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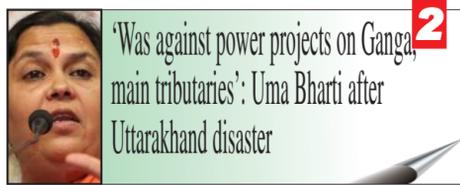
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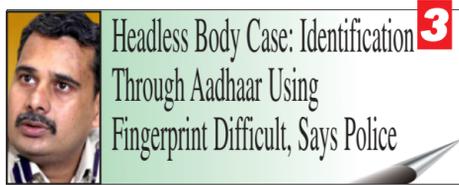
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New Delhi, Feb 8: Prime Minister Narendra Modi will reply to the debate on the motion of thanks on the President’s Address in Rajya Sabha on Monday. This will be his first address to Parliament after the farmers’ protest erupted and reached the gates of the national capital. But he has spoken about the three farm laws passed by his government and the agitation on many occasions outside Parliament. Here’s what he has said. On August 9, while launching a central financing scheme under the Agriculture Infrastructure Fund, the Prime Minister spoke about the laws for the first time. He said that through the laws, the “farmer is freed from the purview of the market and market tax”. And “another new law has been framed, under which the farmer can now have a direct partnership with the industries”. In his Independence Day address, Modi said: “Who could have imagined that so many changes would be made in the APMC Act for the welfare of farmers? Who could have thought that the farmers who were living under the Damocles’ sword of the Essential Commodities Act, would be freed of it after so many years?” On September 18, a day after the Bills were passed in Lok Sabha despite protests, and the Akali Dal’s Harsimrat Kaur Badal resigned from the cabinet, Modi said “some people who ruled the coun-

try for decades, are trying to create confusion, and are lying to the farmers”. He also accused the opposition of “supporting the middlemen who loot the farmer’s income”. Addressing a BJP event on September 25, he said the laws will benefit and empower farmers and accused the opposition of spreading rumours. On September 27, in his monthly Mann Ki Baat radio address, the Prime Minister said “the agricultural sector of the country, our farmers, our villages are the very basis of A t m a n i r b h a r Bharat... In the recent past, these areas have liberated themselves from many restrictions and tried to break free from many myths.” On November 30, he said: “The farmers are not to be blamed, but I want to tell the countrymen, my farmer brothers and sisters that work is being done with intentions as pure as Gangajal.” On December 12, while addressing the 93rd annual general meeting of FICCI, he said “walls” in the “agriculture sector and allied sectors like agriculture infrastructure, food processing, storage or cold chains” are being “dismantled and all obstacles removed”. On December 15, after laying the foundation stone of development projects in Kutch, he said “the demand for the recent agricultural reforms was being made for several years... Those in the opposition who are misguiding farmers were in favour of these agricultural reforms

when they were in power.” On December 18, while addressing a kisan sammelan in Madhya Pradesh, he said “political games are being played by spreading and weaving a web of confusion and lies. Attacks are being mounted from the shoulders of the farmers...” On December 25, Modi said: “We are closely watching a very mean example of politics of selfishness. The parties which do not speak on the harms of the farmers in West Bengal are here to harass the citizens of Delhi... You may have heard these parties which are shouting about mandis and are talking about APMC... They have their government in Kerala... Kerala does not have APMC and mandis...” On December 28, after flagging off the 100th Kisan Rail, he declared “we will continue to walk on the path of empowering Indian agriculture and the farmer with all sincerity and with full force”. On January 30, days after the Red Fort was stormed, the Prime Minister spoke about reconciliation. At an all-party meeting, he assured that “the government is approaching the issue of farm laws with an open mind”. The offer to keep the implementation of the farm laws on hold for 18 months “still stands”, and “the Agriculture Minister is just a phone call away for taking forward the talks.” But on January 31, in his Mann ki Baat address, the PM said the country was “saddened by the insult to the Tricolour on the 26th of January in Delhi”.

Ramadevi Women’s Univ Is Unique So Is The Responsibility Of Its Students: Naveen Patnaik

Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: Ramadevi University is a unique institute. It is the first and only university in Odisha till now, dedicated to women’s education. It carries the vision of Maa Ramadevi for the education and empowerment of women in Odisha, Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik said today. Addressing students on the premises of RD University, Naveen said students are the future of society and harbinger of change. “As students, you have a responsibility for yourself, for your parents and also for your motherland. You must endeavour to excel in your studies and concentrate on your career.” The Chief Minister inaugurated a new academic block, library building and hostel during the visit to the varsity which was his “first interaction with students after Corona”. The infra-

structure worth Rs 18 crore including open air stage, old academic block, and hostel will get a facelift, announced Naveen on the occasion. The responsibility of the students of Ramadevi University is also unique. “How you go ahead with your opportunities, and how you face the challenges that come in your way will define the future of this university. I believe; you are bustling with your talent and courage to redefine the prestige and dignity of your institute to make it one of the best institutes in the country,” the CM said. “Your knowledge will guide you, inspire you throughout your life. Knowledge is the Real Capital for a student. Every student must invest sincerely in it. It will continue to give you seamless returns all through your life.” “You also have a re-

sponsibility for your parents. Serve them. And try to fulfill their

Missile woman of India Tessa Thomas, Olympian PV Sindhu,

second to anybody. Always believe that you are the best that



wish. Their blessings will keep you smiling forever.” Women today are leading society everywhere. From business and industry to sports, defence and economy, women are everywhere to lead the world and guide society. Vice President of United States Kamala Harris, Germany Chancellor Angela Merkel, IMF Chief Economist Geeta Gopinathan, Biocon Founder Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw,

and the list continues. They all have one thing in common. That is their sheer self-confidence. They trust and respect their own talent and never ever get swayed by the difficulties that have come in their way, said Naveen. “You all have immense talent. I am sure all of you will succeed in life, and make a name for yourself in the field of your choice. Never ever think that you are

has happened to this world. Go ahead with all your dreams, all your energy and make sure, the world is yours. Transform society with your talents,” the Chief Minister concluded. Among others, Higher Education Minister Arun Sahu, MLA AN Jena, Ramadevi University vice-chancellor Aparajita Chowdhury and Registrar Shyamali Mohapatra were present.

Nobody Can Stop Work Of Lord Jagannath: Odisha CM On NMA Bylaws



Puri, Feb 8: Amidst criticism over proposed bylaws framed by the National Monuments Authority (NMA) for Puri

Srimandir, Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik said that the Centre can never create hindrance in development projects in Puri. “No-

body can stop the work of Lord Jagannath,” Patnaik told people after paying obeisance to Lord Jagannath and His

holy siblings at the Jagannath Temple today. The CM today visited Puri Srimandir to offer prayer to deities for the first time after COVID-19 lockdown. He landed at Talabania helipad in Puri in a special chopper and headed for the Jagannath Temple amid tight security. The servitors welcomed Patnaik with customary ‘Khandua’. Accompanied by 5T Secretary VK Pandian and other officials including Puri Collector Samarth Verma, Patnaik entered into

the temple in the morning. “This is the first time I am visiting the temple in the time of pandemic. I prayed for prosperity and peace of people of Odisha. I thank people who sacrificed for the temple and their sacrifices will not go in vain,” Patnaik told people outside Singhadwar of the temple. On controversial NMA bylaws, he said, “I have spoken to the NMA. The Centre should remove the new bylaws and nobody can stop the good work for the Lord.”

Odisha Matric Exams-2021 Schedule Announced

Cuttack, Feb 8: The Odisha Board of Secondary Education (BSE) today announced the schedule for the forthcoming Annual Matriculation Examinations-2021 for the Regular & Ex-Regular students as well as for the State Open School Certificate Examinations-2021. The programme for the Regular & Ex-Regular Students will commence from May 3 to 15 in the First Sitting from 8 to 10

am except MTH that will end at 10.15 am. 03.05.2021 (Monday): (First Language) FLO (Odia), FLB (Bengali), FLH (Hindi), FLU (Urdu), FLT (Telugu), FLE (Alternative English) 05.05.2021 (Wednesday): (Second Language) SLE (English), SLH (Hindi), SEP (Environment & Population Education) only for Hearing Impaired Candidates. 07.05.2021 (Friday): (Third Language) TLH (Hindi), TLO (Odia), TLP (Parsi), TLV (Theory) & IT, RT, TT, TH, AG, MS,

HC, AH, AM & EH only for Vocational Candidates. 08.05.2021 (Saturday): Third Language Sanskrit (TSL) 09.05.2021 (Sunday): Visual Art (Practical), 3rd Language (TLV) 10.05.2021 (Monday): MTH (Mathematics) 12.05.2021 (Wednesday): OSC (Science) 15.05.2021 (Saturday): SSC (Social Science) The Part-I (Objec-



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Allahabad HC dismisses plea claiming ownership of land offered for Ayodhya mosque

Lucknow, Feb 8: The Allahabad High Court on Monday dismissed a petition filed against the allotment of land in Ayodhya's Dhannipur village for the construction of a mosque, following the Supreme Court verdict in the Ram Janmabhoomi-Babri Masjid dispute. Two Delhi-based sisters had moved the Lucknow bench of the Allahabad High Court on February 3, claiming ownership of the five-acre land allotted to the Uttar Pradesh Sunni Central Waqf Board for the mosque. Appearing for the state, Additional Advocate General Ramesh Kumar Singh had opposed the plea, saying the plot numbers allotted for the mosque are different from those the petition is filed about. On



Monday, justices D K Upadhyay and Manish Kumar dismissed the plea after the petitioners' lawyer, H G S Parihar, sought to withdraw it. The bench also expressed concerns with Parihar for filing the petition in a cursory manner without ascertaining the facts. Rani Kapoor, alias Rani Baluja, and Rama Rani Punjabi had said in the writ petition that their fa-

ther Gyan Chandra Punjabi had come to India during partition in 1947 from Punjab and settled in Faizabad (now Ayodhya) district. They claimed that their father was allotted 28-acre land in Dhannipur village by the Nazul Department for five years which he continued to possess beyond that period. Later, his name was included in the revenue records, the

petitioners had said. However, his name was struck down from the records against which their father filed an appeal before the Additional Commissioner, Ayodhya, which was allowed, they claimed. The petitioners further claimed that the consolidation officer again removed their father's name from the records during consolidation proceedings. Against the

order of the consolidation officer, an appeal was preferred before the Settlement Officer of Consolidation, Sadar, Ayodhya, but without considering the said petition, the authorities allotted five-acre of their 28-acre land to the Waqf Board for the constructing of mosque, they said. The petitioners demanded that the authorities be restrained from transferring the land to the Sunni Waqf Board till the pendency of dispute before the settlement officer. The state government has allotted five-acre land to the Sunni Waqf Board in Dhannipur village for construction of a mosque in compliance with Supreme Court direction in the Ram Janmabhoomi-Babri mosque title suit.

In fresh notice, govt asks Twitter to block 1200 accounts 'flagged as Khalistan sympathisers or backed by Pakistan'

New Delhi, Feb 8: The Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology has sent a fresh list of nearly 1200 accounts to Twitter, asking it to either suspend or block them in India, sources said. These accounts — the new notice sent on February 4 — said, "were flagged by security agencies as accounts of Khalistan sympathisers or backed by Pakistan". "Many of these accounts were also automated bots that were used for sharing and amplifying misinformation and provocative contents on farmers protests. However, Twitter has not yet complied with this order," senior government officials said, asking not to be named. Apart from the notice, government officials also said the government had noted that the social media platform's global Chief Executive Officer Jack Dorsey had 'liked' some tweets by foreign celebrities made in support of the ongoing farmer protests against the new farm laws. "If the platform does not want to respond to the notices sent by us, they are free to challenge it legally and get a stay order from the court. But until then they are bound by the laws of the country and will have to block these

accounts as per the notice," an official said. The new list is in addition to an old list of 257 accounts sent to Twitter as a part of a notice on January 31 in which the IT ministry had asked the platform to block these handles and cer-

impracticability or disproportionality of the said measure cannot be decided at the instance of Twitter which is an intermediary bound by the orders of the Central Government. It may further be noted that the banning of the



tain hashtags used by them. The January 31 notice had said that these handles had been "spreading misinformation" about the ongoing farmer protests, which had the potential to "lead to imminent violence affecting public order situation in the country". Twitter had then responded by blocking some of the accounts but had also subsequently unblocked these accounts, which had irked the IT ministry. Later in its reply, Twitter had refused to block these accounts further citing freedom of speech on its platform. The reply, however, had not gone down well with the government, which had said that the platform could not possibly "assume the role of a court and justify non-compliance". "It may be noted that the

said hashtag is accompanied by the content that is attached to the said hashtag by the users using the same," IT ministry had said in its response to Twitter refusing to ban the said accounts. The notices have been sent to Twitter under 69A of the Information Technology Act, which says the central government or any of its officers authorised by it can "in the interest of sovereignty and integrity of India, defence of India, security of the State, friendly relations with foreign States or public order or for preventing incitement to the commission of any cognizable offence" direct any agency or intermediary to block access to its services and accounts to residents within the geographical limits of India.

China conveys condolences to bereaved families of Uttarakhand's flood victims

New Delhi, Feb 8: "We have noted that northern India had a massive flood. We want to express our condolences to the victims and sympathy to the bereaved families and the injured," Chinese Foreign Ministry spokesman Wang Wenbin told a media briefing. China on Monday conveyed its condolences and sympathy to the families of the bereaved and the injured in the glacier burst in Uttarakhand's Chamoli district. A portion of the Nanda

Devi glacier broke off in Uttarakhand's Chamoli district on Sunday, triggering an avalanche and a deluge in the Alaknanda river system that washed away hydroelectric stations, leaving at 11 people dead and over 200 missing who are feared dead. "We have noted that northern India had a massive flood. We want to express our condolences to the victims and sympathy to the bereaved families and the injured," Chinese Foreign Minis-



try spokesman Wang Wenbin told a media briefing here. "We hope the missing people will be rescued at an early date," he said in re-

sponse to a question. The sudden flood in the middle of the day in the Dhaulti Ganga, Rishi Ganga and Alaknanda rivers -- all intricately

linked tributaries of the Ganga -- triggered widespread panic and large-scale devastation in the high mountain areas.

'Was against power projects on Ganga, main tributaries': Uma Bharti after Uttarakhand disaster



New Delhi, Feb 8: "When I was a minister, my ministry in its affidavit about the dams in Uttarakhand in the Himalayas had requested that it is a very sensitive region, and, therefore, power projects should not be built on the Ganges and its main tributaries," Uma Bharti said. BJP leader Uma Bharti Sunday said the Uttarakhand flood tragedy triggered by a glacier burst is a matter of concern as well as a warning, and added that as a minister she had spoken against having any power project on the Ganga and its major tributaries. Bharti was the minister of water resources, river development and

Ganga rejuvenation during the first term of the Modi government. In a series of tweets in Hindi, she said the glacier breaking off had damaged a power project, triggering the massive crisis. This tragedy that has happened in Rishi Ganga in the Himalayas is a matter of concerns as well as a warning, she said. "When I was a minister, my ministry in its affidavit about the dams in Uttarakhand in the Himalayas had requested that it is a very sensitive region, and, therefore, power projects should not be built on the Ganges and its main tributaries," she said. She said the electricity shortfall caused by that deci-

sion could have been met by the national greed. Bharti said she was in Uttarkashi on Saturday and is now in Haridwar. A part of the Nanda Devi glacier broke off at Joshimath in Uttarakhand's Chamoli district on Sunday, leading to a massive flood in the Dhaulti Ganga river and causing large-scale devastation in the upper reaches of the ecologically fragile Himalayas. Over 150 labourers working at a power project in Tapovan-Reni are feared dead, an Indo Tibetan Border Police spokesperson said while quoting the project-in charge. Three bodies were recovered.

Will probe if celebrities were forced to tweet on Rihanna: Maharashtra Congress leader

New Delhi, Feb 8: The Maharashtra government has ordered a probe into the tweets of Bollywood stars and sportspersons who used the social media platform to express their opinion after the Ministry of External Affairs responded to pop star Rihanna on her comment about farmers' protest. Many celebrities including Sachin Tendulkar, Akshay Kumar and legendary singer Lata Mangeshkar had rallied around the government on social media using hashtags #IndiaTogether and #IndiaAgainstPropaganda following tweets by pop singer Rihanna

and climate activist Greta Thunberg backing farmers. Addressing a press conference, Congress leader Sachin Sawant expressed suspicions that the BJP government could be behind the series of tweets by the Indian celebrities. M e n t i o n i n g sportspersons Sachin Tendulkar and Saina Nehwal and Bollywood actor Suniel Shetty, Sawant said the posts looked suspicious with regard to its timing and that these celebrities could have been pressured by the Modi government. "There was a series of tweets after Rihanna's tweet. If a

person opines on their own, it's fine but there's scope of suspicion that BJP could be behind this...Spoke to Home Minister Deshmukh. He has given orders to the Intelligence department to probe," said Maharashtra Congress general secretary and spokesperson Sachin Sawant. He further said that these celebrities have the right to personal opinion and if they are under any kind of pressure, then the issue should be probed. "There is a similar pattern in these tweets by celebrities, including Akshay Kumar, Suniel Shetty, and sportspersons Sachin Tendulkar and



Saina Nehwal. This shows that there was some communication between the celebrities and the ruling party leaders. There needs to be an investigation to check if these national heroes were pressurised by the BJP for such advocacy on the social media. If so, these celebrities need to be given more protection," he said. Recently, NCP leader Sharad Pawar had

asked Tendulkar to be more careful while speaking on farmers' issues. "I would suggest to Sachin (Tendulkar) that he should be careful while speaking on the issues related to other fields," Pawar told reporters. The tweets from these celebrities came after the MEA termed the social media hashtags and comments by foreign entities as "neither accurate nor responsible".

Anti-cow slaughter Bill passed in Karnataka Legislative Council

Bengaluru, Feb 8: Cow, Anti-cow slaughter bill expressing happiness over the passage of the Bill, Chauhan said there were more than 75 domestic breeds of cattle but now there were only 35 breeds for want of

conservation. The anti-cow slaughter Bill was passed in the Karnataka Legislative Council by a voice-vote on Monday amid protest by the Congress party and JD(S). The Bill, already passed by the Assembly, was put to vote by

Deputy Chairman of the council M K Pranesh. JD(S) MLCs trooped into the well of the House and some of them tore the copies of the Bill and threw them near the Chair. Despite this, the Deputy Chairman announced that the Bill

has been passed. The BJP members thumped the desk and expressed happiness. Later, the House was adjourned for Tuesday. Earlier, Animal Husbandry Minister Prabhu Chauhan presented the Bill for consideration of the House. During

the discussion, several Congress and JD(S) MLCs termed the Bill as anti-farmers, said it was targeting certain sections of people and demanded that it be withdrawn or be referred to the joint select committee for vetting.

Jyotismaya Pre School celebrates its seventh anniversary



(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: The seventh anniversary of Jyotismaya Pre School in Shahid Nagar, Bhubaneswar has been held at the Shahid Club in Shahid Nagar. Ananta Narayan Jena (MLA)

was the chief guest and Narayan Mohapatra was the keynote speaker. A variety of cultural programs were delivered by the Kuni Kuni children on the occasion. It was attended by all the teachers working

in the school, including Deputy Secretary Sitakant Mohapatra, Principal, Gitanjali Mishra, President Gauri Shankar Mohapatra. Eventually the Kuni Kuni children were awarded.

Rescue of one minor child on Today by RPF Staff Puri

(A.O. Bureau) Puri, Feb 8: Today at about-05.30 hrs, while duty Officer ASI P.K.Pani along with RPF Staff were performing their duties for checking of train No.02802 [Purushottam Express], which arrived at Puri Railway Station from Delhi, noticed one minor boy aged about-13 Years was crying near entrance of Coach No.S-09 of the said train. On asking he gave his identity & it could be noticed that, he is belong from Dist-East Singh

B h u m [Jharkhand]. Further it is also learn that he boarded in that train from T a t a N a g a r Railway Station along with his parents on the night of 07.02.2021, but his parents deboarded from train on the way. As he was too much sad, so he was unable to say anything other. After



politely interrogation his name was verified from reservation chart and further noticed that, his seat was booked Ex-TATA-Khurda vide PNR No.221-5047841. On the basis of PNR reserva-

tion contact Number of his parents namely B.Venkat Rao, which he mentioned in reservation slip at the time of reservation. Accordingly RPF ASI K.P.Pani made con-

contact with his parents, who were available in BBSR. After getting information they attended RPF Post Puri & informed that at the early mornny [04.00] they getdown at BBSR Railway Station, but after some times they noticed that their child was not available with them. Finally the Rescue minor boy handed over to his parents, after received of his child parents of the rescued child appreciated the wonderful act of RPF Staff ASI K.P.Pani.

Uncertainty Looms Over Holding Of Khandagiri Jatra

(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: Uncertainty looms over holding of Khandagiri Jatra in the state capital as the venue for the event is yet to be decided by the Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation (BMC). Speaking to mediapersons, BMC Commissioner Prem Chandra Chaudhary said constriction work of national highway is underway at previous site of the event. Since over 50,000 visitors per day are expected for the event, it is not possible to allow the event at the site in adherence to existing COVID-19 guidelines. The Commis-

sioner said, "there is mixed response regarding conduct of the Jatra with 50 % visitors. It has been proposed to organize the festival separately at three different places and a discussion in this regard has been held with Chief Secretary and Special Relief Commissioner. Alternative venues are being taken into consideration." A final decision will be taken today after discussion with the organizers, he added. "People of Bhubaneswar have extended full cooperation in the fight against COVID-19 pandemic. Any wrong decision would boomerang



Hence, the decision regarding holding of the annual festival will be held after consideration of all aspects," he added. It is pertinent to mention here that Khandagiri Mela

is organised in the foothills of Khandagiri and Udayagiri mountains starting Magha Saptami every year. Seers from Varanasi, Kashi and Ayodhya

visit the extravaganza. Jatra (play) is organised by various troupes during the 11-day festival. Several stalls are also put up attracting a huge crowd at the place.

Kotia Jurisdiction Dispute To Be Resolved Through Talks Between Odisha & AP Govts

(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: The ongoing interstate dispute over jurisdiction of many villages in Kotia panchayat under Pottangi block in Koraput district where the people have been facing identity crisis since decades. He personally appealed to Andhra Pradesh and Odisha border will be resolved through discussions between the governments of both the States. Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council Chairman Mohammed Ahmed Shariff informed it af-

ter a high-level meeting held in Bhubaneswar today. State School & Mass Education Minister Samir Ranjan Dash raised the issue during the meeting attended by Shariff and senior officials of Andhra Pradesh Government. He informed the Andhra delegation about jurisdiction dispute of Kotia

and Vizianagaram in Andhra Pradesh. Around 4,000 children are studying in the neighbouring State where they face same situation in schools. Total 230 Odia schools are in Andhra Pradesh where 130 Odia teachers are yet to be appointed. Shariff assured Dash that the Andhra Government will take care of Odia students in his State. "I am confident



Class 9, 11 Students Attend Physical Classes In Odisha After Over 10 Months



(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: Students of class 9 and 11 in Odisha today resumed attending physical classes after a break of over 10 months due to the COVID-19 situation. The physical learning will continue till April 30. The duration of teaching for Class 9 and 11 will be from 8:30AM

to 10:30AM from Monday to Saturday. There will be no teaching on Sundays. Three periods will be taken up for Class 9 and 11, daily. There will be no recess. The sitting arrangements in classrooms have been made keeping the size of the room in view so as to ensure that required social distancing as per

Covid-19 protocol is maintained. For Class 9 and 11, there will be one unit test in second week of March, 2021. The annual class examination will be conducted in the last week of April, 2021. Earlier, physical learning for Class 10 and 12 students had resumed in schools of the state from January 8.

Site For Covid Warrior Memorial In Odisha Capital Finalized

(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: Acting as per the announcement made by Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik, the Odisha government today finalised a site for construction of the Covid Warrior Memorial in Bhubaneswar. The Covid Warrior Memorial, which will be inaugurated on August 15, 2021, will come up at the Biju Patnaik Park in Bhubaneswar, mentioned a letter by Health and Family Welfare Department Additional Chief Secretary PK Mohapatra to the Works Department.

The Works Department will be the nodal department for construction of the Covid Warrior Memorial. It will engage architects to finalise the design and structure of the memorial. The cost of the construction will be met out of the budgetary provisions of the Works Department. On December 31, the Chief Minister announced that a memorial will be constructed in the State Capital for the Covid warriors to recognize the sacrifice and services rendered by them during the pandemic.



Headless Body Case: Identification Through Aadhaar Using Fingerprint Difficult, Says Police

(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: The Commissionerate Police today ruled out the possibility of identifying the unidentified headless woman's body from the Aadhaar database using her fingerprint. "To get data from the Aadhaar database you are required to provide at least two inputs. By



using fingerprint and Aadhaar number a person can be identified. But by

only providing fingerprint one cannot get access to a person's Aadhaar details as

per the provisions under the Central government Act that regulates the use of Aadhaar database," informed Bhubaneswar Deputy Commissioner of Police (DCP) Uma Shankar Dash replying to queries from reporters why fingerprints of the unidentified woman can't be used to

identify her by accessing Aadhaar database. The DCP moreover, stated that the Aadhaar database is regulated under an Act of the Central government and the law prohibits its access to police. "Aadhaar is not used for verification purposes, it is used for authentication purposes," he added.

Leopard Skin, Elephant Tusks Seized; Three Held

(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: The Odisha Police's Special Task Force (STF) has seized two elephant tusks and a leopard skin in Keonjhar and arrested three men in this connection, police said on Monday. After receiving information about the trading of elephant tusks and leopard skin on Sunday, the STF team conducted a raid and arrested three persons, identified as Sekh Hasmati Alli, Chandrakant Dhal and Malaya Kumar Rout, a statement said. "During search, two elephant



tusks, one leopard skin and other incriminating articles were seized from their possession. The accused persons could not produce any valid authority in support of the possession of such elephant tusks and leopard skin, for which they have been arrested and will be forwarded to the court,"

it said. The seized elephant tusks and leopard skin will be sent to Wild Life Institute of India, Dehradun for chemical examination. In last one year, the STF has seized eight leopard skins, four elephant tusks, 5 kg pangolin scales, two live pangolins, two deer skins and 460 kg sandalwood.

EDITORIAL

Reconnected

The restoration of 4G internet services in J&K is an opportunity for its people to link up with the Govt “Gar firdeus bar-rue zamin ast, hami asto, hamin asto, hamin ast (If there is a heaven on earth, it’s here, it’s here, it’s here).” The famous words of Mughal emperor Jehangir come closest to the feeling of euphoria most Kashmiris must be experiencing after the restoration of 4G internet services in the Union Territory. In today’s world when internet, through social media, plays a critical role in shaping public perception and helping people across the globe to reach out to one another, snapping the high-speed server for long is neither workable nor sustainable. It would only exacerbate the alienation and create an undercurrent of unrest likely to erupt sooner than later. That said, it cannot be denied that such curbs are vitally important to maintain law and order, especially when volatility in the region and a rogue neighbour are involved. The services were resumed 18 months after being suspended on August 4, 2019, a day before the Centre stripped the erstwhile State of its special status and bifurcated it into the Union Territories of Jammu & Kashmir (J&K) and Ladakh. The Government curtailed the services on grounds of anticipated law and order problems and on the basis of intelligence inputs about possible terrorist infiltrations from across the border. Though the action drew widespread criticism from several countries, human rights organisations and the Opposition parties, the Centre showed no signs of yielding to pressure in a hurry and restarted the services only after their resumption on a trial basis in two districts — Udhampur (Jammu) and Ganderbal (Kashmir) — achieved the desired outcome. Moreover, the announcement came only after the peaceful conclusion of the grassroots-level panchayati raj elections late last year. The resumption of 4G services is certainly a big leap towards restoring people’s confidence in the governance of Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha. Most of the big-ticket reforms announced by Sinha for the State’s people are likely to reap rich dividends only for the BJP. The announcement of the resumption in high-speed internet services was welcomed by National Conference leader and former Chief Minister Omar Abdullah who tweeted: “4G Mubarak! For the first time since Aug 2019, all of J&K will have 4G mobile data. Better late than never.” The return of 4G services will help businesses, students, the administration as well as public and private sectors in gaining the much-needed momentum for the development of the region. However, the Intelligence agencies and the Government would closely scout for any “anti-national” activities on social media that might disturb peace, incite violence and throw the politically sensitive J&K spiralling back into violence and terrorism. The people there no longer want to live in the eerie silence that prevails following the imposition of curfews and restrictions. The Centre must prove its point that the “UT of Jammu & Kashmir has been fully integrated into the mainstream” by doing whatever it takes to maintain calm and tranquillity in the region. The return of 4G services will help businesses, students, the administration as well as public and private sectors in gaining the much-needed momentum for the development of the region. However, the Intelligence agencies and the Government would closely scout for any “anti-national” activities on social media that might disturb peace, incite violence and throw the politically sensitive J&K spiralling back into violence and terrorism. The people there no longer want to live in the eerie silence that prevails following the imposition of curfews and restrictions. The Centre must prove its point that the “UT of Jammu & Kashmir has been fully integrated into the mainstream” by doing whatever it takes to maintain calm and tranquillity in the region.

The travel, tourism and aviation sectors might feel a bit hard done by, with few sops in the Budget. But it is still too early to intervene. Around this time last year, your columnist wrote a piece saying that the global aviation sector was about to get hit hard by an emerging pandemic. At the time, nobody — not this columnist or, frankly, any of you — could have predicted that a year later we would be sitting at such a place. Entire industries have been ripped asunder, millions across the world have seen their livelihoods disappear, both blue collar and white, and countless others are trying to just survive by the day. Few industries, however, have been as badly impacted as the travel, tourism and allied sectors, particularly aviation. Decimation in its essence is too mild a term to describe what has happened to these industries; after all the term was born during the Roman Republic when commanders executed a tenth of a legion for cowardice. The industry, in retrospect, would have been happy to have fallen by just a tenth. India’s largest airline operator, Interglobe Aviation that owns and operates IndiGo, recently announced its third quarter results where it said they had lost a stunning ₹7 crore per day. And they are India’s best-run airline in business. Hotels are barely surviving. While some large chains have managed to ride out the storm, many smaller properties across the country have shut shop. With no social security net, thousands of employees find themselves in a financially precarious position. But those in the formal sector might have had some sort of saving. At many major tourist destinations across the

Booster dose required?



country, it is actually the guy way down in the tourism value chain who has been hit the hardest. Think of the masseurs in Kerala’s ayurvedic spas? Think of the tourist guides at any World Heritage Site and think of the poor people who sold everything from cheap trinkets to fancy shawls; also, the artisans behind the scenes. The collapse of the international travel business has hit hundreds of thousands of Indians, not just at the beach resorts of Kerala or the palaces in Rajasthan but also major pilgrimage sites such as Bodh Gaya and Sarnath. There is a school of thought that argues that domestic tourism will pick up some of the slack. And indeed the rush of tourists to places like Goa is heartening even though — with COVID-19 protocols being blithely ignored and the potential of another wave of infections still looming — some of the pictures and videos emerging from Goa are concerning, to say the least. That said, the influx of tourists into Goa has helped many thousands keep their jobs and, as yet, another outbreak has largely been prevented although there are some stories emerging of people

who travelled to Goa and contracted the virus. But, just casual observation makes it obvious that there is no raging pandemic in India. Airports are crowded and most flights are packed; while the railway services are still limited, some amount of travel has returned and, to use the words of Deep Kalra, Chief Executive Officer of India’s largest online travel agency, MakeMyTrip.com, there has been a return of “revenge travel” where families sick and tired of being cooped up inside all year are flying and driving around India. But, to be honest, that is just a small slice, the highest end of the consuming class in India, which is just a minuscule proportion of our population. While many of these tourists earlier spent their rupees abroad — they are the class of people who have had destination weddings or were the chief executives of companies that did expensive off-sites — with the wedding and conference business being hit, although there are some green shoots now, the fact is that “revenge travel” while helping the industry is not quite enough. This is evident in MakeMyTrip’s results

for the last quarter (October-December) of 2020: Air ticketing was down 62 per cent, hotel bookings 66 per cent and bus bookings 43 per cent. The industry is looking for help but that begs the question, what can the Government do? Sure, some sops on taxation and depreciation for hotels and airlines could be given. Taxation benefits on aircraft lease, as announced in the Budget, would help bring down rentals but with the global airline industry in the doldrums as well, with the sole exception of the country that started this mess — China, lease costs have come down anyway. So, that loops back to the original question, what can the Government do? The Government cannot buy up stocks of the stone inlay workers who used to sell to foreign tourists at the Taj Mahal. It can’t provide work to the thousands of guides at India’s several World Heritage Sites, or even much of a dole for that matter, nor can it help the people who used to arrange high-end luxury trips and who had invested their savings in the business. What it can do, and this was proved by the Budget, is that it can encourage inbound tourism. It can promote India in a way that other countries cannot. India has some of the best heritage and natural beauty. It can reduce taxes on aviation fuel to spur flying and local tourism as well. It can cut consumption taxes in hotels and India should join the list of nations that offer tax refunds to foreign shoppers. But, for that to happen, we will still have to wait until this accursed pandemic is past us and, for that to happen, we should all line up and wait for our turn to get the job.

Kushan Mitra

Farmers’ agitation frames the power — and challenge — of non-violent protest

Non-violent protests become unbeatable by constantly seeking new ways to deepen their resolve and reaffirming faith in possibilities we cannot immediately actualise. Since the violence at Red Fort on Republic Day, there has been much commentary on how difficult it is to prevent rogue elements from undermining a sincerely non-violent protest. Subsequently, the Samyukta Kisan Morcha called off plans for a march to Parliament on February 1. In doing so, they followed a well-established tradition of non-violent political action — to withdraw action when there is a risk of violence. What is the basis of this rule of non-violent action? Can it work if state power is in the hands of those who appear indifferent to the appeal of truth — satyagraha? Why, against all odds, is it worthwhile to keep faith in non-violence? In non-violent action, what are the underlying assumptions about power and are those assumptions valid now? For all the public appreciation that the farmers’ peaceful methods have evoked, cynicism about non-violence is ever-present. Those who nevertheless stay on this path are bolstered by three truths. The obvious one is that remaining non-violent makes it harder for the state machinery to use violence against the protestors. Two, being determined



about non-violence enables disparate individuals and even ideologically divergent groups to build internal cohesion. This was dramatically evident in the historic anti-WTO protests in Seattle in 1999. Activists from all over the world underwent intensive training to create human walls across Seattle and bring the WTO’s ministerial meeting to a standstill. Even in that case, a breakaway faction of self-proclaimed anarchists went on a rampage, doing damage to the property of multinational brands. Media coverage inevitably focused on this and under-reported the parallel success of the much larger number of non-violent protesters. Three, symbolic protest or sitting in dharna is not enough. The civil disobedience must sufficiently, materially disrupt the operations of the opponent. This happened during the anti-Enron protests in Maharashtra in the late 1990s and more recently in struggles for tribal land rights. As Ulka Mahajan, leading activist of the Sarvhara Jan Andolan, has said — nothing frightens

those in power more than a group of people fearlessly and peacefully demanding their rights. All of the above hinges on the understanding famously articulated by the political philosopher Hannah Arendt. Namely, that it is merely obedience, not power, that flows from the barrel of a gun. The defining moments of non-violent struggle happen when those who control state power effectively want obedience and don’t care for the true power that comes from voluntary participation by the citizenry. For many, the farmers’ protest evokes anxiety because the government appears disinterested in seeking such widespread voluntary participation. A section of the population, too, appears to support this form of state power. In the last 70-odd years, the practice of non-violence has developed in two, almost parallel, dimensions. One is purely tactical and aims to defeat those in power by denying them what they crave. The other is more morally imaginative and Gandhian in essence. It assumes that those who wield power can be made to

see the error of their ways and come to the path of justice. It is vital to remember that a combination of both these dimensions has worked in diverse situations. There is even available evidence that, across the world, this has worked more often than violent insurgency. In a time of darkness, there is merit in acknowledging those who have kept the pathways lit simply by relentlessly striving for and experimenting with non-violence. This is even more energising when you realise that these continuing experiments are the work of ordinary people — not saints. Last but not least, non-violent struggle needs almost infinite reserves of patience. This may seem counter-intuitive. When you consider the farmers freezing at the Singhu border, it does seem that it is the government that has the advantage of out-waiting the protesters. Those who equate power with obedience can more easily appear immovable and in no hurry. Actually, they only win if those fighting for justice give up and withdraw into a shell of defeated helplessness. Non-violent protests become unbeatable by constantly seeking new ways to deepen their resolve and reaffirming faith in possibilities we cannot immediately actualise.

Rajni Bakshi

The 9th death anniversary Celebrated of the late Bibhuti Bhushan Patnaik

(A.O. Bureau) Kujang, Feb 8: The 9th death anniversary of the late Bibhuti Bhushan Patnaik, a well-known students loving teacher, senior farmer and teacher leader of Kujang Paradip area has been held on February 7 with hands of activities. For this occasion, the auspicious ceremony of the Asta Prahari Namayajna Mahotsav started at his residence in Balrampur from 6th Feb. Fruits and clothing were distributed to patients under treatment at Kujang and Paradip Govern-



ment Hospitals on Sunday morning. Shradha rituals, Gita recitation, Nama Sankirtana and Prasad Sevan were held at the residence and a memorial meeting was also held in the afternoon in memory of the Bibhuti Bhushan Patnaik Smruti Sansad. The memorial meeting was chaired by

BBPSS President Shri Saroj Kumar Patnaik, Jagatsinghpur MLA Shri Prashant Kumar Muduli attended as the Chief Guest, Paradip MLA Shri Sambit Routray as the Guest of Honor, Former MP Dr Kulmani Samal, Former President Awardee Headmaster Shri Manoranjan Das.

A relief distribution Programme has been organized at Brahmapada Village, Brahmagiri of District Puri

(A.O. Bureau) Brahmagiri, Feb 8: Hygiene Kit, masks and soaps are distributed to the needy villagers to fight against COVID-19. Then Laxman Swain (JRCO) gave a demonstration on proper hand washing to avoid getting sick and spreading germs. Dr. Ajay Kumar Tripathy (YRCO) coordinated the programme. JRCO Puri District Bidyadhar Mishra, YRC Counsellor BJB Degree College Gadaradanga Puri

Itishree Sundara, YRC Counsellor Hariswaradev Vocational Science Higher Secondary School Panasapada College, JRC Counsellor Laxmidhar Jena Mirzapur School, Head Master Bhabakundaleswar Bidya Niketan Mirzapur School Birendra Kumar Mohanty, JRC Counsellor Puri Zilla School Arun Kumar Bhattacharya were present during the distribution Programme. The



District Education Officer Puri Niranjana Sahoo and District Secretary

Mahendra Kumar Pradhan thanked Honorary Secretary Indian Red Cross

Society Odisha State Branch for proving support to the needy villagers.

Corona vaccination manipulation incident at JK Paper Ltd, Rayagada

(A.O. Bureau) Rayagada, Feb 8: Corona vaccination manipulation incident at JK Paper Ltd. The Yuva Vikas Parishad & Youth Congress have lodged a written complaint in the Chandili Police Station alleging that unit Head & other management officials of JK Paper Mill were vaccinated illegally. Members of The Yuva Vikas Parishad and Youth Congress have logged a complaint at Chandili Police station and de-

manded an action and immediate investigation. On 6-Feb Corona vaccine was supposed to be given to the front line workers however during this time, unit head & some officials of JK Paper Mill took the vaccination with manipulation. After knowing the above incident the localities have reacted to the incident negatively stating it was supposed to be given to the corona warriors first, how these officials were vac-



ated? After the reported incident The Department of Health has been asked with investigating the incident after the incident how these officials have got this vaccine, So how did these officers get the vaccine? It is demanded that those involved in the scandal be investigated and action taken. Chandli police station IIC Rashmi Ranjan Pradhan has said that it will be investigated and accepted the cases.

Kendrapara District Working Journalist Friendship Program

(A.O. Bureau) Kendrapara, Feb 8: A district-level staff journalist friends meeting was held at Charigaon Eco Park in Kendrapara on Sunday. Every newspaper, Web Channel

and Sattelite Channel's District and Block label correspondence are attending this program. Attempts have been made to suppress the voices of journalists in many places due to the lack

of coalitions. This program chief guest Shibashis Mohanty of Zee Kalinga news DC and Social Activist Sagar Jena joined in and discussed the various issue in detail.



After 23 years, Baba Baikuntha Nath Brahmachari High School reunited get together

(A.O. Bureau) Kendrapara, Feb 8: A seminar was held at Rajib Bhaban to reunite Baba Baikuntha Nath Brahmachari High School and reunite with old friends get to gather. It is worth

Brahmachari Ashram Principal Chetananda Baba honored all the teachers and educators of the main school. Jagbandhu Rout and Nrusingha Acharya, two senior teachers of Minor School, were the chief guests. (Smuti is our unforgettable day) A poetry competition was also organized. In this way, everyone worked together to make the program a success. The main allies are Jayant Das. Suppression is great. Pradipta Acharya, Anjan Nayak, Daman Mohanty is the hero. Umesh Behera, Gagan Acharya, Krishna Jena, Tapas Parida, Debashis Rana, Pintu Sethi, Rashmita Panda, Anita Maharana and Rajalakshmi Mohapatra are present.



mentioning here that the batch passed the matriculation examination from this school in year of 1998. The students in this batch are in Big different of government jobs. An honorable mention ceremony was held at Rajib Bhaban on Sunday. Baba Baikuntha Nath

Rajkanika Police complain to SP over indifference to brides in dowry claim



(A.O. Bureau) Kendrapara, Feb 8: The family has lodged a complaint with the Superintendent of Police against the indifference of the Rajkanika Police in a bridal murder case.

Kanchan Behera, age of 27, daughter of Kishore Chandra Behera of Siko village under Rajkanika Police Station, was allegedly married to Prabhakar Behera, age of 38, son of

Gandharba Behera of the same village, less than six years ago his marriage. The mother-in-law has been accused of harassing Kanchan mentally and physically, demanding

more than one TV and one lakh rupees in dowry. Kanchan has a 4-year-old son and a one-year-old daughter. At around 6am on Sunday, the girl's husband, Prabhakar, said by

phone that Kanchan Cuttack had died at the hospital. Kanchan's parents went to Cuttack SCB Hospital, but neither his daughter nor his mother-in-law's family saw anyone. Kanchan's father had lodged a written complaint with the Rajkanika Police Station alleging that his mother-in-law had killed Kanchan in an attempt to seduce him. The Superintendent of Police has reportedly instructed the Rajkanika police to take necessary steps in this regard.

ATM Fraud: 5 UP Criminals Arrested By Odisha Police For 'TRF Attack', 158 ATM Cards Seized



(A.O. Bureau) Balasore, Feb 8: With the help of district cyber cell, the Balasore Industrial Area Police Sunday night managed to arrest five cyber-criminals and ATM fraudsters, all natives of Uttar Pradesh, who had come to Odisha to loot cash through illegal transactions at the automated teller

machine (ATM) kiosks. Reports suggest that these cyber-criminals used an advanced ATM cash trapping method, called the transaction reversal fraud (TRF) or reversal cash trapping, to steal cash from as many as 4 ATMs in Balasore district. Shockingly, police have seized some 158 ATM cards

from their possession, apart from a four-wheeler, 8 mobile phones and Rs 64,000 cash. Revealing the modus operandi of the criminals, based on a preliminary investigation, police sources said these fraudsters borrow an ATM card from a known person citing deposit of cash and subsequent transaction. Following this, the criminals target an ATM and initiate withdrawal of the deposited cash. Exactly when the cash is to be dispensed, they stop the dispenser shutter from raising so as to

trick the host into thinking that cash was not withdrawn. Though the ATM gives an alert, it finally shows as transaction declined. It is at this moment that the criminals loosen their grip on the shutter and as soon as the shutter raises, the trapped cash is withdrawn by them. However, the ATMs perceive that cash was not dispensed which is why the amount is not debited from the bank accounts. What this does is it attacks the concerned bank's funds directly. Later, these criminals file a complaint with the

bank authorities stating that the required amount has been debited from their account even though no cash was dispensed. As the bank's server also shows that transaction was declined, the customers receive the claimed debited amount back in their account. Sources said a huge amount of cash has been withdrawn from ATMs using this fraudulent method, which has now doubled the concern of the innocent customers. The banks too incur heavy losses due to such illegal activities by criminals.

UTP Develops Physical Intimacy With Woman Prisoner In Odisha Jail; FIR Filed



(A.O. Bureau) Balangir, Feb 7: In an incident that has raised serious questions over the safety of jail inmates in Odisha, an under-trial prisoner (UTP) allegedly cheated a woman inmate after developing physical intimacy with her at Titlagarh sub-jail in Balangir dis-

trict. As per a police complaint lodged by the victim, who was imprisoned in connection with a domestic violence case and later released on bail around 45 days ago, accused Tirthankar Patel alias Papu had managed to come to the woman cell of the jail with the help of

some staffers of the prison. Papu, an accused in a GST fraud case, had established physical relation with the woman on the promise of marrying her, she mentioned in the FIR, adding that two staffers of the jail and a person working at the ADJ court were aware about the matter. The complainant further alleged that she was talking to Papu over mobile phone after her release from the jail and has the call recordings in her possession. The woman was also visiting him in the jail at regular intervals.

Wagle Ki Duniya – Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey: Everything we know about Sony SAB show



Mumbai, Feb 8: While Aanjan Srivastav and Bharti Achrekar will reprise their roles of Srinivas and Radhika Wagle, Sumeet Raghvan and Pariva Pranati will play the lead couple in Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey. Sony SAB's reboot of popular 80s' sitcom Wagle Ki Duniya titled Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey will go on air tonight. The show promises to once again bring alive the magic of R K Laxman's stories of the 'common man'. With a change in generation, the protagonist in the new series will face a newer set of dilemmas. The show will also showcase the progression in the lives

of the middle-class in the country. Before the serial hit screens, here's everything we know about Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey. What is Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey? Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey is a slice-of-life show revolving around a simple family man Rajesh Wagle. While he aspires for a better lifestyle for himself and his family, he is hesitant to take risks and move with the times. Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey will showcase the strong value system of the middle-class of today, and their daily life and issues. While Aanjan

Srivastav and Bharti Achrekar will reprise their roles of Srinivas and Radhika Wagle, Sumeet Raghvan and Pariva Pranati will play the new lead couple. While Raghvan will essay the role of Rajesh Wagle, senior Wagle's son, Pranati will essay the role of his loving wife. The third generation in the family will be played by Chinmayee Salvi and Sheehan Kapahi. Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey is produced by JD Majethia's Hats Off Productions. His frequent collaborator Aatish Kapadia has penned the show. When will Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey go on air? The show is set to

premiere on February 8 at 9 pm. Where can you watch the show? The series will air Monday-Friday on Sony SAB. In case you miss the episode, you can catch it on SonyLIV app the next day. Who created the original Wagle Ki Duniya? The weekly series was conceived by acclaimed cartoonist R K Laxman, and was based on his character of the quintessential common man. The show was directed by Kundan Shah and Ravi Ojha. When and where did the show first air? The popular sitcom aired on DD National from 1988 to 1990. While it was originally planned as a six-episode show, given its popularity, it was extended to 13 episodes. Why was Wagle Ki Duniya popular? The subject and issues discussed in Wagle Ki Duniya were very relatable to the "middle-class common man", making it a favourite among the audience. It depicted the everyday struggles through the eyes of the nervous sales clerk Srinivas and his wife Radhika. What's special about Wagle Ki

Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey? This year is R K Laxman's centennial birth year. When the team visited The Kapil Sharma Show recently, JD Majethia mentioned that the decision of recreating the show happened overnight. For them, it seemed like a magical development, and they consider it as a blessing from R K Laxman. The makers have assured that the soul of Wagle Ki Duniya will be retained in the reboot, but it will also have a fresh perspective. Set in today's time, the stories in the show will be quite contemporary. Neeraj Vyas, Business Head Sony SAB, in a statement said, "We aim to create a similar impact through Wagle Ki Duniya - Nayi Peedhi, Naye Kissey as we get ready to bring an uplifting collection of stories of today's new age common man fighting the daily battles of life with wit, humor and undoubting positivity in the face of difficulties. The lensing of Wagle will be dramatically different from the eighties Wagle and will be relevant to today's generation."

Madhuri Dixit Shares Picture With Family and Friends From Husband Shriram Nene's Pre-birthday Party

New Delhi, Feb 8: Bollywood star Madhuri Dixit took to social media to share a group picture with her friends and family from her husband Shriram Nene's birthday party. Bollywood actor Madhuri Dixit celebrated husband's Shriram Nene 'pre-birthday' with her near and dear ones. Taking to Instagram, the 53-year old actor shared a

wards the Covid-19 protocols. Many Bollywood celebrities started wishing Nene in the comments section. Madhuri's former co-star Anil Kapoor wished him a very happy birthday. Anil and Madhuri have worked on a number of superhit films like Beta and Pukaar. Many of Madhuri's fans gave best wishes

testing and quarantining the people who were present there. Happy Sunday, folks. Hope you are well! Had an amazing weekend with family and friends in Karjat and just got back. We created safe, social bubbles with testing and quarantine. Have to hand it to my fam and friends for stepping up to celebrate my pre-bday with me!



group photograph where the couple are standing in the centre, surrounded by their family and friends. The kids of the group can be seen sitting in the front, while Nene is standing behind a serving trolley which has two cakes. A big group which is a part of Madhuri's 'social bubble' can be seen in the picture which also has the kids of Madhuri and Nene, Arin and Ryan. In her post, the actor added that they had taken all the necessary precautions, indicating to

Nene on his birthday. The post which was shared around 17 hours ago has already received more than 1.43 lakh likes. Madhuri has a massive fan following on Instagram of 21.8 million followers. The 'Dhak Dhak girl' who started her career in 1984 is popular to this date. Nene also shared a similar picture on his Twitter account where he can be seen cutting the cake while his loved ones are cheering him. According to the tweet, they created a safe social bubble by

He had recently shared another picture with Madhuri from his 'pre-birthday celebration' on Instagram where the couple were looking adorable. Sharing the photograph, he said that he is loving life with his sweetheart. In 1999, Madhuri married Dr Nene, a cardiovascular surgeon and moved to the US. After almost a decade, Madhuri moved back to India with her husband and children. The couple launched a production company called RnM Moving Pictures in 2018.

Vikram Bhatt joins forces with Mahesh Bhatt for horror film Cold

Mumbai, Feb 8: Cold film reunites Vikram Bhatt and Mahesh Bhatt, almost two decades after the latter wrote the hit horror film, Raaz. Vikram Bhatt, known for directing horror films like Raaz and 1920, said his aim with Cold is to reinvent the genre. "The world has gone through a harrowing time in the past one year and there is a need for a collective catharsis and Cold is

going to provide the viewers with that. I am going to reinvent the horror genre with my mentor Mahesh Bhatt twenty years after Raaz. I promise the scariest ride in our cinema till date," he said in a statement. The first shooting schedule of the film has commenced in Mumbai. Cold is produced by Krishna Bhatt and Amar Thakkar via their banner Loneranger.

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Javed Jaferi Denies Dating Rumours of His Son Meezan Jaferi and Amitabh Bachchan's Granddaughter Navya Naveli

Mumbai, Feb 8: Actor Javed Jaferi has opened up about the rumoured relationship of his son Meezan Jaferi with Navya Naveli. He denied the same by saying that the two have been known to each other since childhood and are good friends. He said that people want content and linking them both is easy as they have a common group of friends and often spend time together. He added that even Sara Ali Khan and Meezan are school buddies and hang out together till 3



am. In a recent interview with Times Of India, the Javed said, "Being good friends with somebody is considered to be something else always." The actor also talked about his Bollywood journey so far and called it eventful, uplifting, disappointing as well as encouraging. He revealed that be-

fore coming to films, he was already a popular face as he won two national dance championships and had also done a few advertising films. Javed also opened up about not getting lead roles even after delivering amazing performances in films like Deepa Mehta's Fire. He said that he didn't know

how to build on his success or market himself as he was not so good at public relations. Meanwhile, Javed's son already started his Bollywood career with a bang. He made his debut from 2019 film Malaal, produced by Sanjay Leela Bhansali. The star kid has also bagged best debut award for his performance in the film. He will be next seen in Priyadarshan's Hungama 2, along with Shilpa Shetty, Paresh Rawal and Pranitha Subhash. On the other hand, Navya is the owner of Project Naveli, an initiative to bridge the gender gap in India. She also co-owns Aara Health, the online platform to discuss women health issues.

India take five but England extend lead to 360 England lose Burns first ball after India concede 241-run first-innings lead



Chennai, Feb 8: Indian bowlers scythed through the England top half, including picking the vital wicket of Joe Root, but the visitors still extended their overall lead to a formidable 360 runs on the fourth day of the opening Test here on Monday. England were 119 for five at tea after bowling out the hosts for 337 for a massive first-innings lead of 241

runs. Off-spinner Ravichandran Ashwin picked up three wickets to lead India's fightback before Jasprit Bumrah sent back Root, who was looking in imperious form. Ollie Pope (18) and Jos Buttler (14) were at the crease at the tea break. Resuming from their lunch score of 1 for 1, England sought to press ahead in the second session with Root do-

ing the bulk of scoring. With the pitch offering more help than it did in the first innings, Ashwin and Co got into the act. Ashwin returned impressive figures of 3 for 49 while Ishant Sharma (1/17) picked up his 300th Test scalp in his 98th match when he had Dan Lawrence trapped in front of the wicket. Lawrence (18), touted as a good player of spin, looked to find ways to negate the Indian bowlers and added 32 runs with Dom Sibley (16) before the latter was castled by one that bounced from Ashwin, resulting in an inside edge which flew to the leg-slip. Lawrence fell to Ishant off a ball that came in sharply. Ben Stokes did not make the impact expected of him after a blazing 82 in the first, edging Ashwin while playing from his body to give the off-spinner his third wicket. Bumrah then had Root plumb

in front with a delivery that kept low. Root played some lovely strokes on his way to a 40-run knock. Earlier, Ashwin had struck with the very first ball of second innings as England survived two testing overs before lunch. Refusing to enforce the follow-on, the visitors were 1/1 in two overs at the lunch break. Ashwin, opening the bowling in the second innings, got one to turn and bounce and had Rory Burns (0) edging to Ajinkya Rahane at first slip. Responding to England's mammoth 578, India were all out in 95.5 overs and fell well short of the follow-on target despite Washington Sundar's fighting knock of 85. Rishabh Pant (91) and Cheteshwar Pujara (73) have been India's other major contributors. For England, Dom Bess was the most successful bowler with 4 for 76 while James Anderson (2/46), Jofra Ar-

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Chennai, Feb 8: Off-spinner Ravichandran Ashwin struck with the very first ball of second innings as England survived two testing overs before lunch on the fourth day of the opening Test against India after securing a first-innings lead of 241 runs. Refusing to enforce the follow-on, the visitors were 1/1 in two overs at the break

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after bowling out India for 337 in their first innings. Ashwin, opening the bowling in the second innings, got one to turn and bounce and had Rory Burns (0) edging to Ajinkya Rahane at first slip. Responding to England's mammoth 578, India were all out in 95.5 overs and fell well short of the follow-on target despite Washington Sundar's fighting knock of 85. Rishabh Pant (91) and Cheteshwar Pujara (73) have been India's other major contributors. For England, Dom Bess was the most successful bowler with

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Australian Open: Serena, Osaka, Thiem, Djokovic register wins on opening day

Melbourne, Feb 8: Australian Open, after being delayed by three weeks to allow all players arriving from abroad to quarantine for two weeks, kicked off on time under leaden skies at Melbourne Park on Monday. There was one locally acquired case of COVID-19 reported in the state of Victoria on Monday, a worker at a quarantine hotel not associated with the tennis. Novak Djokovic got back to doing what he does best on Monday when he steamrolled Frenchman Jeremy Chardy 6-3 6-1 6-2 on Rod Laver Arena in the opening round of the Australian Open. Having come through two weeks of quarantine in Adelaide, and a brief but damaging spat with his hosts over the terms of the isolation, the world number one let his tennis do the talking as he eased to a 297th Grand Slam victory. "There's an ongoing love affair with me and this court," he said to cheers from the fans. "I've been lucky to

have so much success on this court and hopefully it will continue for many years. It makes my heart full to see so many people in the stadium. This is the most people I've seen on a tennis court in 12 months. Thank you." Serena Williams eased past Germany's Laura Siegemund 6-1 6-1 to reach the second round. The American hit 16 winners as she wrapped up the one-sided contest in just under an hour, and was eager to wind up her post-match interview as quickly as possible to watch the end of the Super Bowl. "I gotta go! I gotta go! You're taking too long," she said. Venus Williams beat Belgium's Kirsten Flipkens 7-5 6-2 to reach the second round in front of about 200 fans on Margaret Court Arena. Flipkens made 30 unforced errors compared to just 13 by Williams, who also won more than 80% of her first-serve points. Third seed Naomi Osaka was the first player through to the second round after a 6-

1 6-2 thrashing of Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova. "I'm just really happy to see people in the stands. It's been a bit lonely in New York, so thank you guys," Osaka told a small crowd at Rod Laver Arena. World number two Simona Halep sealed a comfortable 6-2 6-1 victory over Australian wild card Lizette Cabrera in the first round at the Rod Laver Arena. Romanian Halep, a 2018 finalist, hit 14 winners compared to seven from Cabrera, who is ranked 140. French Open champion Iga Swiatek, the 15th seed, opened her account at the Australian Open with a 6-1 6-3 victory over Arantxa Rus of the Netherlands. Unseeded American Bernarda Pera stunned former champion Angelique Kerber of Germany 6-0 6-4 to reach the second round. Pera struck 26 winners compared to just seven from Kerber as she wrapped up the biggest win of her career in just 70 minutes. Frenchman Gael

Monfils was beaten 3-6 6-4 7-5 3-6 6-3 by little-known Finn Emil Ruusuvuori in one of the day's biggest upsets so far. Monfils, the 10th seed, hit 46 winners but also made 64 unforced errors as he was dumped out in the first round for the second time in his career, the first coming in 2006. World number three Dominic Thiem advances with a 7-6(2) 6-2 6-3 win over Mikhail Kukushkin of Kazakhstan. The Austrian third seed hit 29 winners compared to 17 from Kukushkin, who is ranked 90th. Sixth seed Alexander Zverev recovered from a slow start to beat American Marcos Giron 6-7(8) 7-6(5) 6-3 6-2 on Margaret Court Arena. The German made 19 unforced errors in the opening set and lost in a tiebreak but took control later, hitting 50 winners and 16 aces to reach the second round. Australian Nick Kyrgios beat Portuguese qualifier Frederico Ferreira Silva 6-4 6-4 6-4 in the opening round at the John Cain Arena. World number 47 Kyrgios sent down 14 aces and hit 40 winners to wrap up the match in just under two hours. Eighth seed Bianca Andreescu overcame a mid-match wobble to beat Romanian Mihaela Buzamescu 6-2 4-6 6-3 in her first match in 15 months.



Rani Rampal, Koneru Humpy, Manu Bhaker nominated for BBC 'Indian Sportswoman of the Year' honour

New Delhi, Feb 8: India hockey team skipper Rani Rampal will compete with chess ace Koneru Humpy and young shooter Manu Bhaker for the BBC 'Indian Sportswoman of the Year' award. India hockey team skipper Rani Rampal will compete with chess ace Koneru Humpy and young shooter Manu Bhaker for the BBC 'Indian Sportswoman of the Year' award after being nominated for the honour along with two others on Monday. Vinesh Phogat, who is the only Indian woman wrestler to have qualified for the Tokyo Olympics and the Asian Games 100m silver medalist Dutee Chand, who missed out on the inaugural award last year, have been again nominated by the 40-member jury panel. The winner will be decided by public voting. The fans can vote for their favourite star on any of the six language platforms of the BBC. The voting is



open till February 24 and the winner will be announced on March 8, the international Women's Day. The organisers have introduced a new category this year — 'Emerging Player of the Year' and the winner of which will be decided by the jury instead of voting. Asked why a cricketer has not been nominated for the second straight year, Rupa Jha, BBC Head of Indian Languages clarified that the nominees were selected by the jury, full of experts and sports writers, and that they did not exclude any sport. Athletics star PT Usha, who received the life-

time achievement award the last year, lauded the BBC for the initiative. She also tipped India's mixed relay team to do well at the Tokyo Olympic Games but was candid in saying that medal will be difficult to get. "Getting a medal in athletics at Olympics is very tough. But slowly we have started doing well. In future, we will get a medal. Our mixed relay team did well at the World Athletics in 2019 by reaching the final. They finished seventh. There is a good chance of a good performance for it," she said. "Javelin-thrower Neeraj Chopra is expected to

do well. PV Sindhu won a medal last time and she should get gold this year. (Boxer) Mary Kom should also do well," she added. The BBC also announced that it will host a 'Sports Hackathon' where more than 300 Wikipedia entries of 50 Indian sportswomen will be added. It has tied up with various journalism institutes in various states in the country for the said purpose. Para badminton player Mansi Joshi said such an initiative was required since not much information is available on many of country's women athletes.

UEFA's new Champions League plan faces concern from domestic leagues

Nyon, Feb 8: The latest Champions League reform plan is faring better than a failed club-driven proposal two years ago, though Europe's top leagues said they have concerns after discussing it on Friday. UEFA-led talks on approving changes for the 2024-25 season are steering away from a traditional group stage toward a single

league table that gives all 36 teams 10 games each in a variation of the 'Swiss System' format created in chess tournaments. That format promises to raise club prize money by giving UEFA 180 group-stage games to sell to broadcasters instead of the current 96. It also needs to find four extra midweek slots in an already busy program for domestic



leagues. "The European Leagues have raised strong concerns about more matchdays of such a flex-

ible system in an already very congested calendar," the 30-nation group said after an online meeting.

Swachhata Book release Environment & Minerals Awareness Program By UAIL At Baphlimali Mines



(A.O. Bureau) Sambalpur, Feb 8: A book on Company's accomplishments during Swachhata Month 2020 has been published by MCL. The book depicts various activities and new initiatives undertaken by company

like forging partnerships with women rural entrepreneur, women Self Help Group and women leadership at Panchayat level who have brought difference in the quality of life in rural settlements. The book has

been unveiled today by Shri Prabhat Kumar Sinha, CMD, MCL in the presence of Shri O.P Singh, Director (Tech/Operation), Shri K.R. Vasudevan, Director (Finance) and Shri Baban Singh, Director (Tech/P&P).

(A.O. Bureau) Tikiri/Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: The Regional Environment and Mineral Awareness Program (EMAP) was successfully organized at Baphlimali mines area of Utkal Alumina International Limited a unit of Hindalco Industries of Aditya Birla Group under the banner of the Society of Geoscientists & Allied Technologists, Bhubaneswar with great enthusiasm. The entire program was designed for the students of Govt.UG High school, Maikanch with the sole objective to sensitize them about the importance of the protection and preservation of our natural resources

and also to induce knowledge about environment protection through appropriate measures. 20 Students from three schools named Govt.High School, Tikiri, SSVM Kashipur and Govt.High school, Maikanch in and around Kashipur block actively participated in this program and were educated about the Baphlimali Bauxite Mine and also about other mineral reserves and resources in Odisha. The students seemed to embrace all the information with keen interest. The information about the various mineral deposits of Odisha, their identification and their protection



were discussed in thredbare. This was followed by a competition among the participating schools which com-

prised events like Mineral identification, debate, essay writing and quiz. Speaking on the occasion, the Unit Head

of UAIL, Mr. MazharBeig has expressed that the proactive participation of the students and the enthusiasm of today's generation towards environmental and mineral awareness adds value to our efforts of conserving the environment and taking the nation towards sustainable energy path. The program was graced by Mr. Mukesh Jha, (Head Mines), Mr. K.C Jyotishi (Head Geology) and Mr. Siba Mahapatra (CSR Head), who spoke to the students and their accompanying teachers on the subject matter and the chief guests distributed the prizes to winners.

GMRVF equips youth for placement in Govt jobs OMFED's Recruitment Drive To Fill-Up Various Posts



(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: GMR Varalakshmi Foundation's (GMRVF), the CSR arm of GMR Group is helping the underprivileged students in a big way to make their dreams come true. GMRVF's objectives are to develop social infrastructure and enhance the quality of life of communities around the locations that has the Group's presence. Education, health,

livelihoods, women empowerment are some of the key areas where it is making a meaningful impact. Recently, GMRVF's 'Pratibha Library and Counselling Center' has helped seventeen students of Rajam, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh, crack the Staff Selection Commission (SSC) exam. In the recently conducted competitive selection, eight students were selected for CISE, five students for

CRPF and four for BSF. Of the seventeen students, what is worthy of mention is that there are three girls who were successfully selected for CISE. Striving to make a valuable contribution to the society, GMRVF's 'Pratibha Library and Counselling Center' has been continuously mentoring the unemployed youth in securing government jobs. Established in 2005 in the heart of Rajam,

Pratibha Library and Counselling Centres' main focus is to train young aspirants from the underprivileged sections by helping them take informed decisions to achieve their goals through a systematic strategy and preparing them well for all competitive selections for employability. Dr. Avanish Kumar, Director - Community Services Wing, GMRVF, said, "We are proud of our students who have come through successfully with flying colors and have made it through a rigorous selection process. GMRVF has helped the students crack it through a strategic preparation plan, coaching by subject matter experts and mock tests. We will continue to nurture the youth to enable them to achieve their goals for the country's brighter tomorrow."

-Apart from offering coaching to the job aspirants in 'Arithmetic & Reasoning' and 'General Studies', Pratibha Center has also helped them in terms of submitting the online application for the exam as well. Learning sessions were organized with successful candidates from the earlier batches to guide the aspirants. The candidates who cleared the preliminary round were also offered help by making the College grounds of Sri GCSR college accessible for physical efficiency test. The efforts of the Pratibha Library and Counselling Center bore fruit when 17 candidates got selected in the recently announced SSC results. Over the last 15 years, Pratibha Library has helped the youth in and around Rajam to secure more than 500 government jobs.

(A.O. Bureau) Bhubaneswar, Feb 8: Good news for jobseekers in Odisha as the Odisha State Co-operative Milk Producers' Federation Limited (O M F E D), Bhubaneswar has invited applications from experienced candidates to fill-up positions. Age limit as on 31/12/2020: Manager: 55 years, Deputy Manager: 50 years, Assistant Manager: 50 years, Technical Superintendent: 45 years, Superintendent: 45 years, Jr. Laboratory Technician: 40 years. Educational Qualifications for the following posts: Manager (IT): B.E/ B.Tech in Computer Science/ IT. Minimum 10 years post qualification experience. Deputy Manager (Finance): Degree with passing of final examination of Chartered Accountant / Cost & Management Accountant. Minimum seven years post qualification experience. Assistant Manager (Finance): Degree with passing of final examination of Chartered Accountant / Cost & Management Accountant. Minimum five years post qualification experience. Superintendent (Finance): Degree with passing of intermediate Examination of Chartered accountant / Cost and Management accountant. Minimum three years post qualifi-

cation experience. Assistant Manager (Electrical): Full time B.E./B.Tech in Electrical Engineering. Minimum five years post qualification experience Assistant Manager (Instrumentation): Full time B.E./B.Tech in Instrumentation Engineering. Minimum five years post qualification experience. Technical Superintendent - SCADA Operation: Full time B.E./ B.Tech.in Instrumentation/Electrical Engineering. Minimum three years post qualification experience. Technical Superintendent-Process Production: Full time B.E./B.Tech in Dairy Technology. Minimum three years of post qualification experience in Automated Plants/ Production Units. Manager (Quality Control): Graduate/ Post Graduate in Dairy Technology/ Food Technology/ Dairy Chemistry/ Dairy Bacteriology/ Microbiology. Preference will be given to the candidate having experience in Dairy/Food Industry. The last date for submission of applications is March 3, 2021. The nature of the appointments will be contractual basis. How to apply: Interested eligible candidates should apply in the prescribed Application Format. They are required to submit the Application duly filled in and signed along with the proof of documents in a cover super scribed "APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF MANAGER (QUALITYCONTROL)" which should reach the Dy. General Manager (HR), OMFED, D-2, S a h i d n a g a r , Bhubaneswar-751007, Odisha on or before 03/03/2021. The application along with the requisite documents can also be submitted through email to careers@omfed.com and a copy to omfedrecruitment@gmail.com or by post.

Superintendent (Quality Control); Graduate/Post Graduate in Dairy Technology/Food Technology/Dairy Chemistry/Dairy Bacteriology/ Microbiology. Minimum seven years of post-qualification experience Jr. Laboratory Technician: Graduate/ Post Graduate in Dairy Technology/ Food Technology/ Dairy Chemistry/ Dairy Bacteriology/ Microbiology. Preference will be given to the candidate having experience in Dairy/Food Industry. The last date for submission of applications is March 3, 2021. The nature of the appointments will be contractual basis. How to apply: Interested eligible candidates should apply in the prescribed Application Format. They are required to submit the Application duly filled in and signed along with the proof of documents in a cover super scribed "APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF MANAGER (QUALITYCONTROL)" which should reach the Dy. General Manager (HR), OMFED, D-2, S a h i d n a g a r , Bhubaneswar-751007, Odisha on or before 03/03/2021. The application along with the requisite documents can also be submitted through email to careers@omfed.com and a copy to omfedrecruitment@gmail.com or by post.

New agri laws are in farmers' interests, misgivings should be dispelled: Nitish Kumar

(A.O. Bureau) Patna, Feb 8: Bihar Chief Minister Nitish Kumar on Monday observed that the new agriculture laws was in the "interests of the farmers", and expressed hope that misgivings over the legislations that have arisen in some states would be addressed squarely by the Centre. He asserted that the controversy around the new laws will have no impact in Bihar where Agricultural Produce Market Committees (APMCs) were done away with more than a decade ago and a viable alternative system put in place. He also welcomed the assurance given by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, on the floor of the Rajya

Sabha earlier in the day, that the system of MSPs (minimum support price) will not be tinkered with while bringing in the agriculture reforms. "It is good that the government has made it clear that MSPs are there to stay... these laws have been brought for the betterment of farmers. Bihar is not affected by the controversy since we abolished APMC's long back. "The alternative system of procurement has given the farmers an opportunity to sell their produce wherever they want, and it is working fine," Kumar told reporters in reply to queries about the ongoing agitations. He, however, noted that the system of APMC's was very much



in place in states like Punjab and Haryana which have been on the boil ever since the three laws were passed by Parliament. "The good thing is that the Centre has shown the willingness to talk to those who have reservations about the new laws. I am sure it will be able to convince people that it has brought the laws with good intentions," he added. The JD(U) leader, who is running his gov-

ernment with the BJP as an alliance partner, however dodged queries about the much-awaited expansion of the state cabinet. "When we get a list of prospective names (for ministerial berths), it (expansion) will take place," said Kumar with a cryptic smile. Speculations are rife that new faces will be inducted into the cabinet ahead of the budget session of the state assembly, which commences on Febru-

ary 19. Expansion of the cabinet has been hanging fire over the issue of berth allotment to members of Kumar's party and the BJP, which has emerged as the ally with more number of seats in the assembly, upending the power equations within the Bihar NDA. The ruling coalition also includes smaller parties like former chief minister Jitan Ram Manjhi's HAM and Bollywood set designer-turned-politician Mukesh Sahn's VIP. Currently 13-strong, the state cabinet has seven members from the BJP, including two deputy CMs, four from the JD(U) other than the chief minister, and one representative each from the HAM and the VIP.

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01	Manager (IT)	01
02	Deputy Manager (Finance)	01
03	Assistant Manager (Finance)	01
04	Superintendent(Finance)	05
05	Assistant Manager (Electrical)	01
06	Assistant Manager (Instrumentation)	01
07	Technical Superintendent- SCADA Operation	05
08	Technical Superintendent- Process Production	03
09	Manager (Quality Control)	01
10	Assistant Manager(Quality Control)	03
11	Superintendent(Quality Control)	06
12	Jr. Laboratory Technician	10