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Union Minister for Road Transport and Highways, Nitin Gadkari has said, cashless treatment of accident victims' scheme will be launched across the country soon. The Minister said this in the Lok Sabha in a reply during the Question Hour today. The minister said, the scheme prevailing in six states will be soon launched in UP and later in the rest of the country. The scheme enables the victims of the road accidents to avail cashless treatment of upto 1.5 lakh rupees in the hospitals.

Over 78% rural households in India now have tap water connections, reveals a report on Jal Jeevan Mission. The Jal Jeevan Mission which was launched on August 15, 2019, with the ambitious goal of providing tap water supply to every rural household by 2024, has successfully provided tap-water connections to 11.96 crore additional rural households by October 10 this year, bringing the total coverage to more than 15.20 crore households, which accounts for 78.62 per cent of all rural households in India. Prime Minister Narendra Modi in a social media post today praised the Jal Jeevan Mission saying that this scheme has played a pivotal role in empowering women, especially in rural areas.

Prasar Bharati today signed an MoU with Hockey India in New Delhi, to provide live broadcast of the upcoming Hockey India League. With this MoU, Doordarshan has become the official broadcast partner for Hockey India League (HIL) 2024-25. This League will commence from 28th of this month in Rourkela, Odisha and Ranchi, Jharkhand. On the occasion, HIL governing committee member Bhola Nath Singh said that Hockey is more than just a sport for the country and it is also a symbol of nation's unity and pride. He added that HIL is ready to present a spectacular season of HIL, after partnership with Doordarshan. Mr. Singh expressed confidence that this partnership will strengthen the people's bond with hockey.

Governor Lt. General KT Parnaik (Retd.) reviewed the implementation of the National TB Elimination Programme in the State with the State Health Commissioner Pawan Kumar Sain at Raj Bhavan, Itanagar today. He discussed the special 100-day campaign

announced by the Prime Minister recently. The Governor advised multi-pronged efforts, including doubling patient support, use of technology and better diagnostic tools and exploration of newer drugs. He insisted that the special 100-day campaign must be a mass movement in the State. Meanwhile, the Governor appealed to the concerned medical officials to reach out to the affected people and start treatment as soon as possible. He further appealed the corporate houses to participate in the Pradhan Mantri TB Mukt Bharat Abhiyan.

The 95th Birth Anniversary of the Architect of Modern Arunachal Pradesh, Late Dr. Daying Ering was celebrated by the Daying Ering Heritage Portal under the Aegis of Himalayan Tribal Heritage Society at Giidii Notko, Pasighat yesterday. Minister for Panchayati Raj and Rural Development, Ojing Tasing while attending the occasion paid his tribute to late Ering, and said that the legacy of Late Dr. Daying Ering and his immense contribution in shaping modern Arunachal Pradesh should continue to inspire the young generation. He said people of the state should be made aware of his immense contributions through various efforts. While speaking on the pivotal role of Late Ering in the introduction of the Panchyati Raj system and promulgation of North East Frontier Agency Panchayati Raj Regulations in 1968, Tasing said that the state and Nation is indebted for his contributions in rural development and grass root governance.

In a massive fire accident that took place in the daily market, Pasighat on Tuesday at least 108 no of various shops were completely reduced to ashes. After a thorough interrogation with the eye witness it is presumed that the cause of the fire could be due to an electric short circuit. All the victims were directed to submit their supportive docs like Trading license, Bank passbook, Aadhar card etc at DDMOs office for early processing of relief assistance from the govt.

That's all, in this news bulletin, Namaskar