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Nehru Cannot be Erased from History

Five Things That Make Nehru Immortal

- Dr.H.S.Chandalia

56 years after the unfortunate demise of Nehru India stands weaker in world politics and is rapidly pacing towards becoming a client state of the United States of India. The entire ruling party intelligentsia has been working overtime to blame him for anything that goes wrong with this country. The biggest criticism of Nehru is the 1962 debacle when he supposedly could not read the real intent behind the "Hindi-Chini Bhai Bhai" slogan. Today we stand at a similar juncture when the Chinese forces have challenged Indian forces and have infiltrated into many of our posts crossing the LoC. The bribed and bought media today does not question the present political and diplomatic establishment on this.

Jawahar Lal Nehru did a number of things which are recorded in history. He might have committed many errors too. Myths about his differences with Gandhi and Patel have also been propagated systematically. But there are five things that he did which have made him immortal. No amount of criticism can erase his name from the Indian history.

Time Spent in British Jail- He was in British jails for 3259 days that means nearly nine years. His first term was for 88 days, second term was for 266 days, third term was for 12 days, fourth term was for 181 days, fifth term was for 100 days, sixth term was for 614 days, seventh term was for 558 days, eighth term was for 399 days and ninth term was for 1041 days. No one in the present establishment can be compared to the sacrifice he made during freedom struggle.

Founding Non-Aligned Movement

The Non-Aligned Movement was founded and held its first conference (the Belgrade Conference) in 1961 under the leadership of Josip Broz Tito of Yugoslavia, Gamal Abdel Nasser of Egypt, Jawaharlal Nehru of India, Kwame Nkrumah of Ghana, and Sukarno of Indonesia. It has one Hundred and twenty members. Nehru laid down a policy of non-adherence with any of the super powers of his time for India and all the developing nations of his time.

Writing Numerous Books and Articles

Nehru was a poet at heart. No one can forget his famous freedom speech delivered in the night/ morn of 15th August, 1947. The tryst with destiny continued even during his years in Jail and was nurtured by great personalities like Gandhi, Gokhale, Tilak and Bose with whom Nehru evolved as a leader and also as a writer. His Glimpses of World History, Discovery of India and Autobiography are works of quite interesting prose.

A Beloved Chacha of Children of India

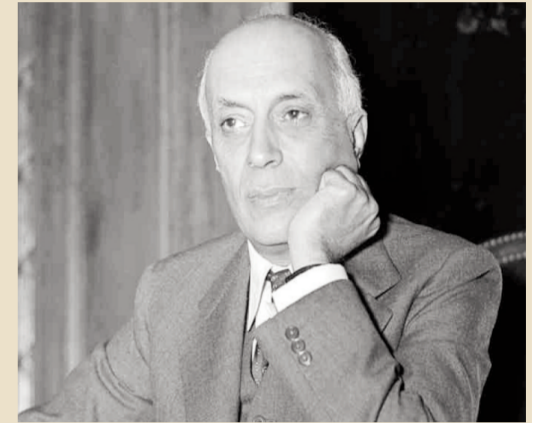
Not many leaders have succeeded in culling such a niche as Nehru in the hearts of children. Indian children of previous generations spoke of Chacha Nehru as dearly as they talked of Chanda Mama. Then there was no TV and Whatsup to build up a propaganda image as leaders can do now, still this loving image of Nehru prevailed almost everywhere in India.

Cultivator of Mixed Economy Model

When the whole world was divided into the western and eastern block, Nehru chose a model of economy which could strengthen the economy by using a centralized five year plan model and also allowed the private sector to play in non-strategic sectors. The public sector helped in developing infrastructure while the private sector developed a business network. This was most suited for a newly independent nation where expectations of the people were immense.

His Worldview

Mushirul Hasan, Jawaharlal Nehru Fellow and, formerly, Vice-Chancellor, Jamia Millia Islamia, and Director General, National Archives of India mentioned in one of his articles said, "Nehru kept the country together, established secular ideals, propelled it forward with the thrust of science and modernity, healed some of the wounds of Partition, and stood before the world at the head of the non-aligned camp. His vision was hardly ever trapped in the exclusivist, cultural mode; far from it, it was supremely inclusive and driven by a belief in the existence, even the necessity of cultures constantly interacting with each other, of cultures working on and transforming the other and their own through a live contact. In fact, he talked of a whole people becoming full of faith for a great cause, and brought to the fore their treasures of knowledge, learning, heroism and devotion. He looked at the entire world with a fresh eye and gave a balanced view of man's life on many continents



Health protocol should be strictly followed in traffic - Chief Minister

Jaipur: The state government has continuously taking steps to overcome the practical problems of the people during lockdown and corona transition. Due to this, exemption has been given to the workers, migrants, and business activities. But at the same time the Government is also fully aware of the rising corona positive cases from traffic. The government is also cautious about the possible transition from regular air and rail traffic to further opening. Therefore, in the coming times, all health related protocols including quarantine will be strictly followed.

Chief Minister Shri Ashok Gehlot has said that in view of the increase in the number of corona infected patients due to increased migration of migrants/workers, despite the exemption in the quarantine rule for the passengers going from one state to another state

by the Government of India. In all, the rule of staying in quarantine for 14 days will be fulfilled. He said that for those travelers who stay in Rajasthan only for a few days, it will be mandatory to get RT-PCR test before coming here or as soon as they arrive here. Such a person will have to stay in quarantine till the test report comes negative.

Shri Gehlot was presiding over a high-level review meeting with officials at the Chief Minister's residence on Sunday. He said that in the last few days more than 1 million migrants have come from outside in Rajasthan, out of which about 1600 have been found infected. More than 50 percent of these migrants have not completed their quarantine period. In these circumstances it is necessary to strictly adhere to the health protocol for the safety of everyone, including local residents

and visitors.

The Chief Minister said that the State Government is giving priority to home quarantine for the convenience of migrants and their families. But due to lack of home quarantine facility, the State Government has made a strong system of institutional quarantine up to village level. He appealed to all visitors coming to Rajasthan by air, rail and road to register the necessary information including mobile numbers by registering online on e-Mitra portal of Rajasthan Government. Due to this, proper arrangements can be made for health check-up and treatment of a person if he is infected with corona or shows any symptoms.

Mr. Gehlot instructed the officials that all the people coming from outside should be monitored with IT based system and they should strict-

ly follow the instructions to quarantine them in home. The list of passengers coming by airplane, train, the list of railway and bus passengers from Rajasthan Roadways should be sent to the concerned district administration so that effective monitoring of passengers can be made.

In addition to this, the facility of registration and quarantine will also be available to people entering the State by road on the earlier border checkpoints.

Moksha Kalash Special free bus service starts today

Shri Gehlot said that for those whose bones have not been immersed during the lockdown, the State Government has started Moksha Kalash Special free bus service. The first special bus will leave on Monday. Two people will be able to go with a vase and they will have to register themselves on the

portal of Rajasthan State Road Transport Corporation. He said that this initiative has received good response from general public across the state. The senior citizen pilgrimage scheme launched during the time of our previous Government also benefited a lot. On the same lines, the benefit of this scheme should also be available to the people waiting for immersion of their family member's bones. However, it is a very sensitive subject for many families.

One more step towards people not sleeping hungry

The Chief Minister said that in the long lockdown, retail and small businessmen, self-employed and migrants have faced a lot of difficulties for livelihood. The Government has made a lot of efforts in the past including pension, wheat distribution, cash assistance of Rs 2500 thousand. Those deprived of these schemes still

need food security. For this, the Government has started a survey for these categories of food security, for which the applicant can apply through e-Mitra / e-Mitra app or Gram Panchayat level core group or BLO in urban areas. Necessary information in this regard can be obtained from the 181 helpline.

Medical & Health Minister Dr. Raghu Sharma, Chief Secretary Mr. DB Gupta, Atty. Chief Secretary Home Shri Rajiv Swaroop, Atty. Chief Secretary Industries Shri Subodh Agrawal, Additional Chief Secretary Medical Shri Rohit Kumar Singh, Additional Chief Secretary Public Works Shri Veenu Gupta, Principal Secretary Secretary Information Technology Shri Abhay Kumar and Information and Public Relations Commissioner Shri Mahendra Soni and other high officials were present in this meeting.

Chief Minister congratulates the people on Eid-ul-Fitr



Jaipur: Chief Minister Shri Ashok Gehlot has congratulated the Muslim people on Eid-ul-Fitr.

In his message, Mr. Gehlot said that this festival of Eid brings the message of happiness to the Muslim

community. Eid teaches us to help people, destitute and needy by eradicating mutual discrimination and upholding humanity and brotherhood.

The Chief Minister said that on this happy occasion of Eid-ul-Fitr, pray for peace and prosperity in the state and country. Mr. Gehlot has appealed to the Muslim brothers to follow the lockdown to prevent infection of the Corona virus, he suggested to keep social distancing and offer Eid prayers at home. After prayers, pray for the elimination of the Covid-19 pandemic in the world and the protection of infected people

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Dr. Harsh Vardhan elected as Chair of Executive Board of WHO

"Health is central to economic performance and to enhancing human capabilities"

I am committed to working for efficient, effective and responsive discharge of public health obligations: Dr Harsh Vardhan

New Delhi: The Union Minister of Health & Family Welfare Dr. Harsh Vardhan has been elected as Chair of the Executive Board of World Health Organization for the year 2020-21. This took place today during the 147th session of the Executive Board, in a meeting that was virtually held. He has replaced Dr Hiroki Nakatani of Japan.

Accepting the Chair of the Executive Board, Dr Harsh Vardhan paid tribute to the lakhs of people who have lost their lives due to the global COVID-19 pandemic. He requested all dignitaries present on the occasion to give a standing ovation to all the frontline health workers and other COVID Warriors by saluting their dignity, determination and dedication.

"I feel deeply honoured to have the trust and faith of all of you. India, and all my countrymen, too, feel privileged that this honour has been bestowed upon us", he stated. Acknowledging that this is a great human tragedy and the next two decades may see many such challenges, he stated that "All these challenges demand a shared response, because these are shared threats requiring a shared responsibility to act." He further added that "while this is the core philosophy of our alliance of member nations that comprise WHO, however, it needs a greater degree of shared idealism of nations." He said that, "The pandemic has made humanity acutely aware of the consequences of ignoring the strengthening and preparedness of our healthcare systems. In such times of global crisis, both risk management and mitigation would require further strengthening of global partnerships to re-energize interest and investment in global public health."

Dr Harsh Vardhan also shared India's experience of combating COVID-19. He noted that "We have a mortality of 3 per cent only. In a country of 1.35 billion, there are only 0.1 million cases of COVID-19. The recovery rate is above 40 per cent and the doubling rate is 13 days."

As the new Chair of the Executive Board of WHO, Dr Harsh Vardhan underlined the need for higher commitments in respect of diseases that have plagued humankind for centuries, collaborations for supplementing each other by pooling of global resources, an aggressive roadmap to curtail deaths from diseases that can be eliminated, a fresh roadmap to address global shortages of medicines and vaccines and the need for reforms. "I am sure that constant engagement with member states and other stakeholders will reinforce reforms and help accelerate progress towards achieving sustainable development goals and universal health coverage with the most productive, efficient and targeted utilization of resources. I will put myself to work to realise the collective vision of our organisation, to build the collective capacity of all our member nations and also build a heroic collective leadership", he stated.

Dr Harsh Vardhan stated that WHO believes in the principle that the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of health is one of the fundamental rights of every human being without distinction of race, religion, political belief, economic or social condition. "We, therefore, commit to work with the Member States; the Organization and the global community of partners for the efficient, effective and responsive discharge of public health obligations", he added.

Dr Harsh Vardhan while taking charge as the Chair of the EB also shared his thoughts on the future health scenario of the world. "I believe that health is central to economic performance and to enhancing human capabilities. However, public health policy must be based and guided on a proper understanding of nature. This is also the underlying principle of the Indian traditional systems of medicine based on holistic health and wellness, which I have lived and experienced", he said. He also outlined the policy of India towards 'Universal Health for All' through national flagships programmes such as Ayushman Bharat with its twin pillars of Health & Wellness centres (HWCs) and Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PM-JAY), being led by the dynamic and visionary Prime Minister Mr Narendra Modi.

Reminiscing about his long standing association with WHO, he expressed his gratitude for the strong support of WHO in India's fight against Polio. "If it had not been for the support and morale boosting by friends in WHO, I would not have achieved what I did. If, today, Polio stands eradicated from India, I must admit it could never have been possible without the perseverance of WHO", he stated.

Dr Harsh Vardhan has also been a member of several prestigious committees of WHO like Strategic Advisory Group of Experts (SAGE) and the Global Technical Consultative Group (TCG) on Polio Eradication. He has also served as an Advisor to the WHO. The Executive Board of WHO is composed of 34 technically qualified members elected for three-year term. The main functions of the Board are to implement the decisions and policies of the Health Assembly, and advise and facilitate its work.

This is another feather in the cap of Dr. Harsh Vardhan's illustrious career. He earned his graduation and post-graduation in medicine from G.S.V.M. Medical College, Kanpur in 1979 and 1983, respectively. He has been associated with public service since 1993 when he was elected to the Delhi Legislative Assembly. He served his constituency continuously for five terms until he was elected to the 16th Lok Sabha in May, 2014 from Chandni Chowk constituency. From 1993 to 1998, he served as the Minister of Health, Education, Law & Justice & Legislative Affairs for the Govt. of NCT of Delhi. In 1994, as the Delhi Health Minister, he oversaw the successful implementation of the pilot project of the Pulse Polio Programme which involved the mass immunisation of 1.2 million children up to the age of 3 in Delhi, laying the groundwork for a Polio free India in 2014. He has championed the passing and implementation of the Delhi Prohibition of Smoking and Non-Smokers Health Protection Act, 1997, which was later replicated by several States in the country.

Dr Harsh Vardhan has been the Union Health Minister in 2014, and later took over as the Union Minister Science & Technology and Earth Sciences. He was also Union Minister for Environment, Forest and Climate Change. He was re-elected to the 17th Lok Sabha and sworn in on May 30th, 2019 as Union Cabinet Minister and was given the portfolios of Health and Family Welfare; Science and Technology and Earth Sciences.