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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

A life spent making mistakes is not only more honorable but more useful than a life spent doing nothing.

-- George Bernard Shaw

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Union Cabinet has approved the amendment to A&N Islands (Protection of Aboriginal Tribes) Regulation, 1956, which provides stringent penal provisions against offenders who infringe into the protected environment of the tribes. However, the amendment brought forth in no way will affect the peaceful co-existence and the day-to-day activities of the villagers settled in the vicinity of the Buffer Zone notified by the Administration. The law enforcing authorities have already been instructed to

be very careful before registering any criminal case so that no innocent settler is harassed. The Administration has directed AAJVS volunteers/officials to tactfully advise Jarawa Tribals not to interact with non-tribals, settlers and others. The Administration will enforce the provisions of the amended PAT Regulations, to protect the interest of Jarawa Tribals and at the same time will ensure that the settlers and ATR users are not disturbed.

MESSAGE

I am happy to know that the Andaman & Nicobar Administration is celebrating World Environment Day on 5th June along with rest of the world to create awareness of environmental issues. This year's theme, "Green Economy: Does it include you?" is relevant for all of us. We have to develop these Islands aiming at reduction of carbon emissions and pollution by enhancing energy efficiency. Preservation of rich biodiversity and ecosystem is equally important.

I urge my fellow islanders to extend wholehearted support to the efforts of the Administration in maintaining and preserving the pristine environment of these islands. I wish all success to this programme.

Sd/-

Lt Gen (Retd) Bhopinder Singh

Raj Niwas, Lieutenant Governor
Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands

LG felicitates Great Andamanese boys for academic/vocational achievements



The Lt Governor, Lt Gen (Retd) Bhopinder Singh, PVSM, AVSM alongwith the the Great Andamanese boys, who have achieved academic/vocational success at a function at Raj Niwas on 04.06.2012. The Chief Secretary, Shri Anand Prakash and the parents of the tribal boys were also present.

Port Blair, June 4:

It was a historic day for the Islands as two Great Andamanese tribal boys, first time ever have successfully completed their tenth class CBSE examination. Kumar Olake, 16 yrs and Kumar Deepak (Erapp), 17 yrs have passed out class 10 examinations-2012 with 76% and 60% marks respectively. Another boy, Kumar B. A. Kishen Singh (Biyae), 19 yrs has successfully completed one year training programme in Welder (G&E) trade from Industrial Training Institute (ITI), Dollygunj. At a function at Raj Niwas, the Lt Governor,

Lt Gen (Retd) Bhopinder Singh, PVSM, AVSM today felicitated these Great Andamanese boys for their academic/vocational achievements and gave away cash award of Rs 5000 each. Interacting with them, he expressed his happiness over the achievements of these Great Andamanese tribal boys and congratulated the parents, schools and teachers who have helped these boys to achieve the milestone. "It is sheer hard work, perseverance and commitment on the part of these tribal boys that they have achieved success in their academics", he said and

added that the achievements of these Great Andamanese boys will further motivate and encourage other tribal students of the Islands to do well. He also assured every possible assistance from the Administration for the up-liftment of the Great Andamanese population in the Islands. He directed the Secretary (TW) to visit Strait Island and address the issues and problems pertaining to schools, accommodation, medical and other such related issues of the Great Andamanese people on priority. The Chief Secretary, Shri Anand Prakash was also present at the function.

Briefly

Justice Lokur sworn in as SC judge

New Delhi, June 4
Justice Madan B Lokur was on Monday sworn in as a judge of the Supreme Court by Chief Justice SH Kapadia. Prior to his elevation, Justice Lokur was Chief Justice of the Andhra Pradesh High Court. With his elevation, the strength of the apex court has gone up to 26, five short of the sanctioned strength of 31 judges. This is the first time that a judge, on his elevation to the apex court, was administered the oath during the summer vacation.

Monsoon set to arrive in next 48 hours: IMD

Thiruvananthapuram, June 4
Even as North India continues to reel under intense heat wave conditions, the Indian Meteorological Department (IMD) announced on Monday that Monsoon rains would hit the Kerala coast in the next 48 hours. IMD in a statement issued today said that weather conditions are "becoming favourable" for the arrival of monsoon rains over southern Kerala coast. Generally, Monsoon arrives on Kerala's shore on June 1.

Valedictory function

Port Blair, June 04
The valedictory of basic training programme on jute carry bags sponsored by National Jute Board (NJB), Ministry of Textiles, GoI, Kolkata & organized by Jute Service Centre (JSC)-Port Blair in collaboration with A&N Consultancy Centre (ANCON) & in association with DIC, KVIB, LDM, ANIDCO, Banks etc. will be held at new community hall, School Line at 4:00 PM on June 6, 2012. The Jt. Secretary & GM, DIC Shri S. K. Halder will be the chief guest at the function.

New MD of A&NSCB

Port Blair, June 04
The General Manager (Dev), Shri Ravinder Rao has taken over the charges of Managing Director of A&N State Cooperative Bank Ltd. w.e.f 1st June, 2012 following the retirement of Shri P. Kunjumon.

Admission in Nirmala School

Port Blair, June 04
Nirmala Sr. Sec. School, offers admission in class XI in Science stream (English medium). Students who have passed the AISSE (X)

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lead to a positive change in the health status. Lt. General (Rtd) D. Raghunath, Chairman of Tribal Sub-Plan, ICMR, and Shri. Sanjiv Datta, Joint Secretary (DHR), GoI and Financial Advisor, ICMR also spoke during the concluding session of the meeting. About 35 delegates from different ICMR institutes across the country representing Tamil Nadu, (Contd. on last page)

Karunanidhi's birthday celebrated

Rice and wheat under open market sales scheme

Port Blair, June 04
The Govt. of India has allotted rice and wheat under open market sales scheme (domestic) upto September, 2012 to meet the demands to schools and colleges hostels and universities, jail, old age homes, police and paramilitary forces and other similar institutions.

In this connection, the mentioned food grains will (Contd. on last page)

District Planning Committee meeting

Port Blair, June 04

Electricity consumers urged to inform about faults in electric systems

Port Blair, June 04

In view of inclement weather condition repeatedly transmission faults are occurring and resulting in heavy disturbances in power supply. The electricity staff are working round the clock to resume the supply after rectifying the defects. The major faults noticed are entangling of high tension & low tensions due to heavy winds, failures of lightning arrestors, falling of trees and branches etc.

consumers to inform to the nearest site office if they observe flash, abnormal sound in the electric system so that the technical team can reach and solve the problem. The falling and snapping of line could be

dangerous, hence the citizens are requested that on sighting of such happenings inform the nearest site offices, police station, fire brigade so that safety measures can be taken.

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105 kg polythene bags seized by Police

Port Blair, June 04

A team led by SHO, PS Rangat conducted raid in a godown of Shri Shridhar Nandi, r/o 24 Pargana, New Barrackpur, PS Khorda, West Bengal

revealed that the seized bulk quantity of polythene bags were brought to Rangat in the intervening night of June 3-4 from Mayabunder by MV Akbar which sail from