True patriotism

* It is very important for everyone of the nation regardless of the place he lives to have strong Union Spirit.

* Only Union Spirit is the true patriotism all the nationalities will have to safeguard.

Myanmar National Human Rights Commission formed

NAY PYI TAW, 5 Sept—The Union Government of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar issued Notification No. 34/2011 dated 5-9-2011 as follows:-

Republic of the Union of Myanmar
Union Government
Notification No. (34/2011)
8th Waxing of Tawthalin 1373 ME
(5 September, 2011)

Formation of Myanmar National Human Rights Commission

Myanmar National Human Rights Commission was formed with the following persons with a view to promoting and safeguarding fundamental rights of citizens described in the constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar.

(a) U Win Mra
Ambassador (Retd)
Chairman

(b) U Kyaw Tint Swe
Ambassador (Retd)
Vice-Chairman

(c) U Tun Aung Chein
Professor (Retd), Department of History
Member

(d) U Hla Myint
Ambassador (Retd)
Member

(e) U Than Swe
Director-General (Retd), Forest Department
Member

(f) Dr Nyan Zaw
State Medical Officer (Retd)
Member

(g) Dr Daw Than Nwe
Professor (Retd), Department of Law
Member

(h) Daw Saw Khin Kyi
Professor (Retd), Department of International Relations
Member

(i) U Tin Nyo
Director-General (Retd), Basic Education Department
Member

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Vice-President Thiha Thura U Tin Aung Myint Oo delivers address at work coord meeting on drawing budgets, regional development for Shan, Kayah States

NAY PYI TAW, 5 Sept—Vice-President of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar Thiha Thura U Tin Aung Myint Oo addressed a work coordination meeting on drawing budgets for the 2011-12 fiscal year for Shan and Kayah States and for regional development at Shan State Government Office in Taunggyi yesterday.

It was attended by Union ministers, the Chief Minister of Shan State, the Chief Minister of Kayah State, state, deputy ministers, the deputy speaker of Shan State Hluttaw, ministers of Shan State, departmental heads, chairmen of the leading bodies of the self-administered divisions and regions in Shan State and state-level officials.

In his address, Vice-President Thiha Thura U Tin Aung Myint Oo said he, along with Union ministers, deputy ministers and departmental heads, were present at the meeting to discuss and fulfill the cooperation of region and state governments with the Union Government drawing budgets for the governments of the states and self-administered divisions and regions for the 2011-2012 financial year and other regional development issues while meeting with members of the ministers of Shan State and Kayah State governments, chairmen of the leading bodies of the
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Younger generations to join hands in industrialization

Industrialization calls for innovation and human resources, for which the government has exerted strenuous efforts. Development of industrial sector contributes towards modernization of the nation, providing sound foundations for transformation into industrialized economy.

Marching towards the goal of modernization and industrialization, factories and workshops have been established one after another in industrial regions and industrial zones while colleges and institutes are turning out industrial technicians yearly. Furthermore, industrial training schools are also turning out industrial skilled workers.

The first and only Automobile Industrial Training School (Magway) in Myanmar jointly implemented by Ministry of Industry-2 and Korea International Cooperation Agency was opened on 10 July.

The training school located near mile post No. 324/6 on Magway-Taunggyi Road in Magway Industrial Region opened its very first course on 26 August. A total of 148 trainees have joined the one-year course lectured by Myanmar instructors and Korean technicians with the help of modern teaching aids.

Apart from Automobile Industrial Training School (Magway) established with the aim to satisfy the needs of industries and produce skilled workers, the nation has so far seen four industrial schools in Sinte, Mandalay, Thagara and Pakokku.

As the government is making all-out efforts for software and hardware development of the nation, younger generations are to join hands in its drive for industrialization.

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**Talk on Global Strategies for Local Businesses 7 Sept**

YANGON, 5 Sept—A talk on Opportunities Beyond Borders; Global Strategies for Local Businesses will be held at Traders Hotel, here, from 6 pm to 8 pm on 7 September. Speakers are U Aung Chi Khin (MBA, Nottingham) and Mr. Erik Frisk (MSC, International Business, Stockholm). Those wishing to attend the talk may contact Strategy First Institute at Room 1006, Park Tower, at the corner of Dhammazedi and Bagaya Roads, Myaynigon, Sangyo Township, Tel: 539132 and 539135.

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**MOSA ready to help Myanmar seafarers**

YANGON, 5 Sept—Seafarers will be handed job opportunity through new system, according to sources at Myanmar Overseas Seafarers Association, better known as MOSA. Union Minister for Transport U Nyan Tun Aung revealed his hope of emergence of well-trained seamen as private schools had been allowed in a meeting on 19 August. He pointed out exam failure caused by the system apart from the lack of proficiency.

The MOSA opened its Basic Safety Training Course (1/2011) at the joint secretary office of Yangon Region, on 5-9/2011 submitted its applications for registration as a political party under Article 5 of Political Parties Registration Law. In its application, it is mentioned that the party will use its name, flag, and seal described hereunder.

It is hereby announced in accord with Political Parties Registration Rules 14 (d) that if there is anyone who wants to remonstrate about the name, flag and seal of the party, they may remonstrate with the Union Election Commission with firm evidence within seven days from the date of the announcement.

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**Public Announcement for remonstration**

1. Party for Unity and Peace headquartered at No. 10 on Gawthaka Street in Thayagon Ward of Mingala Taungnyunt Township

Sky Blue Colour

White Colour

Flag of Party for Unity and Peace

Sky Blue Colour

White Colour

Seal of Party for Unity and Peace

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**Flood warning**

NAY PHTAW, 5 Sept—According to the 12.30 hr MST observation today, the water level of Sittoung River in Madauk 1137 cm has exceeded by 67 cm (about 2.2 feet) above its danger level. It may remain above its danger level 1070 cm during the next 72 hours commencing this noon. The water level of Ngawun River in Ngathanggyoung 1184 cm has exceeded by 54 cm (about 1.8 feet) above its danger level. It may remain its danger level 1130 cm during the next 72 hours commencing this noon, according to the Department of Meteorology and Hydrology. —MNA

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**EEL RELEASED: Kyaukse District Fisheries Department organized third eel release ceremony into paddy farms and natural fields in Myittha Township for the third time on 25 August. Departmental officials and local farmers releasing 8200 eels into paddy farms.**

**MYANMA ALIN**
Two killed in bomb attacks in Iraq’s violence

BAGHDAD, 5 Sept — Two people were killed and another two wounded in separate bomb attacks in western and eastern Iraq on Sunday, the police said.

A roadside bomb went off in the afternoon near a civilian car in the north of the Fallujah City, some 50 km west of Baghdad, killing the driver and wounding another person in the car, a source from the operations command of Anbar Province told Xinhua on condition of anonymity.

In a separate incident, a government employee was killed when a sticky bomb attached to his car detonated while he was driving near the entrance of Fallujah, the source said.

In Iraq’s eastern Province of Diyala, a parliament member escaped unharmed a roadside bomb explosion near his car while he was leaving his house in the City of Maqadiyah, some 110 km northeast of Baghdad, a source from Diyala’s provincial operations command told Xinhua anonymously.

One of the lawmaker’s bodyguards was wounded by the attack, the source said.

The attacked lawmaker, Abdullah al-Jubouri, is a Sunni member of the cross-sectarian parliamentary bloc of Iraqia, headed by the former prime minister Ayad Allawi.

Three killed in gunmen attacks in Iraq

BAGHDAD, 5 Sept— Three people were killed in separate attacks by gunmen in northern and eastern Iraq on Sunday, while the Iraqi security forces captured an al-Queda leader during the day, the police said.

Gunmen broke into the house of an off-duty border guard in western Mosul, some 400 km north of Baghdad, and shot him dead and wounded his brother before they fled the scene, a local police source told Xinhua on condition of anonymity.

In a separate incident, an Iraqi army soldier was killed when gunmen opened fire on him in northern Mosul, the source said. In Iraq’s eastern Province of Diyala, a man in his 60s was shot dead by gunmen in the town of Abu Saydah, some 100 km northeast of Baghdad, a source from the provincial command operations told Xinhua on condition of anonymity.

Seven killed in US drone strike in NW Pakistan

ISLAMABAD, 5 Sept— At least seven suspected militants were killed in a US drone strike late Sunday night in Pakistan’s northwest tribal area of North Waziristan, reported local Urdu TV channel Aji.

No more details are immediately available.

Eight insurgents killed, 38 detained in Afghanistan: gov’t

KABUL, 5 Sept — Afghan police, backed by army and NATO-led troops, eliminated eight insurgents and captured 38 others throughout the country over the past 24 hours, Afghan Interior Ministry said in a statement on Monday.

“Afghan National police (ANP) with the assistance of the Afghan National Army, NDS or intelligence agency and Coalition forces launched seven joint and independent operations over the past 24 hours in surrounding areas of the Kapisa, Baghlan, Balkh, Wardak, Ghazni and Khost provinces,” said the statements here.

“As a result of these operations, eight armed insurgents were killed and 38 other armed insurgents were arrested by ANP,” it said, adding ANP also discovered and defusing several anti-vehicle mines in the same time frame.

Taleban have yet to make comments. —Xinhua

Iranian high-ranking official survives plane accident

TEHERAN, 5 Sept — The Iranian Expediency Council’s secretary, Moines Rezaei, was slightly injured Sunday when an Iranian passenger plane made an emergency landing in Iran’s northeastern city of Mashhad, the local Mehr news agency reported.

Ten others were also injured in the accident early Sunday morning.

Rezaei is an Iranian politician and economist and currently secretary of the Expediency Council of the Islamic Republic. Before that, Rezaei had been the Islamic Revolution Guard Corps ( IRGC) chief commander for 16 years.

He ran as a conservative presidential candidate in the 2009 Iranian elections, placing third with 1.7 percent of the vote behind the winner, incumbent President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, and reformist runner-up Mir-Hossein Mousavi.—Xinhua

Iran policemen inspect the site of a bomb attack in Basra, 420 km (260 miles) south of Baghdad recently. A suicide bomber blew up his car near a Shi’ite mosque, killing four people and wounding at least 34 others, according to security and medical sources. —INTERNET
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self-administered division and zones in Shan State. Today, in accordance with the State constitution, Hluttaw meetings had been held and Union Government, region and state governments, leading bodies of the self-administered divisions and zone had been organized, and meanwhile, legislative tasks were being carried out during the Hluttaw meetings, he said. Therefore, legislative, executive and judiciary sectors took shape in accordance with the constitution and the machinery of the new executive system had gained momentum to a certain extent, he said. He continued to say that the President had already announced the political, economic and defence policies of the government at the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw meeting on 30 March, 2011, and stressed the need for becoming the Good Governance and the Clean Government, for transparency, account-ability, being agreeable to the constitution and existing laws, placing emphasis on people’s wishes and effectiveness of the governmental organizations.

As part of efforts for development of the economy, the President gave guidance to the officials from economic and social fields, and National Workshop on Reforms for National Economic Development had been conducted and Action Plan was being drawn based on outcomes from the workshop, he said.

Besides, the government had conducted workshop on development of rural areas and poverty alleviation, and eight tasks which were laid down during the workshop were being carried out by the government joining hands with private organizations and businessmen, he added.

He said that the processes were also Millennium Development Goals, and urged the officials concerned to understand the fact that different regions and areas had different conditions, to start at possibilities for the tasks and to organize people concerned to cooperate with the government. Though local authorities were service personnel in the past, representatives elected by the people were taking responsibilities for the administration today, he said.

He urged the representatives to realize the wishes and expectations of the people and to try not to make honest mistakes because of strong willing to complete the tasks and good will. He also stressed the need for cooperation of the people to achieve success of the tasks.

He continued to say that efforts should be made to achieve the regional economic goals, only then will per capita income be increased and State developed. This year is the first of the five-year plan which starts from the 2011-2012 fiscal year to the 2015-2016 fiscal year. To meet the target of creating job opportunities for the people, tasks should be carried out not to posing burden to the people, he said. He also said that region and state governments had been constituted with the ministers who knew the requirements of the local people and priorities for the people, and they should place emphasis on the tasks that would lead to the interests of the people.

He also stressed the need for carrying out preparedness tasks while doing assessment to the changing nature conditions as the world was experiencing climate change.

Afterwards, Chief Minister of Shan State U Sao Aung Myat reported on assignment of duties to village/ward administrative officers, implementation of rural areas development, completion of agricultural work for the 2010-2011 monsoon season, education and health affairs, opening of the budget department for Shan State, budgets for the departments and organizations in Shan State, tasks which had been carried out for the first six months of the 2011-2012 fiscal year and implementation of the plans for the 2011-12 fiscal year.

Afterwards, Chief Minister of Kayah State U Khin Maung Oo reported on budgets and expenditure for the 27 bodies including three central organizations, 20 ministries and departments and four economic organizations. He also reported on tasks which had been carried out for the first three months of the 2011-12 fiscal year, future tasks for the coming three months and future tasks for the remaining six months, budget deficiency for the Kayah State and efforts for poverty alleviation in Kayah State.

Afterwards, Chairman of the leading body of Pa-O self-administered zone U Khin San Lwin, Chairman of the leading body of Palaung self-administered zone U Maung Kyaw, Chairman of the leading body of Kokang self-administered zone U Pae Sauk Chen and Chairman of the leading body of Wa self-administered division U Khun Tun Lu reported on completion of drawing budgets for the respective regions, efforts for regional development tasks, efforts for drug elimination, regional facts and data and matters related to agriculture, farming and transportation.

Afterwards, Union Minister for National Planning and Economic Development and Livestock and Fisheries U Tin Naing Thein discussed matters related to the reports and measures that should be taken for increasing per capita income and for poverty alleviation, plans for budget balance of the ministries and increasing of per capita income in the self-administered zones and division.

Next, Deputy Director General of the Budget Department U Lin Aung reported on arrangements for issuing rules and regulations for drawing budget of the regions and states in cooperation with the Central Bank of Myanmar.

The Vice-President attended to the needs. In his concluding remarks, the Vice-President called on the governments of the regions, states and self-administered zones to effectively use their budgets in accordance with the financial rules and regulations.

He also urged the governments to find possible ways to increase incomes as they will have to draw their budgets and plans by themselves in future.

Afterwards, the Vice-President and party visited Women and Children Hospital in Taunggyi and called for improvement of health care services for the people so that people can rely on it. He also expressed his delight as he found that doctors and nurses were providing good care services to patients including babies. During the visit, he inspected pediatric ward, operation room, patient ward, children ward, pathology department and blood bank (branch).

The Vice-President also donated cash assistance and incubator (See page 5).
The best time to plant a tree was 20 years ago. The second best time is now.

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Lawka Chantha Pagoda in Taunggyi on 3 September evening. They were welcomed by members of the Pagoda Board of Trustees and officials. The Vice-President and wife offered flowers and water to the Buddha Image in the cave of the pagoda and paid homage to the Buddha Image. The Vice-President signed the visitors’ book and donated cash to the funds of the pagoda.

Vice-President Thiha Thura U Tin Aung Myint Oo and wife Daw Khin Saw Hnin pay homage to Çulamuni Lawka Chantha Pagoda

Members of the Pagoda Board of Trustees accepted the donation and presented replica of the pagoda as Dhamma gift to the Vice-President. Later, the Vice-President and party paid homage to the pagoda.

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By order,
Tin Myo Kyi
Secretary
Union Government

Scientists said they had produced the first stemcells from endangered species, a breakthrough that could potentially save dozens of animals teetering on the brink of extinction.—INTERNET

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According to his report, there are 4657 basic education high, middle and primary schools in Shan State. Speaking on the occasion, the Vice-President said the President declared the education goals in his speech at the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw on 30 March, 2011. They are to promote quality of teachers, to teach students with full teaching aids, to promote the quality of students, to send scholars to foreign countries, to succeed in compulsory education system at the primary level and to encourage the constant learning as part of efforts to promote the national education standard. He also called on governmental organizations, parents and teachers, students and to make efforts for achieving the goals.

Afterwards, Chairman of Shwe Thanlwin Co Ltd U Kyaw Win presented Sky Net TV receivers to six basic education high schools who won the highest pass rate award for the matriculation examination for the 2010-11 academic year. After the meeting, the Vice-President cordially greeted teachers and members of the school boards of trustees.—MNA

NAY PYI TAW, 5 Sept—Vice-President of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar Thiha Thura U Tin Aung Myint Oo and wife Daw Khin Saw Hnin, accompanied by Shan State Chief Minister U Sao Aung Myat, Commander of Eastern Command Maj-Gen Soe Htut, deputy ministers and departmental heads, arrived at Çulamuni Lawka Chantha Pagoda in Taunggyi.

Vice-President Thiha Thura U Tin Aung Myint Oo and wife Daw Khin Saw Hnin pay homage to Buddha Image in the cave of Çulamuni Lawka Chantha Pagoda in Taunggyi.

Scientific evidence suggests that stem cells can be used to treat a wide range of conditions, including diabetes, heart disease, and nerve damage. The discovery could lead to new treatments for a variety of diseases and injuries.

Efforts are underway to establish a stem cell bank in Myanmar to store and preserve these precious cells. This would make it possible for researchers to access these cells for future medical research and potentially for clinical use.

The latest development in stem cell research is the successful production of the first stem cells from endangered species. This is a significant breakthrough, as it could potentially save dozens of animals that are teetering on the brink of extinction.

Scientists have been working on this project for several years, and their success is a testament to the power of scientific research and the potential of stem cell therapy.

In conclusion, the discovery of stem cells from endangered species is a major breakthrough in the field of stem cell research. It offers great promise for the future of medical treatment and conservation efforts.
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Vice-President Thiha Thura U Tin Aung Myint Oo, wife Daw Khin Saw Hnin donate alms to monasteries in Taunggyi

NAY PYI TAW, 5 Sept—Vice-President of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar Thiha Thura U Tin Aung Myint Oo and wife Daw Khin Saw Hnin attended the ceremony to donate robes and alms to abbots from monasteries in Taunggyi, at the downtown Dhammayazika Pagoda where Atula Marazein Hsutaungpyae Pagoda is being kept, yesterday morning.

Also present on the occasion were members of the Sangha from monasteries in Taunggyi, Union ministers, Chief Minister U Sao Aung Myat of Shan State, Commander of Eastern Command Maj-Gen Soe Htut, deputy ministers, departmental heads, state level departmental officials, townswelders and religious associations.

First, State Ovadaçariya Sunlungu Monastery Presiding Abbot Agga Maha Pandita Maha Kammathanacañciya Bhaddanta Aggadhammabhivamsa administered the Five Precepts and members of the Sangha recited Parittas.

The Vice-President and wife offered robes and alms to the Sayadaw. The Union ministers, the Chief Minister and the deputy ministers donated robes and provisions members of the Sangha.

Chairman of Shan State Sangha Nayaka Committee TaT U Uyarayon Pariyat Monastery Presiding Abbott Agga Maha Pandita Bhaddanta Paññasiri delivered a sermon, and the congregation shared merits, and fulfilled them.—MNA

Yangon Region basic education level performing arts competitions opened

YANGON, 5 Sept—The opening ceremony of 18th Myanmar Traditional Cultural Performing Arts Competitions of Yangon Region Basic Education Laval was held at No.6 Basic Education High School in Botahtaung Township this morning.

Shark bites legs off bodyboarder in Australia

SYDNEY, 5 Sept—A shark bit the legs off a bodyboarder at a popular surfing spot in western Australia on Sunday, killing the man, police said. Authorities were reportedly searching for the shark as well as the man’s missing limbs.

The man in his early 20s was bodyboarding with five friends when the shark attacked, a police spokesman said.

He died at the scene in the surfing haven known as The Farm, off Bunker Bay near the western town of Dunsborough.

The beach was closed after the attack.

Trucks drive through a flooded street as Tropical Storm Lee slowly makes landfall in Lafitte, Louisiana on 3 Sept, 2011.—INTERNET

Tropical Storm Lee spawns tornado sightings and alerts from the Louisiana Gulf Coast to the Florida panhandle on Sunday, and at least two deaths related to the storm were reported.

More than a dozen tornado sightings were reported, and tornado warnings were in effect Sunday afternoon for portions of Baldwin and Mobile counties in southwest Alabama and Greene, Jasper, Perry and Wayne counties in southern Mississippi, according to the National Weather Service.

Weather officials had not confirmed any tornadoes touching down in the area on Sunday afternoon, but were tracking at least three twisters and funnel clouds near Mobile, Alabama, and central Mississippi near Hattiesburg.

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Second regular session of First Amyotha Hluttaw goes on for 11th day

NAY PYI TAW, 5 Sept—The second regular session of the first Amyotha Hluttaw continued for the 11th-day at Amyotha Hluttaw Hall in Hluttaw Building here today, attended by Speaker of Amyotha Hluttaw U Khin Aung Myint and 210 Amyotha Hluttaw representatives.

U Khin Aung Myint of Yangon Region Constituency No. 9, U Saw Tun Mya Aung of Kayin State Constituency No. 5, U Myat Ko of Sagaing Region Constituency No. 12, U Than Sway of Taninthayi Region Constituency No. 2, Dr Banya Aung Moe of Shan State Constituency No. 7, Dr Sai Kyaw Zaw of Shan State Constituency No. 2, U Min Myo Tint Lwin of Kayin State Constituency No. 10 and U Saw Taw Pale of Kayin State Constituency No. 7 seconded the proposal submitted by U Nay Win Tun of Shan State Constituency No.9 at previous session for “government’s measures to transform the Republic of the Union of Myanmar to become a mining-industry developed nation” and discussed ensuring peace and stability across the nation for operating mining industry nationwide, capital and technology assistance, organizing talks to help people operate mining process on a manageable scale, from which to operate on small, medium and industrial scale, allowing national entrepreneurs to engage in mining industry, tax remission and simpler recommendation process to attract more investors to mining industry and drawing of geological map, and introduction of simple, clear mining rules.

Union Minister for Mines U Thein Htak said that mining laws about industrial exploitation and small-scale exploitation of mines resources across the nation were issued and those laws were explained to those wishing to participate in mining industry in different regions upon their request.

He continued that establishment of mining companies is to be done according to procedures set by Myanmar Investment Commission, that his ministry permits mines exploration, production and selling processes in line with its procedures to ensure easier and smoother works; that mine laws, rules, directives and instructions needed for mining industries have been issued in Myanmar and Ministry of Mines and its departments and enterprises; that according to mine laws, 5 to 7 per cent of taxes are collected on gems. 4 to 5 per cent on valuable minerals such as gold, silver, platinum and uranium, 4 per cent on minerals used in industrial process such as iron, zinc, copper, lead, nickel, tungsten, antimony.

He added that private mining companies working in partnership with government on a profit-sharing basis ranging from at least 30 to 50 per cent investment; that the ministry sets area of minefields based on industrial production which needs above-50 acre with massive capital and production cost or application of complicated technologies and techniques, and small-scale production which only needs under-50 acre land with smaller amount of capital and production cost or simple techniques.

He continued that for mining sector development, his ministry welcomes industrialists from abroad and foreign direct investment and is also encouraging national entrepreneurs to invest in mining industry giving assistance; that his ministry discourages exportation of non-extractive minerals, and persuades entrepreneurs to locally extract minerals before exportation; and that his ministry is placing emphasis on mineral exploration because of its key role in industrialization.

The Hluttaw Speaker announced that it would not make instant decision but let the Economic, Monetary and Tax Committee to gather opinions from different levels and make observation to ensure the proposal’s advantages to the nation and people in accord with laws; only after Ministry of Mines, environmentalists, mineralogists, and other government technicians have thoroughly discussed the report submitted by the committee, the Hluttaw would decide whether to draft a bill or not for the proposal.

With regard to proposal of U Swe Aung from Yangon Region Constituency No. 12 for government’s measures to hold peace talks over current armed conflicts without affecting Our Three Main National Causes, U Win Naung of Yangon Region Constituency No. 5 said that conflicts between the government and national armed groups is not because they are enemies but because of third party’s instigation: that the government should take urgent measures to negotiate with them to eliminate cloud of misunderstanding.

Defense Services Personnel Hluttaw Representative Maj Than Tun said that the previous government practiced soft strategy which made 17 major armed groups, 23 small armed groups, totaling 40 returned to the legal fold and 15 out of 40 groups abandoned their arms for ever and five groups transformed into border guard forces and 15 other into militia groups; that the government has invited other remaining groups for peace negotiations; that the proposal that the negotiations should not harm Our Three Main National Causes should be the primary policy on which negotiations should be made; that national consolidation is vitally important considering history of the nation, geopolitics, and world’s political affairs.

The Hluttaw Speaker announced that the proposal will be continued for discussion tomorrow session.

The 11th-day second regular session of the First Amyotha Hluttaw came to an end at 3.55 pm and the 12th-day session continues at 10 am tomorrow. At today’s session, the Hluttaw decided to let Economic, Monetary and Tax Committee to handle one of two proposals submitted at previous session and discuss another tomorrow.

No (2) Mining Enterprise holds coord meeting

NAY PYI TAW, 5 Sept—Union Minister for Mines U Thein Htak addressed coordination meeting of No (2) Mining Enterprise at Thiri Yadana Hall of the ministry here this morning. The Union Minister in his address said that Region/State in-charges are to focus on fulfilling quotas in corporate gold mining, top-up with gold mining companies for boosting gold production and to take disciplinary actions against the companies breaching the pledges.

The director-general of No (2) Mining Department and Region/State in-charges discussed the conditions of collecting yearly gold quotas.
Second regular session of first Pyithu Hluttaw goes on for 11th day
19 more committees of Pyithu Hluttaw formed

Nav Pyi Taw, 5 Sept.—The second regular session of the first Pyithu Hluttaw continued for the 11th day at Pyithu Hluttaw Hall of Hluttaw Building, here, at 1.3 pm today, attended by Speaker of Pyithu Hluttaw Thura U Shwe Mann and 385 Pyithu Hluttaw representatives.

The Deputy Speaker of the Pyithu Hluttaw submitted the member lists of 19 extended Hluttaw committees, list of members and secretaries of committees, duties, authority, rights and terms to the Hluttaw that approved them.

The Citizens’ Fundamental Rights, Democracy and Human Rights Committee members were U Kyaw Soe Lay of Molmyn Constituency, U Saw Htut Khauk Lwin of Kyain-seikkyi Constituency, U Ye Htut Tin of Passewng Constituency, Defence Services Personnel Pyithu Hluttaw representative Col Myint Ko Ko, U Htay Lwin of Nanhsin Constituency, U Aung Kyaw Khin of Kyauktan Constituency, U Soe Soe of Htiyangyi Constituency, U Saw Ba Thim of Thaton Constituency, U Sai Bo Aung of Muse Constituency, U Soe Win of Sangyoung Constituency, U Maung Oo of Phaungyiin Constituency, U San Lin of Taunggyi Constituency and U Maung Maung Tin of Yeikyi Constituency, U Htay Oo of Hinthada Constituency was assigned duty as chairman and U Tin Maung Win of Mingladon Constituency as Secretary.

The National Race Affairs and Internal Peace Making Committee were U Pyi Pho Phyo of windows Constituency, U Soe Yei of Dimawsoh Constituency, Daw Mi Yin Chan of Kyaikmaraw Constituency, U Sai Aung Kyi of Mongton Constituency, U Stephen of Kungtung Constituency, U Hla Tin of Khamit Constituency, U Khin Maung of Htay of Hlum Constituency, U Ba Htay of Mogok Constituency, U Saw Thein Aung of Haingbwe Constituency, U Ba Shein of Kayankkyu Constituency, U Hjaw Htauk Chan of Kyunlong Constituency and U Sai Maung Tin of Lakhia Constituency. U Thein Zaw of Myitkyina Constituency was assigned duty as chairman and Daw Dwe Bu of Injungyan Constituency as secretary.

The Banks and Monetary Development Committee members were U Win Myint of Myingyan Constituency, U Than Win of Taungdwingyi Constituency, U Ohn Ngwe of Myaung Constituency, U Tin Win of Dedaye Constituency, U Myint Lwin of Kyakto Constituency, U Ba Ht of Yawbye Constituency, U Aye Thu of Mibiu Constituency, U Ko Gyi of Aungmyethazan Constituency, U Kyin Win of Hopang Constituency, U Kyaw Khaing Win of Meisie Constituency, Dr Sai Kyaw Oo of Namkham Constituency, U Aung Kyaw Zan of Pauktaw Constituency and U Thant Zin of Glyobungauk Constituency. U Aung Aung of Taungtha Constituency was assigned duty as chairman and U Maung Maung Soe of Thakayta Constituency as secretary.

The Plans and Financial Development Committee were U Ko Ko Lwin of Mawlamyinegyung Constituency, U Kyi Tin of Danybyu Constituency, U Min Swo of Daik Constituency, U Soe Myint of Nyaunglebin Constituency, U Kyaw Tun of Kan Constituency, U Myo Thant of Yedashe Constituency, U Kyi Pyone of Singaing Constituency, U Khun Thein Pe of Hopong Constituency, U Aye Maung of Bawlake Constituency, U Tha Soe of Thazi Constituency, Daw Khin Saw Wai of Yathedang Constituency, Daw Tin Nwe Oo of Dagon Myoth (North) Constituency and U Myint Lwin of Kyakto Constituency. U Soe Tha was assigned duty as chairman and U Aye Maik as secretary.

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The International Relations Committee members were U Aung Kyaw Soe of Natmauk Constituency, U Nelson (a) U Hsaung Hsa of Kyaukzoye. Dr Roh Oak of Matupa Constituency, Defence Services Personnel Pyithu Hluttaw Representative Col Tint Hsun, U Sai Kyauk of Mongphyat Constituency, U Khin Maung Shwe of KhinU Constituency, U Mya Thein of M fundon, U C Khan Ram of Khuanglanphu Constituency, U Aung Aung of Singu Constituency, U Kyaw Myint of Ayadaw Constituency, U Win Swo of Nyaungdwe Constituency, U Soe Thein of Kalewa Constituency and U Tin Aung Kyaw of Ponnagyun Constituency. U Hla Myint Oo was assigned duty as chairman and U Ko Ko Tun as secretary.

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The proposal to approve the bill of amending the commercial tax law was approved as it won a unanimous support and the hluttaw decided to approve the bill of amending the commercial tax law.

Regarding the bill of amending income tax law, the Joint Bill Committee read out the findings and remarks. Union Minister for Finance and Revenue U Hla Tun submitted the proposal to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw to discuss the bill. The proposal to discuss the bill was approved as it won a unanimous support and the hluttaw decided to discuss the bill.

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Woman returns wallet containing $4,600
SOLON, 5 Sept—A Twinsburg, Ohio, woman found a wallet containing $4,600 but says she didn’t think twice about turning it over to police. Leah Kleppinger found the wallet in a shopping cart outside of a Solon, Ohio, mall on Thursday, The Cleveland Plain-Dealer reported. “I looked inside the wallet and saw the license and credit cards,” Kleppinger said. “I noticed the cash, but I didn’t know how much. I knew that it was a substantial amount.”

Kleppinger, who brought the wallet to the Solon police station, said returning the wallet was the right thing to do, as well as what God would want her to do. “There are still honest people in this world,” said Solon Lt Bruce Felton. Police returned the wallet to its rightful owner, a man who works in Solon. The man “regularly carries a lot of cash due to his occupation,” Felton said. Kleppinger’s husband received a phone call from the wallet owner to say thank you and alert them that he had left a gift for them at the police station, a cash reward.—Internet

Innsomnia costs high in US
BEIJING, 5 Sept—Insomnia costs average US worker 11.3 days, or 2,280 dollars, in lost productivity each year, according to a new study published in journal Sleep.

The total cost to the nation is 63.2 billion dollars annually, the study said.

Cyclists ride past the Parliament Building during the Mayor of London Skyride, in London, Britain, on 4 Sept, 2011. The annual Skyride, aiming at encouraging cyclists of all age and ability, is held in central London on Sunday, with major streets free of motor traffic throughout the day.
Sink holes force China highway closure

BEIJING, 5 Sept—Chinese authorities Monday closed a highway in eastern Jiangxi Province after two sink holes appeared on a slope nearby. China Daily quoted local reports that one of the holes, 10 metres (about 33 feet) wide and deep, appeared on a slope of the Shanghai-Kunming Highway. Details about the other one were not available.

The newspaper said roads through Yichun to Pingxiang, two cities in the Province, also were closed.

About 200 villagers near the highway escaped after the sink holes appeared, but no injuries had been reported. Several houses in the area had collapsed, China Daily said. An underground river was discovered in 2002 during the construction of the highway, the newspaper said.

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Drivers prepare to drive the electric taxis in Haikou, capital of south China’s Hainan Province, on 4 Sept, 2011. Haikou held a ceremony on Sunday to put a batch of eco-bus and eco-taxi into use. The batch includes 30 electric buses, 170 hybrid-electric buses and 27 electric taxis. Haikou planned to increase the number of eco-cars to 1,050 by 2012.—Xinhua

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Researchers from the Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH) found that children who have higher rates of respiratory illnesses that can be caused by second-hand smoke.

They analyzed data from the 2005 National Health Interview Survey that tracked, among other things, how many days of school children aged 6 to 11 missed and the reason for their absence.

Of the 3.087 children, more than 14 percent lived in a home with at least one person who smoked in the house. They found children living with one or more smokers in the home missed one to two more days of school per year on average, than those who lived with non-smokers.

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London, 5 Sept—Children should be screened for anxiety disorders to prevent them developing severe mental problems in later life, it has been claimed. Treating anxiety early would be the single most effective way of reducing the burden of mental disorders — one of the most common causes of disability in the developed world, according to Professor Hans Ulrich Witten, lead author of a study of the state of Europe’s mental health.

It is estimated that 38.2pc — 165 million people — of people in Europe suffers from a mental disorder and that anxiety is the commonest. All age groups are affected but some conditions, such as eating disorders, are more prevalent among the young and others, such as dementia, commoner in the elderly.

Barbara Palmauff smiles at the award ceremony after winning the Miss Pole dancing Hungary 2011 competition in Budapest, capital of Hungary, on 4 Sept, 2011 — XINHUA

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British researchers say their study of 18 mummies indicates ancient Egyptians used fat-based products as hair-styling gel.

The University of Manchester researchers, who published their findings 16 Aug in the Journal of Archaeological Science, said hair samples collected from the mummies were examined under a microscope and the team found the hair had been treated with a substance made from plant and animal fatty acids, Livescience.com reported Tuesday. The researchers said they believe the substance was used as hair-styling gel by the ancient Egyptians and the embalmers sought to retain the hairstyles the mummies wore in life.

“Personal appearance was important to the ancient Egyptians so much so that in cases where the hair was styled, the embalming process was adapted to preserve the hairstyle,” the team wrote.

“This further ensured that the deceased’s individuality was retained in death, as it had been in life, and emphasizes the importance of the hair in ancient Egyptian society.”

Record set for largest kammouneh serving

A group of Lebanese set the world record for the largest serving of kammouneh, a Lebanese national dish, the group says. Officials from Guinness World Records were present in Bint Jbeil, Lebanon, Saturday to confirm the record, The (Beirut) Daily-Star reported.

Sixty men and women participated in preparing the kammouneh dish, which measured nearly 10 feet in diameter and weighed over half a ton.

Preparers used 551 pounds of tomatoes, 33 pounds of bulgur, 26 gallons of olive oil, as well as a 44 pound mixture of mint, salt, pepper and salad seasoning. The event drew crowds from surrounding areas, as well as local Parliament member Ali Bazzi, heads of municipalities and representatives from the UN Development Programme. Lebanon also holds Guinness records for largest flag draped and largest serving of hummus, both scored in 2010.

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The site of the famed IndyCar oval race has hosted

MotoGP races every year starting in 2008 after a split

with Formula One, which staged US Grand Prix races at Indy from 2000 through 2007, five of them won by

Michael Schumacher. Speedway and MotoGP offi-

cials announced the fifth annual Indianapolis MotoGP

Grand Prix would be staged 17-19 August , 2012.

Australia’s Casey Stoner, the MotoGP season points

leader, won this year’s event last weekend. “We’re

happy to welcome back the exciting action and colorful,

daring riders of MotoGP,” Speedway president Jeff

Belskus said.— Internet

China sweeps Minglin Cup
cycling race titles

HARBIN, 5 Sept — Chinese on Sunday claimed both

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Rain postpones NASCAR Atlanta race until Tuesday

HAMPTON, 5 Sept.—With the remnants of

Tropical Storm Lee bearing down on

Georgia, NASCAR postponed its race at

Atlanta Motor Speedway until 11 am on

Tuesday. Officials hoped to get the race in

as scheduled Sunday night, but outer

bands of the massive storm brought light

rain to the track late in the afternoon.

Another burst of heavy showers ended

any chance of beginning the race before

midnight. “This is one of those deals

nobody wins from,” NASCAR president

Mike Helton said. “It’s unfortunate it

happens from time to time.”

Many of the pre-race festivities went on

as scheduled, including driver intro-

ductions, the national anthem and a con-

cert by Lynyrd Skynyrd. Blowers were

sent out shortly after the scheduled 7:30

pm start time, and NASCAR thought

there was about a three-hour window to

get in at least a shortened race. Then,

with the track nearly dry, a short but

heavy dose of rain moved in about 9:30

pm. It didn’t even show up on the radar.

Internet

Lynyrd Skynyrd performs before the

NASCAR Atlanta Sprint Cup

Advocare 500 auto race, on 4 Sept,

2011, at the Atlanta Motor Speed-

way, in Hampton, Ga.—Internet

American men enjoy success at US Open

NEW YORK, 5 Sept.—Amid much moaning in

US media about the state of the nation’s tennis prou-

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Internet

Del Potro’s US Open return
ends at third hurdle

NEW YORK, 5 Sept.—Juan Martin Del Potro saw

his nine-match US Open winning streak come to an

end as the 2009 champion fell 4-6, 7-6, 6-2, 0-6

to France’s Gilles Simon in the third round on Saturday

at Flushing Meadows. Del Potro, who beat Rafa

Nadal and Roger Federer on his way to his first grand

slam title at the National Tennis centre, missed last year’s

championship following wrist surgery. The

18th-seeded Argentine has made an encouraging

comeback from the injury this year with titles at

Delray Beach and Estoril, but was not quite at full

force.— Internet

Revenge on Murray’s mind
after reaching last 16

NEW YORK, 5 Sept.—Britain’s Andy Murray, de-

termined to have a short work night, won the first 14

points and rolled to a 6-1, 6-2, 2-0 victory Sunday over

Feliciano Lopez of Spain in the third round of the US

Open. The fourth-seeded Murray, a three-time grand

slam finalist gunning for his first major title, was never

broken as he took less than two hours to improve his record against the Spaniard to 6-0.

Internet

Meireles: I did not move for money

LONDON, 5 Sept—Midfielder Raul Meireles

insists he did not leave

Liverpool for Chelsea be-

cause of financial reasons.

The Portuguese

midfielder was a surprise

departure from Anfield in

the closing stages of trans-

fer deadline day. Meireles

handed in a transfer re-

quest prior to sealing his

move to Stamford Bridge

just before the close of the

transfer window.

The 28-year-old found

himself down the pecking

order at Liverpool at the

start of the season, but he

is adamant his move to

Stamford Bridge had

nothing to do with money.

“These are things that

happen in football. I can

only say good things about

Liverpool, it was a fantas-

tic year,” Meireles said.

“People think I am a juda-

ist and that it was because

of the money. It was not

because of that, I will ex-

plain it later, things are

still fresh. “It all happened

very fast. I am not the only

one to blame for my exit

from Liverpool, but I will

never stop loving the club

and I have great friends

there.”—Internet

Nadal collapses after win
at scorching US Open

NEW YORK, 5 Sept.—Rafa Nadal sent shockwaves

through the US Open on Sunday when he collapsed

during his post-match news conference because of

severe cramping in his leg as the first week of the
tournament ended in dramatic fashion. The scorch-

ing conditions have been a key factor in the 18

retirements so far at the final major of the season,

and for a brief moment it appeared the defending

men’s champion would join them in an event that

has become a survival of the fittest.— Internet

Mardy Fish celebrates after defeating Kevin

Anderson of South

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**Weather Map of Myanmar and Neighbouring Areas**

**Floods kill 136 in Pakistan**

**Karachi, 5 Sept—**

A Pakistani relief official says monsoon rains have killed 136 people in the south of the country and flooded hundreds of thousand of rice, cotton and sugarcane crops.

Sajjad Hayder Shah said Monday 90 of the victims had been killed over the last week, many when their houses collapsed.

Last year, southern Pakistan was hardest hit by massive floods that swamped much of the country, killing 2,000 people.

Shah says Pakistani soldiers were helping distribute food and other emergency supplies to hardest hit areas. The rains began in early 12 Aug and have affected some 170,000 acres of agricultural land. Monsoon season in Pakistan usually lasts until the middle of September, after which winter begins.—Internet

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- **Coconut Rice**

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* News

**Overseas Transmission**

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- **News**
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* Lacquerware Museum
* News
* Sky Net Welcome Champions League 2011
* News
* Bagan: The Land of Pagoda
* News
* Music Gallery
* Traditional Meritorious Deeds Ceremony (Pindaya Region)
* Myanmar Movies “Loud Speaker”

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Myint, Speaker of Pyithu

Hluttaw U Khin Aung

Speaker of Pyidaungsu

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continued for the second

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Pyidaungsu Hluttaw

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Speaker of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw U Khin Aung Myint attends second
day second regular session of first Pyidaungsu Hluttaw.—MNA

Nav Pyi Taw, 5 Sept—The government of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar issued announcement No. 1/2011 on peace talks dated 18-8-2011 and invited all national race armed groups with the aim of building national consolidation for development of the State.

At a rally organized by KIA in Laiza on 27-8-2011, the local people firmly showed their sentiment to peacefully join hands with the government by avoiding military means. Likewise, a similar rally was held in Myitkyina of Kachin State. The local people unanimously showed their sentiment that Kachin State is home to various national races; and they are willing to strive for joining hands with the Union government to undertake development tasks and promote peace and stability in the state.

While aspiration for emergence of genuine peace was flourishing among the national people in the state, a meeting was held at the KIA Headquarters in Laiza at 1 pm on 1 September and the participants discussed raising attacks against Tatmadaw columns through guerilla tactic. It was attended by Chief of Staff Gan Shaung of KIA, Deputy Chief of Staff Gwam Maw, those at levels of brigade commanders and commanding officers, and veterans of KIA. At the meeting, a gun fire broke out between KIA (Kachin) veteran group and warmonger KIA leaders. The incident left one dead and one KIA leader injured.

Local national races in Kachin State wish KIO/KIA to return to the legal fold to cooperate with the local people for serving the interest of the state and the Union instead of committing mines attacks to destroy roads, bridges and towers of power lines in Kachin State, forced recruitment in villages with the use of arms to threaten the local people, collection of extortion money, undermining economic projects and exchanging gun fire among them.

MNA

First Pyidaungsu Hluttaw second regular session continues for second day

Five bills approved; ministry renamed; changing, forming or renaming village, village-tract, ward, town, township or district in self-administered divisions or zones put into record

Nav Pyi Taw, 5 Sept — The first Pyidaungsu Hluttaw second regular session continued for the second day at Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Hall of Hluttaw Building here this morning, attended by Speaker of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw U Khin Aung Myint, Speaker of Pyithu Hluttaw Thura U Shwe Mann and 597 Hluttaw representatives. Approving five bills submitted on 22 August, the first-day second regular session of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, renaming the ministry, putting into records the changing, forming or renaming the boundaries of village, village-tract, ward, town, township or district in self-administered divisions or zones were carried out at today’s Hluttaw session.

Regarding the bill of revoking Revenue Law, the chairman of Joint Bill Committee read out findings and remarks of the committee. On behalf of the Union Government, Union Minister for Finance and Revenue U Hla Tun submitted the proposal to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw to discuss the bill and the proposal to discuss the bill of revoking Revenue Law was approved as it won a unanimous support.

The Joint Bill Committee made a comment on the bill to be approved as the bill was scrutinized by the committee and there was no proposal to amend the bill submitted by Hluttaw representatives. So it was not necessary to seek the approval of Hluttaw for individual paragraphs of the bill. In seeking the approval of Hluttaw from paragraph 1 to paragraph 5 of the bill at a stroke, the proposal that from paragraph 1 to paragraph 5 of the bill should be part of the bill was approved as it won a unanimous support.

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A Hluttaw representative seconded the proposal submitted by the Union Minister for Finance and Revenue to the Hluttaw to approve the bill of revoking Revenue Law in accord with Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Rule-91, sub-rule (a). As the proposal to approve the bill of revoking Revenue Law won a unanimous support, the proposal was approved and the Hluttaw passed the bill.

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