



### **Thrust on increase in per capita production of egg-meat-milk**

The Chief Minister Biplab Kumar Deb had stressed on increase of per capita availability of egg, meat and milk in the state. So, to augment production of these items the animal resource development department has to work with new comprehensive plans. The Chief Minister said this while attending a review meeting of the department at the state secretariat on August 24. He also stressed in favour of having a fixed target in each district while implementing various programmes of the department.

Deliberating on the assets and activities of the department the secretary of the department informed, according to the census of 2012 at present the state has got 1,47,488 hybrid cows and the total animal resource is calculated at 20,57,000. Animal health service is being provided through 16 veterinary hospitals and 71 veterinary dispensaries in the state. The Chief Minister also instructed to properly implement various central schemes available in the field.

Future plan of actions was also discussed in the review meeting. The meeting was also attended by the department's minister Santana Chakma, chief secretary Sanjib Ranjan and other top officials.

### **Tripura gets new Governor**

The newly appointed Governor of Tripura Captain Singh Solanki took oath at the Durbar Hall of old Raj Bhawan on August 25. Oath to the new Governor was administered by the Chief Justice of Tripura High Court Ajay Rastogi, while the former Governor Tathagata Roy was bid adieu through guard of honour by TSR in the morning at a farewell ceremony attended by all legislative and administrative stalwarts.

On the other hand the oath-taking ceremony was attended by the Chief Minister Biplab Kumar Deb, other members of the Council of Ministers like Ratan Lal Nath, Mewar Kumar Jamatia, Speaker of the Tripura Legislative Assembly Rehati Mohan Das, Chief Whip Kalyani Roy and other members of the Assembly and top officials. A guard of honour was also given to the new Governor on his arrival at the new Raj Bhawan in presence of the ministers including Chief Minister and Deputy Chief Minister and officials.

### **Development works in Sikaribari**

Construction of four roads in Sikaribari ADC Village of Ambassa block under MGNREGA during the current financial year is in progress. An amount of Rs. 20 lakh 2 thousand 177 would be spent for this purpose. After completion of



discussed about approaches needed for *prevention* of leprosy. Apart from this, consultant of World Health Organization Dr. Mahesh Patil, District Inspector of Dhalai district social welfare and social education office Jyotirmay Debnath, medical officers and health staff of CHCs, PHCs and district hospital of Dhalai were present in that meeting. Moreover, CMO of Dhalai Dr. Saradindu Reang and consultant of World Health Organization Dr. Mahesh Patil made an appeal to all to make Measles-Rubella vaccination programme among the children under the age group of 9 months to 15 years 100 per cent success.

### **Vanamahotsav held in Teliamura**

Teliamura sub-division level Vanamahotsav was organized by Teliamura forest division in Chitragada Kalakendra on August 24. The Chief Whip of Tripura Legislative Assembly Kalyanai Roy inaugurated the programme.

Addressing the gathering the inaugurator Chief Whip of Tripura Legislative Assembly Kalyanai Roy said, Vanamahotsav is very important for every citizen to maintain balance in the nature. In this programme tree saplings were distributed by the forest department. Prominent social worker Ranjit Sutradhar presided over the programme. Khowai district forest officer Niraj Kumar Chanchal delivered the welcome address.

### **Assistance to 99 beneficiaries under National Family Benefit Scheme in Gomati**

Meeting of the social justice related standing committee of Gomati Zilla Parishad was held today in the conference hall of the Zilla Parishad recently. President of the committee Sefali Sutradhar presided over the meeting. Representative from social welfare and social education department informed in the meeting that 45,034 beneficiaries of Gomati District are getting social pension under 33 various social security pension schemes. 2878 women have been identified under Pradhan Mantri Matritva Vandana Yojana till now. Out of them, financial assistance for the first installment has been disbursed among 1,881 persons. 267 applications have been submitted for National Family Benefit Scheme in this. Amongst them, 99 beneficiaries have been provided financial assistance of Rs. 20 thousand each.

Representative from the labour department reported in the meeting that registration of 11 thousand 14 workers has been done till now under Construction Workers Welfare scheme. Till now 20 thousand 535 workers have been covered under Asangathita Sramik Sahayika Prakaalpa. Sabhadhipati Suniti Saha, Sahakari Sabhadhipati Dinabandhu Das along with other members of the standing committee were present in that meeting.