The Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the Workers’ Party of Korea convened a consultative meeting at the office building of the Party Central Committee on May 21 to discuss the matters relating to the readjustment and reinforcement of the present state anti-epidemic capacities and preparations for the Fifth Plenary Meeting of the Eighth Party Central Committee.

Kim Jong Un, general secretary of the Workers’ Party of Korea, guided the meeting.

Attending the meeting were members of the Presidium of the Political Bureau of the WPK Central Committee and
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revolutionary
outcome of our Party’s correct guidance,
trend in the state emergency anti-
analyzed the results of the anti-epidemic
epidemic according to the decision and
anti-epidemic campaign was launched
the epidemic has been gradually contained
areas in which the nationwide spread of
the epidemic is being stably contained
and executing the anti-epidemic policies
headquarters on the state of the epidemic
the Ministry of Public Health.
Committee.
The Political Bureau appreciated that the
all sectors and units should not take
measures taken by our Party.
overall anti-epidemic principles and
treatment of the persons who have fever
containing the spread of the epidemic
health defence line by continuously
ways for reliably safeguarding our public
members their mission in overcoming
experience and lessons gained in the
19 pandemic, the present state anti-
overall epidemic prevention measures
arm themselves once again with the
to take all possible steps for revitalizing
material and technical foundations of the
public health sector, and took relevant
strategic viewpoint and study
of the Eighth Central Committee of the
Central Committee.
2022 as part of the preparations for the
programme and working system.
struggle to implement
the duty and role
party policies.
Innovative measures on the basis of
implementation of the Party and the
public health sector, and took relevant
for the implementation of major policy-
the execution of the Party and state policies
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Central Committee.
5,000 people and a leader of the revolutionary
army, Comrade Kim Jong Un, dedicated
sovereignty of the nation and the supreme
performed distinguished feats all his
and a trustworthy revolutionary who
a great revolutionary
and a revolutionary
in the form of a gold star in the glorious
history of trials of the revolutionary
army forces, he stressed.
He expressed his deep condolences to the bereaved family and warmly condoled them.
Ceremony held for carrying coffin of late Hyon Chol Hae

Kim Jong Un carries the coffin out of the house together with Presidium members

A ceremony for carrying the coffin of Marshal of the Korean People’s Army Hyon Chol Hae, general adviser to the Ministry of National Defence of the DPRK, took place at the April 25 House of Culture in Pyongyang on the morning of May 22.

Kim Jong Un, general secretary of the Workers’ Party of Korea and president of the State Affairs of the DPRK, attended the state funeral.

Present there were members of the State Funeral committee, including Choe Ryong Hae, general secretary of the Workers’ Party of Korea and president of the State Affairs of the DPRK, and leading officials of the Ministry of National Defence and the bereaved family.

The colours and guards of honour of the KPA lined up at the April 25 House of Culture where the bier of the deceased laid.

Funeral service given in honour of late KPA marshal

The General Secretary attends funeral ceremony

A ceremony took place at the Patriotic Martyrs Cemetery in Sinmun-ri, Pyongyang, on the afternoon of May 22 to bid farewell to the late Marshal of the Korean People’s Army Hyon Chol Hae, general adviser to the Ministry of National Defence of the DPRK.

Kim Jong Un, general secretary of the Workers’ Party of Korea and president of the State Affairs of the DPRK, attended the ceremony.

Present there were Choe Ryong Hae, Jo Yong Won, Kim Tok Hun, Pak Jong Chon and Ri Pyong Chol, members of the Political Bureau of the Party Central Committee.

A volley of 180 shots were fired for the deceased out of bitterness upon parting forever from the prominent political and military activist who made an immortal contribution to the Party, revolution, country and people at a historic time when the Korean people was a great victory full of confidence and vitality.

Kim Jong Un spread earth on the remains, expressing his sorrow over the last parting with a precious veteran of revolution whom he deeply respected and dearly treasured.

With the declaration of the start of the ceremony the national anthem of the DPRK was solemnly played.

A ceremony for burying the remains of the late Hyon Chol Hae was held.

A wreath in the name of the WPK Central Committee, officials of the WPK Central Committee, members of the Political Bureau of the Party Central Committee, members of the Presidium of the Political Bureau of the Party Central Committee, members of the Political Bureau of the WPK Central Committee, members and alternate members of the Political Bureau of the WPK Central Committee, officials of the Ministry of National Defence and other members of the State Funeral Committee, officials of the WPK Central Committee, servicemen of the KPA and the bereaved family members of the deceased.

With the尊重 memory of the deceased.

A wreath was laid at the grave amid the playing of the wreath-laying music.

The General Secretary was overwhelmed with sorrow over the loss of the steadfast revolutionary who upheld the Party and leader with faith, conscience and obligation all his life, free from affectation and inconsistency, the General Secretary was overwhelmed with bitterness.

A wreath in the name of Kim Jong Un was laid at the grave amidst the playing of the wreath-laying music.

Wreaths were also placed there in the name of the WPK Central Committee, the WPK Central Military Commission, the Standing Committee of the DPRK Supreme People’s Assembly and the
Making the rounds of the Migok Cooperative Farm in North Hwanghae Province and Nampho City on the spot.

KPA
Production rises under emergency-anti-epidemic system

The Pyongyang General Electric Cable Factory No.706, the Samsung Tool Factory and other producers in the field of the machine-building industry hit their production targets for equipment and parts. The Samsung Cement Complex exceeded the current production target for ten days by 102.1 percent and the Tanfon Township Glass Factory, the Hambang Wood Processing Factory and other building materials producers fulfilled their daily and weekly production plans. Salt production plan for May was fulfilled. The Pyongyang Railway Bureau increases freight transportation even under the top emergency-anti-epidemic system

Economy picks up in top emergency-anti-epidemic situation

Prominent persons in North Hwanghae Province and Nampho City visited the Pyongyang General Electric Cable Factory No.706 to express their deep respect and encouragement to the producers who were fully engaged in production and construction efforts for the advancement of the country's military strength.

Hyon Chol Hae, a steadfast military and political official of the Workers' Party of Korea, the KPA in every way, passed away.

KPA Marshal Hyon Chol Hae, general advisor to DPRK Defence Ministry, dies

Hyon Chol Hae, Marshal of the Korean People's Army and prominent advisor to DPRK Defence Ministry, died on May 18.

KPA

Director of KPA Defence Ministry's Political Department.

Hyon Chol Hae, who was born as a son of a revolutionary in Yanji County in China, was in Korea in May 1936. After returning from China, he joined the WPK Young Pioneers in 1947 and the KPA in December of the same year.

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Countries show unique sense of organization, solidarity in anti-epidemic war.

The new poster encouraging people to turn up to this year’s anti-epidemic war.

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Measures taken to maintain stability on overall anti-epidemic front.

By Ri Song Il (PT)

With preemptive and comprehensive anti-epidemic policies and rigorous measures taken by the Workers’ Party of Korea and the Korean People’s Army to cope with the COVID-19 epidemic, the country is maintaining stability while keeping on the overall anti-epidemic front, activities of the people and the Party are continuing, and the nation is working together to prevent any losses in the anti-epidemic work.

At present, the nationwide case and death rates have sharply reduced in comparison with the peak period, which has shown clearly that the measures taken have been effectively controlled to keep up normal stability of the situation. All sectors have also shown better measures to strictly implement the anti-epidemic policies, regulated facility to cope with the changing anti-epidemic situation.

On the basis of scientific analysis of the overall anti-epidemic work, the Central Committee of the Workers’ Party of Korea has decided to continue with the anti-epidemic policies and to maintain the anti-epidemic emergency situation.

By Han Kwai Han (PT)

Hygienic information promptly spread across country.

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Hygienic information is one of the key factors for the treatment of the infectious diseases being spread across the country.

In many ways, hygienic information has been distributed nationwide to effectively prevent the spread of the diseases. The hygienic information is utilized as a means to spread a hygiene culture and as a strong weapon in the fight against the infectious diseases.

Those who have been discharged from the hospitals with an infectious disease, and those who have been cured from any problem in their health, are encouraged to visit workplaces and their former places of work, and to also visit workplaces of those who have been discharged from the hospitals but whose situations have not been cleared up.

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By Heung Jong Ryal (PT)

Thoroughly disseminating the hygienic information is the key to prevent the spread of infectious diseases, and for this reason, thorough dissemination at workplaces of the Ministry of National Defense, various scientific and technological institutions, schools, hospitals, etc. is necessary.

On the same occasion, the Ministry of National Defense disseminates the hygienic information by means of banners, posters, leaflets, TV programs, etc.

On the other hand, the Ministry of Health and Welfare disseminates the hygienic information by means of posters, TV programs, leaflets, etc.

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China exposes nature of American Foundation for Promotion of Democracy

The sparsely populated, the epicenter of the US missionary strategy, is at the crossroads of many global powers and nations. It is a pivotal point for the American Foundation for Promotion of Democracy, which is engaged in activities of various kinds. The focus on China is crucial for the organization.

Beijing — The American Foundation for Promotion of Democracy (AFPD) has been exposing China’s internal affairs and attempting to undermine the stability of China’s national security. This organization, led by people with anti-China political backgrounds, has been spreading false information through various means.

China, as a large country with a diverse population and a long history, is not only a political, economic, and cultural giant, but also a country that respects the fundamental rights and interests of its citizens. It is an important player in the global political landscape, and its position and influence are deeply felt by many countries around the world.

The AFPD, with its headquarters in the United States, has been actively engaged in activities aimed at undermining China’s national stability and security. These activities include spreading false information, attempting to sow discord among the Chinese people, and attempting to disrupt the country’s social order.

China, as a country that has been undergoing rapid development, is also facing various challenges. However, the Chinese government has always been committed to promoting social stability and harmony. It has taken effective measures to maintain national security and stability, and has made significant progress in achieving this goal.

China’s achievements in promoting social stability and harmony have been widely recognized by the international community. The Chinese government has been proactive in responding to global challenges, and has taken a leading role in promoting international cooperation and dialogue.

In conclusion, the AFPD’s activities aimed at undermining China’s national security are nothing but a fig leaf for its true intentions. The Chinese government will continue to promote social stability and harmony, and will actively respond to global challenges, in order to maintain the country’s stability and progress.

By Yu Jianrong

China needs cooperation, not confrontation

China is a country that has been undergoing rapid development, and is making significant progress in promoting social stability and harmony. It has taken effective measures to maintain national security and stability, and has made significant progress in achieving this goal.

The Chinese government has been proactive in responding to global challenges, and has taken a leading role in promoting international cooperation and dialogue. These achievements have been widely recognized by the international community.

China’s achievements in promoting social stability and harmony have been made possible through cooperation with other countries and with the international community. It is essential for China to maintain its status as a good neighbor and partner, and to continue building a community with a shared future for mankind.

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Climate change brings great disaster all at once

The concentration of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere has been increasing rapidly, and this has led to global warming and climate change. As a result, the earth is experiencing a series of extreme weather events, such as floods, droughts, and heatwaves. These events are causing significant losses and losses to human life and property.

China, as a country with a large population and a vast territory, is particularly vulnerable to the effects of climate change. It is essential for China to take effective measures to adapt to these changes and to mitigate their impacts.

China has been actively promoting the implementation of the Paris Agreement on Climate Change, and has made significant progress in reducing its carbon emissions. It has also been working to improve its energy efficiency and to increase its use of renewable energy.

However, China is facing significant challenges in adapting to climate change. It is essential for China to continue to make efforts to adapt to these changes and to mitigate their impacts. It is also essential for China to continue to promote cooperation with other countries and with the international community, in order to build a community with a shared future for mankind.

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**TOP WOMAN COACH OF KOREAN MARTIAL ART**

By Pang Un Ju PT

In the past, Ri Chol Ok (pictured), coach of the Taekwon-Do team of Jagang Province, took part in the Taekwon-Do world championships as member of the DPRK team and demonstrated her might as a world ace, exalting the dignity and honour of the country, the home of Taekwon-Do.

She began to work as coach of the Taekwon-Do team of Jagang Province in 2012. “Ri Chol Ok has devoted her all to training excellent Taekwon-Do players. She constantly strived to improve her practical qualifications and is strict with her trainees so as to train them into top players prepared physically, technically and tactically,” said Han Hyok Bom, who plays at the team.

The level of coach is reflected in the real ability of players, he said, and added that under her guidance several players came to rank among the domestic and world Taekwon-Do stars.

With high qualifications, strict demand and inexhaustible energy, Ri trained several players in her charge into members of the national team. And during her participation as one of the coaches of the national team at the 21st Taekwon-Do world championships, she made a great contribution to its members’ achieving good results.

Last year, at the Mangyongdae Prize national martial arts championships held in celebration of the Day of the Sun (April 15, birth anniversary of President Kim Il Sung), she guided Ri Su Rim in her charge to win three gold medals in women’s individual fourth dan pattern, team pattern and individual female 62kg-category sparring and helped the Jagang provincial Taekwon-Do team obtain over 20 medals including eight gold medals and take the second place in total.

“It was only for a few years that I trained under the guidance of coach Ri Chol Ok. But she has led me with inexhaustible energy, strict demand and care since she selected me. The gold medals I won are associated with her devoted efforts,” said Ri Su Rim.

Ri Chol Ok, who made a great contribution to training excellent Taekwon-Do reserve players to challenge the world level, was selected as one of the top ten coaches of the DPRK for 2021.

**Han Hyok Bom, player of the Taekwon-Do team of Jagang Province**

**A Korean medical classic and its author**

By Kim Kum Myong PT

Chimguyonghambung is an old Korean medical book on acupuncture and moxibustion. Ho Im, a scholar of Koryo medicine in the period of feudal Joson dynasty (1392-1910), brought together the fundamental theories of acupuncture and moxibustion and his long clinical experience and compiled the book by dividing them into 70 items. That’s why it is also called “Hoimchimguyonghambung,” or a book on Ho Im’s experience of acupuncture and moxibustion.

He began to acquire medical knowledge to cure his parents’ disease as he worked as an odd-job man in a doctor’s house and took a special interest in acupuncture and moxibustion.

In the course of this, he broadened his experience and got the knack of acupuncture and moxibustion. He became widely known both at home and abroad and was therefore appointed as a court doctor which was a kind of medical officer at the time.

He asserted that medical science could be developed through the combination of theories and practice since the beginning of his medical career. In 1644 he systematized his all medical experience to compile Chimguyonghambung, the first book specializing in acupuncture and moxibustion in Korea.

The book consists of the general and particulars. The general explains in brief the acupoints physicians may mistake, symptoms of different diseases and their relations with the bowels and meridians, positions and functions of commonly-used 138 acupoints belonging to the 12 hard pulses, methods of applying acupuncture and moxa, indications and contraindications of the therapies, how to set acupoints and 57 extra channels. The particulars follow the original style and systems of the book to give a clear description of the causes and symptoms of various diseases occurring in relevant parts from the head to legs and the intestines and cures for them, while classifying and compiling in a manual style acupuncture and moxibustion methods for internal and surgical treatment and that of infectious diseases, female disorders and children’s diseases.

In the book he not only put together the basics of acupuncture and moxibustion and excellent treatment experiences but corrected the acupoints and applying methods the preceding medical books misled and revealed new acupoints with high efficiency.

He also came up with a unique tonification and excess-curbing method based on his view that patients respond differently according to how the needles are inserted.

In case a needle is to be inserted five phums (a phun is equivalent to 0.119 inch) deep, a doctor pricks it two phums deep first, another two phums deep after a while and finally one phum after a little interval and gets a patient to take a breath before plucking out the needle at one try and rubbing the acupoint to save the spirit. And another one is that the doctor inserts the needle five phums deep at one time and plucks it up at two phums at each interval and makes a patient breathe out before removing it without rubbing the acupoint. The former is a method for tonification and the latter for excess-curbing.

The book shows well the development of acupuncture and moxibustion in Korea at that time and made a great contribution to the later development of the therapies. The tonification and excess-curbing method he developed is still being applied in practice.

**Islet in Sea Kumgang, natural monument**

By Ri Sang II PT

Sol Islet in Sea Kumgang is scores of kilometres away from the township of Kosong County.

It was named thus as it is a small rocky island covered with pines situated in Sea Kumgang.

Granites belonging to the Mesozoic era were weathered through ages into the islet. Surrounded by different rocks including Sagong Rock (Boatman Rock), Chilsong Rock (Great Dipper Rock), Ingo Rock (Carp Rock) and Olgu Rock (Face Rock), it serves as a habitat for seabirds.

It rises some 50 metres above the sea level. Pines grow in thick verdure in the almost soilless islet, and the trees sway in the wind conspicuously go well with sea waves.

As the one typical of the scenery of Sea Kumgang, the islet is of significance in studying rock erosion caused by wind and rain and sea water and the growth of pine trees.