



From Sharmila on election campaign duty

Bomb found at JNIMS

IT News
Imphal, Nov 30: Another hand grenade was found today at the gate No. 3 of JNIMS at A Block JNIMS at around 8.30 am today morning. The bomb was found when preparation for inauguration of the newly constructed A Block and faulty building has been taking up in full swing under tight security arrangement. This is the second time that bomb is being found. Another hand grenade was found at the ground floor of the OPD on Nov 26. An armed group called KCP Poirei Meitei Lup has claimed responsibility of placing the bomb.

PRJA's election campaign

IT News
Imphal, Nov 30: Irom Chanu Sharmila's new political party PRJA (People resurgence and Justice Alliance) has been gearing up its campaign with a difference. A statement of the political party said that they had started donation drive for party fund of Rs. 10 only from the citizens of the state. "We said let's defeat 'cash for votes' by creating an entirely different alternative that challenges the notion that people are corrupt, and ignorant. People are not. It is the corrupt leaders, it is the so-called 'mapimapas' who perpetuate this narrative that corruption begins at the bottom. In reality, corruption trickles down from the top. But the way to change that is for the PRAJA to topple that top from the bottom during elections. People are the true sovereign", the statement added, meanwhile Sharmila had started street corner meeting at Manipur university and other places of the state.

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New Administrative Block building of JNIMS inaugurated; CM assures Dental College

IT News
Imphal, Nov 30: Chief Minister Okram Ibibi Singh today inaugurated the newly constructed Administrative and Faculty block of the Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Medical Science (JNIMS). Speaking on the occasion Chief Minister Okram Ibibi assures to establish a Dental College of JNIMS. He said as there is no separate building for running of the dental college the authority has been considering utilization of the old administrative building the dental college.



The Chief Minister further said that the authority is all set to start construction of quarters for Sr. residence and Professor inside the complex and said that the Union Health Minister who had visited RIMS had assured to establish Cancer Treatment Centre at JNIMS and the state government has been preparing a detail project report (DPR) for opening of the center. Besides giving priority to the improvement of health sector as well as power sector the state government has also been taking up various measures for improvement of

IT sectors, the Chief Minister added. "We are making all our effort to create Manipur as IT hub of the entire North eastern States", Ibobi said Deputy Chief Minister Gaikhangam, who also

VC of Siblong succumbed to injury after NSCN-IM assaulted

IT News
Imphal, Nov 30: Vice Chairman of Siblong village authority - Part -1 along the National Highway 37 succumbed to his injury today afternoon after he was severely assaulted by suspected cadres of NSCN-IM. Report reaching here said that he was pulled up by

cadres of NSCN-IM from his residence at around 1 am. The Vice Chairman has been identified as Mathiuthan gangmei40 s/o aate Gangmei Kaisa of Siblong part 1. Report reaching here said that the Village authority Vice Chairman sustained various bruish marks at his back and other part of the body.

Rs 294 lakh granted to Centre for North East Studies and Policy Research, JMI for research and upgradation

IT News
Imphal, Nov 30: The North Eastern Council (NEC) has sanctioned a grant of Rs 294 lakh for the upgradation of the Centre for North East Studies and Policy Research (CNESPR) in Jamia Millia Islamia under an Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed between the two sides. The Shillong-based NEC, which comes under the Ministry of Development of North East Region (DONER) has agreed to provide the financial support to CNESPR JMI to conduct research studies on major issues confronting the North East Region (NER) such as migration, inclusive growth,

governance, gender, tradition and modernity, state and civil society, literature and reflections, disaster management, Act East policy and climate change. The amount of Rs. 294.00 lakh has been granted for a period of five years. The MoU was signed by JMI Registrar, Mr A. P. Siddiqui and Director HRD & E, North East Council, Shillong, Mr. KH. Siile Anthony. NEC is involved in the process of development in all the eight states in the region and contributes to the socio-economic development of the people in the area by providing financial assistance to the schemes and projects in various sectors like

transport, communication, agriculture, HRD, health, power, irrigation and flood control and science and technology. The Centre of North East Studies and Policy Research, Jamia Millia Islamia was set up in 2009. It seeks to play the role of a leading research and documentation centre for the region and as a 'think tank' for the academic community, scholars and policy makers on key issues before the NER. The Centre has been conducting workshops, national seminars, public lectures, cultural programmes and research addressing the issue confronting India's North East Region.

Delhi Eastern Naga Students' Union celebrates Silver Jubilee

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New Delhi, Nov. 30: Delhi is a city of opportunity where every year people from across the country arrive to seek better education, career opportunities and a better life. Those coming from outside bring their unique cultures and traditions. Celebrating life in a historic manner, the Delhi Eastern Naga Students' Union (DENGUSU) recently rolled out a red carpet for their people on the occasion of its Silver Jubilee. The celebrations were graced by Nagaland's Health and Family Welfare Minister P Longon, DoNER Secretary Naveen Verma and other dignitaries. "I am happy that I am part of this celebration and to be a part of this commemoration programme. And, I am also proud of my people; unexpectedly my people are also here in Delhi completing 25 years of their stay," said Longon. DENSU consists of six tribes from Nagaland, namely Chang, Phom, Khiamniungan, Konyak, Sangtam and Yimchunger. Hundreds of students from these tribes gathered and witnessed their rich and unique culture at the event. "You feel as if you have come back to Eastern Nagaland. Seeing

the Konyak, Morung and the log drum is something that actually took you back to Nagaland. So, I am very happy that the Eastern Naga chapter of Delhi has done a great event. They actually have taken lots of pain to bring and reach Eastern Nagaland right here. And I've told that even the bamboos are authentic, so it is very good. I wish that such events are organised and occur more often here in Delhi," added Naveen Verma, DoNER Secretary. "This kind of events should take place in Delhi more often and also not only with Nagaland people but also with Delhites, so that interaction makes them closer to each other. And that will increase the mutual understanding and also the corporation between the people of Nagaland and Delhi," added Madan Lal, AAP MLA. To mark and honour the celebration, the Naga students set up a real indigenous Morung for the first time in New Delhi, which remained the centre of attraction. Another major attraction was the log drum, giving a glimpse of the rich heritage. "We, Delhi Eastern Nagaland student try to bring something different in the city of Delhi. In our culture, we have Morung and log drum but this is first time in the history of Delhi that we were

Innocent Hill and valley peoples worst affected in the economic blockade and the counter blockade



IT News
Imphal, Nov 30: As the UNC and its supporters had intensified its economic blockade along the two national Highway after the arrest of UNC President Gaidon kamei and Publicity Secretary Shankhui Stephen Lamkang, people at various part of the Valley region had enforced counter blockade destroying essential commodities carrying towards Hill districts. After around 30 goods ferrying trucks were vandalized by UNC supporters at Noney, more trucks numbering around 40 have also been reportedly destroyed by UNC supporter at around 4 am today. The trucks were coming towards Imphal under tight security arrangement.

Following the news various people at valley district had also started counter blockade. Large number of people at Khumbong Keithel today halted trucks carrying essential commodities towards Tamenglong and other interior district and pull down all the essential edible items. The commodities were later destroyed in the middle of the road while the trucks were let off after emptying. Meanwhile, villagers of Tamenglong district which were located far of the district headquarters are facing extreme hardship as day today commodities had been going out of stock. Similar conditions is with the villagers at Valley district which were located far from Imphal as well as their respective district head quarters.

Bank authority clarifies

IT News
Imphal, Nov 30: Staffs and authority of the United Forum of Banks Union Manipur today clarify that the rumours spreading about stocking denominations at the banks in Imphal are totally wrong and baseless. In a meeting with the media persons at Babupara office of the SBI Regional Business centers the Union representatives said that currency denominations are allotted and sent by RBI and banks are helpless until RBI sent currency denominations.

United front called KCP Peoples' War Group Form

IT News
Imphal, Nov 30: With a mission to reconsolidate various factions of KCPs a group called KCP Peoples' War Group was formed, said a joint statement of the KCP Poirei Meitei Lup, KCP (MC) Paikhomba Meitei and KCP Tamganba. The statement further said that a meeting of the three groups was held on November 27 at 11 am with the Chairman of the KCP Poirei Meitei Lup Poirei Meitei @ Rocky was held for the third time. It said as a first step to reconsolidate the various

factions of the KCPs, the group called KCP Peoples' War Group has been formed with the understanding of all the three groups. It said that an adhoc central committee and strategical Core Committee has also been formed to look for providing accommodation to other factions of KCPs left in the reconsolidation. Poirei Meitei @ Rocky of the KCP Poirei Meitei Lup has been elected as the convener of the Adhoc Committee while GS of KCP Tamganba, Khagemba Meitei @ Nongpoknganba and will be

the co convener. It also said that Secy Military Affairs of KCP Paikhomba, Lenin Meitei has been assigned as media coordinator. GS of KCP Poirei Meitei Tampak Puba Khuman and Ningtam Meitei of KCP Tamganba were elected as executive committee members. The statement further said that the strategic committee of the united front will find out the vital network of mushrooming KCP groups besides looking after the matter of internal security. The joint statement also further stated that the United Front of the KCP will fight all anti people activities.

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able to construct this Morung and showcased the log drum. Log drum is normally used on an occasion, celebration or a war cry. So traditionally for our culture, this is very very significant. And we are very happy that we could put in place this Morung in Delhi," said Dr. Hentok Phom, Jubilee Convener. The artefacts and the materials were brought all the way from eastern Nagaland for the celebrations. A cultural programme was also organised where performances by various music bands led the audiences awestruck. Budding fashion designer Doichung Buchen also showcased her latest collections, a unique mix of traditional and modern designs. "I feel so good and after long time, I came to such places and I really miss back home. And to see the traditional dresses, I really liked it and enjoyed a lot," added by one of the beaming audiences. A window to the cultural mosaic of Eastern Nagaland, the event highlighted the rich and vibrant culture and life of the people. Such celebrations strengthen bond among communities and promotes tribal culture and traditions.