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We, the Indians are not only Independent but also Fortunately Independent. And this fact needs no proof. We enjoy freedom of expression which allows us to articulate what we feel or believe. We are in a country which runs largest democracy in the world. We have been a nation of diversities and we respect that totally. We do not rate one class or religion or state higher than other. We simply treat each of us equally. This is why our country is abode to so many religions, languages, and states, since we do not have any inveterate attitude so naturally and essentially are indian. People find it difficult to even live harmoniously with people of other religion elsewhere in world and we here not just live peacefully but we also celebrate festivals of all religions. Everyday is a fest and this privilege is there in India only.

# **Editorial**

Despite all the diversities at home, when we move out, we are Indian and we take pride in it. We may hate our ministers or cricketers but when someone else talks dirty about them, we turn guards to our people.

Media and papers though keep crying foul that India has corruption, hunger, poverty but when you look at the entire picture, India is ahead of many countries. Despite all the issues we face on daily basis, our strength and power is world known. Our talent is taking the world forward and India's contribution for the growth in all doman is instrumental.

Its not that we have no problems, but also have strength. So while we need to sustain and grow with our strength, we need to work on problems too. And if you believe you can do nothing, you may need to look at the scenario again. Its only you who can make the difference. You just need to follow honesty in your day today work. Be polite and nice to others. Take pride in being Indian.

And one most important thing which has become trend of the day is putting all energy in demeaning the people we do not like. You may have reasons why you like someone but in order to make your leader better, you cannot ruin image of opposition person. It does not help your cause at all.

We need to learn positive ways to go forward. It will be very difficult to grow unless we relinquish all the negativity. So lets do these small things, project your energy to a positive task, and cultivate India into a Super Power. We have the potential and we must use that.

#### Water from Akodara Dam diverted to Pichola

Udaipur: Water Resources Department finally opened the gate of the main tunnel of Akodara Dam (Dewas-2) and diverted the water towards Pichola. After the completion of Dewas project, it was the first time that the water from Akodara dam had been diverted toward the lakes of Udaipur. Akodara Dam with 60 ft. filler capacity was only half feet empty wile opening the gate of the tunnel. Dam remains inward. As soon as the gates are opened, the water moved northward towards Pichola through 11.5 km long tunnel. Late at night the water reached Pichola through Sisarma River and Amarjok River. Awaiting the launch of the project, it was feared that the water may be over flown and go to Gujarat.

#### Biological Park could see a growth in lion family

Udaipur: Sajjangarh Biological Park could see a rise in the lion family this year. Asiatic lions Shyam and Mehak are being kept in the same enclosure these days. Shyam and Mehak are comfortable with each other. On Thursday, the tourists got enthralled after seeing the couple together. Chief Forest Conservator Rahul Bhatnagar informed that the lion couple was brought from Gir Forest, Gujarat and was kept separately for their safety reasons. Now, the couple is seen mingling with one another in the park and is kept together. It is expected that by keeping the lion couple together, there are possible chances of breeding which will be an achievement for the Park.

## **DPS students fill Patriotic Colors**

Udaipur: Delhi Public School, Udaipur presented programme. At the Celebration Mall to spread the message of patriotism. The students of class I presented a song dedicated to the bravery of those who laid down their lives for the sake of the country. The students of class V sung in chorus 'ae mere vartan k logo...' which was praised by all. The dance number on 'desh mera rangeela...' mesmerized the gathering. The Principal, Neeru Tandon and the Head Mistress, Animikha Roy were present.

### Hariyali Amavasya Fair organized at CPS

Udaipur: CPS, New Bhupalpura organized the Hariyali Amavasya Fair with the theme of Savan Utsav. The chief guest was Mayor Chandra Singh Kothari and Corporator Nana Lal Vaya. Students arranged various stalls and the color green was seen throughout the arena. The students, staff, teachers, principal and even the directors adorned color green in the attire. The fun-filled fair was organized by Management officials.

# Witty: Practical sessions in ICICI

Udaipur: Banks are the backbone of the economic system of a country. A developed financial system ensures authentic support to the economic structure of the country and the society. The students of Grade X and XI (Commerce) loved getting out of the classroom for a day and seeing more of what is behind the scenes in a bank! Students learnt about borrowing, lending, e-commerce, international banking and visualized various sections of the Banking System and various types of loans provided by the bank. This practical exposure may helpful to the students in the completion of their banking project as per CBSE

## **BN organized District Football Tournament**

Udaipur: Bhopal Nobles Sr. Sec. School organized 60th Inter School District Level Football Tournament Under 17-19 years from 8th Aug, 2015 to 12th Aug, 2015. Eighteen teams from various school participated in the tournament. The final match was played between The Study Sr. Sec. School and St. Paul's Sr. Sec. School. The match was won by The Study Sr. Sec. School by penalty goal. Aaron Harry of The Study Sr. Sec. School was awarded with golden shoes as he won the player of the tournament. Players of the team were- Aaron Harry (Captain), Haroon Afroz, Lavish Jain, Piyush Kalra, Ali Taha Fateh, Jaswant Kumar Meghwal, Praveen Singh Rathore, Gaurav Purohit, Tushar Katiyar, Tanish Waghmare, Devendra Singh Chouhan, Naman Kothari, Vishal Paliwal, Mohammed Tin Wala, Manish Chandwani, Jayesh Jagetia and Paritosh Verma.

#### The Junior Study students celebrate Independence Day

Udaipur: Independence Day in India is observed on 15th of August every year from 1947 a day before. India is a country where millions of people live together, whether they belong to various religions, cultures or traditions, and celebrate this special occasion with great joy. Students and teachers came together to celebrate the Independence Day by unfurling the National Flag and singing the National Anthem. The students had also prepared speeches, poems, dances

## Udaipur boy makes the country proud

Udaipur: 21-year-old Pradeep Veda, who belongs to a small village, has been declared the winner of 'Hair Dressing' Skill in World Skills India in 2015. Pradeep has now joined the list of those young people who will represent India at the World Skills International to be held in São Paulo, Brazil. The competition has commenced from August 11 and the results will be announced on August 16. Pradeep was born in a small village of Udaipur, Dewali. Inspired by his father, a barber by profession, Pradeep chose hair dressing as his own profession. To improve his skills, he received training from Udaipur's Prabhat Spa and Salon

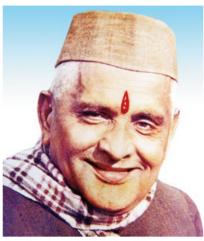
# Pdt.Janardan Rai Nagar : Remembering a Rishi

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India is a nation that has always kept knowledge as supreme. Today we might name western philosophers like Foucault or Derrida as ones who talk of the power of knowledge but the history of India has shown that emperors have many a time abandoned their thrones in the pursuit of knowledge. It was well established that knowledge was the basis of ultimate happiness of man. The famous couplet in Sanskrit talks of knowledge as the source of humility which in turn makes people deserving leading to their ability to earn money. The money so earned enables them to practice religion which, the couplet says. is real happiness. The sources of knowledge were the learned and enlightened people who withdrew from the routine life of earning and spending and devoted their lives, time and energy exclusively to the pursuit of knowledge. Such people were Rishis who were treated with utmost respect in the society.

Pdt.Nagar was a Rishi in this sense. Though he did not abandon the worldly affairs altogether, yet he sacrificed the opportunity of his personal growth as a politician and also to some extent his place in the literary world for the sake of empowerment of the people through education. Having had an opportunity to get education in one of the premier institutions of the country namely Banaras Hindu University, he thought it his prime duty to impart education to the people who did not have access to it. Born on 16 June 1911 in the historic city of Udaipur, capital of the erstwhile princely state of Mewar, Pdt. Nagar was very much influenced by his mother Vijayalakshmi ( Vijaya Maa) who was a bold, courageous, progressive and fearless lady with revolutionary ideas. She was a freedom fighter who contributed significantly to the rise of the spirit of liberation in the women of Mewar, His father Pdt, Pran Lal Ji occupied an important portfolio in the court of

The movement of independence was at its peak. People were courting arrest. were participating in turbulent activities and



building up collective resistance against the colonial rule. It was natural for a young man to be attracted towards such activities. Pdt.Nagar did participate in such activities through his writing, spreading awareness and conveying messages. But more than anything else his heart was into educating the masses and thus enabling them to participate in the national main-

Like an enlightened Rishi he had the capacity to look into future and build up the future of India, through a more sustained activity. Pdt. Nagar had a family to support. His children had to be educated and looked after but he chose to cater to a larger family of his countrymen. Like a Rishi he abandoned these private pleasures and concerns and devoted himself to the public good.

He created a huge pool of knowledge in the form of his poems, short stories and the epic novel Shankaracarya. Patit Ka Swarg, Uda Hatyara, Acarya Chanakya, Vaivasta Manu and Amritam Gamayah are the plays composed by him. He wrote more than two hundred stories. Two Collections of his stories namely Janardan Rai Nagar Ki Kahaniyan , part I and Part II are published by Rajasthan Sahitya Akademi. These stories had been earlier published in the magazines of national repute. His books Shala mein Balak Ghar Mein Balak and Prathmik-Madhyamik Shiksha Yojana are

precious works containing his novel thoughts about education.'Ek Shant Alok Mein Prasanna'( A collection of prosaic poems) and 'Swapna Ka Sangharsha( Autobiographical work) are great works of literature. His novel Jagatguru Shankeracarya published in ten parts consisting of five thousand pages and another work RamRajya are immensely useful treasure of Hindi Literature. The genre of prose-songs was his creation.Pdt.Nagar had firm faith in the power of word-the Shabda Brahma. He knew that words have the power to transform. He utilized this power in his writing as well as his speeches.

The main area of interest in his writings was philosophy. Pdt.Nagar was a great scholar of Adwaitwad as enunciated by Shankaracarya. He believed in the enlightenment of the self which he described as Chaitanya. To him the success of an individual's life was in elevating his Chaitanya. The personality of Pdt. Nagar with snow-white khadi apparel and ever bright Countenance had the aura of a Rishi.It is a refreshing experience to recall the memory of such a personality and to think that one had an occasion to spend some time under his brilliant canopy

A Rishi is passionately devoted to his objectives to an extent that he becomes oblivious of his surroundings. He assumes a stance of trance and single-mindedly concentrates on the objectives he lays down for himself. For attaining these objectives he can sacrifice his personal happiness. Pdt. Nagar decided that he would work for social transformation through education. He went to remote areas of south Rajasthan amidst tribes and started institutions for educating them at a time when there was no transport available. He even went on horseback to visit such places. Very small villages like Looron Ka Fala and Badrana in Jhadol tehsil were developed as centers of education. Hostels for children whose parents were too poor to provide for them or those children who had lost their parents were opened in villages like Kanpur, Teedi, Sakroda, Bedla, and Nai. A college run in evenings was started to cater to the working class people. It was not easily accepted by the people in power in the field of higher education. They wondered how higher education could be imparted in an evening college. Amidst such criticism Pdt. Nagar remained unperturbed and undaunted like a Rishi who remains in a state of equanimity in conditions favourable as well as unfavourable.

Pdt.Nagar was a visionary. He knew what shape the institution will take in future. As back as 1948 he had conceived of Rajasthan Vidyapeeth as a university and had started using Vishwa Vidyapeeth as the nomenclature of the institution. It took another forty years for the institution to attain the status of a university. With its own printing press, agriculture farm, dairy farm, colleges, schools, vigyan mandir, community centers, newspaper, media center, cooperative store, dispensary, cafetaria and mobile library the institution was a commune in itself. This comprehensive vision is not possible in any ordinary individual. This great genius said adieu to this world on 15 August, 1997 in Udaipur at the age of 88years.

Today, there is a deemed to be University in his name. His vision of creating a University after the model of Banaras Hindu University which he had seen from close quarters, has been realized. But much needs to be done to make it a University of National repute. Efforts have been made but the University has not seen a person of his vision and dedication. The recent years, the University has passed through a rough time facing so many internal and external challenges caused by the policy of the state as well as the myopic vision of its administrators. Pdt. Nagar wanted it to be a People's University catering to the poorest of the poor. He had started many projects in his life time which aimed at alleviating the life of the masses but those very projects are either abandoned or have been neglected. Remembering on his death anniversary, one can only hope that his vision and mission will be taken to its logical conclusion by those who bear his legacy.

# Need to retain meritorious students and improve research: President

Throughout the nation, 600 institutes participated in the video conference addressed by the Hon'ble president to the students & faculty of institutes of higher learning. In his speech to all the institutes and students. President started with expressing condolenceon the sudden demise of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, and shared how deeply the world of academia is thankful for his con-

One of the key areas of the address was emphasis on research in Indian institutes. It also touched upon the importance of ecosystem of nurturing entrepreneurship in institutes of higher learning and use of information technology infrastructure in disruptive innovations. Talking about rankings of Indian institutes president Mukherjee said "Out of rankings given for BRICS nations, IISC Bangalore has stood 5th position and it's important for universities to take the place in top 200 universities of the world". Research in Indian Universities is not improving which is evident in the number

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of researchers per million inhabitants. India has only 160 per million who are taking research as the career option, whereas Brazil has 720 and 364 in South Africa. Addressing this issue he said "The ecosystem for cutting edge research is missing in many universities in India". The research culture at all levels needs to be developed which shall also complement the economy related activities such as Make in India. Partnerships with international institutions for faculty, academic resources and pedagogy

should be established. Incubation centers, collaboration with alumni should be made at all higher level institutes to retain meritorious students within the nation.

The conference also involved Rahul Pandit from IISc Bangalore, Swarnendu Kumar Chakraborty from NIT. Arunachal Pradesh and a research student, Priyanka Dogra from IISER Mohali presenting to the president about the approach and achievements in research both in academia and sciences. The conference concluded with the vote of thanks by Prof. Girish Chandra Tripathi, Vice Chancellor Banaras Hindu University. Students and faculty from IIM Udaipur have been part of this conference. President Mukherjee hopes to conduct such conferences at least once a month, to lift the education system of India to a global level. Hon'ble President ended this conference by asking the IITs to act as a knowledge partner for other institutions, and utilize their expertise which they have developed

# Double storey Floating Marina Houseboat will run in Jaisamand

Udaipur: The operation of Floating Marina houseboat on Jaisamand Lake is being prepared. The tourists will be able to enjoy the serene water and intense mountains by taking a ride of the double storev houseboat. Deputy Director of the Department of Tourism, Sumita Saroch said that in collaboration with Government of India the embodiment houseboat under the scheme meeting in artificial lake bottomless hydrographic, the tourists will witness the scenic view of the largest artificial lake. District Collector Rohit Gupta has taken steps to ensure innovative eas are initiated in this regard.

# **Double Storey**

**House Boat** Floating Marina is a type double story house boat which is fully AC. The top will remain opened. 50 tourists will be able to sit at a time. 50 tourists will be able to sit in the bottom section as well. The tourists will be able to enjoy traditional dance and music along with food during boating. The Deputy Director of Tourism said that the DPR is being prepared. NOC is received from the Department of Irrigation. Consultant's report is being prepared based on the DPR.

#### WIS students participate in Gardening Activity

Udaipur: The toddlers of Nursery at WIS, Udaipur very enthusiastically participated in the Gardening activity held in school premises. They also went for a nature walk where they discovered many rain creatures and enjoyed the activity

# From gardens to sewerage, 285 million in funding will be provided

**Udaipur**: Hindustan Zinchas come forward to make Udaipur a Smart City with Sewerage Treatment Plant. Under this project, city's 100 per cent domestic sewerage's treatment is planned. Between the State Government for approval zinc management is being pursued. Soon will be the final decision.

Hindustan Zinc Head-Corporate Communication Pawan Kaushik said with the government before the private-public partnership with a capacity of 20 million tons per day sewage treatment plant was installed, of which 30 per cent of Udaipur is sewage

The project is to cost Rs 170 crore. Udaipur is a daily 70 million tonnes of sewage. Clean India campaign under the new plan will increase the zinc plant's current management and will install a new plant in the future.

Udaipur: In the next five years, the city will see a network of sewerage, to develop the city transport, drinking water arrangements to strengthen the funds will drop 285 crore. RUIDP Phase 3 of the project Rs 120 crore and Rs 165 crore, a massive amount of nectar plan to be phased develop-

RUIDP Phase 3 is approved by the state government on the plan nectar churned for two days running in Jaipur to Udaipur under the approved budget of 165 crores. Home Minister Gulab Chand Kataria said that, in RUIDP Phase 1, Sewagram bridge was made. In the second phase, the road in front of MB hospital was formed. In the third phase, city's effluent from the sewerage will be carried out through

Not only this, a new sewerage line will be laid in Ayad River and all the sewers from homes will be released there. On the other hand, the Indian government plans to close 165 crore Amrut Yojana meet in five years. This amount will be properly planned development. Which way would spend this amount is also decided by the central government. The large amount of Rs 100 crore will be the cost for sewerage system.

#### Expenditure on Amrit Yojana

Sewerage: Amrita Yojana has allocated Rs 100 crore. The city's sewerage system will be developed in the areas of new habitation. Potable Drinking Water: Drinking water supplied from house to house, a great amount of work will be done here. The new areas will be created in the water pipeline and tank. Where water tanks are needed, it would be complete. Currently over 115 liters per day water supply is a connection. 135 liters per connection met with better management, will be managing it.

City Transport: For better city transport system a budget of 25 million has been fixed. The city will work to introduce better transport facilities. Sidewalks, bike path will be built. Over-bridge and underbridge are also being made under the budget.Parks: To transform the parks to make them beautiful, a budget of 5 crores has been fixed. In this project, the city's protected parks will be made greener and children's recreational facilities will be provided to mod-

#### The bicycles with GPS feature begin from September in Lake City

Udaipur. Tourists from September onwards will be able to rent bicycles, which also will show them the way. GPS will guide them. The expenditure of these bicycles is Rs 55,000, for which the tourists will be charged Rs 10 per hour.

Under the self-government to the promotion of non-motor transport vehicle department will start. In the first phase, 2,000 bicycles will be available four cities including Udaipur. These bicycles will be made available in Udaipur's bus stands, railway stations, large parks, scenic spots, squares and main markets. The bicycle could be taken from any stand and deposited at any stand. The government has given

this task to a bicycle company. RTO Dr. ML Rawat points out that it's an important step towards promoting nonmotor transport vehicles. With this, not only the tourists, but residents will also get a chance to go on the attractive bicycle ride. Apart from environment, it would be important in terms of health as well. Under this plan, Udaipur, Jaipur, Kota and Aimer have been included.



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