

the farmers. This will pump in Rs. 740 crore to the farming community, in the long run increasing their income.

Welcoming the verdict of the Supreme Court extending job validity of 10,323 teachers the Chief Minister informed, the Central Government had been approached regarding exemption of B.Ed and TET also. Already 907 teachers have been appointed through TET. Loan facility has been extended to those willing to pursue B.Ed. course for which the state government has allotted Rs. 35 crore. He also urged all to cooperate for attaining the status of drug-free state.

On this occasion the Chief Minister also handed over gas connections to six beneficiaries under Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana. MLA Shankar Roy, MLA Promode Reang and MLA Arun Chandra Bhowmik were present in the Janatar Darbaar apart from district and subdivision level officers.

Administrative camp held at Unakoti Village

An administrative-cum-health camp was organized by Kailashahar Subdivisional administration at Dhatucherra JB School under Unakoti ADC village of Gournagar block on October 30. 38 PRTC and 53 ST certificates were issued by the subdivisional administration. In this camp

health check-up of 62 persons and necessary medicines were provided by the health department. An interactive meeting in presence of SDM Dr. Vishal Kumar, BDO of Gournagar block Soma Deb along with officers of various departments was held with the people of that locality.

Sepahijala district level Science Fair on 2-3 November

Sepahijala district level Science Fair is going to be organized at Sonamura Girls' H.S School on November 2-3. The Speaker of Tripura Legislative Assembly Rebati Mohan Das would ceremonially inaugurate the district level Science Fair at 2 pm on November 2. MLA Ramprasad Paul would grace the programme as the chief guest, while prominent social activist Pratima Bhowmik and prominent Agriscientist Baharul Islam Majumder would grace the programme as special guest. MLA Subhash Chandra Das, DM of Sepahijala B. Kaur, SDM of Sonamura Saju Waheed Ahmed and District Education officer Habul Lodh would grace the programme as guests of honour. Prominent social activist Ratan Das would preside over the programme.

Meeting on Gram Panchayat Development Plan held in Jirania

Meeting Gram Panchavat on Development Plan was held at the conference hall of Jirania Panchayat Samiti yesterday. Jirania Panchayat Samiti Chairman Namita Das, Vice-Chairman Pritam Debnath, BDO of Jirania block Utpal Chakma along with officers of various departments, panchayat members and panchayat secretaries were present in BDO meeting. Utpal Chakma discussed about various aspects of Gram Panchayat Development Plan in the meeting and sought cooperation of various departments and panchayats for implementation of the concerned plan. Officers of various departments present in the meeting discussed on various action plans of the concerned department. At the beginning of the meeting BDO Utpal Chakma administered oath on Rashtriya Ekta Diwas to mark the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.

226657 person-days work in MGNREGA in Jubarajnagar and Panisagar

2 lakh 26 thousand 657 person-days have been generated under MGNREGA during

the period from April to October 25 during this current financial year in Jubarajnagar and Panisagar block of Dharmanagar subdivision. In Jubarajnagar block 1 lakh 24 thousand 6 person-days have been generated giving employment to 7 thousand 29 persons of 5 thousand 946 families of this block. An amount of Rs. 2 crore 19 lakh 49 thousand 62 has been spent for implantation of various development works. While in Panisagar block 1 lakh 2 thousand 651 person-days have been generated under MGNREGA till 25 October of the current financial year. In the process 7 thousand 8 persons of 5 thousand 480 families of this block got work. An amount of Rs. 1 crore 81 lakh 69 thousand 227 has been spent for implementation of various development works.

Painting Workshop commemorating 150 th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi concluded

Three-day long painting workshop started on October 29 at Nazrul Kalkshetra concluded yesterday. As a part of yearlong observance of 150 th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi this workshop was organized by the North East Zone Cultural Centre (Dimapur) in collaboration with information and cultural affairs department, Govt. of

