

Children's rights discussed in Amyotha Hluttaw

THE Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC) was held in the Amyotha Hluttaw building yesterday morning. Deputy Speaker U Aye Thar Aung of the Amyotha Hluttaw presided over the convention and gave the opening

speech. Daw Rupa Mya, U Soe Moe Oo and Daw Ni Ni Hla explained the purpose of the convention. They then responded to questions participants asked about the CRC. —Myanmar News Agency ■



Deputy Speaker U Aye Thar Aung speaks at the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC). **PHOTO: MNA**



Protestors take to the streets to protest against the deadly attack on the Chakma ethnic tribe in Chittagaung hilly areas. **PHOTO YE HTUT**

Chakma ethnic tribe protests against recent deadly attack

THE RAKHINE and Chakma ethnic community in Maungdaw staged a protest outside the office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees in Maungdaw yesterday against a deadly attack in early June on the Chakma ethnic tribe living in Chittagaung hilly areas in Bangladesh.

With permission from au-

thorities, about 300 people took to the streets and gathered outside the office of UNHCR, chanting slogans and holding placards.

The Chakma ethnic tribe held a religious ceremony at Laungchaung Village in Buthidaung Township on 10th June to pray for those who were killed in the violent attack.—Min Thit (MNA), Aung Kyaw Sein (IPRD) ■

Repairs underway on Sittway-Yangon highway as flood recedes

AS FLOOD waters recede, the Rakhine State Government began roadwork on Sittway-Yangon Road, which was damaged by floods caused by the recent heavy rains.

The Rakhine State Minister for Transportation said the main problem was that the flooding happened on the road and water levels reach over two feet. Some of the hillsides along the highway was eroded by the rain, but the Rakhine State Department for Roads said they are using backhoes to solve the problem.

"As soon as the flood recedes, workers carry out roadworks so that the traffic can return to normal as soon as possible," said the minister. U Hla Shwe from Rakhine Road Building Team-16 said that while the road was drivable, a part of the road along milestone 28 that connects An to Sittway was broken off.

He and his team are working to prevent water from entering

the road. Small to medium-sized vehicles are allowed to pass the road, but larger vehicles are still not permitted to travel along the highway. They will be allowed to drive along the road once the water level descends and areas of the highway are repaired again.

Heavy rains in Rakhine on 12 June caused floods on the Sittway-Yangon Highway and resulted in flooding of roads in 12 areas between An and Kazookine village, said the Minister for Transportation. —Min Thit (MNA) ■



Backhoes are used to fill in parts of the Sittway-Yangon highway that have eroded due to flooding from heavy rains. **PHOTO: YE HTUT**

Republic of the Union of Myanmar President's Office Order 14/2017

5th Waning of Nayon, 1379 ME
14 June, 2017

Appointment of memberships of Union Election Commission

The following persons are appointed as the memberships of the Union Election Commission, in accordance with the sub section (a) under Article 398 of the Constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar and sub-section 8 under the Section 16 (b) of Union Government Law and Section 3 of Union Election Commission Law.

- (1) U Myint Naing
- (2) U Than Htay

Sd/ Htin Kyaw
President
Republic of the Union of Myanmar

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5th Waning of Nayon, 1379 ME
14 June, 2017

Appointment of Union Supreme Court Judges

The following persons are appointed as Union Supreme Court Judges, in accordance with the sub section (b) under Article 299 of the Constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar and sub-section 6 under the Section 16 (b) of Union Government Law and Section 25 of Union Judiciary Law.

- (1) U Mya Han
- (2) U Myo Tint
- (3) U Soe Naing
- (4) U Khin Maung Kyi

Sd/ Htin Kyaw
President
Republic of the Union of Myanmar

Flood Warning

According to the 10:30am M.S.T observation yesterday, the water level of Kalaten (Kispanadi) River at Kyawktaw is observed as about 2½ feet below its danger level. It may reach its danger level during the next day.

According to the 10:30am M.S.T observation yesterday, the water level of Laymyo River at MraukU is observed as about four feet below its danger level. It may reach its danger level during the next two days. People who settle near the river bank and low lying areas in Kyauktaw and MraukU Townships are advised to take precautions.—MNA ■

Search continues for plane crash victims

THE body of a man near Mayingyi Village in the Taninthayi Region was found yesterday, bringing the total number of bodies from the 7 June crash of a military transport plane to 87.

As the search for passengers enters its second week, military forces on land, sea and air and local volunteers in fishing boats continued their efforts that they hope will result in the discovery of possible survivors. The most recent body recovered was found during a search along the Maungmagan-Mayingyi coast in the Taninthayi Region yesterday morning.

The body of the man was brought to Dawei Military Hospital for identification. Remaining family members



Navy ships search the coast of the Andaman sea looking for the missing passengers of the Y-8 plane that crashed on 7 June. PHOTO: MNA

were notified. Twenty-three bodies were also given proper burials yesterday, said the Office of the Commander-in-Chief.

The Chinese-made Y-8-200F transport plane crashed into the sea last Wednesday carrying 122 soldiers, family members and crew on a week-

ly flight from several coastal towns to Yangon. The cause of the incident has yet to be confirmed.—Myanmar News Agency ■

Three suspects arrested in Maungtaw Township

THREE men found on Taungpyo-Kyeinchaung Road in Maungtaw Township, were arrested on suspicion of illegal immigration on Tuesday.

Acting on a tip-off, local security forces found three

suspects including Ahmad Dullah from TularTuli Village in Maungtaw Township. The three suspects have been charged with breaching the Immigration Law.—Myanmar News Agency ■

School sport activities planned to be promoted in current AY

SPORT activities in basic education schools will be promoted in the current academic year to improve the physical, emotional and social well-being of students, according to a report in the Myawady Daily on Wednesday.

Dr Myint Htwe, Union Minister for Health and Sports, said that a plan is underway to promote cooperation with the Ministry of Education to resume the December school sport fes-

tival, which was stopped in 2000. The role of sports at basic education schools has been on the decline in the country for years.

Students should receive sports training at least once a week, the Union minister said.

It is difficult to build a football ground at every basic education school. However, students can play basketball, volleyball, tennis and other sports, he added. —GNLM ■

Plans underway to establish more fish ponds across Maungtaw Township

PLANS are underway to develop numerous fish ponds in over 90 villages in Maungtaw Township, Rakhine State, to solve a food shortage problem, particularly fish and meat, and create more job opportunities for residents, according to a report in the Myawady Daily on Wednesday.

Dr Nyunt Wai from the Rakhine State Fisheries Department said that the

state fisheries authorities are arranging to construct an acre of fish pond per village to produce freshwater fish for local consumption, targeting 95 villages.

Fish pond construction costs are estimated to reach Ks7.5 million per acre. The aforementioned department said that it welcomes monetary assistance from the state government and international

bodies to successfully implement the project. Being a border town, Maungtaw may become a developed area as well as a potential source of receiving foreign currency for the country. The local populace will have many employment opportunities if investments can be made in sectors including transportation, electricity, fishery and agriculture.—GNLM ■

Yangon prepares new penalties for illegal dumping

YANGON'S 33 townships produced nearly 3,000 tons of daily garbage in the rainy season, according to figures from Yangon City Development Committee (YCDC) published in Myawady newspaper. Yangon produced nearly 2,000 tons of daily garbage before rainy season, but due to the rains, the daily weight has increased to 3,000 tons.

Hlaingthaya Township produced the most tonnage with over 154 tons daily. Thingangyun Township had the second most garbage wasted with over 133 tons daily and North Okkalapa Township was third with over 130 tons daily. The Pollution Control and Cleaning Department of the Yangon City Development Committee (YCDC) is trying to reduce the weight of the garbage in Yangon

by forming the inspection teams to prevent illegal dumping. Previously, YCDC could only file lawsuits at township court against illegal dumpers, but penalties were seldom meted. Under a forthcoming YCDC regulation, the body will directly impose penalties against illegal dumpers of between Ks 10,000 and Ks 500,000 or one year in jail.—200 ■

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Open tenders are invited for supply of the following respective items in US Dollars/Myanmar Kyats.

Sr.No	Tender No	Description	Remark
(1)	IFB-001(17-18)	Fuel Bowser (2800 Gal Capacity) (1) Unit	USD
(2)	DMP/L-016(17-18)	Spares of ZJ-70L Drawwork Disc Brake (14) Items	Ks
(3)	DMP/L-017(17-18)	Assorted Sizes of Tyres (11) Items	Ks
(4)	DMP/L-018(17-18)	Assorted Sizes of Battery (6) Items	Ks
(5)	DMP/L-019(17-18)	Spares for Driller Control Equipments, Weight Indicators & Pressure Parts (1) Lot	Ks
(6)	DMP/L-020(17-18)	API Class 'G' Cement (2,000) Tons	Ks
(7)	DMP/L-021(17-18)	Spares for Yanmar Engine & Gear Box Ex River Craft (13) Items	Ks

Tender Closing Date & Time

- 13-7-2017, 16:30 Hr

Tender Document shall be available during office hours commencing from 15TH June, 2017 at the Finance Department , Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise, No (44) Complex, Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar.

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