**Admonition**

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Let’s wait and see

So long as misdeed produces its resultant, the fool thinks it is honey.

When it is time for the resultant to arise the fool cannot escape it, but meet with great suffering.

(Dhammapada, Batavagga.23)

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**Four political objectives**

* Stability of the State, community peace and tranquility, prevalence of law and order
* National reconsolidation
* Emergence of a new enduring State Constitution
* Building of a new modern developed nation in accord with the new State Constitution

**Four economic objectives**

* Development of agriculture as the base and all-round development of other sectors of the economy as well
* Proper evolution of the market-oriented economic system
* Development of the economy inviting participation in terms of technical know-how and investments from sources inside the country and abroad
* The initiative to shape the national economy must be kept in the hands of the State and the national peoples

**Four social objectives**

* Uplift of the morale and morality of the entire nation
* Uplift of national prestige and integrity and preservation and safeguarding of cultural heritage and national character
* Uplift of dynamism of patriotic spirit
* Uplift of health, fitness and education standards of the entire nation

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**Impact of renewable energy on our oceans must be investigated, say scientists**

**Science Daily, 20 Sept—**Scientists from the Universities of Exeter and Plymouth are calling for urgent research to understand the impact of renewable energy developments on marine life. The study, now published in the Journal of Applied Ecology, highlights potential environmental benefits and threats resulting from marine renewable energy, such as off-shore wind farms and wave and tidal energy conversion devices.—Internet

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**The New Light of Myanmar**

**Today’s vehicles and motorways in Myanmar (2)**

(Article: Kayan Soe Myint; Photos: Ministry of Construction)

**Photo shows Natmauk-Kyaupadaung Road in Magway Division.**

Smooth transportation plays a key role in development of a region. Better transportation will contribute to trade promotion and improvement of socio-economic standard of the local people. As such, the State Peace and Development Council has laid down plans for construction of roads and bridges. At present, the road and bridge networks has emerged across the nation from the east to the west and from the north to the south.

**Union Highways**

In the past, the Ministry of Construction took responsibility for maintenance of 11 highways stretching 2452 miles in total length. With a view to undertak- ing improvement of economic, social, administration and national unity and development, a total of 36 highways from the north to the south of the nation and 45 highways from the east to the west, totalling 81 roads stretching 15,344 miles long have been con- structed throughout the nation. All these facilities become Union Highways.

**Inter-State/Division Roads**

So far, a total of 29 inter-State/Division roads stretching from the north to the south and 23 roads from the east to the west, totalling 52 in total length of 12602 miles have been constructed. Moreover, a total of 2850 miles and one furlong long tarred roads, 1951 miles and two furlongs long gravel roads, 1320 miles long pebble roads and 2391 miles and two furlongs long earth roads, totalling 8512 miles have been built in States and Divisions.

**Strategic Roads**

A total of 2881 miles and seven furlongs long roads were con- structed — 1411 miles and four furlongs long 17 roads by Public Works and1470 miles and three furlongs long 29 roads by the Directorate of Military Engineers of the Ministry of Defence.

**Delta Region Road Net- work Development Project in Ayeyawady Division**

In accord with the guidance given by the Head of State on his tour of Ayeyawady Division on 21-5-2008, Public Works of the Ministry of Construction commenced implementation of the Road Network Development Project by building five roads. At present, the region has eight roads in the road network including three routes. (See page 7)

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Extend helping hand in environmental conservation

All living things including human beings are amidst the air, water, land, trees, forests, mountain ranges and natural resources. It is therefore required of human beings to conserve the environment to meet the basic needs and continuous existence.

Today, the whole world has seen climate changes stemming from the greenhouse effect. In consequence, natural disasters such as strong winds, floods, drought, heat wave, and melting of ice mountains are common around the world, thus leading to environmental degradation.

According to scientists, 90 per cent of the cause of the global warming amounts to man’s activities. They include excessive exploitation of natural resources, and land and water pollution on the ground of indiscriminate discarding of rubbish, hazardous things, and sewage.

Air pollution is caused by exhaust and smoke emitted by factories, mills and vehicles alongside dust, ash, cigarette smoke, and cooking smells. Ozone forms itself a layer as high as 10 to 30 miles from the ground. It can also exist in the atmosphere close to the ground.

Ozone layer protects the world against ultraviolet radiation from the sun. If ultraviolet rays directly reach the earth following depletion and deterioration of ozone layer, it can harm creatures and trees. So, the people are to conserve the environment collectively.

Myanmar has preserved a fine tradition of conserving the environment from time immemorial. Pollution of the air, water and the land and deforestation results in environmental deterioration. So, the people have to extend a helping hand to the government in conserving and improving the environment.
Gaza, 20 Sept — Gaza Strip ruling Hamas movement would positively respond, with no reservations, to an Egyptian initiative to sign an inter-recognition deal that ends more than two years of internal split, a high-ranking official expected on Saturday.

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Taleban top leader says western countries to achieve nothing in Afghanistan

KABUL, 20 Sept — Taleban exclusive top commander Mullah Mohammad Omar in a statement issued on the eve of Eid al-Fitr said despite the surge of international troops, western countries should look up the history of Afghanistan as a tomb for invaders and they would face defeated eventually.

“The invaders should study the history of Afghanistan from the time of the aggression of the Alexander, to the Ganges of the yore and to this very day and should receive lesson from it,” said the statement which was released on Saturday in Pashtun, Farsi and English versions.

Meantime, Omar said the elections held on 20 Aug were “fraught with fraud and lies and which were categorically rejected by the people.” Nevertheless, the Taleban leader hinted some extent of reconciliation but put the withdrawal of all foreign troops as a pre-condition as usual.

“First of all the issue of the existence of the invading forces in the country should be solved and Afghanistan must find its place as a sovereign country on the map of the world. The internal issues among the Afghans can be solved,” the statement quoted Omar as saying.

Taleban militants in a bloody suicide attack on Thursday, only three days before Eid al-Fitr, killed at least 16 people including six Italian soldiers with the NATO-led International Security Force (ISAF) and 10 local civilians in the centre of Afghan capital city of Kabul. —Xinhua

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Explosion kills two children in W Afghanistan

KABUL, 20 Sept — Two children were killed and three others wounded on Saturday as the explosive vest of a suicide bomber went off prematurely in Herat Province of western Afghanistan, a senior police official said.

“A suicide bomber, apparently going to target police and international forces, was killed as his explosive vest went off prematurely in a lane near a local market,” police commander in western region Ekramuddin Yawor told Xinhua.

“Two children passing the scene were killed and three others including a woman and two children got injured in the blast, “ the police official said.—Internet

Bear in Japan injures nine, shot dead at tourist area

 TOKYO, 20 Sept — A black bear seriously injured four men on Saturday afternoon in Nyukawa, a small mountain town about 140 miles (230 kilometres) west of Tokyo, said firefighter Tomohiko Akano.

The 4-foot (1.3-metre) bear first attacked people at a bus parking lot then entered a lodge where it was trapped in a souvenir shop and shot dead by a hunter, according to media reports.

No one suffered life-threatening injuries in the attack that lasted about an hour, reports said.—Internet

Local citizens visit the Stonecutters Island (Nging Shuen Chau) Naval Base of the Chinese People’s Liberation Army (PLA) Garrison in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) in Hong Kong, south China, on 19 Sept, 2009.—Xinhua

An Iraqi man inspects a damaged bakery shop in Mahmoudiya, about 20 miles (30 kilometers) south of Baghdad, Iraq, on 19 Sept, 2009. A car bomb exploded Friday at a market in a region that was once the scene of frequent attacks on Shiites, killing seven people and wounding 21 others, police and hospital officials said.—INTERNET

An Asian black bear being rescued from a bear farm in Chengdu in southwestern China. A bear was shot dead after it attacked nine people, mostly tourists, at a bus station in a mountainous area of central Japan, Kyodo news agency reported.—INTERNET

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Pittsburgh, also known as the “Steel City,” was predominantly a steel town in the 1970s, but the slump of the US steel industry in 1980s, which resulted in 250,000 steel-related job cuts, left the city with no choice but to reinvent itself.

Xinhua

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KATHMANDU, 20 Sept—Nepal’s Prime Minister Madhav Kumar Nepal is heading to the United States on Sunday evening to participate in the 64th General Assembly of the United Nations (UN) that kicked off on 15 Sept in New York. Nepal will meet US President Barack Obama, British Prime Minister Gordon Brown and other heads of the state.

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BEIJING, 20 Sept—China’s hydropower capacity is expected to nearly double to 300,000 megawatts by 2020, state media said, as the nation powers ahead with the development of renewable energy sources.

Tourists view the Three Gorges Dam in central China’s Hubei Province. China’s hydropower expansion of the urban jungle in Paris, the bee business is thriving.

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Xinhua

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Bees are disappearing from fields across France and elsewhere in the world, victims of a slow decline in number because of loss of habitat compounded by a recent and mysterious catastrophe variously blamed on disease, parasites and pesticides. The most recent science research points to a combination of interacting diseases for new collapses of bee colonies.

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This illustration shows the velodrome, which will be built for the 2016 Olympic Games in Tokyo. Tokyo is offering the “best” bid for the 2016 Summer Olympics among four rival candidates with a global mission, the city’s governor and bid chief Shinjiro Iwihara said on 18 Sept, 2009.—INTERNET

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Tanzania President hails Forum on China-Africa Cooperation as “great initiative”

DAE ES SALAAM, 20 Sept—Tanzanian President Jakaya Kikwete on Saturday said that the Forum on China-Africa Cooperation is a “great initiative” as it serves as the structure for the two sides to work together.

Kikwete made the remarks in an exclusive interview with Xinhua at the State House in Dar es Salaam, noting that the forum is “quite useful” and expressing his satisfaction with the way that the forum is working.

He mentioned that the fourth ministerial meeting of the forum is scheduled to be held in November in Egypt. “With the latest progress and development between Africa and China, the two sides can consolidate solidarity through the forum so that the two sides can develop relations from strength to strength.”

As for the development of bilateral relations between China and Tanzania, Kikwete hailed the two countries as the “best friends” whose friendship is “excellent,” expecting the two sides to enhance cooperation in agriculture, industry and manufacturing, housing and financial operations.

He emphasized that in the political front the bilateral relations have been consolidated through the high-level exchange visits of the two countries, including his visits to China and Chinese President Hu Jintao and Premier Wen Jiabao’s separate visit to Tanzania, and the two sides have supported each other in many international affairs—Xinhua

One dead, one injured in Chicago shooting

CHICAGO, 20 Sept—One person died and another was injured in a shooting incident on Saturday in Orland Park in southwestern Chicago, local police said.

Orland Park Police Chief Tim McCarthy said in a press release that one person is in custody and another is being sought.

At about 2:30 pm, the Orland Park police were dispatched to the scene where the shooting incident took place. Upon arrival, two people were found shot. One 20-year-old man was transported to a nearby hospital and was subsequently pronounced dead.

The second person, a 19-year-old man, was transported to the hospital and his condition was unknown.—Xinhua

Air India flight takes off leaving 25 passengers on ground

NEW DELHI, 20 Sept—A Port Blair-bound Air India flight on Saturday took off from Kolkata while leaving on the ground 25 passengers, as the plane did not have the capacity to seat them, Air India officials said.

The airliner usually uses a 145-seater aircraft but Saturday the plane was smaller with 120 seats, the officials said.

Airport sources said Air-India’s Kolkata-Port Blair flight left at 05:35 am without taking the passengers from NSC Bose international airport in the eastern Indian city.—Xinhua

Photography festival showcases modern art in heritage city

PINGYAO, 20 Sept—One of China’s best-preserved ancient cities, Pingyao, in north China’s Shanxi Province, saw the opening of a large photography festival on Saturday.

More than 20,000 pictures by 1,232 photographers from 46 countries and regions were put on display in the seven-day Pingyao International Photography Festival (PIP). Pingyao, 616 kilometers southwest of Beijing, was listed as a world heritage site by the UNESCO in 1997. It can be traced back to 2,700 years ago and was rebuilt in 1370 when most of the remaining brick houses and a city wall were built up.

“The ancient city itself is a great attraction for photographers, making it an ideal rendezvous for us to communicate while having fun,” said professional photographer Long Jinxing.

PIP is among the 10 largest photography festivals in China and the only one to be held in a world heritage site, said Hu Suping, head of Shaxi Provincial Publicity Department.

“The combination of modern art and traditional culture is powerful,” said David Mulrooney, Canadian ambassador to China.

In the past eight sessions of PIP, more than 1.6 million people enjoyed works of 1,600 photographers from various parts of the world. “We endeavor to keep PIP global, professional and diverse,” Hu said.

Xinhua

Gaza restaurant fire claims four

GAZA, 20 Sept—Two Palestinians died on Saturday due to severe burns they suffered two days ago in a blast in a Gaza restaurant on Thursday, raising the death toll to four.

Mosawia Hassanin, an official of the Health Ministry, said that two boys, aged 11 and 16, died Saturday, owing to burns that hit nearly all their bodies.

On Friday, a 6-year-old girl and the owner of the fast food restaurant died, also a result of burns.

Fire spread after a blast in a restaurant in northern Gaza Strip on Thursday afternoon as workers were busy preparing food for people who broke their fasting at sunset.

Fifty three people were injured, including bystanders who were outside the restaurant in Jabaliya refugee camp, one of the most densely populated areas in the world.

Xinhua
Iraq arrests three on antiquities charges

BAGHDAD, 20 Sept — Authorities in northern Iraq have arrested three men on charges they were trying to traffic stolen antiques, including the bust of an Assyrian king, a local army commander said on Saturday.

The three were arrested in a sting operation after attempting to sell one of the artifacts for $160,000 to an undercover intelligence officer of the Iraqi Army’s 12th division in a village southwest of Kirkuk, division commander Maj-Gen Abdul Amir al-Zaied told reporters.

The sting operation, which took place around two weeks ago, was set up based on intelligence from local residents, he said.

“The duty of Iraqi army is not only to chase the terrorists but also to protect state treasures,” he said.

In total the men had eight pieces from the Sumerian period, which dates from around 4000 BC to 2000 BC, that they were trying to sell.

Couples accused of exploiting egg donors

LONDON, 20 Sept — Increasing numbers of poor foreign women are being exploited by British couples who buy human eggs to conceive, critics of the practice contend.

Hundreds of British couples travel to Spain, Romania and Ukraine each month to buy eggs from vulnerable women willing to take health risks to make money, fertility expert Naomi Pfeffer told the Motherf*cker in the 21st Century Conference at University College Lon-

don.

“It commodifies women’s bodies and treats their reproductive capacities as a service,” Pfeffer said, calling so-called “fertility tourism” a form of prostitution.

Typically, egg donors take contraceptive pills to control their fertility cycle then use hormonal nasal sprays and injections to stimulate egg production, Sammy Lee, a British fer-

tility expert told The Times of London in a story pub-
lished Saturday. The donors undergo light anaesthesia while a needle pierces the vaginal wall to retrieve follicles containing eggs, he said.

“One of the reasons people are going to Europe is that it is so hard to get eggs in Britain,” Lee said.

“It’s going to happen more because people are looking for areas where the law and guidelines are less strict, where they can pay donors and donors are more avail-

able.” —Internet

One in seven Germans want Berlin Wall back?

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Researchers led by Assistant Profes-

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One spouse drinking or smoking = trouble

If one spouse engages in smoking or excessive drinking and the other doesn’t, it can strain a marriage, US researchers found.

Gregory G Homish, assistant profes-
sor of health behavior, and colleagues at the University at Buffalo’s School of Public Health and Health Professions tracked 634 couples recruited from 1996 to 1999 when they applied for marriage licenses. The majority were European-

American, approximately one-third were African-American and a small per-

centage were Hispanic, Asian and Na-

tive American.

“Most studies that investigate the impact of substance use focus solely on individual-level risk factors, and do not consider the impact of social network influences such as those that exist between a partner,” Homish said in a statement.

The results, published in the journal Addiction, showed that when a couple’s drinking habits were similar, both part-

ners remained relatively satisfied with their marriage. The same results were found for smoking.

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ily or smoked while the other did not that dissatisfaction set in and relation-

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A truck with overload of iron trusses seen on a road.

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Roads being built by private entrepreneurs through B.O.T system

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Translation: TTA
Commander inspects high yield paddy fields in Zalun, Danubyu, Maubin

NAY PYI TAW, 20 Sept — Chairman of Bago Division Peace and Development Council Commander of Southern Command Maj-Gen Hla Min attended prize presentation ceremony of Commander’s Shield Boxing Tournament held at Command Headquarters and in Awino Village of Maubin Township and viewed the weeding, ploughing and broadcasting fertilizers in the fields. The commander watched the final match of Maubin clubs’ football tournament and presented prizes to the winners.—MNA

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Next, the commander and officials presented the award to the winner teams. —MNA

Minister inspects fire station, pre-primary school

YANGON, 20 Sept— Minister for Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement Maj-Gen Maung Maung Swe inspected the progress of construction of fire station and staff quarter in North Okkalapa Township.—MNA

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YANGON, 20 Sept— Myanmar Weightlifting Federation will organize the 2nd ceremony to pay respects to selected Myanmar weightlifters of above 75 years old and the aged who carried out development of Myanmar weightlifting sport at the training hall of the federation in the compound of Aung San Stadium, here, on 2 October morning.

Invitation has been extended to the persons of above-75 years old in the weightlifting arena to attend the ceremony. For further information, may dial 388160.—MNA

Minister looks into 200-bed hospital in Pyapon

YANGON, 20 Sept— Ministe for Hotels and Tourism Maj-Gen Soe Naing inspected 200-bed hospital donated by Dagon International Co Ltd in Pyapon Township on 15 September. Next, the commander and the ministers enjoyed the students learning at Basic Education Primary School in Kularpantaung and Kanyintaw villages.—TRANSPORT

Work committee meets for holding 10th Myanmar Traditional Practitioners’ Association conf

YANGON, 20 Sept— The first meeting of the work committee for holding 10th Myanmar Traditional Practitioners’ Association conference was held at the meeting hall of National Health Committee of the Ministry of Health here on 17 September afternoon. Secretary of the work committee Director-General Dr Tin Nyunt of Traditional Medicine Department made a speech on the occasion and representatives from ministries explained work to be done by their respective ministries.—MNA

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Head of Mandalay Division Fire Services Department U Tin Min and officials inspect fire engines at Thande fire station in Kyaukse on 26 August.—NLM
We get engines from LONCIN Motorcycle Factory which is the second best motorcycle factory in China. This engine is marketable in Europe."

Mechanic U Phyo Min Thu said, "Our cycles consume oil much less than other brand cycles. On a fine road, a 110 CC Brand cycle runs 90 kilometres per hour, and a 125 CC Brand cycle runs 100 to 110 kilometres per hour. It is a strong point of our cycles."

The factory produces 22 cycle parts of own styles. It can assemble eight units an hour.

Junior Engineer U Win Soe said, "The alphabet for number plats of our cycle is ‘Pa’, so it can be ridden in the designated places the whole country. And our cycles are licensed ones, customers can use them as soon as they have bought them. So, we constantly receive orders from Nay Pyi Taw, Mandalay, Yangon, Monywa, Sittway and Hinthada."

Factory Manager U Soe Myint said, "According to the special programme, we offer discount, and we hand over owner boards, premiums, and duty free documents to the customers."

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Sixty-five per cent of parts of a three-wheeler are produced at home and 35 per cent are imported, and 90 per cent of parts of a safe are produced at home.

It has launched its sale of products since 2004. On average, it produces 400 to 500 units a year.

Overall, Yenangyoung Industrial Zone contributes a lot towards regional development and the nation’s industrial development.

Translation: MS Kyemon: 19-9-2009

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Race-Horse Three-Wheeler Factory produces automobiles and three-wheelers.

Some safes in Race-Horse Three-Wheeler Factory.

Cycles of Golden Land Cycle Factory are transported for sale.

Two workers at work in Race-Horse Three-Wheeler Factory.
Russia finds no secret cargo on “Arctic Sea”

MOSCOW, 20 Sept— Russian prosecutors found no suspicious materials on the ship Arctic Sea despite media reports it was carrying an air-defence system for Iran, Russian newswires reported on Saturday. Russia’s Foreign Minister denied the newswires reported on Saturday.

The Maltese-registered cargo ship was officially carrying timber from Finland to Algeria when it was boarded on July 24 by eight men. They were charged with kidnapping and piracy after it was intercepted by Russian warships off Cape Verde.

Since then there has been speculation the ship, crewed by Russians, Estonians and Latvians, was carrying a secret cargo.

Kremlin says Israel promised not to strike Iran

MOSCOW, 20 Sept — Israel promised Russia it would not launch an attack on Iran, Russian President Dmitry Medvedev said in an interview aired on Sunday in which he described such an assault as “the worst thing that can be imagined.”

Israel has hinted it could forcibly deny Iran the means to make an atomic bomb if it refuses to suspend uranium enrich-

ment and has criticized Russia for agreeing to supply to Tehran S-300 anti-aircraft weapons that could complicate an attack. In an interview with C/Net/Record on Tuesday, Medvedev denied Moscow was backing Iran but said it had the right to supply defensive weapons and said sanctions against Iran should only be used as a last resort.

An attack would lead to “a humanitarian disaster, a vast number of refugees, Iran’s wish to take revenge and not only upon Israel, to be honest, but upon other countries as well,” Medvedev said, according to a Kremlin transcript.

High numbers of heat-loving bacteria found in cold Arctic Ocean

SCIENCE DAILY, 20 Sept — A team of scientists led by U of C grad Casey Hubert has detected high numbers of heat-loving, or thermophilic, bacteria in subzero sediments in the Arctic Ocean off the Norwegian island of Spitsbergen. The bacterial spores might provide a unique opportunity to trace seepages of fluids from hot sub-seafloor habitats, possibly pointing towards undiscovered offshore petroleum reservoirs.

These thermophiles exist in the Arctic Ocean sediment as spores — dormant forms that withstand adverse conditions for long periods, waiting for better times. Experimental incubations at 40 to 60 degrees Celsius revive the Arctic spores, which appear to have been transported from deeper hot spots.

“The genetic similarities to bacteria from hot offshore oil reservoirs are striking,” says Hubert. After completing his PhD in petroleum microbiology at University of Calgary, Hubert traveled to Bremen, Germany, with an NSERC post-doctoral fellowship to study the Arctic thermophiles at the renowned Max Planck Institute for Marine Microbiology. “We expect ongoing surveys will pin-point the source, or sources, of these misplaced microbes. This could have interesting applications if they are really coming up from leaky petroleum reservoirs.”

Hungary catches Italian under EU arrest warrant

BUDAPEST, 20 Sept—Hungarian police arrested a 59-year-old Italian man on Thursday wanted on a European warrant for offences ranging from violence and extortion to drug trafficking, police spokeswoman Monika Benyi said on Saturday. Benyi said authorities caught the man in the town of Nagylak as he tried to cross the Hungarian-Romanian border, the eastern edge of the European Union’s Schengen border-free zone. “After screening the identity of the man in the Schengen information system, it became clear in a matter of minutes that he was under a European arrest warrant issued by Italian authorities,” Benyi said. Citing Italian news agencies, Hungarian public radio MR1 Kossuth reported the man was Giancarlo De Luca, a leading member of the Casalesi crime ring of Naples. It said at the time of arrest De Luca was travelling with his son and one other person.

Hungarian police did not confirm the man’s identity. “I can only confirm that it is a 59-year-old Italian citizen, but I cannot confirm any names,” Benyi said.—MNA/Reuters

The country’s economy expanded at 7.9 percent from a year ago in the second quarter of this year, faster than the 6.1 percent in the first quarter, which was the worst quarterly growth in 10 years, dampened by a slump in exports.

The recovery was boosted by the active fiscal policy and moderately loose monetary policy the central government put into place in November last year.—Internet

China’s 8% goal difficult but achievable

SHANGHAI, 20 Sept — China’s economy will be able to achieve the 8 percent growth of gross domestic product (GDP) this year set by the central government, although there are still difficulties ahead, a senior economist said on Saturday.

Yao Jingyuan, chief economist with the National Bureau of Statistics, made the remarks at a forum in Shanghai, saying the global economic downturn did not change the fundamentals of the country’s economic development, buoyed by the ongoing industrialization, urbanization and marketization.

He said the country’s economy has taken a turn for the better from the slowdown in the second half of last year, presenting better recovery than in the United States, Japan, Europe and the other members of the BRIC group, which includes Brazil, Russia, India and China.
Using magnetism to turn drugs on and off

Science Daily, 20 Sept—Many medical conditions, such as chronic pain, cancer and diabetes, require medications that cannot be taken orally, but must be dosed intermittently, on an as-needed basis, over a long period of time. A few delivery techniques have been developed, using an implanted heat source, an implanted electronic chip or other stimuli as an “on/off” switch to release the drugs into the body. But thus far, none of these methods can reliably do all that’s needed; repeatedly turn dosing on and off, deliver consistent doses and adjust doses according to the patient’s need. Researchers led by Daniel Kohane, MD, PhD of Children’s Hospital Boston, funded by the National Institutes of Health, have devised a solution that combines magnetism with nanotechnology. The team created a small implantable device, less than “” in diameter, that encapsulates the drug in a specially engineered membrane, embedded with nanoparticles (approximately 1/100,000 the width of a human hair) composed of magnetite, a mineral with natural magnetic properties. When a magnetic field is switched on outside the body, near the device, the nanoparticles heat up, causing the gels in the membrane to warm and temporarily collapse.

Gates lashes out at critics of US missile plan

Washington, 20 Sept—US Defense Secretary Robert Gates on Saturday lashed out at critics of a new missile defence plan for Europe and insisted it was not a concession to Russia, as some charge.

Gates, a Republican who served in senior positions under former president George H.W. Bush and his son, former president George W. Bush, wrote in an opinion article for the New York Times that the criticism of the plan is misguided.

"I believe this is a very pragmatic proposal. I have found since taking this post that when it comes to missile defence, some hold a view bordering on theology that regards any change of plans or any cancellation of a programme as an abandonment or even breaking faith," Gates said.

The objective of the missile plan is to counter the threat of missile attack from Iran, not Russia. The Bush plan was intended to intercept long-range Iranian missiles, but Iran has yet to develop long-range missiles and US intelligence recently determined that Tehran is unlikely to have such missiles until between 2015 and 2020. As a result, Gates changed the plan to counter the possibility of short- and medium-range missiles.

Three suspects arrested in US terrorism probe

Denver, 20 Sept—A Colorado man, his father and an accused accomplice in New York were arrested on Saturday and charged with lying to federal agents about a plot to blow up unspecified targets in the United States, the US Department of Justice said. Najibullah Zazi, 24, a native of Afghanistan who works as an airport shuttle bus driver, was questioned by the FBI for three days, and his father, Mohammed Wali Zazi, 53, were taken into custody at an apartment in the Denver suburb of Aurora.

Also arrested was Ahmad Wais Afzali, 37, a native of Afghanistan who was living in the Queens borough of New York City, a Department of Justice spokesman said.

"The arrests carried out tonight are part of an ongoing and fast-paced investigation," David Kris, assistant attorney general for national security, said in a statement. "It is important to note that we have no specific information concerning the timing, location or target of any planned attack," Kris said.

All three men were expected to make initial court appearances on Monday, Najibullah Zazi and Mohammed Zazi in Denver and Afzali in New York, and each faces a possible eight years in prison if convicted.

According to affidavits filed in the case which document contacts between the three men and Najibullah Zazi’s travels between Pakistan and the United States, FBI agents who searched Zazi’s rented car on September 11 found a laptop computer containing instructions on the manufacture of explosive devices.
Police admit errors in hate crime case

LOUGHBOROUGH, 20 Sept—Police in England admitted on Friday they failed to see hate crimes in the tormenting that led a mother to kill her daughter and herself in a fiery crash.

Fiona Pillington, 38, and her daughter Francesca Hardwick, 18, were found in Pillington’s car off a road in Leicestershire in October 2007. Their bodies were burned beyond recognition, The Guardian reported.

An inquest heard police were called 13 times with complaints a gang of youths were tormenting the family, including throwing stones and shouting abuse and obscenities. The daughter had severe learning disabilities and her brother, Anthony, 19, is severely dyslexic.—Internet

Schizophrenic killer escapes at fair

SPOKANE, 20 Sept—Washington state police fear a mental patient who escaped while on an outing to a county fair will return to the town where he killed an elderly woman in 1987.

Phillip Arnold Paul, who has been incarcerated at Eastern State Mental Hospital for more than two decades, eluded staff members at the Spokane County Interstate Fair, The Spokane Spokesman-Review reported. In Sunnyside, about 150 miles southwest of Spokane, police warned Paul’s relatives to be on the lookout for him, the Yakima Herald-Republic reported.

The Union of Myanmar
Civil Service Selection and Training Board
Vacancy Announcement
Announcement No. 11 / 2009
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(14 September 2009)

1. Myanmar Motion Picture Enterprise under the Ministry of Information has issued an announcement of vacancies for the following positions—

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2. The applicants—

(a) must be citizens of the Union of Myanmar.
(b) must not be over 35 years of age (40 years if service personnel) on 10th October 2009.
(c) must be physically fit and possess well intact limbs.

3. Applications must be sent to Office No (17) of the Civil Service Selection and Training Board, Nay Pyi Taw in person, or by expedited Mail Service, or by registered letter not later than 12th October 2009.

4. The applicant who wants to apply more than one position has to pay examination fee separately and submit the application forms for respective positions.

5. With regards to filling in the application form, documents to be attached, mode of payment of Ks 500/- for examination fee, subjects to be studied for written examinations and personal interview, candidates applying for the vacant positions.

6. For service personnel, his or her original application altogether with the recommendation of the ministry concerned and a passport photo of the applicant must be sent to Office No (17) of Civil Service Selection and Training Board in Nay Pyi Taw through the Head of Department by 12th October 2009. An extra copy of the application together with photo must also be attached.

7. Written examinations will be held in Nay Pyi Taw.

8. Examinations will be held on 7th and 8th November 2009. Identity cards for candidates sitting for the examination will be issued at Office No (17) of Civil Service Selection and Training Board in Nay Pyi Taw commencing 5th November 2009.

9. The Ministry of Information has prescribed specific rules and regulations for successful candidates in discharge of their duties. In this context candidates wishing to obtain further information may contact in person or by phone to Myanmar Motion Picture Enterprise Headquarter (Administration Division), Yangon (Tel:01-534886) under the Ministry of Information.

10. For more information, applicants may contact Office No (17) of the Civil Service Selection and Training Board in person or by phone (067-409052, 067-409440).

This announcement and the guide booklet for applicants may be browsed on Websites: csst.imis.com.mm and www.csst.gov.mm.
50% heart disease patients in Asia fail to stick to medication

BEIJING, 20 Sept—Fifty percent of patients with cardiovascular disease (CVD) in Asia fail to achieve treatment goals mainly because they did not stick to medication, according to the largest Pan-Asian survey CEPHEUS.

Findings of the survey were released at 2009 Asia-Pacific CV Summit held here Saturday, which brought together medical professionals from the region in the field of CVD treatment.

CEPHEUS, conducted by leading cardiologists in Asia, is to evaluate the current treatment status of hypercholesterolemia (high levels of cholesterol in blood), Elevated cholesterol level is a key risk factor for CVD.

CEPHEUS surveyed over 7,000 patients and doctors in Asia Pacific region. Nearly 44.1 percent of patients said they sometimes forgot to take tablets, and one in four patients thought it is OK to miss medication.

Mozambique reports first two deaths of A/H1N1 flu

MAPUTO, 20 Sept—Mozambique has reported first two deaths of the A/H1N1 variety of influenza, the state media AIM said on Saturday.

The assistant national director of health, Leonardo Chavane, told a press conference on Friday that the first victim was a 45-year-old man who died on 4 Sept, and the second was a 29-year-old woman who died two days later.

Currently, there are 71 suspected cases of the disease in Mozambique, and 29 confirmed cases, including 18 women, nine men and 11 children.

Most cases have been diagnosed in Maputo. There are also two cases in the southern province of Gaza and one each in Tete and Sofala, in the centre of the country.

E coli outbreak closes four British farms

LONDON, 20 Sept—E.coli outbreaks linked to petting farms warrant review of guidelines involving children and animals, a British bacteriologist said.

“We have to look very, very seriously at the guidelines that we have been running for many years and see if they need changing,” Hugh Pennington, Britain’s foremost specialist on E.coli, told the BBC in a story aired on Saturday.

Pennington said he was “not terribly happy” that children under age 5 were allowed to touch lambs, calves, goats and other animals at petting farms, where they could encounter E.coli bacteria through animal feces.

The World of Country Life petting farm in Exmouth, Devon, closed this week after three cases of E.coli in children were linked to the farm. Forty-nine cases of E.coli closed Surrey’s Godstone Farm last week, along with its sister farm, Horton Park Children’s Farm in Epson. The Times of London reported on Saturday.

The White Post Farm at Farnsfield, Nottinghamshire, closed recently after four cases were linked to the farm, Sky News reported on Saturday.
Barcelona beats Atletico Madrid to remain top of Primera Liga

MADRID, 20 Sept—FC Barcelona handed out a 5-2 punishment to Atletico Madrid in the Camp Nou Stadium to remain top of the Primera Liga on Saturday night.

Leo Messi celebrated his new contract with the club with two goals and a pass that set up Seydou Keita for the fourth goal. Zlatan Ibrahimovich opened the scoring for Barcelona just after two minutes. The big Swede scored his third goal in three games following a pass from Sergio Busquets. Messi made it 2-0 after 15 minutes before Dani Alves scored a direct free kick just before the half hour.

Benitez hails rejuvenated Torres

LONDON, 20 Sept—Rafael Benitez believes Fernando Torres is nearing a return to his best form after the Spain striker scored twice in Liverpool’s 3-2 victory over West Ham. Torres’s goals - he opened the scoring in the 20th minute and clinched the victory 15 minutes from time - were crucial after Benitez’s side twice conceded the lead against a determined West Ham.

The manager accepted that defensive errors had almost cost his team victory but was delighted that Torres appears to have shrugged off the lingering hangover of last year’s extended season that included a trip to the Confederations Cup with his country. “Last week he was not scoring goals and everyone was asking me whether he is fit,” said Benitez. —Internet

Ancelotti unflustered by changing times at Chelsea

LONDON, 20 Sept—If Carlo Ancelotti has been left shaken by the upheavals at Chelsea during his few weeks in charge, he is doing a very good job of disguising the fact. The Blues coach has given the impression it is business as usual as he prepares his side for a meeting with London rivals Tottenham at Stamford Bridge on Sunday that could extend Chelsea’s perfect start to the Premier League campaign.

Five successive wins have already positioned the Italian’s side at the head of the table and laid down an early marker in their title battle with Manchester United. And he has remained unruffled by FIFA’s imposition of a 16-month transfer ban on the club and the sudden departure of chief executive Peter Kenyon.

Czik, Safarova book Quebec WTA final showdown

QUEBEC CITY, 20 Sept—Melinda Czik continued her dominance of Aleksandra Wozniak as she downed the third-seeded Canadian 6-3, 6-3 in the semi-finals of the WTA Bell Challenge. Czik, the fifth seed from Hungary, has now won all four of her meetings with Wozniak, a head-to-head that includes two ITF circuit victories and a WTA Tour triumph on grass in Birmingham this year.

Bayern Munich must improve, insists van Buyten

BERLIN, 20 Sept—Bayern Munich defender Daniel van Buyten hit the winner in Saturday’s 2-1 victory over Nuremberg to put the German giants third in the Bundesliga, but insist there is still room for improvement.

The Belgium defender headed home in the game’s dying stages to give Bayern three points after Nuremberg’s Maxim Choupo-Moting had earlier exposed the Munich defence with a well-taken equaliser. Croatia forward Ivica Olic had scored Bayern’s opening goal after 55 minutes. Van Buyten’s goal gave Bayern their third consecutive league win, but the Belgian said hard questions will be asked about how Choupo-Moting found so much space to exploit.

Aalborghore backed to claim England ticket to SAfrica

BIRMINGHAM, 20 Sept—Martin O’Neill has backed on-form striker Gabriel Agbonlahor to shoot himself into Fabio Capello’s England squad for the World Cup finals in South Africa next year.

The Villa forward is currently on the fringes of his national team and missed out on the squads for the recent matches against Slovenia and Croatia.

Arsenal bounce back in style with Wigan win

LONDON, 20 Sept—Arsenal bounced back from last week’s traumatic defeat at Manchester City with centreback Thomas Vermaelen scoring twice in a 4-0 stroll against Wigan. Croatia international Eduardo claimed the third although the ball found the net via a deflection off Emmanuel Eboue and Cesc Fabregas notched a fourth in stoppage time as Arsen Wenger’s side turned on the style at the Emirates Stadium. Arsenal’s players had been left nursing a few bruises and damaged egos after their 4-2 defeat at Eastlands. But they made amends here and sent out a clear signal that they intend to be part of the title race this season.

Bordeaux on top, trouble flares at Grenoble, Nice

PARIS, 20 Sept—Bordeaux opened a two-point gap at the top of the French first division on Saturday with a 2-0 win at promoted Boulogne-sur-Mer, giving the defending champions a fifth league victory of the season. Yoan Gouffran opened the scoring in the 34th minute after heading in a corner from David Bellion for his fifth goal of the season before Boulogne defender Yoann Lachor headed into his own net in the 70th minute in a desperate attempt to clear a Yoann Gourcuff free-kick.

Azerbaijan's Dutch player Robin van Persie (L) vies with Wigan Athletic's English-born Barbadian player Emmerson Boyce (R) during the English Premier League match between Arsenal and Wigan Athletic at The Emirates Stadium in London.—INTERNET

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Answers to yesterday’s Crosswords Puzzle

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Secrets of insect flight revealed: modeling the aerodynamic secrets of one of nature’s most efficient flyers

New South Wales (UNSW) in Australia, and a team of animal flight researchers from Oxford University’s Department of Zoology, used high-speed digital video cameras to film locusts in action in a wind tunnel, capturing how the shape of a locust’s wing changes in flight. They used that information to create a computer model which recreates the airflow and thrust generated by the complex flapping movement.

The breakthrough result, published in the journal Science this week, means engineers in the UK are a step closer to creating a micro-aircraft that flies with the manoeuvrability and energy efficiency of an insect after decoding the aerodynamic secrets of insect flight.

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Sunday, 20th September, 2009
Summary of observations recorded at 09:30 hr MST:
During the past 24 hours, weather has been partly cloudy in Kayah State, rain or thundershowers have been widespread in Kachin State, Bago and Ayeyawady Division, fairly widespread in Chin, Rakhine, Mon States and Yangon Division, scattered in Shan State, Upper Sagraing and Magway Divisions and isolated in the remaining areas. The noteworthy amounts of rainfall recorded were Nay Pyi Taw (1.15) inches, Nay Pyi Taw (Lewe) (1.02) inches, Pyinuma (0.63) inch, Nay Pyi Taw (Yezin) (0.12) inch, Thayawady (2.32) inches, Myitkyina (2.28) inches, Thanluyngyi (2.03) inches, Taunggyi (1.89) inches, Shweyin (1.77) inches, Yamein (0.66) inch and Magway (0.39) inch.

Maximum temperature on 19-9-2009 was 89°F. Minimum temperature on 20-9-2009 was 69°F. Relative humidity at (09:30) hours MST on 20-9-2009 was 85%. Total sun shine hours on 19-9-2009 was (0.3) hour approx.

Rainfall on 20-9-2009 was (0.12) inch at Mingaladon, (0.16) inch at Kabar-Aye and (0.12) inch at Central Yangon. Total rainfall since 1-1-2009 was (95.67) inches at Mingaladon, (105.67) inches at Kabar-Aye and (112.05) inches at Central Yangon. Maximum wind speed at Yangon (Kaba-Aye) was (5)mph from Southeast at (16:30) hours MST on 19-9-2009.

Bay inference: Monsoon is weak in the Andaman Sea and Bay of Bengal.

Forecast valid until evening of 21st September 2009:
Rain or thundershowers will be widespread in Kachin State and Upper Sagraing Division, fairly widespread in Chin, Rakhine States and Bago Division, isolated in Kayah and Kayin States and scattered in the remaining areas. Degree of certainty is (80%).

State of the sea: Seas will be slight to moderate in Myanmar waters.

Outlook for subsequent two days: Weak monsoon.
Forecast for Nay Pyi Taw and neighbouring area for 21-9-2009: Isolated rain or thundershowers. Degree of certainty is (80%).
Forecast for Yangon and neighbouring area for 21-9-2009: Isolated rain or thundershowers. Degree of certainty is (80%).
Forecast for Mandalay and neighbouring area for 21-9-2009: Likelihood of isolated rain or thundershowers. Degree of certainty is (80%).
★ Only with stability and peace will the nation develop
★ Only with stability and peace will democratization process be successful

★ Anarchy begets anarchy, not democracy
★ Riots beget riots, not democracy
★ Democracy can be introduced only through constitution

People’s Desire

- We favour peace and stability
- We favour development
- We oppose unrest and violence
- Wipe out those inciting unrest and violence

Yenangyoung Industrial Zone contributes to industrial development

So far, the government has set up 18 industrial zones and 28 industrial zones (branches) across the nation. Magway Division has two zones — Pakokku Industrial Zone at Kywete Village-tract, about four miles northeast to Pakokku, and Yenangyoung Industrial Zone on Yangon-Mandalay Highway near Thonsechauk Village in Yenangyoung Township.

Yenangyoung Industrial Zone has an area of 179.71 acres. Up to now, 323 plots have been allocated to industrialists, and so has the newly-reclaimed area of 44.77 acres.

Like other large industrial zones such as Mandalay Industrial Zone and Monywa Industrial Zone, Yenangyoung Industrial Zone is boosting its production of goods year by year.

Apart from small products, the zone has manufactured six- and 12-wheel trucks, jeeps, light trucks, and three-wheelers and motorcycles since 2004. Ngwe Sekkya Automobile Factory targets to produce five N.S.K. 03 units and five N.S.K 04 units; Lin Lin Automobile Factory, 20 trucks; Golden Land Motorcycle Factory, 3000 units of GEORGIO RAM 125 CC Brand and 3000 units of GRINGO RAM 110 CC Brand; Golden Dragon Motorcycle Factory, 2000 units of Myanmar 90.1 (90 CC) Brand and 2000 units of Myanmar 125.1 (125 CC) Brand; Race-House Three-Wheeler Factory, 200 units of YRH III A Brand, 300 units of YRH VII Brand, and 50 units of YRH VII Brand Automobile in 2009-2010 fiscal year.

In an interview, Factory Manager U Soe Myint Oo of Golden Land Motorcycle Factory told the Kyemon Daily that the factory compound was 1100 feet long and 800 feet wide; that it produced 125 CC GEORGIO RAM, 110 CC GRINGO RAM, and 111 CC GENOVA RAM motorcycles; and that each unit was comprised of 65 per cent of locally-made and 35 per cent of imported machines.

The factory has launched its production line since 2007. Up to date, it has produced over 7000 units, and has a target of 6000 units for 2009-2010 financial year. It has five young engineers and over 60 workers.

Production In-Charge Junior Engineer U Win Soe Oo said, (See page 9)