

Man who tried to kill 46 years old lady arrested

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Man who attempted to murder a middle aged woman by attacking with knife at Charangpat area in Thoubal district was reportedly arrested by a team of Thoubal district yesterday evening. The arrested accused identified as Laishram Anand Singh (27 yrs) s/o L. Ingoshabai Singh of Heirok Part-2 Mayai Leikai attacked a 46 years old woman by chopping at her head and face, however the lady survives with critical injury. The incident happened at around 2.30 pm on February 3 at a place called Selom Loukol of Charangpat Mayai Leikai in Thoubal district. The lady was reportedly found lying in a pool of blood at the left main canal. She was taken to the Thoubal district Hospital and later referred to Raj Medicity as her situation deteriorated.

FEGOCTA's relay hunger strike enters 3 days

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Teachers' body FEGOCTA have entered its relay hunger strike for the 3rd day. The Relay Hunger Strike was attended by Ten Teachers today, at D. M. College Multipurpose Hall. The present third Agitations by FEGOCTA is against the failure by Government to fulfill National Policy of 7th UGC Pay and Regulations 2018 of Government Colleges.

TOM TV distributors demands refund of their deposited money along with interest

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Fifty-two cable service distributors of the TOM TV which is run by the Lamjingba Group of Company today demanded the refund of the money that had deposited to the firm along with interest and also the subscription fees that they had collected from the subscribers. Talking to media persons at Manipur press today morning, one Khangembam Amarjit, who identified himself as the Secretary of the All Manipur TOM Cable distributor Welfare Association said that as the Lamjingba Group of Company fails to provide service to the subscribers as promised by them, the distributors are now facing a hard time getting scolding from the consumers. When a complaint about this matter some staff of the Lamjingba group threaten, he said. "On June 29, 2019, Chairman

of the lambing Group announced to provide cable service of TOM TV across the state and to start providing the service by September 25, 2019, during a meeting at Hotel Grande", Amarjit said and added that technical team from the ZEE TV were surveying to make the dream come true. Following the announcement, 3 distributors from each assembly constituency have been allowed to deposit a sum of rupees One Lakh each along with another Rs. 10,000/- as fine. The total distributor deposited the amount is 80, he added and said that following that the distributors collected a sum of rupees 6100 from the subscribers. As Tom TV fails to provide service to their subscribers the distributors are being blamed and even threaten to return the money that they collected for connection. "We have tried to meet the



Chairman of Lamjingba Group submitted a letter in connection to our grievances to Chairman but was not accepted", Amarjit said.

Having no other choice TOM Cable distributor Welfare Association conducted a meeting with the press and

expressed the grievances that the distributors were facing. Later during a function of the Lamjingba Group, the chairman announced that the service will be handed over to the people in January 2020. "February already begins now and we see no action for converting what they have promised to us", Amarjit said and demanded to return the money that they deposited along with interest and also the money collected from the subscribers.

New NPP office inaugurated at Churachandpur

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CCpur, Feb 10

Health and Family Welfare Minister L Jayanta Kumar inaugurated the Churachandpur Office of the National Peoples Party, at Ex-Service Office building Tedim Road today at 11 am. Soon after the office was

inaugurated a hall meeting was held at Young Paite Association, YPA, hall near Public Ground. Ajang Khongsai working President gave a welcome address to the gathering and introduced all the state level leader of the state NP P. Later, NPP leaders of the district were introduced by

Paulmemthang General secretary Churachandpur district which was followed by presentation to all the leaders of the state while come along with the Health minister L Jayanta an MLA from NPP. Ajang Khongsai working President Manipur said the NPP after the inauguration

of it's office will pick up pace and grow stronger though it has remain without office and assumes nominal existence Health Minister said the party looking always for the upliftment of the poor and downtrodden and it plans to work for people of the remote areas who have been of developmental benefits

COTA Stage Protest Demanding Implementation of 7th Pay



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Council of Teachers Association (COTA), All

Manipur Elementary School Teachers Association (AMESTA), All Manipur Government Lecturer Welfare Association (AMGLWA) and

All Manipur Secondary School Teachers Association (AMSSTA), jointly organised a sit in protest in front of the office of ZEO Zone III Office at Mini Secretariat Thoubal today demanding implementation of 7th Pay for the teachers. Speaking to media persons on COTA Convenor Ch. Santakumar said that 7th Pay has already come in effect for the other North East States. If the State Government remained adamant and still refuse to implement the 7th Pay structure, he warned, adding that COTA, in the past, had submitted an ultimatum to the Government. Similar agitation will also be launched in other districts of the State, he cautioned.

Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting Conducted

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Chandel, Feb.10:

The 15th Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting was conducted today at Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK) Chandel. The meeting was attended by Dr. A. Chinglenkhomba Meetei, MCS, Addl. Deputy Commissioner/Project Director, DRDA; Dr. N. Prakash, Joint Director, ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region, Manipur Centre; Dr. Kh. Surchandra Singh, Joint Director, Veterinary & Animal Husbandry, Chandel; Dr. Dipak Nath, Dy. Director, CAU- Extension Education, Imphal; Ts Gladny Monsang, District Agriculture Officer, Chandel; Dr. Deepak Singh,



Sr. Scientist & Head, KVK Chandel; Dr. Y. Rama Krishna, Sr. Scientist & Head, KVK Ukhrul; Dr. S. Zeshmarani, Sr. Scientist & Head, KVK Thoubal and Dr. S. Roma Devi, Head i/c, KVK Churachandpur were the Presidium Members. The Annual Report 2019 - 20 was presented by Dr. Deepak Singh, Sr. Scientist & Head, KVK Chandel to the Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting

members, thereafter Action Plan 2020-21 was presented by the concern Subject Matter Specialists of KVK Chandel wherein valuable suggestions and feedbacks from the presidium members and members presented were taken into consideration and incorporated. In total, 29 stakeholders including farmer representatives have attended the meeting.

A flyer from Dubai arrested with fake currency notes worth Rs 24 lakh Spurt in incidents of fake currency from Pakistan being dumped into India; Terror link not ruled out

By Raju Vernekar
Mumbai, Feb 10

A passenger who had arrived from Dubai was arrested with "high quality" fake currency notes of face value of Rs 23.86 lakh, routed from Pakistan, at a bus stop near terminal II, at Mumbai International airport on Sunday. The accused, identified as Javed Gulamnabi Shaikh (36), was carrying 1.193 high quality notes of Rs 2000 denomination, which were neatly stacked in his travel bag to avoid suspicion. He was arrested on the charges of possessing counterfeit currency and criminal conspiracy under IPC and was being produced in the court on

Monday. During interrogation, Shaikh, a resident of Kalva (in Thane district on the outskirts of Mumbai), told police that he had gone to Dubai to meet his brothers a few days ago. He further informed that the notes were routed from Pakistan and he had received them in Dubai. Acting on the tip off, a trap was laid by a team comprising officers Ajay Joshi, Ravindra Mane under the guidance of Joint Commissioner of Police of Mumbai Crime Branch, Santosh Rastogi and DCP Akbar Pathan, right from the Sunday morning. The accused after immigration and customs clearance, came out and was hurriedly moving towards a

taxi. The officer immediately swooped down and nabbed him. Speaking about the seizure, the Joint Commissioner of Police of Mumbai Crime Branch, Santosh Rastogi, said, that looking at the quality of notes, terror link was not ruled out. The notes are of a very good quality and for an untrained eye it is very difficult to distinguish them from real ones. Only two features in the seized note are missing: one, in the original, the green strip changes colour to blue when the note is tilted, but in these notes the strip remains green. Also, in the original note, the face value can be seen only when the note is held against the

light; this feature is also found missing. We are trying to ascertain from where the currency originated, who was the recipient and the purpose behind the delivery," he added. The police officers said that there has been a spurt in the incidents of fake currency being dumped into India by operators across the border. Such cases have international ramifications as the involvement of an international syndicate based in Bangladesh is suspected. It may be recalled that this year on 13 January, the fake currency worth Rs 18.75 lakh, which was smuggled from Bangladesh to India, was seized from Nagpur by officers

of the Directorate of Revenue Intelligence and one Lalu Khan (38) was arrested. That seizure was part of a joint operation in three states — Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, and West Bengal, on the basis of specific intelligence. In that seizure 386 fake currency notes of Rs 2,000 denomination and 1,191 notes of Rs 500 denomination were seized. In the meanwhile the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967 (UAPA) has already been amended and damage to the monetary stability of India by way of production or smuggling or circulation of high-quality fake Indian paper currency, coin or any other material has been declared as "terrorist" act.

Thoubal Launched National Deworming Day

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The first phase of the National Deworming Day was launched today at Thoubal as a part of the nationwide programme held all over India. It was organised by District Health Society, Thoubal at the 5 Star English School, Atoukhong in Lilong. On the occasion, ADM Thoubal L. Radhakanta attended as Chief Guest, Chief Medical Officer (CMO) & District Mission Director of DHS Thoubal Dr. N. Jayantakumar Singh as President while Chairman of

Five Star English High School Md. Zakir Huissan and Principal Md. Islauddin attended as guests of honour. The aim of this programme is to deworm all the children from 1 to 19 years and improve their well-being. Children between 1 to 2 years are administered half of one Albendazole tablet. Children between 2 to 19 years are given one full tablet. Dr. Ksh. Memcha Devi District Family Welfare Officer Thoubal, Ch. Basanta Singh DPMDS Thoubal and Staffs also took part in the Launching Program among others