



Jaldhara' to serve the same purpose. Not only pipe-lined supply but this scheme also has provisions for construction of dams to preserve rain water.

Addressing the gathering as the chief guest Revenue Minister Narendra Chandra Debbarma said, Kharch is a heritage of Tripura, and he wished that this festival should strengthen the heritage of the state further. Welcome address was given by the Festival Committee's chairman Ratan Chakraborty. This year apart from the 90 artistes from the Northeastern states, 13 artistes from foreign countries will participate in this festival. Among local performers there will be Sourabhi Debbarma and Niharika. Every evening's cultural programme is a great attraction of Kharchi.

Free coaching for TET candidates in Kamalpur

Kamalpur Nagar Panchayat has launched free TET coaching centre for educated youths of Kamalpur subdivision to make them successful in TET examination. This free TET coaching centre has been started at Kamalpur Madrassa H.S School from July1. Coaching is being provided to the students everyday from 4 P.M to 7P.M. Till now 200 youths have taken coaching. 20 teachers are teaching in this coaching

centre. Chairperson of Kamalpur Nagar Panchayat Prashanta Singha informed this.

Fish Farmers' Day Observed at Fisheries College

Governor Prof. Kaptan Singh Solanki inaugurated the 19th National Fish Farmers Day at the auditorium of College of Fisheries yesterday. This day is observed every year to mark the remarkable breakthrough in fish seed technology in 1957. The programme was organised jointly by Fisheries College, Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Sepahijala and North-East Fisheries Institution.

Speaking on the occasion the Governor said, *dharma* and *karma* of every individual should be 'service to the people'. If this spirit can be inculcated then we could devote ourselves to the progress and development of the nation. He also mentioned that, the Prime Minister Narendra Modi, after taking over second time created a new ministry called Jal Shakti. And water is important for production of fish. The slogan 'ek bharat, shresht Bharat' raised by the Prime Minister was to generate a feeling of oneness among all Indians and through this feeling every individual can dedicate himself to the making of the country prosperous and developed.

The Governor also said, Tripura has enough water-bodies for fish cultivation. So, he

