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International

INS Sunayna entered port Of Dar-Es-Salaam in Tanzania.

INS Sunayna, designated as Indian Ocean Ship-IOS SAGAR ship, entered the Port of Dar-es-Salaam in Tanzania.

The ship had sailed from Karwar, Goa, with 44 naval personnel from nine Friendly Foreign nations (FFN) of the Indian Ocean Region, embarked as part of the ship's crew.

The FFN include Comoros, Kenya, Madagascar, Maldives, Mauritius, Mozambique, Seychelles, Sri Lanka and South Africa.

AUSSOM pledges to work closely with Somali govt to strengthen stabilisation efforts.

The African Union Support and Stabilisation Mission in Somalia (AUSSOM) pledged to work closely with the Somali government to strengthen stabilisation efforts.

The acting Head of AUSSOM, Sivuyile Bam affirmed AUSSOM's commitment to working closely with the Somali government and the SNA to protect civilians, safeguard major supply routes, and liberate areas under the control of al Shabab militants.

Baisabi celebration begins in Chittagong hill tracts of Bangladesh.

The Chittagong Hill Tracts (CHT) of Bangladesh is celebrating a three-day long Baisabi festival, the largest religious and social celebration of the indigenous communities. Baisabi, the new year festival of the indigenous communities of the hill districts of Rangamati, Khagrachari and Bandarban, officially began yesterday with the offering of flowers to Ganga Devi on the Kaptai Lake in Rangamati, and other water bodies elsewhere.

The name Baisabi is a blend of three different festivals celebrated by three largest indigenous communities in the CHT-Baisuk observed by the Tripura people, Sangria by the Marma and Biju by the Chakma people.

Global Justice, Love & Peace Summit opens in Dubai.

The Global Justice, Love and Peace Summit opened today at Expo City Dubai, marking what organizers describe as the world's largest peace conference.

The two-day event, themed "One Planet, One Voice: Global Justice, Love and Peace," began with a series of high-level panel discussions and keynote speeches addressing some of the most pressing challenges facing the world today.

US orders foreign nationals to register under Alien Act or face arrest, deportation

In the United States, the White House has announced that all foreign nationals residing in the country for over 30 days must register with the federal government or face strict penalties, including fines, imprisonment, and deportation.

Under the new rule, foreign nationals, including visa holders and legal permanent residents must carry proof of registration at all times. The regulation applies to individuals staying in the US for more than 30 days and includes newly arrived foreign nationals, who must register within a month of entry if they lack valid documentation.

National

Justice Arun Palli appointed Chief Justice of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh High Court.

The Central Government notified the appointment of Justice Arun Palli as the Chief Justice of the High Court of Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh.

The Hon'ble President of India, after consultation with the Hon'ble Chief Justice of India, appointed Justice Arun Palli, Judge, High Court of Punjab and



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Haryana as Chief Justice of the High Court of Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh with effect from the date he assumes charge of his office.

Supreme Court sets 3-month deadline for President to decide on Bills referred by Governor

The Supreme Court has ruled that the President must decide on State Bills, reserved by Governors for Presidential assent, within three months. The Apex Court set aside Tamil Nadu Governor R.N. Ravi's decision to withhold assent to 10 pending Bills and, in the process, ruled that the President should also not take more than three months in arriving at a decision on Bills referred by Governors.

The Supreme Court has said it is not undermining the office of the Governor in fixing a timeline for their actions under Article 200, but they must act with due deference to the settled conventions of parliamentary democracy. Article 200 empowers the Governor to give assent to the Bills presented to him, withhold the assent, or reserve it for the consideration of the President.

Business and Economy

UK bans personal imports of meat and fairy from EU amid foot-and-mouth disease spread.

In the United Kingdom, the government has announced a ban on personal imports of meat and dairy products from all European Union (EU) countries as footand-mouth disease spreads across the continent.

Travellers entering the UK will no longer be allowed to bring cattle, sheep, goat, pig meat and dairy products from all EU countries for personal use.

Foot-and-mouth disease is a highly contagious viral disease affecting cloven-hoofed animals such as cattle, sheep, pigs, wild boar, deer, and alpacas among others.

Sports

Mohun Bagan Super Giant clinches Indian Super League 2024-25 title.

In football, Mohun Bagan Super Giant clinched the Indian Super League (ISL) 2024-25 title following a 2-1 victory over Bengaluru FC at the Vivekananda Yuba Bharati Krirangan Stadium in Kolkata.

This was Mohun Bagan's second ISL title, following their maiden triumph in the 2022-23 season. They also became only the second team, after Mumbai City FC in 2020-21, to win both the League Winners Shield and the ISL Cup in the same season.

Bihar to host Women's Kabaddi World Cup 2025 in Rajgir from June 1–10

Bihar will host the Women's Kabaddi World Cup 2025 from 1st June to 10th June this year at Rajgir. 14 teams will participate in the World Cup for Women. This will be the second time that Bihar will host the World Cup of Kabaddi for women. An MoU was signed between Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India (AKFI) and Bihar State Sports Authority (BSSA) at Patliputra Sports Complex at Patna.