

## Congress Strengthening Under Mahesh Kumar Goud's Leadership :Deepak John

“Indian Chronicle, Secunderabad, May 25:” B. Mahesh Kumar Goud has been playing a pivotal role in strengthening the Congress party through his visionary leadership and dedicated service, said Deepak John. He expressed confidence that under Mahesh Kumar Goud's guidance, the party would continue to progress successfully and appreciated his unwavering commitment to the organization. “The birthday celebrations of Telangana Pradesh Congress Committee (TPCC) President and MLC B. Mahesh Kumar Goud were held grandly in Secunderabad under the leadership of Deepak John, President of the Secunderabad District Congress Committee. “On the occasion, Deepak John, along with DCC office-bearers, cut a cake and conveyed birthday wishes to Mahesh Kumar Goud. As part of the celebrations, fruits were distributed to poor people living on footpaths. “Several senior district Congress leaders and party workers participated in the programme in large numbers.



## Yathalakunta Tunnel Lining Works Must Be Completed Before August 15: State Agriculture Minister Tummala Nageswara Rao

Godavari waters should reach Bethupalli tank by the coming monsoon

Farmers and public representatives should cooperate in land acquisition for distributary canals

Minister Tummala inspects Yathalakunta Tunnel

“Khammam, May 25, Indian chronicle:” State Agriculture Minister Tummala Nageswara Rao directed officials to complete the lining works of the Yathalakunta Tunnel under all circumstances before August 15. “On Monday, the Minister visited the under-construction Yathalakunta Tunnel at Yathalakunta village in Sathupalli mandal and reviewed the progress of works. Accompanied by the collectors of the united districts, Divakar TS and Ankit, along with Aswaraopeta MLA Jare Adinarayana, the Minister personally drove a tractor into the tunnel to inspect the works. “Speaking on the occasion, Minister Tummala said that bringing Godavari waters to Khammam district has been the long-cherished dream of the people of the region. Though the Godavari basin stretches from Eturunagaram to Papikondalu, the district had not been able to utilize those waters so far, he said. Even though the Sriramsagar Project reached the borders of Khammam, due to silt problems and ayacut allocations to other regions, water could not be supplied to the district. “He stated that although the Nagarjunasagar Left Canal provided some relief, Khammam district being at a higher elevation made lift irrigation the only solution for utilizing Godavari waters. He said he had been fighting since the tenure of NTR up to the current Chief Minister Revanth Reddy, demanding sanction of lift irrigation projects for Khammam district. “The Minister recalled that during 1997–98, lift works from Nagarjunasagar to the Srisailem Right Line Canal were completed within two and a half years. Around the same period, proposals for the Devadula and Dummugudem Lift Irrigation Projects were prepared. Due to lack of funds, only the Devadula Project was initiated then. “He said that during the tenure of Y. S. Rajasekhara Reddy, the Dummugudem Project was taken up under the names Indirasagar and Rajiv Sagar. However, after the bifurcation of the state, the Indirasagar headworks went to Andhra Pradesh and necessary clearances were also unavailable, preventing the project from progressing. “After the formation of Telangana, pressure was mounted on the then Chief Minister to revive the Dummugudem project, he said. Owing to the region's association with Lord Sri Sitarama, the project was renamed as the Sitarama Lift Irrigation Project. “Though administrative approvals worth ₹13,000 crore were granted in 2016, works progressed very slowly during the previous government's tenure, he alleged. Only the 100-km main canal and three pump houses were completed, while works on the fourth pump house are currently underway. “He explained that water from the main canal would be supplied through the Yathalakunta Tunnel, which is part of the Sathupalli trunk line. “The Minister alleged that the previous government could not decide whether to construct a tunnel or lay pipelines. During the Chief Minister's visit to Bhadrachalam, pressure was exerted on Revanth Reddy to restart the pending works, he said. About ₹10,000 crore has already been spent on the project, and another ₹7,000–8,000 crore would help complete the canal works and fully realize the project. “He stated that the Rajiv Link Canal was completed within six months and that by next June, Godavari waters would fill the Wyra Project, providing irrigation to 1.5 lakh acres. Completion of the Yathalakunta Tunnel would bring Godavari water to another one lakh acres, he added. “The Minister appreciated agency officials for completing the tunnel excavation by working round the clock over the past 16 months. He instructed them

to expedite the lining works from both ends and complete them quickly. He expressed his desire that Godavari waters should reach Bethupalli tank through the Yathalakunta Tunnel by the coming monsoon itself. “The Minister congratulated the collectors for completing land acquisition for the main canal. He noted that another 11,000 acres are required for distributary canals and asked collectors to focus specially on land acquisition. He accused the previous government of neglecting distributary canals, while the present government had approved revised estimates. “He said Pinapaka, followed by Kothagudem and Aswaraopeta constituencies, would benefit this year itself. He appealed to MLAs and local public representatives to coordinate with farmers and support land acquisition so that canal works could be completed quickly. “The Minister directed the agency to complete the Yathalakunta Tunnel lining works before August 15 and immediately bring any issues to the notice of MLAs and collectors. He assured that farmers who gave land were being provided good compensation and appealed for their cooperation. “Through the Sitarama Lift Irrigation Project, irrigation water would be supplied to seven lakh acres in total, he said. Once the Julurupadu Tunnel is completed, Godavari waters would reach Paleru, bringing nearly 10 lakh acres in Khammam district under irrigation coverage. “He said the tender process for the Julurupadu Tunnel had already been completed and works would gain momentum after the Yathalakunta Tunnel lining works are finished. He instructed officials to quickly resolve land acquisition issues and complete the works. “The Minister also observed that availability of Godavari waters would significantly expand oil palm cultivation, thereby increasing farmers' income substantially. Since horticultural crops require less water, the amount of water used for one acre of paddy cultivation could support five acres of oil palm cultivation, he said. He also noted that fertilizers, marketing issues, and untimely rains were troubling paddy farmers. “He claimed that Telangana is the only state in the country purchasing every crop from farmers, including paddy, maize, jowar, and sunflower. He criticized the Central Government, alleging that delays in paddy procurement were due to its negligence. Despite shortages of diesel supply, hamalis, and gunny bags, Telangana had emerged as the state procuring the highest quantity of paddy in the country, he said. “He further alleged that the Central Government merely announces Minimum Support Prices but does not actually procure crops. He criticized attempts to use farmers' issues for political purposes. “ACP Vasundhara, public representatives, irrigation officials, agency representatives, farmers, and other concerned officials participated in the programme. “Issued by the District Public Relations Officer's Office, Khammam.



# Collector Directs Officials to Conduct Women’s Week Celebrations Effectively



“Indian Chronicle, Kagaznagar, May 25: District Collector K. Haritha directed officials to organize the Women’s Week celebrations in a systematic and effective manner as part of the 99-day action plan under the Praja Palana–Pragathi initiative. The celebrations are being conducted by the District Women and Child Welfare Department from May 25 to 30. “On Monday, the Collector unveiled posters related to the Women’s Week celebrations at the meeting hall of the Integrated District Collectorate Complex in the district headquarters, along with District Revenue Officer Dasari Venu, District Welfare Officer Swaroopa Rani, and District Rural Development Officer Datta Rao. “Speaking on the occasion, the Collector stated that on May 25, Bhoomi Pooja and foundation stone-laying programmes for Gram Sangham buildings and Mandal Federation buildings would be conducted. Cooking competitions for Anganwadi teachers and parents of children would also be organized. “She said that on May 26, awareness programmes would be conducted on the harmful effects of child marriages under the slogan “Child Marriage Stops Lives.” On May 27, awareness sessions on women’s safety and the POSH Act would be organized, along with special general body meetings at Mandal Federations. “The Collector further stated that loan melas would be organized on May 29, and livelihood unit roundings for Self-Help Groups would be launched. On the final day, May 30, programmes would be conducted under the slogan “Mother’s Word – Path of Anganwadi,” including distribution of uniforms to children at Anganwadi centres, issuance of school readiness certificates, and Sneha programmes for adolescent girls. “She instructed all officials to work in coordination for the successful conduct of the Women’s Week celebrations. “CDPOs, supervisors, and other concerned officials participated in the programme. “Issued by the District Public Relations Officer, Kumuram Bheem Asifabad District.

## Speed Up Paddy Transportation and Milling Operations: Collector K. Haritha

“Indian Chronicle, Kagaznagar, May 25: District Collector K. Haritha instructed rice millers to immediately lift the Yasangi season paddy without delay. On Monday, she conducted a review meeting with rice millers and vehicle contractors at the Administrative Officer’s Chamber in the Integrated District Collectorate Complex, along with Additional Collector (Revenue) David and Kagaznagar Sub-Collector Shraddha Shukla. “Speaking at the meeting, the Collector stated that paddy procured from farmers at Minimum Support Price (MSP) through procurement centres is being allocated and transported to designated rice mills as per government norms. She emphasized that rice millers must promptly receive the allotted paddy to avoid inconvenience to farmers. “The Collector directed officials to accelerate the lifting process and ensure there are no delays. She instructed that local hamalis (labourers) should be utilized to avoid manpower shortages and that vehicle contractors must keep sufficient transport vehicles available for smooth paddy movement. Local vehicles may also be engaged whenever necessary. “She further directed that paddy weighed at procurement centres should be transported immediately to the allotted rice mills. Officials were also asked to ensure there is no shortage of gunny bags. The Collector stressed that all departments must work in coordination to ensure farmers do not face any difficulties. “Officials from the Civil Supplies Department and rice millers participated in the meeting.



## Former Ruling Party Councillor’s Negligence in 36th Division

### Pasumarthi Rammohan Rao Submits Petition to District Joint Collector Srinivas Reddy “Indiramma Sarees Likely to Be Released from Godown Within One or Two Days



“Khammam, May 25, Indian chronicle: “Amid reports published in several newspapers regarding the delay in the distribution of the prestigious “Indiramma Sarees” scheme launched by the state government, former corporator of the 36th Division, Pasumarthi Rammohan Rao, submitted a petition during the grievance program held at the Khammam Collectorate on Monday. “He stated that while the distribution of Indiramma sarees to women has been carried out smoothly in all other divisions under the Khammam Municipal Corporation, the former councillor of the 36th Division has allegedly been intentionally delaying the program by using his political influence. According to him, the former councillor wanted to postpone the saree distribution until the current former corporator’s tenure ended and then conduct the distribution himself to increase his own political influence. “Rammohan Rao alleged that even though 20 days have passed since the end of the former corporator’s tenure, the sarees have still not been distributed to the women of the division due to these deliberate obstacles. “He further explained that for the past month, many women from different areas of the division had approached him regarding the saree distribution. Responding to their concerns, he brought the matter to the attention of the Joint Collector during Monday’s Grievance Day program. “The Joint Collector assured that the saree distribution program would be conducted within one or two days. Former corporator Pasumarthi Rammohan Rao expressed special thanks to the Joint Collector for responding positively to the issue.

## Do Not Burn Crop Residue

“Khammam, Nelakondapalli, May 25 (Indian chronicle): “Nelakondapalli Mandal Agricultural Officer M. Radha advised farmers not to burn crop residue. An awareness meeting was conducted on Monday for farmers in Rajeswarapuram and Chennaram villages of the mandal. “Speaking on the occasion, she said that setting fire to paddy and maize stalks is causing accidents. She pointed out that burning crop residue damages soil fertility and increases environmental pollution. Farmers were advised to plough crop residues back into the soil instead of burning them. “She urged everyone to follow the prescribed guidelines and encouraged farmers to adopt crop rotation practices. She also stated that a favorable monsoon-season action plan had been prepared in line with government objectives to support farmers. Proposals have been prepared to provide subsidized seeds and modern agricultural equipment. “The program was attended by Rajeswarapuram Sarpanch Danda Rangayya, Vice-Sarpanch Rasala Naveen, AEOs Durgabhavani and Dhatri, and farmer representatives K. Veeraswamy, Jatangi Venkateswarlu, Rama Rao, and others.



## The demise of role model Chittoori Haimavathi is deeply saddening, said senior Congress party leader Erneni Babu

“Khammam, May 25 (Indian chronicle): “State senior Congress party leader Venkataratnam Babu, CPI senior leader and ward councillor Bathineni Hanumantha Rao paid floral tributes to her mortal remains on Monday. Speaking on the occasion, they said that she had contributed greatly to development activities in the ward and stood as an inspiration to many people. “They praised her for warmly greeting everyone, staying at the forefront of public service, giving courage to many, and extending support whenever needed. They also appreciated her services to society. “Among those who participated in the program were Telangana State Farmers’ Association Vice President Bollu Prasad, BJP senior leaders Kanagala Venkataramaiah and Kanagala Narayana, Chittibabu, Lighting Prasad, Chittoori Srinivasa Rao, Ravella Krishna Rao, Nageswara Rao, relatives, ward residents, and others.



## Shop Fire Accident Cooker Explosion Guts Shop

“Khammam, Nelakondapalli, May 25 (Indian chronicle): “A shop was completely gutted in a fire accident that occurred at the mandal headquarters on Monday. According to locals, the details are as follows: “A woman named Bhukya Lakshmi was running a jowar roti and fruit shop in Nelakondapalli mandal center. While she was cooking in the shop on Monday, a dal cooker reportedly exploded, causing flames to spread rapidly. “The shop was engulfed in flames. Local residents tried to extinguish the fire by pouring water, but the strong winds caused the fire to spread quickly, making it difficult to control. “After receiving information, the local fire engine staff reached the spot and brought the fire under control. By then, property worth nearly Rs. 50,000 had been destroyed, the victim lamented.



## With Rising Heat Intensity, People Must Remain Alert — Undru Varalakshmi & Shyambabu

“Khammam, Wyra, May 25 (Indian chronicle): “Speaking to the people of Wyra Mandal and Municipality, Wyra Lions Club Eye Hospital Doctor Undru Shyambabu and Councillor Undru Varalakshmi said that the sun is blazing intensely and temperatures are reaching extreme levels. From early morning itself, the scorching heat is being felt everywhere. Meanwhile, the concerned department has warned that the heat is likely to intensify further in the coming days. “In this situation, people are advised to take proper precautions and avoid stepping out of their homes unless absolutely necessary. They suggested postponing travel as much as possible between 11 AM and 4 PM. “They urged the public to stay alert due to the severe heat conditions. Elderly people, pregnant women, and breastfeeding mothers should take special care. During emergencies, if people need to go out in the sun, they should ensure that hot winds do not enter their ears. People suffering from heart-related diseases, diabetes, and blood pressure problems are advised not to roam outside in the heat. “They also requested everyone to drink plenty of lemon water, buttermilk, coconut water, and regular drinking water, and to follow necessary precautions to stay safe during the summer heat.



## Four Generations’ Grand Family Reunion Yarra Family Celebrations at Cherukuri Mango Grove

“Khammam, May 25 (Indian chronicle): “A warm and memorable reunion of the Yarra family was held in a grand manner on Sunday at the Cherukuri family’s mango grove on the outskirts of Khammam city. “Around 120 members from the families of the five sons of Yarra Yalaiah and Nagamma, natives of Teldarpalli village, participated in the gathering. Their sons include Yarra Nagaiah, Ramaswamy, Bhadraiah, Venkatadri, and Chinna Venkanna. “Family members including Yarra



Gurumurthy, Yarra Ramesh, Yarra Gangadhar, Yarra Kondala Rao, Yarra Rajendra Prasad (R.P.), Yarra Chinna Narsaiah, Yarra Nagaraju, Yarra Chinna Venkayya, and many others enthusiastically took part and made the event a grand success. “Grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and members belonging to four generations came together under one roof, creating a joyful and festive atmosphere. The mango grove echoed with excitement through games, songs, and cultural

programs. The gathering became even more delightful with the blessings of elders and the cheerful laughter of children. “Speaking on the occasion, the family elders said, “Our grandfather Yalaiah taught us the value of unity and togetherness without giving room to differences. Such gatherings strengthen family bonds. Seeing four generations together on one platform is truly a joyful and unforgettable experience. “The reunion, which continued from morning till evening, saw all family members enjoying meals together and reminiscing about old memories. The family also decided to continue organizing such reunions every year in the future.

## Team Work and Discipline Are Key in Congress Party: DCC President Deepak John

“Indian Chronicle, Secunderabad, May 25: “A key review meeting was held on Monday at the Secunderabad District Congress Committee office with the newly



appointed Division Presidents of Sanath Nagar and Musheerabad Assembly constituencies

“On this occasion, Secunderabad District Congress Committee President Deepak John addressed the newly appointed leaders and called upon everyone to work collectively for the strengthening of the Congress party. “He emphasized the importance of promoting a culture of teamwork and discipline within the Secunderabad District Congress and instructed all leaders to strictly adhere to the party’s rules and regulations.

He stated that the party can achieve its goals only when there is unity among the cadre. “Deepak John also advised the newly appointed presidents to immediately launch grassroots outreach programmes in their respective divisions to connect more closely with the public. He urged them to remain constantly among the people, fight for the resolution of public issues, and work towards taking the party flag to greater heights.



Khammam, May 25 (Indian Chronicle): "A protest was organized under the leadership of the Medical and Health Workers Association (Regd. No. 118/2024) and SPS M&H Workers Association at the DME office in Hyderabad, demanding the resolution of issues faced by sanitation workers, patient care workers, security staff, supervisors, and other employees working in Telangana government hospitals and medical colleges. Later, a memorandum was submitted to TVVP Commissioner Dr. Ajay Kumar. "State President Kurri Saidayya expressed concern that thousands of workers who have been serving in government hospitals for more than two decades continue to live without recognition. Around 17,800 workers across Telangana are working as sanitation workers, security staff, and supervisors in government hospitals while struggling with very low salaries and numerous hardships, which have pushed several families into distress. "He alleged that contractors and agencies are exploiting workers by paying extremely low wages. Even those wages are delayed for months, with workers receiving only one month's salary after working for three months. EPF contributions are also being mishandled, and in many hospitals, workers are not being provided EPF and ESI benefits at all. When workers ask for account details, the contractors fail to provide them. In several hospitals, workers who question salary issues, EPF, and ESI are being personally targeted by contractors and agency management, threatened not to report to duty, and subjected to fear and harassment. "The association also stated that work-



ers are being forced to do overtime duties without proper work schedules and are being given only three days off per month. They appealed to the authorities to resolve their problems with compassion. "The workers demanded: "A minimum salary of ₹26,000 as per the Minimum Wages Act. "Implementation of a fixed salary system. "Cancellation of the bedside contract system. "Merger from IHFMS into AFMIS. "Accident insurance coverage of ₹10,00,000. "Government payment of the employer's share in EPF contributions. "Paid maternity leave for women employees. "Casual leave facilities similar to those provided to government employees. "State General Secretary Chinna Boska Naresh stated that the SPS Association would not tolerate continuous harassment and intimidation of workers and assured that the association would stand firmly with workers and continue the struggle for their rights. "Those who participated in the program included Khammam District President Isanapalli Ambedkar, District General Secretary Karsha Jagadeesh, Treasurer Battula Mamatha, honorary advisors Nageswara Rao and Radha, district vice presidents Aparna and Harish, assistant secretaries Bhanumathi, Saidabi, and Ramya, treasurer Naga Mallika, special secretaries Nagendra, Achara Rao, Madhu, and Nasreen, state committee members CH Nagamani and SK Jani Begum, along with district committee members Vasantha, Kavitha, Lakshmi, Lalitha, Anusha, Indira, Shailaja, Nirmala, Padma, Rehana, Mahesh, Anil, Srilatha, Sita, Ramadevi, Muthamma, Venkatamma, Reshma, Shahnaz, Seetharamulu, Nagaraju, Sriramulu, and others.

## CITU Demands ESI and PF Facilities for Municipal Workers

“KEESARA, MAY 25 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): CITU Keesara mandal convenor Bangaru Narsinga Rao said a representation was submitted to Keesara Circle Deputy Commissioner M. Vasantha seeking immediate implementation of ESI and PF facilities for all municipal workers. He stated that the Deputy Commissioner assured the delegation that the issues of municipal workers would be brought to the notice of the Malkajgiri Municipal Corporation Commissioner and efforts would be made to resolve them. Speaking on the occasion, CITU leaders demanded that long-pending problems of municipal workers in Keesara Circle be resolved immediately, warning that large-scale protests would be launched if the authorities failed to respond. They alleged that despite repeated representations in the past, none of the workers' issues had been resolved so far. The union demanded that all workers be provided ESI and PF benefits and that merged corporation workers be paid a minimum salary of ₹18,600. The leaders also demanded weekly holidays and distribution of municipal kits to all workers. According to the union, outsourcing contract workers, supervisors, drivers, water works staff and electricians had not received salaries for the past two months. They demanded immediate clearance of pending wages. CITU leaders warned that if the problems of municipal workers were not resolved, they would lay siege to the Malkajgiri Municipal Corporation office on June 8. Among those who participated in the programme were Chintakindi Ashok, Gaddam Ashok, Vaniganti Mallesh, Gaddam Gopal, Mahesh, Mothkupalli Ramulamma, Chennuri Nagamani, Munigadapa Jayamma, Mothkupalli Anita, Bosi Padma, Kondapuram Ellamma, Bora Balamma, Munigadapa Laxamma, Uddamarri Pochamma, Kolipaka Kanakamma and Kandapalli Ashwini.



## Kukatpally Zonal Commissioner Mukund Singh Conducts Padayatra in Anjayya Nagar Division

“Cyberabad zone May 25: Kukatpally Zonal Commissioner Mayank Singh conducted a padayatra (foot march) in Anjayya Nagar, located within the limits of the Anjayya Nagar Division. During the visit, he inspected the local crematorium; in addition to inquiring about the issues plaguing the crematorium, he also took the opportunity to understand various other problems affecting the residential locality. “Participants in this event included DC Balakrishna, DE Rupadevi, Division Leader Anjaneyulu Sagar, BJP Division Leader Anjaneyulu, Anjayya Nagar Committee President Narasimha Sagar, as well as Ravi Naik, Suresh, Venkatesh, and sanitation staff members Kiran and Ramesh.



# United Struggles Are the Only Path to Realizing the Ideals of Martyrs: Patel Vanajakka

“““Hanamkonda, May 25 (Indian Chronicle) : Patel Vanajakka, State Women's President of the Telangana Rajyadhikara Party (TRP), has called upon all citizens to unite and intensify collective struggles in order to establish the egalitarian society envisioned by the great revolutionaries who sacrificed their lives for the liberation of the oppressed and marginalized sections of society. “She addressed a commemorative meeting organized under the aegis of the Telangana Rajyadhikara Party (TRP) on Monday at Vadepalli in Hanamkonda district, marking the 17th death anniversary of Patel Sudhakar Reddy, a former Central Committee member of the People's War Party. “Vanajakka alleged that ruling regimes have brutally killed thousands of activists who fought for the rights of oppressed communities. She noted that many highly educated individuals sacrificed their personal lives to dedicate themselves to mass movements, thereby securing numerous democratic rights for society. She emphasized that true social justice can be achieved in the country only by building the egalitarian society envisioned by such martyrs. “Recalling the life journey of Patel Sudhakar Reddy, she stated that he defied his wealthy, feudal family background to embark on the path of

mass movements. She explained that he began his journey as a radical student leader, rose to the rank of Squad Commander, subsequently discharged key responsibilities in Dandakaranya, and ultimately attained the stature of a Central Committee member. She alleged that, despite enduring severe hardships, state repression, and ceaseless oppression, he remained steadfast in the revolutionary movement until he was martyred in a “fake encounter” in 2009. Vanajakka stated that it was Sudhakar Reddy's ideals and sacrifices that inspired her to join the TRP. ““Speaking on the occasion, All India OBC JAC Chairman Saini Narendra characterized the current system as a “sham democracy,” observing that many young people have chosen the path of struggle to protest against it. He criticized the ruling classes for suppressing the youth who have been working with dedication for generations; he emphasized that united struggles are absolutely essential to realize the ideals of the martyrs. He alleged that the major political parties which have governed the country for decades have exploited the people in every sector. Calling for the political empowerment of marginalized sections, he appealed to the public to extend their support to the TRP, led by ‘Teenmar Mallanna’. He opined that the true trib-



ute we can offer to the martyrs is to build the very society for which they fought—namely, an egalitarian and just society. TRP State Executive President Madham Rajini Kumar Yadav described Patel Sudhakar Reddy as a visionary leader who dedicated his life to the liberation of the Bahujan communities. He noted that Sudhakar Reddy fought tirelessly against the social, economic, and political injustices faced by Backward Classes (BCs), Scheduled Castes (SCs), Scheduled Tribes (STs), and minorities. ““He emphasized that Sudhakar Reddy's ideals should not remain confined merely to the pages of history but must take shape in people's lives through meaningful action. He

stated that, under the leadership of Teenmar Mallanna, the TRP is striving to establish Bahujan political empowerment in Telangana. He added that their party is committed to building a society where every family has access to education, healthcare, employment, and dignity. ““The event was attended by various TRP leaders, lawyers, former Maoist leaders, representatives of BC associations, social activists, student and women leaders, as well as party workers and supporters. Subsequently, all those present paid their tributes to Patel Sudhakar Reddy with deep reverence, garlanding his portrait and offering their homage.

## Anjaneyulu Sagar requests authorities to supply water to high-altitude areas

“““Serilingampalli Anjayanagar division May 25: Within the limits of the Anjaya Nagar Division—specifically in Anjaya Nagar, Siddiqui Nagar, Rajiv Nagar, PJR Nagar, Gulshan Nagar, and the local bastis (settlements)—there are several elevated areas where residents are currently not receiving an adequate supply of drinking water. ““Particularly during the summer season, as the demand for water surges due to intense heat, residents face severe difficulties in carrying out their daily chores and other routine activities. ““Upon learning of this issue from local residents, Anjaneyulu Sagar—a leader within the Anjaya Nagar Division—responded immediately. He met with Hari Shankar, the General Manager of the HMWSSB (Hyderabad Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board), and submitted a formal petition regarding the matter. ““Responding to the petition, the General Manager gave assurances that measures would be taken to increase water pressure by installing booster motors after June 20; he also promised that the aging pipelines in the area would be replaced. ““Consequently, local residents have expressed optimism that this initiative will help resolve the drinking water crisis faced by those living in the elevated areas, at least to a significant extent. ““Division leaders Suresh Sagar, Subbaya, Murali Venkatesh, and others participated in this event.



## Government Failure in Grain Procurement: N. Ramchander Rao Fumes During "Raithu Gosa - BJP Bharosa" Yatra

Hyderabad, May 25 : BJP State President N Ramchander Rao today demanded that the Congress government, which has promised to procure every last grain, must open its eyes now as heaps of paddy are lying unattended at procurement centres. “ Rao was speaking to media who visited along with party delegation at Parigi after visiting Parigi Agriculture Procurement Center (Kulkacharla Center) insisted that instead of causing further hardships to farmers, the government must immediately provide proper infrastructure and expedite the procurement of all remaining grain across the state. “ The “Raithu Gosa - BJP Bharosa” (Farmer's Plight – BJP's Assurance) Yatra, initiated by the Bharatiya Janata Party to inspect the severe delays in grain procurement and the hardships faced by farmers at procurement centers at the ground level, continued in Parigi today on first day of three days yatra. “ A high-level delegation led by BJP state chief N Ramchander Rao personally visited the Parigi Agricultural Procurement Center (Kulkacharla Center). They interacted directly with the farmers present there to understand their issues and distress. “ “By visiting procurement centers across Telangana at the ground level, we are identifying where farmers are facing hardships and where procurements are not running smoothly and we are putting pressure on the government, he said adding that just two months ago, our BJP Kisan Morcha State

President, Baswa Laxmi Narasaiah, met with the Chief Secretary (CS) and the Minister for Agriculture. Despite requesting them to make advance arrangements so that farmers face no trouble at procurement centers, ensure basic infrastructure, and take action for timely procurement, the state government acted with sheer negligence. “ “ Giving details of problems being faced by the farmers “Grain heaps have piled up in almost every procurement center across the state. For the past 10–15 days, farmers have been waiting anxiously with bated breath, wondering when the trucks will arrive and when their grain will be bought. The farming community is suffering severely due to a lack of tarpaulins and gunny bags at the centers, the non-arrival of trucks, and weighing not being done on time. Initially, under the leadership of the BJP Kisan Morcha, we visited procurement centers in Bhongir district to assess the situation and reassure the farmers. With the same intent, as part of the ‘Raithu Gosa - BJP Bharosa’ Yatra today, our entire team of BJP MPs, MLAs, MLCs, and other senior leaders visited the procurement centers under Parigi in Vikarabad district. “ “However, upon receiving information that the BJP team would be visiting, the government machinery threatened the farmers overnight, packed the bags, and randomly shifted them to the millers.

## Three-year jail sentence and fine for accused in theft case

“Khammam,Chinthakni,May25 (Indian chronicle):“Gurram Srinivas Rao, a resident of Vandanam village, along with his family, went to Tirupati for darshan on January 15 this year and returned home on the 20th. Upon arrival, they noticed that the lock of their house had been broken. Suspecting theft, they entered the house and found that gold and silver ornaments, some cash, and a television kept in the cupboard were missing. They immediately lodged a complaint at Chintakani Police Station.“Based on the complaint, a case was registered. The police investigated and recovered the stolen property from the two accused persons, Kakarakayala Naresh (Vandanam, Kandukuri) and Somachari (Sattupalli), and sent them to judicial remand.“After collecting sufficient evidence and filing a charge sheet in court, the Hon'ble III Additional JFCM Court Magistrate A. Praveen today sentenced the accused to three years of imprisonment and imposed a fine of ₹5,000.“Additional Public Prosecutor G. Rahul, investigating officer SI Veerender, Court Liaison Officer SI Srikanth, and Court Constable Vijay Kumar were appreciated by Police Commissioner Sunil Dutt.“Officials stated that those who commit crimes cannot escape the law and that theft will be strictly punished.“N. Veerender, SI, Chintakani Police Station, Khammam.

## Severe Storm Causes Havoc in Nelakondapalli Mandal

“Khammam,Nelakondapalli ,May25 (Indian chronicle):“A heavy storm accompanied by strong winds and rain wreaked havoc in Nelakondapalli mandal, causing extensive damage in several areas. Houses collapsed, tin roofs were blown away, and electric poles and power lines were snapped in multiple locations. Residents were left terrified by the intense gale winds.“At Cheruvumadaram lake in Nelakondapalli mandal, about ten people from different villages took shelter in a hut built for watchmen during the rain. However, during the severe winds, the entire roof of the hut was blown away. Those inside were thrown around by the gusts but managed to hold onto the wooden supports of the structure while struggling for safety, fearing for their lives for nearly 30 minutes. Once the rain and winds subsided, they heaved a sigh of relief after surviving the ordeal.“In villages including Nachepalli, Mangapuram Thanda, Cheruvumadaram, Bairavunipalli, and Rajarampet, trees were uprooted and fell across roads, blocking traffic. Electricity poles collapsed, and tin roofs of houses were blown away. Newly constructed as well as older house walls also collapsed in several places.“Overall, the sudden unseasonal storm caused severe disruption and hardship across the mandal.



## KL Deemed to be University has received the prestigious Gold Award

“Hyderabad, May 25 (Indian Chronicle) : KL Deemed to be University has received the prestigious Gold Award at the Confederation of Indian Industry(CII) EHS Excellence Awards 2025, according to a statement issued on Monday by Chancellor Koneru Satyanarayana. He stated that the university remains committed to implementing the highest standards in the fields of environment, health, and safety. He added that the institution is achieving sustainable development goals through initiatives such as a green campus, energy conservation, waste management, and social responsibility programs. The award was presented in New Delhi by Sudeep Dalvi, Chairman of the CII EHS Excellence Awards 2025, in the presence of Rajesh Mittal. On behalf of the university, Commander Gurumoorthy Gangadharan, Senior Director of Planning and Development, received the award.



## Congress Government's Primary Goal is to Make One Crore Women Financially Wealthy — MLA K.R. Nagaraju

“---Foundation Laid for Women's Association Building in Nagaram Village“Hanamkonda/Hasanparthy, May 25 (Indian Chronicle) : Stating that women's empowerment serves as the foundation for rural progress and social transformation, Vardhannapet MLA and retired IPS officer K.R. Nagaraju affirmed that the Congress people's government is committed to transforming one crore women into financially empowered individuals. He emphasized that strengthening women's self-help groups is a pivotal element within the government's vision for sustainable rural development.“As part of the 99-day "Praja Palana – Pragathi Pranalika" (People's Administration – Progress Plan) action program, "Women's Week" celebrations were grandly organized on Monday in Nagaram village, located in Hasanparthy Mandal. Participating in the event, MLA Nagaraju—alongside public representatives, officials, members of women's associations, and villagers—virtually (online) watched the program inaugurated by Telangana Chief Minister Revanth Reddy. Subsequently, he performed the Bhoomi Puja (groundbreaking ceremony) and laid the foundation stone for the construction of the proposed Women's Association Building in the village.“Women's Associations are Key to Rural Development“Addressing the gathering, MLA Nagaraju stated that the Congress government is implementing numerous welfare and de-



velopment schemes with the specific objective of ensuring the economic and social empowerment of women. He expressed the view that villages and society at large can achieve true progress only when women become economically strong and attain self-sufficiency. He added that, for this very reason, the government is placing special emphasis on strengthening women's groups.“He stated that the government is focusing on creating self-employment opportunities for rural women, boosting their self-confidence, and improving the economic conditions of their families through various development initiatives. He suggested that women's groups should evolve beyond being mere savings groups to become powerful platforms for social development and social change.“A Permanent Platform for Women“The MLA noted that the women's group building proposed for construction in Nagaram would serve as a permanent venue for women's activities and empowerment programs. He stated that this building would host meetings, training sessions, awareness camps regarding employment opportunities, and various social development initiatives. He remarked that a remarkable transformation in village development could be achieved through the collective participation of women. He affirmed that the Congress government accords top priority to women's education, health, employment, and self-employment sectors. He appealed to every family to make full use of the welfare schemes being implemented for women.“Focus on Resolving Issues at the Grassroots Level“MLA Nagaraju explained that, through the "Praja Palana – Pragathi Pranalika" (People's Administration – Progress Plan) initiatives, the government is identifying issues at the grassroots level and formulating comprehensive action plans for the development of every village.“Subsequently, accompanied by officials, he inspected several local issues within the village and directed the officials to take immediate measures to resolve them. Interacting with members of women's self-help groups, he assured them that he would strive to effectively resolve their issues.“The event witnessed the participation of local Sarpanch Sandaraju Lavanya-Santosh, Atmakur AMC Vice-Chairman Tangedapalli Tirupati, Hanamkonda District Kisan Cell President Pingili Venkataram Narasimha Reddy, Mandal Congress President Poreddy Mahender Reddy, Agriculture Officer Anuradha, public representatives, officials, leaders of women's groups, Congress party leaders and activists, village elders, women, and villagers in large numbers.

## BJP Flag Will Fly High in Secunderabad: Mekala Keerthi Harsha Kiran BJP Likely to Win Majority Seats in Upcoming Local Body Elections

“(Indian Chronicle, Secunderabad, May 25): “Women leader and contested corporator from Boudha Nagar Division Mekala Keerthi Harsha Kiran expressed confidence that the BJP would emerge victorious in the upcoming local body



elections and hoist the party flag in the Secunderabad constituency. “Addressing a media conference held on Monday at the party office in Madhura Nagar, she stated that since joining the BJP, her sole objective has been public service and that she has consistently remained among the people, striving to resolve their issues. “She said that several problems in the Boudha Nagar Division were being personally reviewed and brought to the attention of the concerned authorities for speedy resolution. “Keerthi Harsha Kiran further stated that leaders and people from all sections, irrespective of political affiliations, were being united to fight for public issues. She recalled that although she lost the previous elections by a narrow margin, she never distanced herself from the public and has continued participating in welfare and service activities while standing by people in their difficult times. “Stating that a true leader is one who works sincerely to resolve public grievances, she urged people to identify leaders who visit them only during elections to make promises. She appealed to the public to support leadership that fights for people’s problems on a daily basis. “She assured that her team would always remain available for the development and welfare of Boudha Nagar and requested the blessings and support of the people to continue serving society in a greater capacity. “Senior leaders including Hanumanthu Mudiraj, Sai Dattu, Satyanarayana, Srinivas, Vanamala Srinivas, Bhikshapathi, Kranthi, Nagarani, Shyam Balayya and Satish participated in the programme.

## Municipal Chairman Tangellapalli Srivani Ravi Kumar inspects the arrangements for Bakrid festival

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau..Indian Chronicle...May 25):- Bhuvanagiri Municipal Chairman Tangellapalli Srivani Ravi Kumar inspected the arrangements at the Eidgahs in the town on the orders of Municipal Commissioner



Bhuvanagiri MLA Kumbha Anil Kumar Reddy along with the staff. Speaking on the occasion, they said that all measures will be taken to ensure that there is no problem during the festival. Eidgah Katif Farooq Ward Councilors MD Shafiq Ahmed MD Laik Ahmed MD Burhan Co-option Member MD Kausar MD Sharif Iqbal Chaudhary MD Kazam MD Nazir Sharif and others participated in the programme.

## Dakuri Prakash's request to Bhuvanagiri Municipal Chairman Tangallapalli Srivani Ravikumar to resolve the 19th ward issue immediately

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau..Indian Chronicle...May 25):- “Local 19th ward Congress Party in-charge Dakuri Prakash of Bhuvanagiri town has submitted a request to Municipal Chairman Tangallapalli Srivani Ravikumar and the Municipal Commissioner. On this occasion, they spoke about the problems of street lights in the mori in the ward, the mori behind Shankar Compound is making people sick due to the foul smell, can it be cleared before the rainy season, the compound wall in Motor Khana, Ambedkar Square, Bus Stand, Main Road with Vinayaka Mandir, when can the mori on the big mori be kept clean? Now the sand should be removed from the mori. The problem of Harjana Wada and Kumari Wada mori is that rainwater is coming inside the houses, so they asked to solve this problem immediately.



## Kondapuram Ganesh appointed as State Assistant Secretary of Telangana Activists



“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau..Indian Chronicle...May 25):- As part of a meeting held at the local martyrs' stupa in Bonagiri town under the auspices of Telangana State Activists President Pusa Srinivas, "Kondapuram Ganesh was appointed as the State Assistant Secretary". Speaking on the occasion, Pusa Srinivas recalled the services rendered by Kondapuram Ganesh, who played a key role in the Telangana movement." It was informed

that about 18 people from Nandanam village spent their lives in prison during the separate Telangana movement. Special thanks were expressed to Kondapuram Ganesh State President Pusa Srinivas for being elected as the Assistant Secretary of Telangana State Activists.

## Central and state governments should abandon anti- farmer policies. Farmers should be given remunerative prices for their crops as per the proposal proposed by the Swaminathan Commission: State Farmers' Association General Secretary P Padma

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau..Indian Chronicle...May 25):- The Telangana State Farmers' Association Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Council meeting was held in Bhuvanagiri on Monday under the chairmanship of Elagandula Anjaiah. State Farmers' Association General Secretary P Padma, who participated as the chief guest in the meeting, said that the central and state governments should abandon anti-farmer policies and should give remunerative prices to their crops as per the proposal proposed by the Swaminathan Commission. He demanded that the increased petrol and diesel prices be reduced. He demanded that the state government should support the families of farmers who are committing suicide out of despair and despair over the purchase of their hard-earned crops. They demanded that farmers should not be disappointed and should join the army of spirit and organize united movements against the governments that are adopting anti-farmer policies and solve their problems. The price lists, which were nominally increased by the central government as a show of force, were burnt at Ganji Chowrasta in Bhuvanagiri on this occasion. The meeting was presided over by Elagandula Anjaiah, while CPI District Secretary Damodar Reddy called for the formation of a farmers' association, the formation of village branches, the formation of village committees and mandal committees, and the agitation against local bodies. The members approved the report of the activities carried out since the last meeting by the Rice Association District Secretary Kollu Rajaiah. District Assistant Secretary Jakka Dayakar Reddy, District Vice President Uppala Komuraiah, District Executive Committee members Aman Bangaru Anjaneyulu Ambati Anjaiah Pakira Nayak Mogulla Tirupati Reddy B Sudarshan Reddy Sangam Ganesha Ootkur Krishna Siddhiramulu Shobhan Babu and others participated in this meeting.

## BJP Will Win the Greater Municipal Corporation Elections: Mekala Sarangapani

Indian Chronicle, Secunderabad, May 25: "Mekala Sarangapani stated that whenever the Greater Municipal Corporation elections are held, the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) will emerge victorious. He made these remarks during a meeting of BJP district public representatives and state leaders of the Secunderabad constituency held at Sitaphalmandi on Monday. "Discussions were held on the



upcoming Greater Hyderabad elections, party organizational matters, and the performance of various party committees." He said that people from all sections of society are satisfied with the governance of Prime Minister Narendra Modi and are aspiring for similar governance in Telangana as well. As part of this vision, the BJP is confident of capturing Greater Hyderabad, he asserted. "Sarangapani stated that the party would be strengthened from the grassroots level and capable leadership would be developed. He added that hardworking party workers would receive proper recognition. He further said that Union Minister G. Kishan Reddy and district president Bharat Goud had assured that party tickets would be given to deserving and winnable candidates. "He criticized the Congress and BRS parties, saying that people no longer trust them, as leaders who came to power by misleading the public have now neglected welfare and development programs. He remarked that the time has come for the people to teach them a fitting lesson. "Sarangapani also stated that the BJP would assign suitable responsibilities to those who work sincerely for the party and that individuals committed to the ideology of the Bharatiya Janata Party would always receive recognition. "The meeting was presided over by district vice-president Kandati Nageshwar Reddy. State leader Rachamalla Krishnamurthy, district vice-presidents Kanakatla Hari and Aakaram Ramesh, district secretaries Sharada Mallesh, Maddera Shyamsunder, Ajay Naidu, and several others participated in the program.

## Paper Mill Workers' Hunger Strike Enters Sixth Day - Padmashali Association Extends Full Support: General Secretary V. Venkanna

"Indian Chronicle, Kagaznagar, May 25: The Kagaznagar Town Padmashali Seva Sangham extended its full support and solidarity to the relay hunger strike being carried out by workers of the Sirpur (JK) Paper Mill in support of their legitimate demands. The protest, being held in front of the mill gate in Kagaznagar town, entered its sixth day on Monday. "The



Padmashali Seva Sangham leaders honoured the workers participating in the hunger strike — Golem Venkatesham, A.K. Singh, Rajesh Yadav, Narendra Goud, Ramulu, Srinivas, C. Venkatesh, and Ponna Ramesh — by garlanding them and expressing their solidarity. "Speaking on the occasion, Town President of the Padmashali Seva Sangham and former General Secretary of the SPM INTUC Workers' Union, Gullapalli Nageswara Rao, along with General Secretary Vadnala Venkanna, demanded that the SPM (JK) Paper Mill management, Labour Department officials, and the Telangana Government respond immediately and resolve the issues faced by local workers. "They warned that if the workers' genuine demands are not addressed immediately, members of the association would also join the agitation directly in the coming days and intensify the protest further. "Padmashali Seva Sangham Treasurer Kokkula Murali, Vice Presidents Noothi Sudarshan and Kompelli Sudarshan, along with others, participated in the solidarity programme.

## Playing with Students' Lives is Not Anti-National? Peddapalli MP Vamsi Krishna Demands Resignation of Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan Over NEET, CBSE Scams

"Hyderabad: Peddapalli MP Gaddam Vamsi Krishna strongly demanded the immediate resignation of Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan, stating that he has no moral right to continue in the position following the NEET paper leak scandal and the ongoing CBSE evaluation crisis. "In a sharp video message, the MP expressed deep anguish over the plight of lakhs of students who worked hard to appear for the NEET exam, only to have their futures compromised due to question paper leaks. "It is truly shameful that such a situation has come to the youth of India. I am requesting that you resign immediately," MP Vamsi Krishna said. "The MP pointed out that even as the NEET scandal continues to unfold, a fresh crisis has emerged in CBSE Class 12 results and reevaluation process. "Thousands of students are facing severe distress due to alleged irregularities in the On-Screen Marking (OSM) system, blurred answer sheet scans, technical glitches in the reevaluation portal, and unexpectedly low marks that have ruined their academic prospects and career opportunities. "He held both the Education Minister and Prime Minister Narendra Modi directly responsible for playing with the lives of students and driving many to despair. "Whenever the people of India raise their voices on any issue, you label them as 'anti-national' and suppress them. Now, your Education Minister is in charge when NEET papers are being leaked and is also playing with the lives of 12th-class CBSE students. Isn't he anti-national?" the MP asked. "Vamsi Krishna further stated, "Narendra Modi ji, you who lead such a government — are you not anti-national? Are these not anti-national acts done against the country?" "The MP warned that the youth of India are being forced to resort to extreme steps due to the repeated failures and scams under the BJP-led Central Government. "He declared that the Modi government has lost all moral authority. "There is no one more anti-national in India than you. We will not accept this. You must resign immediately, without delay," he asserted.

## MA Jaleel Pasha Hands Over Kalyana Lakshmi Cheque to Aruna's Family

"UPPAL, MAY 25 (INDIAN CHRONICAL): Medchal-Malkajgiri District Congress Party General Secretary MA Jaleel Pasha extended support to a poor family in securing assistance under the Kalyana Lakshmi Scheme. "Recently, the marriage of Aruna, daughter of Indar Raj and Sushila, was solemnized. The family had applied for benefits under the Kalyana Lakshmi Scheme but was unaware



of the procedures involved. They approached MA Jaleel Pasha for assistance. Responding positively, Jaleel Pasha coordinated with the concerned officials and ensured that the Kalyana Lakshmi cheque was sanctioned without delay. On Monday, he personally

handed over the cheque to Indar Raj and Sushila. "Family members of Aruna expressed their gratitude to Jaleel Pasha for his support in getting the scheme benefits sanctioned. "Speaking on the occasion, MA Jaleel Pasha said that the Congress government is taking immediate measures to ensure speedy sanction of Kalyana Lakshmi assistance and reiterated that the Congress Party will always stand by poor and needy families. [8:39 PM, 5/25/2026] +91 93911 09207: End