Farmers move into new houses

Agricultural workers are overjoyed to move into new houses they have received gratis.

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More new houses appeared in several rural villages of North Phyongan, Jagang, Kangwon and Ryanggang provinces of the DPRK, which have been turned into a paradise for the people, displaying the validity and vitality of the Workers’ Party of Korea’s grand programme for the rural revolution. Those modern houses with diverse and distinctive styles match well with the natural environment of relevant regions and are convenient for the agricultural workers to live. The houses, built in Solo- ri of Uiju County, Angho- ri of Chosan County, Yaksam-ri of Sijung County, Jangphyong-ri of Janggang County, Jilha- ri of Phangyo County, Jidang-ri of Ichon County, Ryongpho-ri of Poptong County and Samjang-ri of Taehongdan County, are part of the Korean-style rural civilization whereby the people’s dreams and ideals are translated into reality. Ceremonies of moving into the new houses took place on the spot.

Present there were officials of organs of the Workers’ Party of Korea and the government in those provinces, builders, officials of units which contributed to the construction and agricultural workers who would live in the new houses.

At the ceremonies, licenses for the use of new houses were awarded and speeches were made. Officials shared joy together with the residents moving into new houses amid the agricultural workers’ singing and dancing.

Fundamental guarantee for victory and advance

By Hwang Jong Ryol PT

The Korean people are perseveringly advancing the building of a powerful socialist country, rallied more closely around the Workers’ Party of Korea, despite all difficulties including extreme sanctions and blockade by hostile forces, the world health crisis and natural disasters. It is inconceivable apart from their absolute trust in General Secretary Kim Jong Un.

The General Secretary who has infinite love for and trust in the people devotes his all to them, willingly toiling and moiling for them. To him, nothing is more important than relieving the people of misfortune and sufferings and his devoted and sincere efforts to do so as soon as possible are touching the heartstrings of all people.

In recent years, many parts of the DPRK were seriously affected by unprecedented floods. Taechong-ri of Unpha County in North Hwanghae Province suffered greater damage than others. The General Secretary was the first to visit it.

Though there was a flood with roads buried in mud, he himself drove to look round the afflicted areas and take urgent measures to stabilize the local people’s livelihood and rehabilitate the areas.

When office buildings of Party and government organs in the county became the lodgings for the afflicted people and when there appeared a fairyland village without any trace of the previous old one and all the people received new dwelling houses gratis at the same time, Taechong-ri resounded with the shouts of “Thank you, respected Comrade Kim Jong Un!” and “Long live the Workers’ Party of Korea!”

When the country faced the greatest turmoil since its founding with the outbreak of the malignant epidemic in May last year, the General Secretary visited the pharmacies in danger of the epidemic unmindful of his own risk to acquaint himself with the supply of medicines to the people and dispatched the medics of the Korean People’s Army to protect their lives.

Saying the construction of dwelling houses is the matter to which the people always pay attention and look forward and the long-cherished desire of the WPK, he set forth the construction of 50 000 flats in Pyongyang as an important task at the Eighth Congress of the WPK and opened up a new era of rural development to bring about the happy events of moving into new houses across the country.

The people keenly realized through their own experience and actual life that only when they firmly believe in and follow the General Secretary and faithfully support his leadership can they achieve all happiness and bring earlier the better future.

Amazing miracles are constantly created in the country as trust in him grows stronger in any storm and stress.
National inventions exhibition starts

The 17th national inventions exhibition opened on June 19 under the sponsorship of the Standing Committee of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea. The exhibition was held in the Central Exhibition Hall of the State Planning Commission, and entrusted the tasks of assigning the design, layout, and display of the exhibition to the Cultural and Educational Work Department of the Eighth Party Central Committee.

Opening remarks were made by fishermen from Kangjusan, Sukchon Counties of South Phyongan Province, who started with a clean slate and were keeping pace with the youth in implementing the national policy.

Many youths volunteer for difficult and labour-consuming fields in first half of year

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More than 100,000 young people from different parts of the country voluntarily volunteered for work at the country’s prosperity and the people’s well-being, in accordance with the decisions of the sixth and seventh plenary meetings of the Eighth Party Central Committee of the Workers’ Party of Korea, and.todos the youth of the DPRK are volunteering for work at various sectors of the national economy. Among them are graduates of various technical and engineering institutions, fine arts students, and workers from various units.

Many youths work at schools in frontline, as standard-bearers of the youth movement, and are doing excellent work in various fields. Among them are the countryside workers, who are carrying out the tasks assigned by the national policy with enthusiasm and zeal.

Symposium highlights experience and success in greenhouse farming

The Greenhouse Vegetable Symposium 2023, held from June 13 to 19 under the sponsorship of the Korean association of the Federation of Science and Technology, was attended by more than 1000 participants, including farmers, scientists, researchers, and educators.

The symposium focused on the theme of “Scientific, Technological Innovation of Korea.” Over the course of the week, participants showcased their latest innovations and research findings, including new technologies and products related to greenhouse farming.

Displaying honour as powerful enterprise

Steel production mass campaign

The Eighth Plenary Meeting of the Eighth Party Central Committee decided to carry out the mass campaign of steel production and modernization. The campaign will be carried out by making rational and effective use of the existing productive foundations and promoting new innovations.

Giving top priority to collective emulation, the activities of the mass campaign will be conducted by all the producer masses and the responsible leadership of key industries and skilled workers.

Several key industries, including the Mansudae Art Studio, have already started the mass campaign and have arranged the tasks of the mass campaign.

The mass campaign will be carried out by focusing on the improvement of the productivity of the enterprises and the modernization of the production facilities.

Harvest of earlier crops of wheat and barley in full swing

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Major industries focus on implementing annual production plans

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Key industries are making efforts to achieve their annual production plans in order to create a sufficient supply of goods for the national economy.

The core industries are focusing on the production of basic materials and industrial goods, and are making efforts to increase their production capacities.

The Chollima Steel Complex, which is one of the key industries, has produced more than 30% of the national steel production in the first half of the year. The complex has displayed its strength and capability by producing high-quality steel products.

The Hungnam Fertilizer Complex, which is another key industry, has achieved a production capacity of over 100% in the first half of the year. The complex has also increased its production capacities by modernizing its facilities.

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**Sustained efforts directed to procurement**

**Jr. Chun Hyok Ok**

One of the important ways to develop locally industry is to speed up the establishment of various industries and make each one effective of its role in the country through optimal procurement. It is necessary to make sure that the procurement system is in operation in all sectors and units including exchange, mobile, field and power construction, and intensive procurement, which are as productive as of raw materials, can be based on the service system and save materials. According to him, procurements agencies must be formed to meet the economic and technical parameters of each administrative district and place. The procurement system is in operation in all sectors and units including exchange, mobile, field and power construction, and intensive procurement, which are as productive as of raw materials, can be based on the service system and save materials.

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**Seabuckthorn forests increase**

**Jr. Ri Sung O’P**

Seabuckthorn ( **** *Rhamnus* ** **) is a small flowering shrub, usually no more than 1 meter tall, with thorny branches and yellow-orange berries. They are also known as seabuckthorn, seabuck, or whortlethorn. The fruit is rich in nutrients, particularly vitamin C and a high level of omega-3 fatty acids.

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El Niño expected to affect DPRK

By Yu Ki Song P7

Mitigation preparations are being made to counteract the adverse effects of the natural disaster phenomena such as drought, as the phenomenon occurred, summer often witnessed unusual meteorological phenomena such as drought. It is expected that El Niño will affect DPRK in the near future. With regard to this, The Pyongyang Times reported on August 14 that "El Niño, which has been known for rapid response to any crisis by affected people," said Pak Jong Ho, "is the onset of the period in which the safety of the people," said Pak Jong Ho, "is the onset of the period in which the safety of the people, the country, and the world are the most threatened." The World Meteorological Organization warned that the phenomenon will reach 60% between May and July and about 80% between August and September and that it may cause power outages in the DPRK.

Currently, the phenomenon has not been registered in the southern part of Korea and in some parts of Japan, but it is expected that it will reach the area around Manchuria in the near future. Meanwhile, the weather in the region is expected to remain warm and heavy rain is expected for the rest of the month.

The Ministry of the Interior and Safety, the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fishery, and the Ministry of Health and Family Affairs have taken measures to supply food, water, and medical supplies to affected areas.

Every sector takes best possible measures against natural disasters

By Yu Ki Song P7

The government takes measures to protect itself from natural disasters. The electric power industry is preparing to deal with the phenomenon, it is expected that it will affect the power grid in the country, and the water supply system is preparing to deal with the phenomenon. The agricultural sector is preparing to deal with the phenomenon, it is expected that it will affect the agricultural sector, and the medical sector is preparing to deal with the phenomenon, it is expected that it will affect the medical sector.

Advantages of socialist system fully displayed

By Kim Hyo Song P7

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Disaster management committee enhances role to handle emergenices

Various sectors are now making full preparations for addressing every possible emergency situation with heightened vigilance.

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By Ke Kang You P7

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June 23rd was Olympic Day. Celebrating the day, the Premier, Comrade Choe Song Jun, delivered a congratulatory speech to the athletes and officials who had contributed to the revival of the modern Olympic Games. He said that the Olympic Games every year go to raise public awareness of the Olympic ideal among sportspeople, students and schoolchildren, and people from all social strata to mark the day.

The Premier pointed out that the day, two, a running game took place in the DPRK. And during the festival, sportspeople and many others who love and enjoy sports in attendance.

The Premier reminded the athletes that the modern Olympic Games had been held every four years since 1896 and that the Olympics were affected by the influence of the West and held for the service of the imperialists. He pointed out that the illogicality of the modern Olympic Games was that they were required to build up athletes and promote the efficiency of the army and navy only in the modern Olympic Games. Therefore, the sports people got to think that it was not genuine and that it should change the direction of the sports for the purpose.

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Never in the history of the DPRK has the safety of the Olympic Games been achieved. Among the important measures to ensure the safety of the Olympic Games, the following must be taken.

The Premier said that unique measures and methods must be taken to ensure the safety of the Olympic Games. He pointed out that the safety of the Olympic Games was a part of the glory and honor of the society, and the people. Anti-doping regulations have been introduced in the international sports arena. There is an increasing trend to restrain the athletes from doping, moral, and aesthetic reasons. The Premier expressed his support for the Olympic ideal and the philosophy associated with Olympic Games and the philosophy associated with the Olympic Games. He said that the Olympic Games would as always be held as a good platform for the spirit of the noble and humanitarian spirit in the society. Anti-doping regulations have been introduced in the international sports arena. There is a trend to restrain the athletes from doping, moral, and aesthetic reasons.

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June 19-20 in 2018 and General Secretary Xi Jinping visited the DPRK on June 20-21 in 2019. Through meeting and talks they provided an important milestone in further improving political trust between the two sides and countries and deepening cooperation in various fields.

Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development. Today the friendly relations and good cooperation between the two countries have entered a new stage of development.
The second round of the 2023 basketball premier league took place at the Kigwancha Sports Club between June 10 and 19.

It drew men’s and women’s basketball teams from the April 25, Sobaeksu, Amnokgang, Kigwancha, Pyongyang and other local sports clubs.

Experts and fans commented that the recent matches were fierce battles for the past winners to defend their titles. This time again the April 25 team, the defending champion, topped the total rankings in the men’s event. The April 25’s powerful rival was the Amnokgang team it had competed with in the final every year. Many of their final matches ended by a narrow margin. And this time the Amnokgang won the final match on June 19, but the April 25 was finally placed first in the total scores.

However, the Amnokgang has never lost confidence. “Our team players are yet younger in age and poorer in experience than the April 25 players. But they will get up and rise again,” said Han Tong Sik, head coach of the Amnokgang team.

The final match of the women’s event between the Kigwancha and April 25 teams on the same day was also a fierce battle to defend their positions. Kigwancha is known as a local power in the women’s basketball.

Moreover, as the premier league took place at its gymnasium, the Kigwancha team exerted all efforts to win the final. It upped the tempo in the match with the help of players who are good at dribbling and break in the first two rounds to put pressure on the opponent so that they could not apply their tactics properly, while scoring many points with layups.

In the following rounds it changed the tactics to increase the margin of points with long-distance shots, giving full play to its advantages. Eventually, the Kigwancha beat the April 25 by a margin of 10 points and defended its title again in the recent premier league.

A player of the April 25 team jumps to prevent an opponent of the Amnokgang team from scoring. The two teams had a final match on June 19. JON KWANG HUN / THE PYONGYANG TIMES

By Ko Kwang Yon PT

Among the Koreans’ favourite foods is fermented and steamed rice cake. The rice cake is made by kneading grain flour in hot water, fermenting the dough after adding to it a sweet drink made from rice and malt or liquor and steaming it and its name varied according to the method of making it and its shape.

It was called kijuttok as it is made by fermenting it with liquor and jungphyon as it is steamed. It was also called panguljungphyon as it is in the shape of a bell and phyonjungphyon as it is steamed flat.

Knead polished rice flour with hot water before adding to it a small amount of liquor and sesame oil and stirring them to fully dissolve without lumps. Seal tight the container with the mixture in it and put it in a warm place. When the mixture is properly fermented, spread a wrapping cloth in the cake steamer, scoop up the mixture into the steamer, garnish it with fine chops of jujube, dried persimmon and pine nuts and steam it. Then spread cooking oil on it.

It was said that the garnish is a factor indispensable to the food in enhancing its taste, shape and colour. Chestnut, jujube, pine nut and boletus are used as the garnish. As a kind of fermented food, the rice cake does not spoil even in summer unlike other kinds of rice cake.

The Chonju Restaurant located on the scenic banks of the Pothong River in Pyongyang serves the food it makes by a traditional method as it is registered as a famous restaurant food.

Every visitor to the restaurant orders the food as it is delicious and aromatic.