

Nantong report

Zhang Tong met with the Mayor of Izumi, Japan and the delegation

By Li Tong

On 25th November, Zhang Tong, the Mayor of Nantong, met with Hiromichi Tsuji, the Mayor of Izumi, Japan and his delegation.

Zhang Tong said that Nantong has had close economic and trade interactions with Japan. Since Nantong and Izumi became sister cities, the two parties have carried out extensive cooperation in fields including education, economy, sports and health.

Hiromichi Tsuji thanked Nantong

for the warm reception. He said that Japan will hold Expo 2025 Osaka Kansai Japan next year, and sincerely invited people to participate. He also hoped that the two sides would take the 30th anniversary of their friendship as a new starting point to expand the depth and breadth of cooperation and enhance the traditional friendship between the two cities.

The delegation of Izumi, Japan also visited places such as Nantong Urban Planning Museum, Nantong Museum, and Nantong International Home Textile Industrial Park.

The first container ocean shipping route of Nantong Lvsi to North Africa Red Sea route liner operation started

By Wu Xiaoyun

Recently, the Panamanian container ship ‘OVP ARIES’ loaded with 42 heavy containers left Jiangsu Hutong Container Terminal at Tongzhou Bay Lvsi Start-up Port Area slowly. The first container ocean shipping route —— Lvsi to North Af-

rica Red Sea route started operation.

The route is operated by OVP Shipping, plus the container terminal at Tongzhou Bay Lvsi Start-up Port Area. In the initial stage of operation, the route will be operated every two weeks. Later, as the container business increases, density will be increased to once a week.

‘Giant corn art kingdom’ opened

By Xu Congjun

On 27th November, at Nantong Wonderful Farm located in Xingfu Streets, Chongchuan District, workers made artistic scenes with corn. Themes such as SpongeBob and parrot have almost been completed. The Wonderful Farm used raw materials including corn, pumpkin, maple leaves and reeds to build a fantastic corn-

based ‘giant corn art kingdom’. The large and small corn artworks scattered in the farm include multiple themes such as ocean, forest and culture.

‘Giant corn art kingdom’ opened on 30th November. It will be open until 12th January 2025. In addition to corn artworks, there are also experiences and games such as corn doo-dle, pumpkin carvings, corn hooping and corn handling.



The only full-sea-depth optical cable winch system in the world ‘Haiwei GD11000’'s first show in South China Sea

By Chen Jiayi

On 21st November, the only full-sea-depth optical cable winch system in the world ‘Haiwei GD11000’ returned to its production, research and development location —— Nantong Liwei Machinery Co., Ltd., after completed the first deep sea research task in the South China Sea following ‘Hai Yang Di Zhi 2’ of Guang-

zhou Marine Geological Survey.

In the past, China’s full-sea-depth optical cable winch system and full-sea-depth trace metal CTD winch system were all imported from European and American countries such as the U.S. and Denmark. In 2023, Nantong Liwei Machinery Co., Ltd. took on the important task of carrying out the domestic and independent research and development of

the full-sea-depth scientific exploration winch system. It formed a research ‘consortium’ with 9 organizations including Polar Research Institute of China, Dalian Maritime University and Hengtong Group, to tackle various technological difficulties together.

In June, ‘Haiwei GD11000’ was launched, achieving 100% localization, and became the first full-sea-depth optical cable winch system in China.

Haimen home textile products are popular overseas

By Lu Xinhua and Shi Jinchao

On 24th November, a truck fully loaded with ‘polylactic acid dust-free lung protection healthy pillows’ set out from Jiangsu Fuzhida Mei’an Textile Technology Co., Ltd. to Iraq, a Middle Eastern country.

‘Home textile products using polylactic acid high performance fiber as the filling, can achieve 100% degradation, natural antibacterial and antimite properties, are dust-free, and can also achieve targeted antibacterial properties. In the 136th Canton Fair, international customers placed orders immediately after learning the excellent performance of our products.’ Zhang Chong, Chairman of

the Board of the company, said.

Nantong Weiyada Textile Co., Ltd. located at Haimen Economic and Technological Development Zone was also working non-stop to catch up with international orders.

‘At this Canton Fair, the blanket we launched was very popular. Customers from countries such as Pakistan placed orders one after another.’ Chen Fangfang, Chairman of the Board of the company, said.

Nantong Weiyada Textile Co., Ltd. focuses on the innovative production of blankets, and has promoted various types of mid-to-high-end blankets to more than 100 countries around the world. Its own brand product ‘luminous blanket’ launched this year has become very popular. There are patterns such as stars and moons on the ‘luminous blanket’, which can glow in the dark. Customers from countries such as Mexico and Saudi Arabia like it very much.



using a simple ventilator, and completed the operation in the shortest time, with superb skills and strong determination. After the operation was completed, the patient woke up successfully and the vital signs were stable.

Briefly

2 new cruise ships in Hao River Scenic Spot

By Jiang Jiaojiao and Chen Jing

Recently, two new energy cruise ships —— Hao River 30 and Hao River 33 made a stunning debut.

The new cruise ships are all-steel structure. It is 11.8m long, 3.6m wide. The moulded depth is 1.1m. The cabin is spacious and bright, with solid wood floors and leather seats.

The cruise ships are powered by new energy. The cruising time is as long as 10 hours. ‘Zero emission, low noise, no pollution’ green trip is fully realized, which can bring a smooth and comfortable ride for tourists.

Jiangsu Ihara Precision Technology opened

By Huang Yanming

On 29th November, the opening ceremony of Jiangsu Ihara Precision Technology Co., Ltd. was held at Nantong High-tech Industrial Development Zone.

Jiangsu Ihara Precision Technology Co., Ltd. was founded in April 2024. It is the third plant established by Ihara Science Corporation from Japan in China. The registered capital is 5 million US dollars. The company focuses on the production of high-precision valves and connector components made of alloy materials.

Singaporean Chinese in a traumatic coma Qidong doctors helped him regain his life

By Huang Hai

Recently, after more than 20 days of careful treatment and care, 52-year-old Singaporean Chinese Mr. Chen was able to get out of bed and walk around.

On 26th October, Mr. Chen, a Singaporean technician invited by a Qidong shipyard, was accidentally injured in the head. The plant rushed him to the Emergency Center of Qidong People’s Hospital for treatment.

The hospital found that Mr. Chen had a ‘traumatic subdural hematoma’, with severe intracranial hemorrhage. Considering that craniocerebral trauma is not suitable for long-distance transportation, the doctor decisively recommended on-site treatment.

On the evening of 4th November, Mr. Chen’s condition suddenly got worse. Departments including Neurosurgery and Anesthesiology held an emergency consultation, and decided to perform the operation overnight.

On the second day after the operation, Mr. Chen woke up.

Before leaving the hospital, Mr. Chen specifically wrote a letter of appreciation. He said excitedly, ‘my life was saved by the medical staff in Qidong. Your excellent technology has given me a new life.’

Power interruption during surgery Chinese medical team in Guyana responded calmly

By Li Bo

Recently, while Lu Junjie, a surgeon of the 20th Chinese Medical Team to Guyana, was performing an operation, the lights in the operating room suddenly went out, and the medical equipment stopped working. The operating room was shrouded in darkness.

The hospital had a power outage. It is a problem that surgeons least want to encounter during surgery. There was no lighting, the surgical

area became blurry and unclear; without the electrosurgical unit, cutting and hemostasis became difficult. The more important matter was that the mechanical ventilator could not work, and the patient’s life was in grave danger.

Facing the unexpected situation, Lu Junjie calmed down quickly. He made an emergency response plan immediately. Firstly, do everything possible to maintain the patient’s vital signs. Secondly, the operation was already halfway done and could

not be stopped halfway. It was necessary to complete the operation as quickly as possible without good lighting conditions.

In the darkness, the anesthetists, nurses and local doctors acted quickly. They turned on the phone lights, which provided weak lighting for the surgery. Although there was not enough lighting, everyone was doing their best to contribute to the race against time.

With the help of everyone, Lu Junjie maintained the patient’s breathing