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Haresh Karunanyake of Nandimithra Place, Colombo 6 who helped build the first ever biomass power generation plant in the Dodangoda area in Kalutara District was conferred with an honorary title Srilankabhimani Deshamanya by Tri Nikayika Sangha Sabha at a felicitation ceremony held at the Humbulawa Raja Maha Viharaya, Alawwa recently. Here Karunanyake receives the title from the Mahanayake Thera of the Rohana Chapter of the Shayanopali Maha Nikaya and Ruhuna University Chancellor Most Ven Atthudawa Rahula Thera



North Central Province Governor Karunaratne Divulgane lights the traditional oil lamp at a ceremony to mark the unveiling of the Golden Pinnacle at the Lankarama Stupa, Anuradhapura. Mervyn Silva MP has provided funds for the Pinnacle under the directions of Atamasthanadhipathi Ven Pallegama Sirinivasa Thera and members of the Maha Sangha. Picture by Walter Dayaratne, Anuradhapura District Special Corr



Author Bernard de Silva presents his latest book, New Work Book Grade Nine English based on the new syllabus 2010 to Colombo Archbishop Most Rev Dr Malcolm Ranjith at the Archbishop's Palace recently. This book is the author's 40th publication



The induction of Chartered Engineers for the year 2010 and the awarding of degree certificates to those who had passed out as engineers were held at a ceremony organized by the Sri Lanka Institute of Engineers held under the patronage of External Affairs Minister Prof G L Peiris at the Waters Edge, Battaramulla. Here Minister Prof Peiris presenting a certificate to a Chartered Engineer



French Ambassador Christine Robichon called on Child Development and Women's Affairs Minister Tissa Karaliyadda at his Ministry recently



MJF Charter Chairman and endorsed candidate of the Multiple District 306 for the Office of the International Director Lion Sunil Watawala addressing the gathering at the 43rd Charter Anniversary and the official visit of District Governor Lion S Jayawathsalam MJF to the Lions Club of Negombo. The Club will be reaching a new milestone in 2011/2013 when Lion Sunil Watawala's candidature for the Office of International Director will be ratified by the ISAAME Leadership at the Forum to be held in Dubai in early December 2010. A large contingent of Lions from Sri Lanka are expected to participate



Labour Relations and Productivity Promotion Minister Gamini Lokuge launching the official website of the Ceylon Estate Staffs' Union (CESU) to commemorate its 90th anniversary. CESU General Secretary Nath Amarasinghe and CESU President Elect Dhammika Jayawardena were also present



Two members of the Yakkalamulla Pradeshia Sabha took their oaths, before Southern Province Governor Kumari Balasuriya at her office in Galle recently. Malvanna Hewage Ananda Wickramanayake extreme left took his oaths as the new Chairman of the Sabha, while Nabadawa Vithanage Namal Nishantha extreme right took his oaths as a new PS member, Southern Province Governor Kumari Balasuriya, and Galle District MP Nishantha Muthuhothigama are also in the picture. Picture by D. C. de Silva - Kahawa Special

