

CULTURAL PROGRAMME

Tomorrow (Friday) the Bhartiya Vidya Bhawan, Allahabad, will present a cultural show from 7 p.m. in the local Lakshmi Talkies. The programme will include a full-length dance-feature on the life of the Buddha. The cultural programme, organised through the courtesy of Justice C. B. Agarwala, president of the Bhartiya Vidya Bhawan, will mark the conclusion of the 3-day Buddha Jayanti celebrations, planned by the local Buddha Jayanti Samiti. The entry will be without tickets.

The Buddhist Art Exhibition, organized in the Allahabad Museum, will remain open from 5-30 p.m. to 7 p.m. tomorrow (Friday).

Buddha Jayanti celebrations were held at the office of Prayag Hitkarni Sabha under the presidentship of Dr. Rai Ram Charan Agarwal. The speakers dwelt upon the teachings of Lord Buddha and Gandhiji and requested the public to follow them.

DR. KATJU'S BUDDHA JAYANTI MESSAGE

ALLAHABAD, May 24.—India's Defence Minister Dr. Kailas Nath Katju has sent the following message to the convenor of the Buddha Jayanti Celebrations Committee here on the occasion of the 2500th anniversary of Lord Buddha: 'The whole world shall be celebrating on this day, one of the most auspicious events in the history of the world. What humanity owes to Gautam Buddha cannot be described in words. Our debt to him is immeasurable. He has chalked out, for all time, a path of action which leads to human deliverance.'

The message was read out at the public meeting which was held today at the Lakshmi Talkies to celebrate the Buddha Jayanti. Sri Gopal Swarup Pathak presided.

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 pant Padhye II, Merdan Lal
 Garg II, Naresh Chandra Nigam
 III, Ranjeet Mal N. Jain II,
 Shantaram Shivaram Rarangpani
 III, Sadashiv Sharma III, Shanti-
 lal Jain III, Saiyyad Hamid Ali
 Jafry II, Sadashiv Wamanrao
 Bokil II, Surendranath Sukla II,
 Someshwar Singh Rathore III,
 Sunderlal P. Tahilramani III, Vi-
 jay Kumar Joshi III, Vasudeo
 Baburao Tilwankar III, Vishnu
 Bhai Mannu Bhai Patel III, Pyare
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