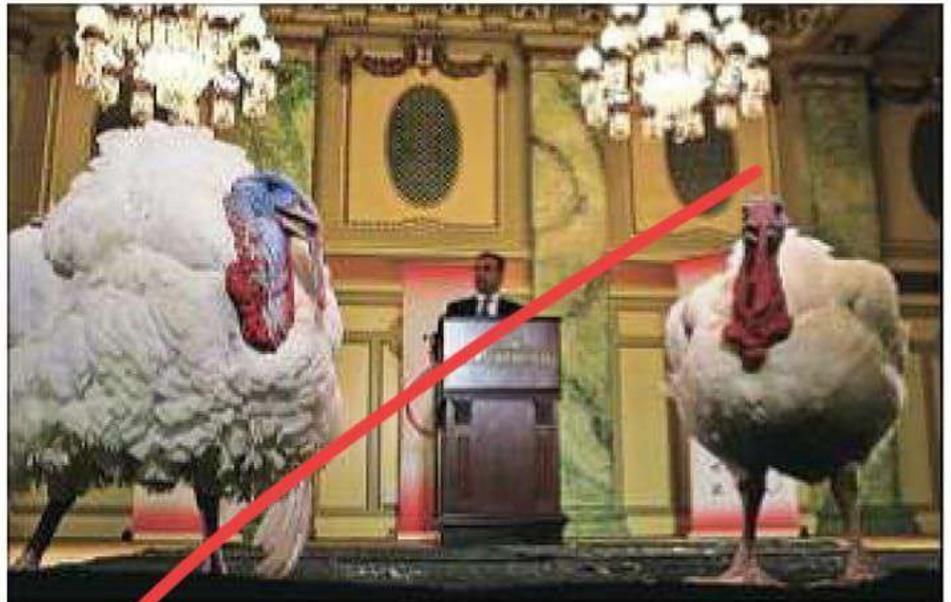


# Trump spares turkeys, but not his political opponents!!

- He joked about sending the turkeys to an infamous prison in El Salvador and named them Chuck and Nancy — after Democratic stalwarts Chuck Schumer and Nancy Pelosi. He also said that he would never pardon these people



WASHINGTON, Nov 26 (AP)

PRESIDENT Donald Trump didn't bring much holiday cheer on Tuesday when bestowing ceremonial pardons on two Thanksgiving turkeys, dispensing more insults than goodwill at the traditional White House rit-

ual. He joked about sending the turkeys to an infamous prison in El Salvador that has been used to house migrants deported from the United States. He said the birds should be named Chuck and Nancy — after Democratic stalwarts Chuck Schumer and Nancy Pelosi — but “I would nev-

er pardon those people.”

Trump claimed that last year's turkey pardons, issued by President Joe Biden, were invalid because he used an autopsy. “Where's Hunter?” he said, suggesting that his predecessor's son could once again face legal jeopardy.

# Envoys will meet Putin, Zelensky to finalise peace deal: Trump

NEW YORK, Nov 26 (IANS)

AS THE carnage continued in the Ukraine War, US President Donald Trump said that his peace plan has been “fine-tuned” with inputs from the two countries, and he is sending envoys to the leaders of Russia and Ukraine to finalise a deal.

“There are only a few remaining points of disagreement” over the 28-point plan drafted by the US after it was fine-tuned, Trump said on Truth Social on Tuesday.

“In the hopes of finalising this Peace Plan, I have directed my Special Envoy Steve Witkoff to meet with President [Vladimir] Putin in Moscow and, at the same time, Secretary of the Army Dan

Driscoll will be meeting with the Ukrainians”, he wrote.

He said that he was looking forward to meeting with Putin and Ukraine’s President Volodymyr Zelensky, “but only when the deal to end this War is FINAL or, in its final stages”.

Trump had said he was setting a Thanksgiving Day deadline – Thursday when the feast is observed in the US – for Ukraine to agree to the deal, but has since said he was open to extending it if there was progress.

The war, which, according to Trump, claimed the lives of 25,000 soldiers last month, continued to rage with Russia hitting Kyiv with missiles and drones on Tuesday.

# Safran to operationalise LEAP engine MRO in 2026; aims over 3 bn euro annual India revenue by 2030

HYDERABAD, Nov 26 (PTI)

BOOSTING its India presence, French major Safran on Wednesday said its maintenance, repair and overhaul facility for the LEAP engines will be operational in 2026 and also expects to triple its annual revenue in the country to more than 3 billion euros by 2030.

Safran, which is into aerospace, defence and space segments, will also be setting up a dedicated MRO (Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul) facility for the M88 engines powering the Dassault Aviation Rafale fighter jets. Both facilities will be in Hyderabad.

"The new LEAP engine MRO centre represents a total investment of 200 million euros and will be operational in 2026. The 45,000-square-meter facility will ramp up to a capacity of 300 LEAP shop visits a year and boast a next-generation test bench," the company



Telangana Chief Minister Revanth Reddy, Union Civil Aviation Minister K Rammohan Naidu, Safran CEO Olivier Andries and others during the inauguration on Wednesday. (PTI Photo)

said in a release. Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated the facility through video conferencing on Wednesday. The facility is the company's largest MRO facility for LEAP engines in the world.

The MRO facility is for LEAP (Leading Edge Aviation

Propulsion) engines that power Airbus A320neo and Boeing 737 MAX planes. These engines are manufactured by CFM International, an equal joint venture between Safran Aircraft Engines and GE Aerospace. India is CFM's third-largest market, with five Indian carriers operating more

than 400 LEAP-powered aircraft and 2,000 engines on order.

The new site will employ more than 250 people at launch and up to 1,100 at full capacity. Also, an on-site training center will train more than 100 Indian technicians and engineers each year.

Apart from India, Safran has MRO facilities for LEAP engines in Morocco, France, Belgium and Mexico. Besides, GE Aerospace and some airlines have the MRO facilities for these engines.

At a briefing after the inauguration, Andries said the company expects the sourcing of components to be worth 500 million euros by 2030 from the current level of 100 million euros.

Also, the company anticipates to have nearly 5,000 staff in India by 2030 and the current employee strength in the country is around 3,000 people.

# Indrajaal unveils AI-enabled anti-Drone Patrol Vehicle

HYDERABAD, Nov 26 (PTI)

CITY-BASED Indrajaal Drone Defence on Wednesday announced the launch of ADPV—a fully mobile, AI-enabled counter-drone system.

Named ‘Indrajaal Ranger’, it is India’s “first anti-drone patrol vehicle”, engineered to detect, track, and neutralise hostile drones, the company said in a statement.

“With drone-based smuggling of drugs, weapons, and explosives rising sharply along India’s western and northern borders, Indrajaal Drone Defence has launched the deployment-ready Indrajaal Ranger. It is the country’s first mobile anti-drone patrol vehicle engineered specifically to counter cross-border aerial threats,” it said.

The Anti-Drone Patrol Vehicle has been designed as a purpose-built combat vehicle capable of on-the-move drone detection,

real-time patrolling and surveillance, autonomous threat assessment through AI, instant interception and neutralisation, and seamless coverage across border roads, canals, agricultural belts, critical infrastructure, and dense urban areas, it added.

“India is facing a new kind of enemy—one that flies. Smugglers no longer cross the border on foot; they cross it through the air in minutes. Indrajaal Ranger is India’s answer to this new battlefield,” Indrajaal founder and CEO Kiran Raju said.

Built on an all-terrain 4×4 platform and powered by Indrajaal’s SkyOS™ autonomy engine, the Indrajaal Ranger combines 10 km detection and four km mitigation, along with AI-driven tracking.

It also features multiple counter-UAS options, including cyber takeover, soft-kill measures, and interceptor drones, the statement said.

# Constitution India's identity: President

## A guiding document to shun colonial mindset: Murmu

NEW DELHI, Nov 26 (PTI)

**PRESIDENT** Droupadi Murmu on Wednesday asserted that the Constitution is the cornerstone of the nation's identity as also the guiding document to shun colonial mindset and adopt nationalist thinking.

Addressing the Constitution Day event at the Central Hall of the Old Parliament building, now called 'Samvidhan Sadan', Murmu also said the Indian Parliament, which expresses public aspirations in the world's largest democracy, now serves as an example for many democracies around the world.

The President said the Constitution is the document of the country's national pride and the text of the national identity.

"It is a guiding text for taking the country forward with a nationalist mindset by abandoning the colonial mindset," she said.

Murmu said with this spirit and keeping in mind the social and technological developments, important legislations related to



President Droupadi Murmu, Vice President C P Radhakrishnan, Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla, Union Ministers JP Nadda, Kiren Rijiju, Congress president and Leader of Opposition in the Rajya Sabha Mallikarjun Kharge, Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi and others during the Constitution Day celebrations at Central Hall of Samvidhan Sadan, in New Delhi on Wednesday. (PTI)

the criminal justice system have been implemented.

The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita and the Bharatiya

Sakshya Adhinyam, based on the spirit of justice rather than punishment, have been implemented, she noted.

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### Constitutional duties foundation for strong democracy: PM

NEW DELHI, Nov 26 (PTI)

**PRIME** Minister Narendra Modi on Wednesday urged citizens to fulfil their Constitutional duties, asserting that these were foundations for a strong democracy.

In a letter to citizens on Constitution Day, the Prime Minister also stressed the responsibility of strengthening democracy by exercising the right to vote, and suggested that schools and colleges celebrate Constitution Day by honouring first-time voters turning 18.

Modi recalled Mahatma Gandhi's belief that rights flow from the performance of (Contd on page 5)