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Newly formed team investigating case in connection with unidentifiable corpses found at Inndin village cemetery in Maungtaw Township

Naypyitaw, December 20

A five-member investigation team led by Lt-Gen Aye Win of the Office of the Commander-in-Chief (Army) left on 20 December to visit Inndin village cemetery in Maungtaw Township, Rakhine State where human remains that are totally unidentifiable were found. The task of the investigation team is to find out whether the security forces were involved in the case or not.

—Office of the Commander-in-Chief (Facebook)

Union Ministers, Rakhine State Chief Minister tour Maungtaw Reception Center

Naypyitaw, December 21

Union Minister for the Office of the Union Government U Thaug Tun, Union Minister for Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement Dr. Win Myat Aye, and Rakhine State Chief Minister U Nyi Pu inspected Taung Pyo Letwei Reception Center in Maungtaw on 21 December afternoon. They met the locals and coordinated plans to be carried out in the region.

The Union Ministers and Rakhine State Chief Minister then proceeded to Thit Ton Nar Gwa Sone and Oh Htein villages, where houses are being built for local Myo races and Hindus. They asked the officials concerned how the process was proceeding and coordinated for them to attend to their requirements. The Union Ministers also inspected the houses of those who fled to Bangladesh. They inspected Hla Poe Khaung Village, where repatriated residents could stay temporarily after returning to their native villages.



According to the pact between the Myanmar and Bangladeshi governments, efforts are being made in order to scrutinise and accept the people who fled to other countries and the process of resettlement will be resumed in the last week of January, 2018, it was learnt.

—MNA, The Global New Light of Myanmar

Rakhine State Chief Minister receives Japanese First Secretary

Sittwe, December 21

Rakhine State Chief Minister U Nyi Pu and state cabinet members received First Secretary Mr. Yusuke Matsuoka, Embassy of Japan in Yangon and party on December 21 afternoon at the chief minister's hall in State Government Office.

In the meeting, Mr. Yusuke Matsuoka discussed the status of providing aid for schools, buildings, electricity and transportation requirements and spoke about participating in programmes to be continued for Rakhine State development either directly through the government or via international organisations.

Eighty schools are planned to be built with the aid of Japan. Sixteen schools have already been built.

—Tin Tun (IPRD), The Global New Light of Myanmar

Third batch of youthvolunteers in Sittway to conduct humanitarian assistance

Sittwe, December 21

The third batch of youth volunteersarrived at Sittway, RakhineState on 21 December morningto help with the humanitarian assistance, resettlement and development projects of Union Enterprise for Humanitarian Assistance, Resettlement and Development in Rakhine (UEHRD). The third batch of 46 youth volunteers, with 30 men and 16 women, will leave for Maungtaw on 21 December by Shwe Pyi Tan Express boat. The young volunteers will meet with local ethnic people and conduct humanitarian aid to the people in the villages and towns in Buthidaung and Maungdaw townships, RakhineState.

—Win Min Soe (IPRD), The Global New Light of Myanmar
