

15,399 Families get connections under Soubhagya Yojana in West district

Under Soubhagya Yojana, power connections have been given to 15,399 families in West district. Out of the total beneficiaries, 2,347 were from Mohanpur Block, 674 from Lefunga Block, 2,451 from Hezamara Block, 2,158 from Bamutia block, 1,193 from Jirania Block, 744 from Belbari Block, 1,644 from Old Agartala Block, 1,450 from Mandwi Block, and 2,738 from Dukli Block. For this purpose 293.248 km. transmission line has been extended and 29 new sub-transformers have been installed. This information has been given by the district office of the TSECL.

Training on winter crops held at Duski market

One day training camp on cultivation of winter crops, soil testing, production of jam, jelly, and pickle made from seasonal fruits was recently organized by Divyoday Agriculture Science Centre at Duski. Discussion on system of making suitable land for cultivation, selection of seed, utilization of fertilizer on land, soil testing and processing of juice, jam and jelly made from fruit etc was held. The concerned resource persons provided hands-on training to the trainees. 29 fruit farmers participated in the camp. After completion

of the training, spray machines and 400 saplings of papaya had been provided to 4 farmers.

Different works under BADP being implemented in Rajnagar block

Different development works under Border Areas Development Project are being implemented in several areas of Rajnagar block. Rs 49, 41,352 will be spent on these works. Two additional class rooms for Baldakhal SB School in Gourangabazar Panchayat had been constructed under the scheme in the last financial year. Rs 11 lakh 22 thousand 767 had been spent for this purpose. One open market shed is being constructed at Gabtali market of Indiranagar panchayat at the cost of rs 15 lakh 44 thousand 633. Construction of green room and toilet for Bhatkhala Community hall is going on. Rs 22 lakh 73 thousand 952 will be spent for this purpose. Belonia subdivision office of the rural development department has informed this.

New transmission lines extended for better power coverage

This year target has been taken to extend 130 km. new power transmission line in different blocks of West Tripura district under Deen Dayal Upadhyay Gramin Jyoti Yojana. Already work for 84.21 km. line extension has been completed. Out of this,

6.32 km. has been extended in Bamutia Block; similarly 9.82 km. line in Belbari Block, 6.03 km. line in Dukli Block, 9.04 km. line in Hezamara Block, 4.66 km. line in Jirania Block, 13.80 km. line in Lefunga Block, 12.01 km. line in Mandwi Block, 11.36 km. line in Mohanpur Block and 11.17 km. line in Old Agartala Block.

Additionally, target has been taken to install 78 new transformers in different blocks of the district this year. Already installation of 45 transformers has been completed. Giving out further details the TSECL 's West district office said, of the total transformers installed already six were in Bamutia Block, four were in Dukli Block, three were in Hezamara Block, four were in Jirania Block, one was in Lefunga Block, eight were in Mandwi Block, five in Mohapur Block and eight in Old Agartala Block.

Drinking water connections for 6062 houses in West district

A target has been taken to provide drinking water connections into 51 thousand 3 houses of West district under Atal Jaldhara scheme during the current financial year. Drinking water connections have already been provided to 6062 houses. Among these, drinking water connections have been provided to 488 houses of Mohanpur block, 62 houses of Mohanpur municipal area, 570 houses of Bamutia block, 348 houses of Lefunga block, 878 houses of

Jirania block, 31 houses of Jirania nagar Panchayat, 727 houses of Belbari block, 360 houses of Old Agartala block, 965 houses of Mandai block, 400 houses of Hejamara block 1173 houses of Dukli block and 60 houses of Ranirbazar Municipal Council area. West district drinking water and sanitation office has informed this.



Layer chicken being distributed among 24 beneficiaries of Daspara in Charilam Block of Bishalgarh sub-division yesterday.

Pic. by Kakali Bhowmik, ICO

Workshop on pisciculture at Damchhara

Three-day workshop on pisciculture was held at the town hall of Damchhara recently. Training has been provided to 150 fish farmers of Damchhara block in the work shop. Subdivisional fishery superintendent Aghore Debbarma, officer of the concerned department Sanjeet Debbarma were present in the workshop organized by Kanchanpur subdivision fishery office. The resource persons provided scientific training on pisci culture to the fish farmers for promotion of fish production in the state.