

I will carry out the implementation of the priority goals of the Union Government which are as follows:

1. Rule of law and improvement of the socio-economic life of the people,
2. National Reconciliation and internal peace,
3. Amending the Constitution which is the foundation for building a Democratic Federal Republic.

(Excerpt from the speech by President U Win Myint at the ceremony to take oath of office at Pyidaungsu Hluttaw on 30th March 2018)

Let me solemnly thank all our friends at home and abroad, who have helped us and are still helping us; organizations, business entrepreneurs, people from academia and professionals, and especially our people who have supported and assisted us with understanding and empathy. Those who have helped us once, we should never forget. Those who have helped us again and again are our real friends; they bring fulfillment to our lives.

(Excerpt from the speech by State Counsellor Daw Aung San Suu Kyi on the 2nd Anniversary of NLD Government on 1st April 2018)

Press Release on Official Visit of State Counsellor Daw Aung San Suu Kyi to Kingdom of Cambodia

1. State Counsellor Daw Aung San Suu Kyi paid an official visit to the Kingdom of Cambodia from 29 April to 1 May 2019 at the invitation of Cambodian Prime Minister Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo HUN SEN, and arrived back Nay Pyi Taw on 1 May 2019.
2. The Myanmar delegation led by the State Counsellor arrived Phnom Penh International Airport via Kunming, People's Republic of China in the afternoon of 29 April 2019 and welcomed at the airport by Dr. Kantha Phavi, Minister for Women Affairs of Cambodia.
3. In the evening, the State Counsellor visited Myanmar Embassy in Phnom Penh and met with U Myint Soe, Myanmar Ambassador to Cambodia, staffs and family members of Myanmar Embassy and Defence Attache' Office at the Embassy and attended a dinner hosted by Myanmar Ambassador.
4. In the morning of 30 April 2019, the State Counsellor and party attended the Wreath Laying Ceremony at the Independence Monument. Then, the State Counsellor laid a wreath at the Monument of Preah Borom Ratanak Kaudh, the Late King-Father of Cambodia.
5. The State Counsellor and party proceeded to the Prime Minister's Office (Peace Palace) and attended the official welcoming ceremony by Prime Minister Samdech Akka Moha Sena

- Padei Techo HUN SEN, and held the bilateral meeting with Prime Minister Hun Sen. During the meeting, the two leaders discussed matters on a wide range of issues pertaining to promoting bilateral relations and cooperation, especially enhancing cooperation in the areas of trade and investment, education, culture and tourism, and expanding cooperation in the regional groupings including ASEAN and Ayeyawady-Chao Phraya-Mekong Economic Cooperation Strategy (ACMECS). They also exchanged views on regional and international issues and further strengthening cooperation at the international fora including at the United Nations and Non-Aligned Movement in accordance with the principles of the United Nations Charter and the Bandung principles.
6. The two leaders also discussed to jointly celebrate the 65th anniversary of diplomatic relations between the two countries in 2020 and to find ways in coordinating between the two sides to be able to sign Agreements on Promotion and Protection of Investment and Avoidance of Double Taxation, and to effectively implement signed Agreements including MoU on Cooperation in Education. They also discussed to exchange of scholarship and to coordinate between the two countries to find ways to link the tour arrangement for significant Buddhist cultural sites including Bagan and Ankor Wat. At the meeting, the State



State Counsellor Daw Aung San Suu Kyi meets with King of Cambodia His Majesty Norodom Sihamoni at the Cambodia King's Palace in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. **PHOTO: MNA**

- Counsellor expressed her appreciation to the Government of Cambodia for its contribution of US\$ 90,000 for the humanitarian assistance in Rakhine State. The State Counsellor extended an invitation to the Prime Minister of Cambodia to visit Myanmar at a mutually convenient time.
7. The State Counsellor also met with Samdech Akka Moha Ponhea Chakrei HENG SAMRIN, President of the National Assembly and Samdech Vibol Sena Pheakdey SAY Chhum, President of the Senate on separate occasions. They exchanged views on enhancing cooperation in sharing experiences between the two Parliaments, and promoting exchanges of delegation of the two Parliaments.
 8. After the meeting, the State Counsellor paid a royal audience on His Majesty Preah Bat Samdech Preah Boroneath NORODOM SIHAMONI, King of Cambodia at the Royal Palace. They discussed matters to enhance the existing friendly relations and cooperation, promoting people-to-people contact and cultural exchanges and the State Counsellor extended a cordial invitation to the King to visit Myanmar at a mutually convenient time. The State Counsellor also paid a royal audience on Her Majesty NORODOM MONINEATH SHIHANOUK, Queen Mother of Cambodia at the Royal Palace.
 9. In the afternoon, the State Counsellor attended the official dinner hosted by Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo HUN SEN, Prime Minister of Cambodia at the Peace Palace.
 10. In the morning of 1-5-2019, the State Counsellor and party departed from Phnom Penh to Siem Reap Province by Special Flight and toured around the Angkor Wat Temple and Bayon Temple in Siem Reap Province together with H.E. Mr. PRAK Sokhonn, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs. After that, the State Counsellor attended the Luncheon hosted by Mr. Tea Seiha, Governor of Siem Reap Province.
 11. The State Counsellor and party left Siem Reap on 1 May 2019 and arrived back Nay Pyi Taw by Special Flight in the evening.
 12. It was the State Counsellor's first visit to the Kingdom of Cambodia and she was accompanied by U Kyaw Tin, Union Minister for International Cooperation, U Aung Htoo, Deputy Minister for Commerce and responsible officials.

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State Counsellor Daw Aung San Suu Kyi holds a meeting with Cambodia Prime Minister Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. **PHOTO: MNA**

Union Minister Dr. Aung Thu attends opening ceremony of Bagan Luyechun Camp

AN opening ceremony of the Bagan Luyechun Vacation Camp was held at the Royal Emerald River View Resort Hotel, Bagan yesterday morning. First, the three Luyechun students (all-round outstanding students) cut the ceremonial ribbon for opening the archway of the camp.

In his opening speech at the event, Union Minister Dr. Aung Thu said that the first need for youth is to expand a range of knowledge and wisdom with self-efforts, and the fundamental points included straightforwardness, discipline and having due regards for others.

In addition to this, it was needed to possess rational and



Union Minister Dr. Aung Thu, officials and Luyechun students pose for a documentary photo in front of Bagan Luyechun Camp. **PHOTO: MIN MIN**

logical thinking skills besides acquiring intelligence while reading newspapers to keep abreast with the times.

Then Mandalay Region Minister for Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation Dr. Soe Than gave a welcome remark

and presented the brooches to the Luyechun Students in Grade 7. Next, Union Minister Dr. Aung Thu, ministers of the states and

regions, Hluttaw representatives, chair of the educational promotion committee, camp-in-charge officers, supervising teachers and Luyechun students posed for commemorative photographs together.

Following the opening ceremony, the Luyechun students paid a visit to the famous pagodas, including the Shwezigon, the Dhammayangyi, the Sulamani, the Thatbyinnyu, the Bu, the Katawpalin Temple, the Myazedi Stone Inscription and the Lawkananda pagodas.—Ko Min

(Translated by Win Ko Ko Aung)

UEHRD holds second coordination meeting for 2019

THE Union Enterprise for Humanitarian Assistance, Resettlement and Development in Rakhine (UEHRD) held its second coordination meeting with Task Forces for 2019 at the meeting hall of Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement on Tuesday.

Speaking at the meeting, UEHRD's Deputy Chairman Union Minister Dr. Win Myat Aye said he is going to make required confirmation in producers and financial policies related to the untaken tasks in the meeting.

Not only Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement but also the Red Cross provided humanitarian assistances, the Union Minister said.



Union Minister Dr. Win Myat Aye addresses the second coordination meeting of 2019 of the UEHRD at the Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement in Nay Pyi Taw. **PHOTO: MNA**

The humanitarian assistances were also delivered under the UEHRD-Youth Volunteers Program.

The tasks of UEHRD Committee and Committee for Implementation on the recommendations of the Advisory Commission

on Rakhine State are the works needed to be carried out together, he added. According to the inspection teams on Rakhine

issue including ASEAN-ERAT, the main factor for stability and development in Rakhine State is to solve the stagnant social economic problems in Rakhine, taking priority over social harmony.

The functions of ten tasks forces of the UEHRD Committee are very important for social economic development and long-term conflict free in Rakhine State, said the Union Minister acknowledging the successfully implemented works.

Afterwards, members of the UEHRD Committee discussed their respective sectors, followed by the Union Minister's conclusion speech.—MNA

(Translated by Kyaw Zin Tun)

Suspect behind Taunggyi homicide apprehended

THE suspected killer behind the murder of four people at the Myin Phyu Nha Kaung (Two White Horses) traditional medicine house in Taunggyi, Shan State, on 28 April was apprehended the next morning, according to Myanmar Police Force.

The man is identified as Tin Ohn (a) Aik Ohn and was arrested together with almost a viss (3.6 lbs) of gold jewellery and over K700,000 in his possession. **Crime scene**

On the day of the incident, Daw Aye Shwe, the owner of the traditional medicine house, was returning from a donation ceremony held at Kamma Htan monastery in Pinlone.

Upon reaching her house, Daw Aye Shwe discovered the deceased bodies of her son-in-

law Sai Say Mon, daughter Ma Nan Kham Hlaing, grandson Sai Pha Pha, and housemaid Ma Aye Moe in their home.

She also discovered that 15 gold jewellery and K4 million (about K155 million combined) were missing and opened a case at Taunggyi police station.

Police pursuit

Police received information from a law-abiding citizen that led to a search for the suspect. Coupled with evidence from the crime scene and successive investigations, police arrested suspect Tin Ohn at his home in Ahtet Myin Kwin village, Kyaukme Township, at 7am on 29 April.

Police from the Special Criminal Investigation department discovered a viss of gold jewellery and K720,000 in the

suspect's home yesterday that may be evidence of his involvement in the crime.

Motive for murder

Initial investigation reveals that Tin Ohn is a drug addict and cousin of Daw Aye Shwe, the owner of the traditional medicine house. Daw Shwe Aye's husband has passed away and they had no children of their own and so adopted one of Tin Ohn's sons from his first marriage.

That son is now married and living separately from Daw Aye Shwe. She is said to have adopted Ma Nam Kham Hlaing 20 years ago as well. Ma Nam Kham Hlaing lives with Daw Aye Shwe and leads the daily operations of the medicine store.

U Tin Ohn is said to have worried that his son would



U Tin Ohn (a) Aik Ohn

receive less inheritance and also about his own financial difficulties. This is said to have motivated him to team up with other unnamed suspects and mastermind the homicide.

The Myanmar Police Force is continuing investigations to apprehend the remaining suspects and recover the stolen items.—MNA

(Translated by Zaw Htet Oo)



The stolen gold jewellery and money from Myin Phyu Nha Kaung traditional medicine house. **PHOTO: MNA**