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Budget session concludes; key bills passed

The budget session of Parliament concluded with the passage of the finance bill and three other key bills. The opposition staged walkouts during some debates. The government said the bills would boost growth and welfare. The next session is expected in July.

State elections: Polling in three phases

Elections to the state assembly will be held in three phases next month. The election commission announced dates and model code of conduct is in force. Major parties have released manifestos focusing on jobs, agriculture, and infrastructure. Results will be declared in a single day after the last phase.

Cabinet reshuffle: Five new ministers sworn in

Five new ministers were inducted into the cabinet in a reshuffle. Two portfolios were reallocated. The PM said the changes would strengthen governance and delivery. The opposition called it a diversion from current issues. The new ministers will assume charge from Monday.