



# NEWS LETTER

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## DULIAJAN COLLEGE LIBRARY



### *From Principal's Desk :*



*It is no denying the fact that a Library plays a very important role in an educational institution. In fact, it may be treated as the soul of the institution. At present, nobody can think of an educational institution like school, college or a University without a library. Although it is a store-house of books, even then it has been gaining ground its entity as a social organisation more so a service institution. It certainly provides the best opportunities to the users to make use of the best resources and services.*

*What soever the fact, a modern library, today assumes a very large organisational impetus with the advent of scientific and technological advancement. The conception of digital library is the outcome of such advancement. Therefore, it is seen that the field of library organisation is becoming more and more larger in the context of globalisation. It has to be also noted that the organisation of library has been gaining momentum as movement or revolution today all over the world.*

*At present, an independent discipline is also coming up in the form of library science which has been growing and developing fast in the academic field. The developed countries like UK and USA have been making necessary laws in regard to the development of library. India is also not lagging behind in this regard. S.R. Ranganathan must be remembered in the Indian perspective.*

*Come what may, the library in modern sense, be it public or private is regarded as a service institution which aims at being to enable the stake holders to make the most effective use of the resources and services of it. Historical evidence shows that libraries have been playing a vital role in the growth of civilization. Most particularly, these have been helping in the social, political, economic and cultural change of the society as a whole. Hence, it is an important instrument of social mobility.*

*I do believe that Duliajan College library will also play this role meaningfully for the change and development of the society in near future.*

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### **GRATITUDE**

*We extend our heartfelt thanks & gratitude to Dr. A. K. Gogoi (Ex-Principal) for his valuable advice and support in developing the Duliajan College Library to this State.*

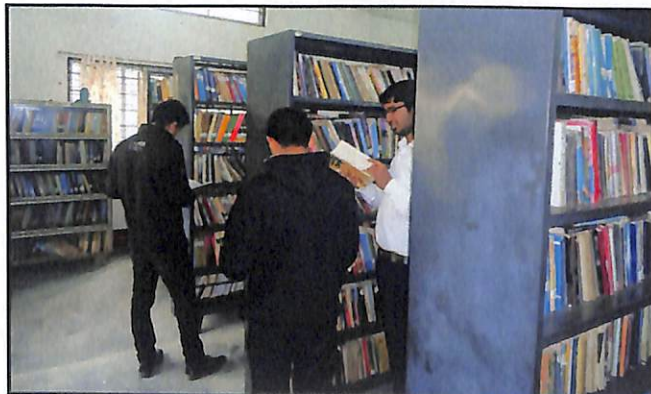
## **Library : A power house of knowledge and information.**



In the 21st century human society walks with current information and moving towards better socio-economic situation. Libraries are especially important now as an effective means and strategy for handling explosion of information and knowledge. Library acts as an active representative through offering different information services and practical tools that people need to improve their lives. According to K.A. Dutta, "Libraries are the mind of society, house of wisdom and learning, community's intellectual center, common stock of knowledge, roots and fruits of great civilization, product of our cultural maturation and enabling group to survive and conserve the past."

Thus library is a well acknowledged social agency with a strong communication between libraries and society and a power house of knowledge and information.

## **Duliajan College Library :**



Duliajan College Library was established in 1969 along with Duliajan College. From the very beginning it has tried to serve library users by different collection of Books, Journals, Magazines, Newspaper and other services. Now it has a sizable collection with a beautiful building equipped with all adequate facilities.

## **Organisation :**

Duliajan College library is fully exercised by an Advisory Committee and the Principal of the

college. The library organizational chart are as follows :



## **Management of the Organization :**

The whole management system of the library has been governed by the honourable Advisory Committee and the Principal. The Librarian is to be abide by their instructions. She acquisition policies and budget are approved in the meetings of this committee. The present advisory committee are :



*Library Committee Members*

### **President :**

Dr. Surendra Nath Gogoi, Principal, ic

### **Convenor :**

Mrs. Mondira Chutia

### **Members :**

- Dr. Likhan Ch. Borah
- Prof. Hemanta Das
- Mrs. Jyotimali Mahanta
- Prof. Parag Saikia

### **Library Staff Position :**

The staff position of the library are as follows :

Librarian  
Library Assistant  
Library Attendant

The Present Library Staff are :



Library Staff

**Librarian :**

Mrs. Mondira Chutia

**Library Attendant :**

Mrs. Deepa Gohain

Miss Santana Borgohain

Sri Ajoy Ch. Dey

Sri Bikas Gogoi

**Library Services :**

**a) General Services**

- 1) Book Circulation (Issue/Return of Books)
- 2) Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) Service
- 3) Newspaper Service
- 4) Photocopy Service
- 5) Display of New Arrivals
- 6) Internet Service

**b) Special Services**

- 1) Information Literacy
- 2) Reference Services
- 3) Current Awareness Services
- 4) Selective Dissemination of Information (SDI) Services
- 5) Indexing and Abstracting Services
- 6) Bibliographical Services
- 7) Book Bank Services.
- 8) National library and information services. Infrastructure for scholarly content (N-List) Programme by Inflibnet UGC.

N-List is a very ambitious project launched by INFLIBNET under UGC-Infonet programme. Colleges can avail this facility to boost the learning e-resources at a minimum cost. All electronic resources subscribed are available from the publisher's web site. Faculty staff, students and researchers of registered colleges are eligible to access e-resources through the N-List project. Our college registered for the programme in the year 2011.

**E-Resources available under N-LIST Programme :**

The Consortium subscribes to the following resources for the colleges. All electronic resources subscribed under N-LIST Programme are available from the publisher's Web site.



**E-Journals (Full text)**

- American Institute of Physics (18 titles)
- American Physical Society (10 titles)
- Annual Reviews (33 titles)
- Cambridge University Press (224 titles)
- Economic and Political Weekly (EPW) (1 titles)
- Indian Journals (150 titles)
- Institute of Physics (46 titles)
- JSTOR (2000 titles)
- Oxford University Press (206 titles)
- Royal Society of Chemistry (29 titles)
- H. W. Wilson (1420 titles)

- <http://journals.aip.org/>
- <http://publish.aps.org/browse.html>
- <http://arjournals.annualreviews.org/>
- <http://journals.cambridge.org/>
- <http://www.epw.in/>
- <http://www.indianjournals.com/>
- <http://www.iop.org/EJ/>
- <http://www.jstor.org/>
- <http://www.oxfordjournals.org>
- <http://www.rsc.org/Publishing/Journals/>
- <http://vnweb.hwwilsonweb.com/hww/jumps tart.jhtml>

## E-Books

Cambridge Books Online (1000+ titles)

E-brary (70000+ titles)

EBSCOHost-Net Library (936 titles)

Hindustan Book Agency (65+ titles)

Institute of South East Asian Studies(ISEAS) Books (382+ titles)

Oxford Scholarship (902 titles)

Springer eBooks (1500+ titles)

Taylor Francis eBooks (1000+ titles)

My library-McGraw Hill (1124 titles)

<http://ebooks.cambridge.org>

<http://site.ebrary.com/lib/inflibnet>

<http://www.netlibrary.com/>

<http://hindustan.igpublish.com>

<http://iseas.igpublish.com>

<http://www.oxfordscholarship.com/>

<http://www.springerlink.com>

<http://inflibnet.etailer.dpsl.net>

<http://lib.mylibrary.com/>

## Bibliographic Database

MathSciNet

<http://www.ams.org/mathscinet/>

## Different Activities of the library in the year 2015-2016.

### 1) Book Fair :

Book Fair is an event to develop a culture of reading among students, teachers, scholars, Researchers and adult people of the any community.



Book Fairs have a great role in promoting the reading habit among people of all age groups. Apart from promoting literacy and reading habit the fair present a vast panorama of books on wide range of subjects in one place. So, Duliajan College library organises a book fair in every academic year so that our student, teachers and other book lover can purchased books according to their needs.

### 2) Library Orientation programme to new comers :



Orientation programme is "Primarily Concerned with ways of introducing the user to the general techniques of library uses and services available and the organisation layout and facilities of a particular library." The orientation programme makes the users to familiarize to the resources and increases the use of library.

Our college library organises an orientation course to educate and to grow consciousness among the newly joined students about library services in every new session.

### 3) Celebration of Librarians Day :



Remembering the Father of library sciences in India Dr. S.R. Ranganathan, Duliajan College celebrates librarians day in every year on 12th August. Dr. Ranganathan was the first person one who identified the real needs of libraries and library science education in our country. India celebrates the August 12th as librarians day in his honour.

### 4) In-service Training Programme on SOUL 2.0 for library staff :

Software for University libraries (SOUL) is a state of the art integrated library management

software designed and developed by the INFLIBNE Centre based on requirements of college and University libraries. SOUL 2.0 is compliant to international standards.



Duliajan College library has installed the SOUL 2.0 in the year 2015 to replacing the SOUL 1.0. Which was

installed in 2008. To awareness of the software for working properly college library authority was organised and in-service training programme on January 05-01-2016 and 06-01-2016. Mr. Anupam Sarma, IT Assistant, Guwahati University was invited as a resource person for the purpose.

## পুথি পৰিচয় :

### অসমীয়া মানুহৰ ইতিহাস



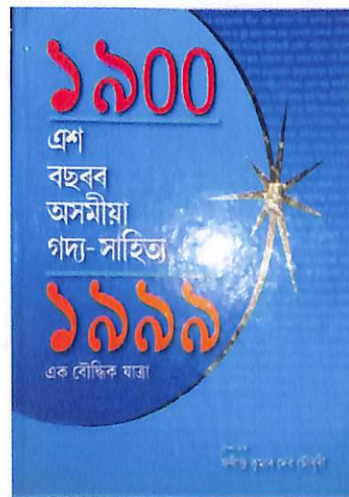
অসমীয়া সাহিত্যৰ অধ্যাপনাৰ মাজেদি সাংস্কৃতিক জীৱনৰ পাতনি মেলা শ্ৰীযুত নগেন শইকীয়া (১৯৩৯) স্বৰাজ্যতৰ অসমীয়া সাহিত্যৰ এগৰাকী স্বনামধন্য ব্যক্তি। উনবিংশ শতিকাৰ আধুনিক অসমীয়া সাহিত্যৰ অধ্যয়ন আৰু পৰিচৰ্চাত এক উল্লেখযোগ্য

বৰঙনি আগবঢ়োৱা এইগৰাকী ব্যক্তিৰ আশাশুৰীয়া প্ৰচেষ্টাত অসম আৰু অসমীয়া মানুহৰ ওপৰত যাবতীয় বহুতো তথ্য সামৰি ২০১৩ চনত প্ৰকাশ পাইছে 'অসমীয়া মানুহৰ ইতিহাস'। পঞ্চাছটি তথ্যবহুল স্বয়ংসম্পূৰ্ণ অধ্যায় আৰু দুই শতাধিক উপ-অধ্যায়ত সমাপ্ত এই অনবদ্য পুথিখনিত সন্নিৱিষ্ট হৈছে অসমৰ ভূ-তাত্ত্বিক, ভৌগোলিক আৰু ৰাজনৈতিক ভূগোলৰ

আভাস, জন-প্ৰবাহ, জন-পৰিচয়, জন-ভূগোল, অসমৰ নৃ-গোষ্ঠী আৰু ভাষাগোষ্ঠী সমূহ, প্ৰথম ঐতিহাসিক যুগৰ আৰম্ভণি আৰু বিস্তাৰ, স্বাপত্য আৰু ভাস্কৰ্য, প্ৰাচীন কামৰূপৰ জনসমষ্টি, আহোম ৰাজত্বৰ আৰম্ভণি আৰু বিস্তাৰ, ৰাজহ-ভূমি বিন্যাস কৃষি, অসমীয়া মানুহৰ খাদ্য, উৎপাদন, আহৰণ, প্ৰস্তুতকৰণ আৰু গ্ৰহণৰ সঁজুলি, বস্ত্ৰশিল্প, অলংকাৰ, মাটি আৰু ধাতুৰ শিল্পকৰ্ম, ধৰ্ম-ভাষা, নৱ-বৈষ্ণৱ আন্দোলন, অসমীয়া বৰ্ণমালা আৰু লিপি, লোকবিশ্বাস, লোকবিদ্যা-লোকজ্ঞান, উৎসৱ-অনুষ্ঠান, খেল-ধেমালি, অসমীয়া, চিত্ৰশিল্প, আদি কৰি সামগ্ৰিকভাৱে অসম সম্পৰ্কে বিশদ বিৱৰণ। পুথিখনিৰ মূল পাঠৰ পিছত সন্নিৱিষ্ট হৈছে নিৰ্বাচিত আপুৰুগীয়া কিছুসংখ্যক মানচিত্ৰ আৰু ঐতিহাসিকভাৱে গুৰুত্বপূৰ্ণ শিলালেখ, তাম্ৰলেখ, ভাস্কৰ্য, স্বাপত্য আদি পোহৰ ছবি। এই সকলোবোৰে সকলো শ্ৰেণীৰ পাঠকৰ বাবে গ্ৰন্থখনক কৰি তুলিছে সুখপাঠ্য আৰু বাৰ্তাবাহক। কিতাপখনিত যুগুতোৱা সকলো খবৰ শিক্ষক, ছাত্ৰ-ছাত্ৰীসকলৰ বাবে সময়োপযোগী আৰু জ্ঞানোৎকৰ্ষক। দুৰীয়াজান মহাবিদ্যালয়ৰ গ্ৰন্থাগাৰত উপলব্ধ কিতাপখনি আমাৰ পঢ়ুৱৈসকলে পঢ়ি জানিব কেনেকৈ নৃ-গোষ্ঠী আৰু ভাষা-গোষ্ঠীৰ প্ৰবাহে হাজাৰ হাজাৰ বছৰৰ পৰিক্ৰমাৰ মাজেদি আহি এক উচ্চস্তৰীয় সভ্যতা আৰু গঢ়ি তুলিলে বৰ্ণাঢ়, ভাষিক, আৰ্থ-সামাজিক আৰু সাংস্কৃতিক এক সংহত জাতীয় জীৱন।

কিতাপখনি অতি মনোমোহকৈ প্ৰকাশ কৰি উলিয়াইছে, গুৱাহাটীৰ কথা প্ৰকাশনে।

### এশ বছৰৰ অসমীয়া গদ্য-সাহিত্য (১৯০০-১৯৯৯) এক বৌদ্ধিক যাত্ৰা।



“অনুৰাধাৰ দেশ”ৰ স্ৰষ্টা আৰু বৰ্তমান অসমীয়া দৈনিক বাতৰি কাকত “নিয়মীয়া বাৰ্তা”ৰ মুখ্য সম্পাদক শ্ৰীযুত ফণীন্দ্ৰ কুমাৰ দেৱ চৌধুৰী অসমৰ সাহিত্য জগতৰ এক স্বনামধন্য ব্যক্তি। তেখেতৰ বিভিন্ন ধৰণৰ লিখনীৰে অসমৰ বৌদ্ধিক জগতখনলৈ আগবঢ়োৱা

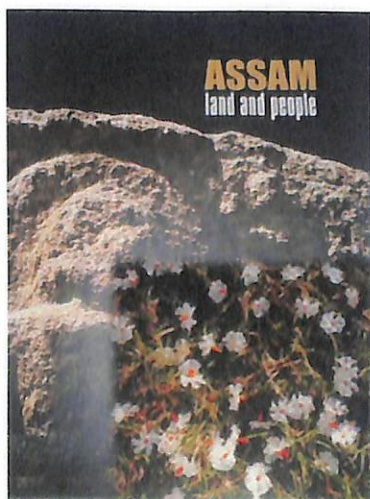
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বহুৰৰ অসমীয়া গদ্য-সাহিত্য (১৯০০-১৯৯৯) এক বৌদ্ধিক যাত্ৰা।”

অসমীয়া সাহিত্যৰ বিচিত্ৰ বৰ্ণাঢ়া ৰূপ দাঙি ধৰিবলৈ তেখেতৰ সম্পাদিত সংকলনখনিত সামৰি লৈছে ১৯০০-১৯৯৯ চনৰ ভিতৰত প্ৰকাশ পোৱা বহুজন নবীন-প্ৰবীণ লেখকৰ পৰিচয় তথা প্ৰতিনিধিত্বমূলক দুই এটা লেখা। লেখকৰ চাৰিত্ৰিক বৈশিষ্ট্য আৰু লেখকৰ ওপৰত বিভিন্ন সমালোচক আৰু ব্যক্তিৰ উদ্ধৃতিৰে লেখকজনক জীৱন্তৰূপত আলোকিত কৰাৰ প্ৰয়াস কৰা এইখনেই অসমৰ সাহিত্যৰ ইতিহাসত প্ৰথম সংকলন।

প্ৰস্তাৱনা সামৰি দহটা দশকৰ লেখকসকলৰ ক্ৰমানুসাৰে পৰিচয়ৰ লগতে বিভিন্ন ৰচনাৰাজি যেনে উপন্যাস, গল্প, জীৱনী, আত্ম-জীৱনী, ব্যঙ্গ, লঘু, বিজ্ঞানভিত্তিক কাহিনী, ভ্ৰমণ, দৰ্শন, ৰহস্য, চিকাৰ-কাহিনী, নাটক আৰু অন্যান্য বিষয় সংযোগ কৰা হৈছে। এই সকলোবোৰ তথ্যই আমাৰ শিক্ষক তথা ছাত্ৰ-ছাত্ৰীসকলৰ বাবে অতি মূল্যবান আৰু সমন্বয়যোগী। গ্ৰন্থখনি দুলীয়াজান মহাবিদ্যালয়ৰ গ্ৰন্থাগাৰত সকলো শ্ৰেণীৰ পঢ়ুৱৈৰ বাবে উপলব্ধ। পঢ়ুৱৈসকলে কিতাপখন পঢ়ি অসমীয়া গদ্যই যোৱা এশ বছৰত লাভ কৰা বিকাশৰ আৰু পৰিৱৰ্তনৰ অন্তৰালতো সামাজিক-সাংস্কৃতিক বৌদ্ধিক পটভূমি, পটভূমিৰ পৰিৱৰ্তিত ৰূপ, ব্যক্তিগত লেখকৰ প্ৰতিভা, বিষয়বস্তুৰ বিভিন্নতা আৰু নতুনত্ব আৰু লেখকৰ দৃষ্টিভংগী এইবিলাকেই সক্ৰিয় ভূমিকা পালন কৰি আহিছে তাক ভালদৰে অনুভৱ কৰিব পাৰিব। কিতাপখনি অতি সুন্দৰকৈ প্ৰকাশ কৰি উলিয়াইছে দুলীয়াজানৰ এটি অতি পবিত্ৰ অনুষ্ঠান শিল্পীঘৰে।

## Book Review : Assam Land and People



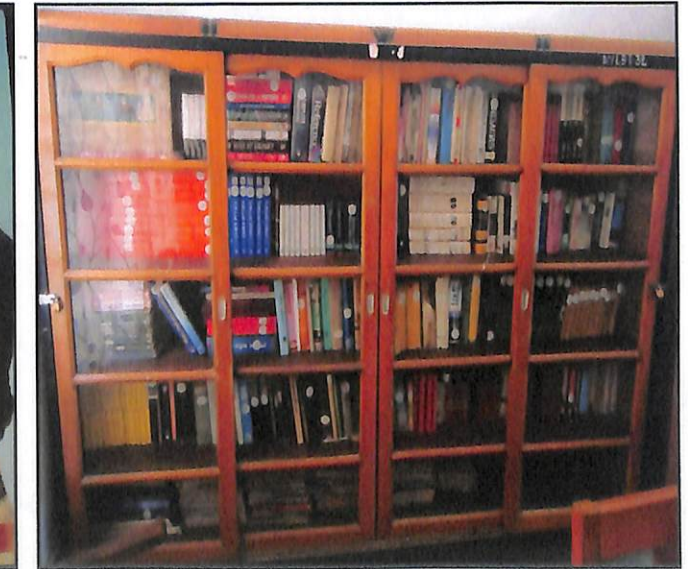
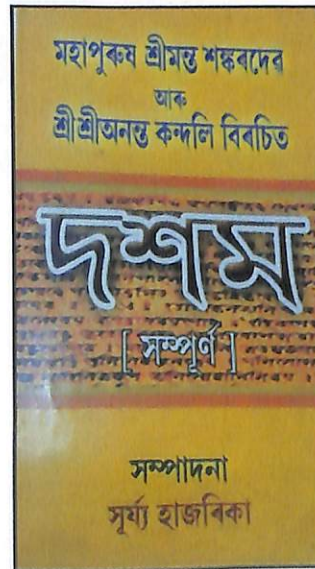
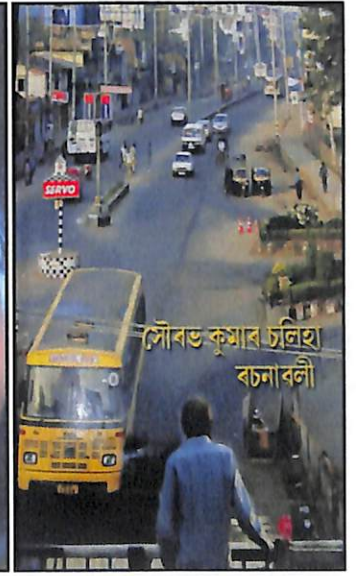
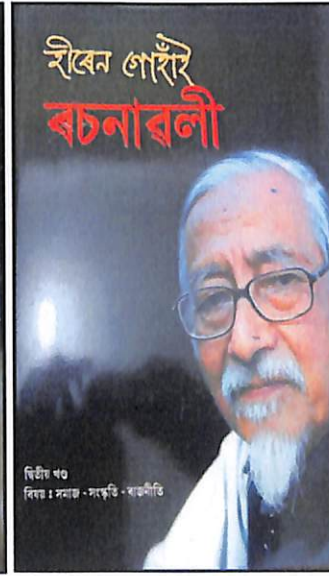
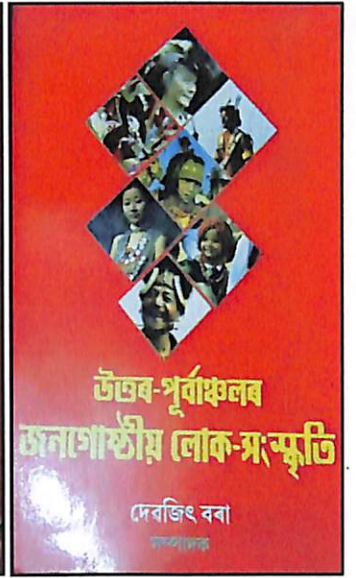
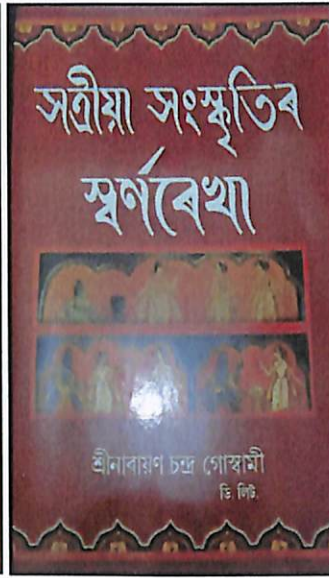
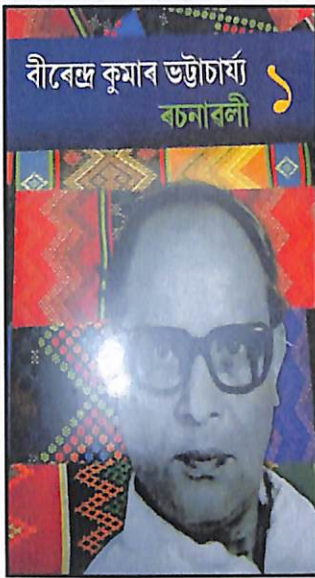
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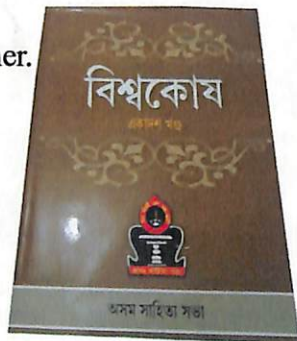
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