade and



manufacturing hub," Modi said, adding, today India stands on strong pillars of democracy, demography, demand and data.

He further said that India is doing record investments in roads, railways, airports and ports and the Indo-Pacific region is very important for the future of the world.

The conference was held on Friday after a gap of 12 years. government has prepared a roadmap for making India a developed nation by 2047 and in this important time, the German cabinet has released a "Focus on India" document to further strengthen ties between the two countries. He added that India is becoming a major hub for diversification, de-risking,

trade and manufacturing.

It provides huge business

opportunities for German

technology and its important missions related to sectors such as artificial intelligence, semiconductor, hydrogen, and space technology too provide opportunities for investments

For investors and businesses,

he said, "what could be a

He added that the four key pillars of India's growth are

infrastructure, and to drive all this, "we have the power of

India is focussing on skills and democratisation of

aspirational India (AI).

technology,

better place than India?"

innovation.

minister said.

He added that the visiting delegation should enjoy India's culture, cuisines and shopping also.

and collaborations, the prime

The bilateral trade is over USD 30 billion at present. Hundreds of German companies are operating in India while Indian firms are also increasing their presence in Germany.

Jobs creation most pressing global issue: FM Nirmala Sitharaman

PTI ■ WASHINGTON

 $F_{\text{Sitharaman has called}}^{\text{inance Minister Nirmala}}$ jobs creation the most pressing global issue, given the continued economic headwinds and rapid technological changes that are reshaping the skills needed for youth to enter the job market.

She also asked the World Bank to collaborate with countries to identify highpriority skilling sectors that generate employment.

Sitharaman's remarks came during her intervention at the plenary lunch "How Should the World Bank Shape Its Future Strategic Direction and Help Clients Create More Jobs to Keep Evolving with Megatrends.'

She emphasised that jobs are the most pressing global issue, given the continued economic headwinds and rapid technological change that are redefining the skills required for youth to enter the job market, the Ministry of Finance said on X.

previously conducted several types of jobs they will studies on sectoral trends and their potential impact on employment, covering areas like 'green jobs,' jobs after artificial intelligence, and shifts due to changing demographics, she said on



who

Thursday. However, she stressed that the need for the hour is a more comprehensive, multisectoral analysis - one that examines how emerging trends interact and influence both job loss and job creation.

This analysis should also factors like geopolitical fragmentation and its effects on sectors such as food production, exports, and related employment, she

In addition to the traditional manufacturing-led gevelopment pathway, Sitharaman highlighted the

generate.
During her intervention, the finance minister urged the World Bank to collaborate with countries in identifying high-priority skilling sectors based on data, analysis, and

knowledge work, with a focus on generating employment, skill matching, focus and labour retention.

As per the notification issued

in this regard, the new category of Tarun Plus is for

loans above Rs 10 lakh and up

to Rs 20 lakh and would be

available to the entrepreneurs

successfully repaid previous

have availed and

She also underscored the importance of an outcomeoriented roadmap with a implementation strategy to effectively put these plans into action. Currently in the American

capital to attend the annual meetings of the International Monetary Fund and the Worl Sitharaman Thursday held a bilateral meeting with Rachel Reeves, Chancellor of the Exchequer

The two leaders discussed need to explore alternative bilateral issues. Sitharaman said that India looks forward to the next Economic and Financial Dialogue during first half of next year in London.

of the United Kingdom.

She also conveyed best wishes to her for her first Budget presentation next

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

Gold drops ₹ 1,150 to ₹ 80,050 per 10 grams; silver declines ₹ 2,000

Gold price dropped Rs 1,150 to Rs 80,050 per 10 grams in the national capital on Friday on slackened demand from jewellers and ratailors, according to All retailers, according to All India Sarafa Association. Silver also remained under

selling pressure and slipped below the Rs 1 lakh mark by declining Rs 2,000 to Rs 99,000 per kg. The metal had closed at Rs 1.01 lakh per kg in the previous close on Thursday

Additionally, gold of 99.5 per cent purity fell Rs 350 to Rs 80,450 per 10 grams against the previous close of Rs 80,800, while the precious metal of 99.9 per cent purity declined Rs 1,150 to Rs 80,050 per 10 grams against Rs 81,200 on Thursday. Traders said tepid demand

from jewellers and retailers in the local markets and a weak trend in the overseas markets weighed on gold prices. In futures trade on the Multi

Commodity Exchange (MCX), gold contracts for Rs 406 or 0.52 per cent to trade at Rs 77,921 per 10 grams.

Silver contracts for December delivery plummeted Rs 1,134 or 1.17 per cent to Rs 95,898 per kg on the bourse. In the global markets, Comex

Sebi comes out with periodic reporting

format for research analysts



gold futures fell by USD 15.90 per ounce or 0.58 per cent to USD 2.733 per ounce.

"Gold declined on Friday as macro data fuelled growing bets that the US Federal Reserve's rate-cutting cycle will be less aggressive than expected," Saumil than expected, Gandhi, Senior Analyst of Campadities at HDFC expected," Commodities at Securities, said.

US unemployment claims declined for a second week, highlighting a resilient labour market, while a rise in the S&P PMI reinforced strong private sector momentum added.

However, the demand for a safe haven and the expectation of improving India's retail demand for upcoming festivities capped the heavy losses, he noted. According to Praveen Singh

Associate VP, Fundamental Currencies and Commodities at Sharekhan by BNP Paribas, gold traded lower in delayed response to Thursday's US data. Further, the lack of specific details of alternate payment systems at the BRICS summit is also pressuring the metal.

Silver was traded 1.39 per cent lower at USD 33.33 per ounce in the Asian market hours. "On the market outlook, the

bullion is likely to close the week in positive, amid support from safe-demand, Presidential elections outcome, and rising bets for aggressive rate cuts from global central banks," Pranav Mer, Vice President, EBG -Commodity & Currency Research, JM Financial Research, J Services, said.

Piyush Goyal says no free trade pact if EU insists on opening dairy business



PTI NEW DELHI

ommerce and Industry **└**Minister Piyush Goyal on emphasised understanding and respecting mutual sensitivities to fasttrack India-EU free trade agreement talks, and said there would be no pact if the European Union insists on opening the dairy sector. Speaking at the Asia-Pacific Conference of German Business, the minister also said that "extraneous" issues

like labour and climate change should be discussed at international forums. He added that the two sides have to understand, listen and

appreciate the sensitivities of each other. You (EU)

who have different priorities; India has 27 states. I may be growing apples in one state which does not permit me to open apples," he said, adding that the per capita income of EU member countries is much higher than that of the

Indian states. He also said that there is a need to focus the energies on

trade and on promoting investments and deeper strategic partnerships to push the talks.It will have to be a political decision and the negotiations cannot be left to the bureaucracy alone, the minister said. If we respect (these) things,

the FTA can be done very honourably, admirably, and fast," Goyal said."First the sensitivities between the 27countries of the EU and my 27 states collectively as the Union of India... If we respect each other's sensitivities like with UAE, Australia and EFTA, we respected each other's sensitivities and not hurt. For example dairy, I just cannot open up dairy. If the EU insists that I open up dairy, there is no FTA," he added.Australia did its first FTA without dairy with India as they respected India's

YouTube launches shopping affiliate programme in India

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

7ouTube Y launched the YouTube Shopping affiliate programme in India, that would allow eligible creators to tag products in their videos and earn revenue when viewers purchase them on retailers'

that Announcing programme will roll out starting with Flipkart and Myntra, Google-owned video steaming platform termed

India market as a "shining contributor" to creator economy globally.

Travis Katz, General Manager and Vice President, Shopping, YouTube, said the global success of YouTube Shopping, with over 30 billion hours of with over 30 billion hours of shopping-related content watched in 2023 alone, underlines the power of connecting creators, viewers, and brands in exciting new

ways.
"We're now bringing this same momentum to India with the launch of the YouTube Shopping affiliate programme starting with Flipkart and Myntra. We're unlocking a new phase of product discovery, powered by the strong connections between creators and their viewers," he said, adding that the programme offers Indian



to diversify their revenue streams and deepen their connection with audiences. Put simply, YouTube Shopping affiliate programme allows creators to earn by recommending products, across videos, shorts and live streams. The programme makes it easy for viewers to discover and shop, and creates

for creators, according to YouTube. The YouTube Shopping affiliate programme builds on existing monetisation options like ads revenue, YouTube premium, brand connect, and other fan-fuelled features like channel memberships, super thanks, super chat, and super stickers, providing a comprehensive suite of tools

new revenue opportunities

for creators to engage and thrive on the platform. "We're always looking to provide creators with more choice in how they connect their viewers to products they love. We will look to gradually expand to more partners in the future, as we continue to build our capabilities," Katz



for periodic reporting for research analysts (RAs) and proxy advisers (PAs). The regulator has recognised the Research Analyst Administration and Supervisory Body (RAASB) for the administration and supervision of RAs under the RA Regulations. As the Proxy Advisers (PAs) are registered under the RA norms, they will also come under the purview of RAASB.

 $M^{
m arkets}$ regulator Sebi on Friday came out with a standardised format

In its circular, Sebi said that RAs will submit their periodic report to RAASB, and PAs will submit their periodic reports to Sebi. The periodic reports will be submitted by RAs/PAs within 30 days from the last date of the reporting period.

period. Further, RAs/PAs are required to submit periodic reports for half-yearly periods ending on September 30 and March 31 of every financial year. The first reporting period will be a half-yearly period ending on March 31, 2025, and reports thereof will be required to be submitted by April 30, 2025.

Hence, a time of around six months has been provided to RAs and PAs



for submission of their first periodic report to give them sufficient time make necessary arrangements providing the required data.

Under the periodic reporting format, research analysts/proxy advisors need to disclose details of registration number, official website address, details of social media handles, advertisements issued, bank accounts used for receiving fees from clients details of from clients, details of directors/ partners, shareholding pattern and details of the complaints against them, among others.

In a separate circular, Sebi has allowed a nonindividual investment

advisor to obtain an annual compliance certificate for client-level segregation from any auditor to promote ease of doing business. Under the rule, a non-

individual investment adviser is required to maintain on record an annual certificate from its statutory auditor, confirming compliance with the client level segregation requirements. It has been decided to grant 30 days to submit periodic reports to IAASB. "For the subsequent half-yearly periods, IAs shall submit periodic reports within 30 days from the end of the half-yearly period for which details are to be furnished," Sebi said. statutory auditor,

Credit growth for banks to moderate to 12 per cent

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 $R_{\text{anticipates}}^{\text{atings}} \ \underset{\text{steady}}{\text{agency}} \ \text{Icra}$ slowdown in credit growth for banks and non-bank financial companies (NBFCs) on account of regulatory measures and tighter funding conditions in the domestic markets.

The agency estimates the incremental bank credit growth to slow down to Rs 19-20.5 lakh crore in 2024-25, around 12 per cent Year-on-Year (YoY) growth, compared to Rs 22.3 lakh crore, or 16.3 per cent rise, in the previous

For the NBFCs, Icra said the growth in assets under management (AUMs) is expected to slow down sharply to 16-18 per cent in the current financial year from 25 per cent in 2023-24. The recent regulatory actions on certain entities are expected to push others to adjust their business practices and models, which shall also have a bearing on near-term growth, it said.

Once the rate cut cycle starts, "the regulatory measures to slow down bank credit growth will be crucial for banks to cut their deposit rates...This will especially be important for maintaining the margins, as the cut in policy rates expected in H1 CY2025 will exert downward pressure on lending rates," Anil Gupta,



Senior Vice President & Co-Group Head - Financial Sector Ratings at Icra, said. However, the proposed changes in guidelines for liquidity coverage ratio could mean the immediate cut in deposit rates, resulting in delayed transmission of rate cuts, Gupta added. During the last two years, the

high credit growth in the retail segment has potentially resulted in overleveraging and credit slower impairing the refinancing ability of some of these

borrowers. Such tightening often results in weaker borrowers falling behind in their repayment schedule, thereby increasing the asset quality pressure for the lenders, the rating agency

"As bank funds constitute a

larger share in the overall funding of NBFCs, a slower credit flow from banks to the NBFCs will also compress their AUM growth. The NBFCs in unsecured and digital lending businesses shall face a higher squeeze in funding compared to others," said A M Karthik, Senior Vice President and Co-Group Head - Financial Sector Ratings at Icra. The agency further said that

loan segments, which have high lending rates or marginal borrower profiles, like microfinance, personal loans, credit cards or unsecured business loans, are already showing delinquencies.

It expects these segments, which are largely unsecured, to continue to be a source of stress in the near term.

The LalitArpan Festival celebrated its 23rd edition, a poignant dance drama that illuminated the emotional journeys of legendary women from the Mahabharata, says SAKSHI PRIYA



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story that goes beyond time, drawing

the viewers into her emotional

In contrast, Gopika Varma's

portrayal of Draupadi through

Mohiniyattam exuded both elegance

and power. Varma's ability to blend

delicate movements with fierce

expression highlighted Draupadi's

dignity in the face of adversity. The

gentle sway of her body and the

eloquent use of her hands articulated

a narrative of defiance and strength,

capturing the essence of Draupadi's

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Sharon Lowen, performing as

Gandhari through

brought a poignant

portrayal was a heartfelt exploration of a mother's

with

movement reflecting the

weight of her sorrow.

Lowen's ability to convey

such raw emotion through the

graceful arches and bends of her

body transformed the stage into a

space of profound vulnerability,

leaving the audience deeply

now in its 23rd edition, captivated audiences at the Stein Auditorium, New Delhi with an enchanting display of classical Indian dance. The festival, founded by the illustrious Padmashri Guru Shovana Narayan, along with Dr. Jyotsna Suri and the late Ustad Shafaat Ahmed Khan, continues to serve as a prestigious platform for both established and emerging talents in the performing arts. This year's highlight was the

evocative dance drama "Stree Spandan: Why I Did What I Did," which explored the profound emotional journeys of three iconic female characters from the Mahabharata: Kunti, Draupadi and Gandhari. The performances by Shovana Narayan, Gopika Varma and Sharon Lowen mesmerised the audience, each dancer showcasing her unique style while remaining deeply connected to the

Narayan, embodying Kunti through Kathak, delivered a performance filled with grace and strength. intricate

> Together, they created a synergy, powerful seamlessly transitioning between different styles while highlighting the themes of resilience and emotional complexity. The audience was visibly engaged, reacting with gasps and applause as the performers conveyed their narratives with authenticity and

As the final curtain fell, it was clear that "Stree Spandan" had left a lasting impact. The LalitArpan Festival not only showcased the beauty of classical dance but reinforced the importance of these timeless narratives in connecting audiences to their cultural roots.

IN CONVERSATION WITH SHOVANA NARAYAN The fluidity of her movements made it seem as though she was telling a

How did your journey into classical dance begin and what initially drew you to Kathak?

I was initiated into dance when I was barely three years old by my mother. The two motivating factors for my mother were (a) that she had been brought up in a family where all the children had to be given training in all forms of learning, which included scholastics, knowledge of our ancient texts and also the fine arts and

(b) in order to channelise my excessive energy. As for me, the moment I entered this world, I subconsciously knew that I had found my life, my soul.

Who were your biggest influences and mentors in shaping your artistic

> My mother played a key role in my development. Even though my schooling was throughout Convent schools, it was at home that I received a solid grounding in knowledge of Sanskrit and of our ancient Sanskrit texts and Hindi literature. After my initiation into Kathak under Guru Sadhona Bose (the well-known dancer-actress of the 40s and 50s) at Calcutta, I received further training Kundanlal from Sisodia (at Bombay) and Guru Pt. Birju Maharaj at Delhi. Guidance to delve deep into the spirit of dance was nurtured within me by my mother and by Smt. Naina Devi, the well-known thumri

Over the years, how has your understanding interpretation of Kathak evolved?

Since I was introduced to Kathak, Kathak became my medium to express myself. It was the medium where I was myself. Since none of us live in a vacuum, we therefore are impacted in some way or the other by external surroundings and herein, it was Kathak that has

been my outlet for my own inner churning of thoughts. Also, as one evolves with time and with my innate curiosity, I found myself trying to find more about the origins of Kathak, the manner in which it evolved and lived through two and half millennium, a period that saw several socio-political changes.

Classical dance, especially in modern times, is often seen as a way to preserve culture. What role do you think Kathak Plays in contemporary Indian society? Ever since the first mention of the Kathak community in the Mahabharata and in the 4th century BC / 3rd century BC Prakrit inscription, this community of devotional dancers have seen and lived through various ages, each of which saw contemporariness of their times. This river of Kathak has seen turbulent phases in its over two and half thousand years of recorded journey, yet this art form breathes, lives and carries with it the ethos and spirit of the philosophy reflected in our 'shastras' and in our literature, the cultural habits and practices of this sub-continent, which is still so relevant in the present times that we are living in.

What initiatives have you undertaken to promote classical dance among the younger generation and why do you believe this is important?

I love to share whatever knowledge I have. And hence whatever I have gathered in this journey of mine through experience or through my research, I share with all through teaching, mentoring young minds, discussions, publications et al. It is important to be aware of our heritage. For example, until recently, people were unaware that Kathak is a still living temple tradition. Such knowledge helps emotionally in giving a person a sense of praxis.

How do you view the future of Kathak in the face of rapidly changing cultural trends and technology?

Kathak has always evolved with time in its presentation and in the use of technology. Even in yester-years, the introduction of electric light was effortlessly adapted, as was the system of sound amplification. Hence, the technology of today is being used very effectively and judiciously by serious well-grounded classical artists. It is this ability to adapt to changing times and ethos that has been the strength of our classical art forms that have survived several millennium.

What advice would you give to young dancers who wish to pursue a career in classical dance?

If one follows the heart, then the voyage should be taken with care, with clarity, with passion and dedication. The creative spirit and the ability to delve deep into a subject only adds to the sense of inner joy.

Dastak-E-Dil

Shankar Mahadevan's Spectacular Show

BY TEAM VIVA

→he Gunjan Foundation celebrated its 20th anniversary with the *Dastak-E-Dil* concert featuring the renowned singer and composer Shankar Mahadevan, drawing a sold-out crowd at Siri Fort Auditorium. The event, a perfect fusion of music and philanthropy, was organised to raise funds for the Foundation's educational and vocational programs supporting underprivileged youth.

The evening began with inspiring performances by students supported by the Gunjan Foundation. Their display of talent set a moving tone for the night, showcasing the tangible impact of the Foundation's work in transforming young lives through education and the arts. The concert attracted a distinguished audience, including prominent dignitaries, philanthropists and cultural figures, reinforcing the importance of the Foundation's mission. Their presence highlighted the shared commitment to providing opportunities for underserved communities.

Shankar Mahadevan's electrifying performance captivated the audience, leaving them spellbound. The concert was not only a celebration of his legendary musical prowess but also a powerful reminder of how community efforts can drive meaningful change. "We are truly grateful for the overwhelming support tonight. The performances from our students and Shankar Mahadevan reflect the heart of what Gunjan Foundation stands for," said a spokesperson for the

Foundation. The success of Dastak-E-Dil furthers the



empowering the next generation through education. Proceeds from the concert will directly fund the Foundation's programs, helping to create more opportunities for underserved youth. This night of music and unity celebrated two decades of impactful work, and its legacy will continue to shape brighter futures for

many more students.









BY TEAM VIVA

rt exhibitions are a

celebration of creativity, where artists pour their minds and emotions into their work, allowing their art to communicate in ways that words cannot. Visitors bring their own interpretations, adding layers of meaning to each piece. This unique exchange of ideas is the true beauty of an art exhibition, as it becomes a shared experience that connects every individual to the artwork in their own personal way. The 'Embrace' exhibition at Pullman New Delhi, hosted in collaboration with The Art Registry buzzed with energy as guests explored themes of human connection, love and unity. Running until December 25, 2024. Each work invites viewers to reflect on connection and empathy by highlighting the power of coexistence. Walking through the gallery, I felt immersed in a visual dialogue that celebrates how contrasts, when embraced, enhance unity

rather than conflict. 'Embrace' exhibition brings together nine diverse artists, each offering a distinctive take on themes of connection and coexistence. Promud Boruah's striking

woodcuts, including Life VI

Unified Expressions Art Show Celebrates Coexistence



and Samay I, draw viewers in with their intricate craftsmanship and reflections on time and existence, encouraging contemplation of life's fragility. Ravi Thakur's Desert Tale of an Imaginary Horizon series blends fabric, charcoal, and ink to create intimate, layered narratives of personal memory to his art. Kannu's Immortal Culture

resilience and survival, adding series offers a vibrant exploration of cultural identity, using oil on canvas to merge tradition with modern storytelling. *Suniyata* 's ethereal



introduce a philosophical dimension, drawing on ancient symbols like the *lotus* and *sun* to explore the connection between the self and the universe, transforming her canvases into spaces for reflection.

pieces, such as Vibhuti,

Prittam P.'s All in a Day's Work series provides a minimalist yet poignant look at everyday capturing small, overlooked moments with sharp ink and acrylic lines, while Shrikant's vibrant acrylics like Gulam and

Devotion blend traditional

Indian miniature painting with modern digital aesthetics. Subhadip's paper pulp emboss works, such as Connection and Autonomy, offer a deeply personal and nostalgic look at his journey, blending traditional scroll formats with childhood memories. In contrast, Meghansh's charcoal works, including Family and Enlightenment, delve into spiritual themes with bold black-and-white compositions, exploring narratives of faith and devotion.

Manvendra Singh's Metro Culture series rounds out the exhibition with vibrant portrayals of modern urban life in India, capturing the energy of cityscapes while juxtaposing traditional elements.

Together, these artists contribute to an engaging exploration of ideas, reflecting on the delicate balance of coexistence, tradition and modernity. In essence, EMBRACE is a

show that resonates deeply, uniting diverse artistic voices in a shared exploration of coexistence, balance and connection. It challenges the viewer to reconsider strength as understanding rather than dominance, urging us to reflect on how we relate to each other and the world.

AFTER PACE, INDIA FAIL SPIN TEST NEW ZEALAND LEAD SOARS TO 301 RUNS IN PUNE the game wherein spinne have ruled the roost.

India's inadequacies against quality spin bowling stood thoroughly exposed, leaving the side staring at its first ever home Test series loss to New Zealand after the visitors claimed a formidable 301-run lead on day two of the second Test here on Friday. Tom Latham (86) led New

Zealand's charge with the bat after Mitchell Santner's brilliant 7/53 destroyed India. His knock consolidated a handy 103-run first-innings lead that the Kiwis had grabbed before reaching 198/5 at stumps

at stumps.
Tom Blundell (30 not out) had Glenn Phillips (7 not out) for company when stumps were drawn. The only silver lining for India was Washington Sundar's continuing good show. He completed 11 wickets in the match, adding four more to his career-best first-innings to his career-best first-innings

haul of seven.

New Zealand are looking at a historic maiden Test series win in India, having first come here in 1955-56.

None of the New Zealand batters faced any apparent trouble batting on the pitch shortly after the star-studded Indian line-up cut a sorry figure for the second time in this series, making elementary mistakes.

In the last Test in Bengaluru, their all-time lowest score at home of 46 all-out caused India's first loss to New Zealand in 36 years in their own backyard



India haven't lost a Test series at home since their defeat to England in the 2012-13 season and their unbeaten record in 18 series since then is under serious threat now.

India's highest successful chase in Tests at home was 387 against England at Chennai in December 2008.

On Friday afternoon, India folded at a mere 156 in 45.3

overs as spunky New Zealand continued to perform way better than the hosts.

As India endured yet another 'one bad session of play', six wickets fell in the morning for a mere 91 runs which made the pitch look unfavourable for batting when it was not the

Skipper Latham led from the front as he blunted the Indian

Australia's white-ball star Glenn Maxwell may not

have donned the Baggy Green for seven years, but the 36-

year-old believes he would be doing "injustice" to his

younger self by giving up his Test cricket dream, which still burns brightly within him.

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spinners with ease but New Zealand batters deserved full credit for executing their plans. The Kiwis' batters were formidable in defence while they rotated the strike deftly to keep pressure on the Indians.

for a first century since December 2022 Washington Sundar ended his progress at 86 off 133 balls with

Latham did well to raise hopes

Every added run tightened the screws further on India whose spinners appeared to have been out-bowled by their Kiwi counterparts.

While Sundar completed his maiden 10-for in Tests with 4/56 after his 7/59 in the first innings, R Ashwin took 1/64. Ravindra Jadeja (11-1-50-0) continued to be wicket-less in

While Santner's orthodox spin tested the Indians' defence and resolve. India's failure to rotate strike added to their woes

The biggest shock for India in the day arrived in the 24th over when their batting superstar Virat Kohli missed a juicy full toss from Santner to be cleaned up for a nine-ball one.

The sight of Kohli missing an innocuous full toss angling into his wickets, going past his awkwardly swinging bat to crash into the middle and leg stumps and leaving the batter stare at the ground beneath stare at the ground beneath him in utter despair, was something that will linger for some time to come. Yashasvi Jaiswal had done

fairly well to reach 30 with four boundaries but going with hard hands to defend a delivery outside off, spinning away from his bat to take an away from his but to take an edge to the first slip, gave Glenn Phillips his first wicket. If that wasn't enough, Rishabh Pant's (18) failure to read the lack of bounce while going for a mighty heave across the line against the part-time spin of Phillips, resulted in the ball crashing into his off-stump, leaving India in a desperate cituation at \$23 for five

situation at 83 for five. Sarfaraz Khan (11), whose recent outings include 222 not out in Irani Čup and 150 in the last innings at Bengaluru, only had himself to blame after recklessly hitting one straight to mid-off for William O'Rourke to grab an easy



David Warner's leadership ban has been lifted by Cricket Australia

David Warner's lifetime captaincy and leadership ban has been lifted by Cricket Australia, a move which could see the retired test player captain the Sydney Thunder in the Twenty20 Big Bash league this season.

Warner received the penalty for his role in the 2018 sandpaper scandal in South Africa, on top of a one-year ban from cricket, which was also imposed on Steve Smith with a lesser playing suspension given to Cameron Bancroft, who was caught on film rubbing and scuffing the ball with yellow sandpaper at a test match in Cape Town. But the leadership sanction

was lifted Friday by an independent three-member review panel who deemed the opener had met the necessary criteria. Warner appeared before the independent panel content earlier this month. It ruled that he met the criteria to be considered for future

"The respectful and contrite tone of his (Warner's) responses, as well as the content impressed the Review Panel and led it to the unanimous view that he was sincere and genuine in acknowledging responsibility for the conduct and in his statement that he had extreme remorse for his conduct," the panel said in a statement

"Mr. Warner's conduct and behavior since the imposition of the sanction has been excellent and he appears to have made a substantial change, one example of which is that he no longer sledges or tries to provoke the opposing team."

Warner played his final test match in January against Pakistan, an Australian win. He has also said he will no longer play one-day internationals, only the T20 format of the game.

The move could also be considered an early birthday present from Cricket Australia - Warner turns 38 on Sunday.



Loss in 2018-19 series more hurtful than 2020-21 defeat to India: Cummins

more for me," he said.

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WELCOME INDIA WITH GREEN-TOPS: The pace bowling stalwart, who will again be leading in a five-

Unfortunately, I don't have any

sway (on the preparation of wickets), so we'll wait and see,"

said Cummins in response to

the host's question on the

amount of grass he would like

to see on the pitches for the

David Warner has offered to

come out of retirement to help the side if need be but

Cummins indicated that the

"Dave we are very interested,

we're taking it very seriously

and we'll be in touch, mate just

watch that phone," said Cummins in jest before adding, "Uh, we love Davey

(Warner) but he's retired,

WOULD

for the visitors.

crucial series.

team has moved on.

ustralia skipper Pat Acummins believes that the 2018-19 Test series loss to India was more hurtful than the 2020-21 debacle under his captaincy as the home team was simply outplayed in that engagement.

India, under Virat Kohli, defeated Australia 2-1 in the 2018-19 rubber with the skipper and Cheteshwar Pujara playing a pivotal role in the historic triumph against the Tim Paine-led side.

During the 2020-2021 series, a hugely-depleted Indian side again bagged the series 2-1, defeating the hosts at their stronghold Gabba for the first time in a Test match in 32

years.
"I actually thought the series before (2018-19) was worse because we got completely beaten whereas that series (in 2020-21) was quite (keenly) fought. I thought they (India) played like fantastically well to win at the Gabba," Cummis told The Grade Cricketer podcast.

That (defeat) was annoying but I felt like the series before, where we were like completely

From overcoming a broken leg to scoring Australia's fastest double century with his 201 in

the lead-up to their 2023 World Cup triumph, Maxwell has enjoyed remarkable highs in his career. However, his Test appearances remain limited to just seven matches, with his last outing during Australia's 2017 tour of

Bangladesh.

"I think if I gave up on that Test dream now, I don't think I'd be doing justice to that younger Glenn Maxwell who was dying to put on the baggy green

injustice to my younger self: Glenn Maxwell when he was a kid," he tells ESPNcricinfo. "And I think while there's still a glimmer of hope, I'll keep going for it."
Though his selection for the upcoming India series is unlikely, Maxwell remains

committed to chasing a Test spot on the Sri Lanka tour in January after narrowly missing out in 2022. "I think the hard thing with

Test cricket is, when I grew up, that's all I wanted to do,"
Maxwell says. "I definitely got
my chance at Test level a bit
prematurely. It all happened really fast when I got my chance to debut. It was just a whirlwind. I had no idea what I was doing. I probably hadn't



Giving up on Test dream would be doing

had the experience at first-class level that I would have liked. "And then when I came back in 2017. I felt like I was a readymade first-class cricketer and was really at peace with my

game and where I was at. A lot of these things in Test cricket are timing. Adam Voges is probably the perfect example. He came in and he averaged 60-odd (61.87) in his Test

career. He got his opportunity when he was at the top of this game." "I suppose the thing I'm proud about in my Test career

— I was able to sort of fight back at different times, get back in squads and be really resilient that way." Maxwell's lack of first-class

centuries — only seven in 69 matches, including a lone Test ton in Ranchi — has been a hurdle for Test selection, Maxwell writes in his soon-tobe-released autobiography.

He recalls a frustrating exchange with selector Trevor Hohns during the 2017-18 season, after notching scores of 60, 64, 45 not out, 278, and 96 in consecutive games

When Maxwell questioned his exclusion from the Ashes squad, "The answer was blunt: 'Not enough tons." "It's the only time I've come close to losing it in a situation like that," Maxwell writes in The Showman. Australia's selectors have eased requirements for Shield cricket

in preparing for Sri Lankan Tests, encouraging Maxwell's quiet red-ball return with Victoria's second XI. Managing a leg injury, Maxwell

feels ready to adapt quickly to red-ball batting if picked for the Sri Lanka tour.

The interesting thing about last week, even just playing the second XI game, was having a few technical changes and working through them, having a few different sets of eyes looking at your batting, and just trying to work your way through that has been really enjoyable," he says.

India hold NZ **Sultan of Johor Cup**

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match Test series against India starting November 22 in Perth, colts displayed remarkable composure to finish their round-robin stage said that if he had his way, he would welcome India with green tops to make life difficult with a thrilling 3-3 draw against New Zealand at the "I wish if I had it my way I Sultan of Johor Cup here on would be looking like those bushes behind you. Friday

Gurjot Singh (6'), Rohit (17') and Talem Priyobarta (60') put their names on the scoresheet, while drag-flicker Jonty Elmes (17, 32, 45) scored a hat-trick of goals for New Zealand.

While India continue to lead the points table with 10 points, their fate to make the final will be determined by Great Britain and Australia's matches against Japan and Malaysia respectively later in the day. India got off to a strong start with a fine goal from Gurjot in

the 6th minute. Gurjot's first shot on goal, assisted by Sukhvinder, bounced straight back after the goalkeeper made the save. In his second attempt, he skillfully lofted the ball to the



roof of the net to earn India an important 1-0 lead. India had a chance to extend

their lead in the 8th minute after earning two back-toback PCs but the New Zealand custodian produced outstanding saves.

In the following minutes, New Zealand created an attacking formation that helped them make a successful foray into the striking circle, but Rosan Kujur was sharp in his defence to keep them from scoring.

New Zealand eventually worked their way through Indian defence in the 17th minute when Elmes scored a fine field goal to equalise. But India was quick to respond, with Rohit striking from the PC to regain the momentum

and also lead 2-1. Both teams played with frantic speed and though India created a flurry of PCs towards the end of the second quarter, they could not find

To their dismay, New Zealand began the third quarter with a fine PC conversion by Elmes, who had struck for the second

Elmes' fierce power in his drag-flick was a pain-point for Indian defence, as he completed a hat-trick of goals in the 45th minute to take New Zealand 3-2 ahead.

India's woes with penalty corner conversion continued in the fourth quarter as they missed a chance in the 46th minute.

New Zealand, on the other hand, came up with brilliant counter attacks in the following minutes but Indian defence held sway. With 90 seconds left on the clock, India found a golden

opportunity to equalise when they earned a PC. This time, they found success

with a splendid variation which was executed to perfection by Priyobarta, ending the thrilling encounter with a 3-3 draw.

hrilling 3-3 | NorthEast United FC hope to halt Jamshedpur FC's winning streak

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amshedpur FC will look to continue their winning streak when they face a doughty NorthEast United FC in an away Indian Super League (ISL) match here on Saturday.

The Jamshedpur side is placed second on the table, having accumulated 12 points from five games, and the hosts have managed only five points from as many contests and are positioned 10th.

But beyond those contrasting numbers, the Highlanders have remained unbeaten in their previous two fixtures against the Red Miners.

Meanwhile, scoring a goal in this match will mark NEUFC's joint-longest goal-scoring streak against JFC, having done so earlier between January 2021 and February

But JFC have also been taking risks up front, as indicated by their passing accuracy of 57.1% in the opposition's half this season.

The number also proves that they have been creating chances in the final third, allowing them to score 10 goals until now.

Their possession rate of 36.2% is the lowest in this ISL, but it allows them to play fearless football by letting the opposition dominate with the ball before launching their counter-attack.

NorthEast head coach Juan Pedro Benali played down the talk that his team is under pressure after managing just one win in their last five games. However, he stressed on the need to improve their defence.

There is no pressure on us. But, we are hungry. I don't look at points, but I look at the goals scored against us. Two goals against us per game is too much," Benali said on the eve of the clash.

'We need to decrease that and if we do so, then we will automatically do well as we are one of the teams to have scored the most goals this season?

Messi and Inter Miami will take on Atlanta United in MLS Cup playoff opener

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Inter Miami's Lionel Messi played in only one Major League Soccer loss in 2024. It was in May, at home, against Atlanta United.

Messi makes his MLS playoff debut Friday night - at home, against Atlanta United.

Inter Miami, which set the MLS records for most points and best winning percentage

in the playoffs by facing an Atlanta team in a best-of-three Eastern Conference firstround series. Messi is coming off a hat trick in the regularseason finale, a 6-2 romp past New England.

And even though he missed nearly half the MLS season because of injury and commitments to Argentina's

in the regular season, gets a big challenge right out of the gate serious contender for league MVP after 20 goals and 16 assists in 19 appearances.

"If I could vote for him, I would have voted for him," Inter Miami defender Julian Gressel said. "Yes, because for me, the MVP stands for the best player in the league. And Leo, is that, by far. You know, there's other people out there that have the definition of an

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MVP that maybe makes the team better or that a team can't live without. In a sense, to me, Leo is that, too.'

MVP or not, Messi is obviously the key to Inter Miami's MLS Cup hopes. Friday night will be the first home playoff match in club history. If Inter Miami wins

this series, it would stay home

for the rest of the season - with

home-field edge for the single-

game conference semifinals, conference final and MLS Cup, provided it keeps winning. This was always about

creating history for Miami," said soccer icon David Beckham, part of Inter Miami's ownership group - and the person who originally announced plans to bring an MLS team back to Miami more than a decade ago. "This was always about our family,

La Familia, the people in this stadium, the people in this

Messi's arrival midway through 2023 was the big step toward Inter Miami getting to the global stage. The team won the Leagues Cup last year shortly after Messi arrived, won the Supporters Shield this year as the best MLS regularseason team and now goes after the MLS playoff title.

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