SATURDAY 20.04.2024



Shashi Tharoor @Shashi Tharoor

My first vote in Elections 2024? When it comes to the role of citizens in shaping our democracy, age is just a number and my octagenarian mother exemplifies this commitment to civic duty. While she has always accompanied me to vote at the ballot box on election day, given her advanced years she, rather reluctantly, agreed to cast her vote at home this time around. She is an inspiring reminder that democracy is for everyone, regardless of age, and a gift that we must all cherish and protect.

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GROW UP, PINARAYI TELLS RAHUL

Says Cong leader's recent words attest he has not changed, reminds him of Indira's "deeds"

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Kozhikode

A DAY after Rahul Gandhi cast aspersions on Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan for 'hobnobbing with the BJP,' the CM stepped up attack against the Congress leader, reminding him about the deeds of his grandmother Indira Gandhi.

Addressing an election programme in Kozhikode on Friday, Pinarayi said that Rahul's recent words attest that he has not changed from his old self. "It is not good to create an impression that you (Rahul) have not changed from what you were described earlier," Pinarayi said ostensibly referring to Rahul's nickname.

Rahul had asked as to why the BJP government is not doing anything against Pinarayi while two chief ministers are



in jail. "It was your grandmother who jailed us when she was reigning supreme in the country," Pinarayi said referring to the arrest of opposition leaders

during Emergency. "We are not like your leader Ashok Chavan who said he is afraid of going to jail. We didn't faint when we heard about the

THE district collector has also

recommended an inquiry and

departmental action against

the polling officials. Kalliasseri

police to take criminal action

against Ganeshan and the poll-

ing officials for acting against

the law and violating the elec-

According to the Kan-

napuram police, Ganeshan is

the primary accused while the

polling officials are accused no.

tion process.

investigation. Better not scare us by showing jail and investigating agencies," he said.

Pinarayi said he spoke against Rahul when the Congress leader repeatedly refused to speak about the Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA).

He did not say a word on CAA during his Bharat Jodo Yathra or during the election campaign. Congress leaders kept silent on the BJP agenda. he said.

CPM state secretary M V Govindan said that Rahul is backstabbing the INDIA bloc. "On what charges Pinarayi and his family should be arrested? What he said is utter nonsense," Govindan said.

2 to 6. The primary investiga-

tion by the district authorities

revealed that external interfer-

ence compromised the secrecy

of the vote during the home

voting procedure at Devi's

house. The collector's report

has identified Ganeshan's in-

volvement in violating Section

128(1) of the Representation of

the People Act, 1951, as well as

Meanwhile, the Election

Commission has warned that

strict action will be taken

against officials committing

lapses while conducting 'voting

at home' for senior citizens

above the age of 85 years and

Section 171(c) of the IPC.

It was your grandmother (Indira Gandhi) who jailed us when she was reigning supreme in the country. We are not like your leader Ashok Chavan who said he is afraid of going to jail. We didn't faint when we heard about the investigation — Pinarayi Vijayan

CM criticising Rahul to please PM: Satheesan

Alappuzha: Leader of Opposition V D Satheesan has said CM Pinarayi Vijayan is considering Rahul Gandhi as an enemy and criticising him to please the BJP and PM Narendra Modi. Satheesan was speaking at a meet-the-press programme organised by the Alappuzha Press Club on Friday. "Throughout the campaigning, Pinarayi is heavily criticising Rahul and Congress. However, he is silent on the BJP and the Centre as he is afraid of them. Congress and Rahul are leading the fight against fascist forces in the country and leading the INDIA bloc. BJP is criticising Rahul as he is a formidable opponent. However, the criticism of Pinarayi reveals an unholy nexus between the CPM and the BJP in Kerala," Satheesan said.



COOL CLICK

Fire force officials from Gandhi Nagar take pictures of a child, who is holding an empty fire extinguisher, during an awareness session organised as part of National Fire Service Awareness Week at Marine Drive in Kochi on Friday | TP SOORAJ

'CASH FOR VOTE'

LDF workers detain bizman Biju Ramesh

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @T'Puram

vikkara alleging that he visited the place to distribute cash for

Biju and a few people accompanying him were detained by LDF workers at Vadakkemala Colony by 7 pm. Alleging that the visit was to distribute cash, they informed the police and

The police took Biju and others to Aruvikkara station. Meanwhile, Biju said they were detained by the LDF workers when they went there to visit a Congress local leader residing

Biju alleged that a person accompanying him was beaten up by LDF activists and hence he approached the cops to file a complaint on the matter. He said the officials did not find any cash in his vehicle or the

house he had visited. Vadakkemala colony falls under Attingal Lok Sabha constituency. The UDF candidate is a

Election Commission warns strict action against officials committing lapses **CONTINUED FROM P1** EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Kannur

LDF WORKERS on Friday deputy governing officer lodged night detained businessman a complaint with Kannapuram Biju Ramesh from near Aruvotes on behalf of UDF candidate Adoor Prakash.

Election Commission officials.

in that locality.

close relative of Biju.

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Quantity of gold seized at airports in

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Kochi

The Customs Preventive Commissionerate (CCP), in a statement, said 487.57kg of gold were recovered at the airports in 2023-24.

the preceding fiscal reveals 630kg of gold was seized from

the airports in 2022-23. The value of the seized gold, as per the statement, was ₹287.76 crore. As per previous year's data, the value of the seized gold in 2022-23 was ₹311 crore.

The CCP commissioner K Padmavathy said the most common smuggling methods were concealing the gold inside one's body or creating a false space in clothes and shoes to hide gold paste or powder.

"Gold was also found concealed in various electronic items such as watches, grinders, trimmers," Padmavathy

Persons with Disabilities

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lliasseri on Thursday night. I

immediately instructed the

Kannur district collector to

"We received a complaint re-

(PwDs).

Besides gold, the customs seized foreign currencies worth ₹2.56 crore in the 2023-24 fiscal from airports in Kerala, from both arrival and departure terminals, the statement said.

The seized currencies included US dollars, Saudi and Omani Riyals, Bahraini and Kuwaiti Dinars, and Dirhams.

92-year-old Devi at Kalliasseri in the presence of on Thursday

E K Ganeshan

interfering

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procedure of

take further action. The officers concerned were suspended around 1.30am on Friday," said Chief Electoral Officer (Kerala) Sanjay Kaul. Directions were also issue to register cases

urged polling officials to maintain the dignity and essence of the electoral process while conducting 'voting at home' for senior citizens and PwDs. Meanwhile, Kannur DCC

fered in the process. The CEO

president Martin George has filed a complaint with the Chief Election Commission to ensure free and fair polling in Kannur, Kasaragod, and Vadakara constituencies.

The UDF alleged that the Kalliasseri incident is proof of fraudulent voting by pro-CPM officials in Kannur district under the guise of vote from home. "We had raised doubts

that the CPM leadership was interfering in the process of voting at homes of senior citizens. The incident that took place in booth 164 in Kalliasseri panchayat confirms it," said a UDF leader in Kannur.

"Foreseeing a defeat in the elections, the CPM is planning to subvert the democratic process itself. The Election Commission should take a serious view of the CPM's move to subvert the smooth election process by resorting to widespread violence and bogus voting in Kannur, Kasaragod, and Vadakara Lok Sabha constituencies," said UDF leaders

state dropped by 142.43kg in FY24

UNBELIEVABLE as it may sound, it is the fact. The quantity of gold seized from illegal carriers at various airports in the state came down by 142.43kg in the 2023-24 fiscal that ended March 31, compared to the previous fiscal.

An analysis of the data from

said in the statement, adding that search inside flights also led to recovery of gold hidden in seat pockets, toilets and from underneath the seats.

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against the person who inter-

Cyber attack on Shailaja: 1 more held

Kozhikode: The Thottilpalam police have arrested one more person in connection with the cyber attack on LDF's Vadakara candidate K K Shailaja. Muttathuplav Perumbaliyil Mebin Thomas was taken into custody under IPC Section 153 and Kerala Police Act Section 120 (0). He was

released on bail later. On Thursday, the Vadakara police had arrested Harish Nandanam, a Congress leader and member of Ward 7 of Balussery panchayat, for allegedly circulating content defaming Shailaja. He is the first Congress worker to be arraigned in the cyber attack complaint filed by LDF in Vadakara.

Naidu, wife worth ₹931 cr

BANDHAVI ANNAM @ Guntur

SEVERAL bigwigs filed their nominations across the State on Friday. Former Chief Minister Nara Chandrababu

Naidu's wife Bhuvaneswari filed nominations on behalf of her husband at Kuppam.

As per the affidavit filed with Election Commission, the assets of the TDP supremo and his family have increased by over 41% in the last five years, reaching ₹810.42

crore mark. While the total value of assets held by Naidu and Bhuvaneswari was ₹668.57 crore in

2019, it shot up to over ₹931 crore in 2024, including moveable assets and offshore assets worth ₹8,10,41,89,321 and immovable assets worth

> ₹1,21,41,41,609. The majority of the assets are owned by Bhuvaneswari, who is the owner of over 2.26 crore shares of Heritage Foods Ltd with a market value of ₹337.85 per share totalling to ₹764 crore, compared to

₹545.76 crore in 2019. She also owns jewellery worth ₹3,24,24,087. The TDP supremo personally has movable assets valued at ₹4.80 lakh and assets valued at ₹36.31 lakh in immovable assets.

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PUBLIC AUCTION FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY

The Authorised Officer of L&T Finance Limited under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. [54 OF 2002] and in exercise of powers conferred under the said Act is auctioning the following property on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION" by way of "PUBLIC AUCTION" for recovery of its dues and further interest, charges and costs etc

Name of Borrower and Co-Borrower	Secured Property Address			Loan Account Number(s)	Physical Possession taken	Earnest Money Deposit 10% or more of RP (In ?)	Total Outstanding dues as on 17.04.2024	Reserve Price (In ₹)	Date of Inspection	Date and Time of Auction
Siyad 2. Shahna S	Property Address: - An Extent Of 04.05 Ares And 01.00 Ares Of Land Comprised In Re- survey No. 127/24 And 127/23-1 (old Survey No. 168/3-2 AMD 2168/3-1) Alongwith Building Bearing Door No. M.P. 15/584 (A) Of Idakkode Village, Chirayinkeezhu Taluk, Trivandrum District Kerala 695103			000018	19th February 2024	Rs. 9,34,029.60	Rs. 11,152,199.72	Rs. 93,40,296	18-05-2024	24-05-2024 From 10 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.
	Boundaries	East	Property Belongs To Abdul Khalam							
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- 4. The EMD of all other bidders who did not succeed in the public E-auction will be refunded by LTF within 7 days of the closure of the public E-auction. The EMD will not carry any interest.
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Date: 18.04.2024

Short E-Tender No: BS6/016713/2024-TNCSC/24-25

Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation invites Online electronic tender for the Purchase of "20,000 Metric Tonnes of Tur dal (Split - Husked 8 Fatka) [Indigenous] / Tur Dal (Split Husked-Imported) / Lentil locally known as Canadian Yellow Lentil (Split - Husked & Laired No.2) Lentil locally known as Canadian Yellow Lentil (Whole - Husked & Laired No.2) as per AGMARK specifications"

Complete short e-tender document can be viewed and downloaded from https:tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app

The bidders have to participate online bidding only with Digital Signature

Certificate (DSC) of Class-II or Class-III Last Date and Time for Online Submission: 30.04.2024 up to 07.00 P.M.

MANAGING DIRECTOR DIPR/1714/Tender/2024

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he borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the ublic in general that the undersigned issued another Demand Notice dated has taken possession If the propertius described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 3(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules on this the 19th day of April 2024. e borrowers in particular and public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the propert and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Federal Bank Ltd. a sum of (a) Rs.20,59,786.12 (Rupees Twenty Lakh Fifty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty Six and Paise Twelve only) is due as on 04.04.2024 Property Power loan with number 14167600005228 and (b) a sum of Rs.32,042.00 (Rupees Thirty Two Thousand Forty Two only) is due as on 04.04.2024 under your Federal Personal loan (Asset Guard) with number 14167600005236 partitle and severally with further interest and costs thereon.

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