



The ICFAI University Tripura
Faculty of Physical Education and Yoga
OBSERVATION OF
PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER'S DAY – 2020
On 25th November, 2020

REPORT

25th November 2020, Faculty of Physical Education and Yoga observed **Physical Education Teacher's Day** on the birth anniversary of **Harry Crowe Buck**.

The programme was started with lightening the candles and offering flowers to **Harry Crowe Buck's** photo by the faculty members, Ph.D Scholars and staff members of FOPEY.

At the beginning of the programme **Mr. Konark Roy**, Ph.D scholar, FOPEY was anchored the programme and highlighted the importance of the day. In his speech, he lighted the life history of **Harry Crowe Buck**, an American college sports coach and physical education instructor. He founded the YMCA College of Physical Education at Madras in 1920, which played a key role in promoting sports and in establishing the Olympic movement in India. He has been called "The Father of Physical Education in India".

Mr. Tapasjit Rajkumar, Assistant Professor, FOPEY was highlighted in his speech that, **Harry Crowe Buck** was one of the founding members of the

Olympic movement in India and the Indian Olympic Association, and was manager of the Indian team at the 1924 Olympics, Paris. He was also the first secretary of the Madras Olympic Association that was formed in 1924 and served as its secretary until his death in 1943.

Mr. Laxmindar Debnath, Assistant Professor, FOPEY was shared in his speech that **Harry Crowe Buck** was born on November 25, 1884 in Liverpool (United State of America). He completed his degree B.S. in Physical Education from Springfield College Massachusetts in 1910.

Dr. Aditya Kumar Das, Assistant Professor, FOPEY was specially highlighted in his speech about the contribution of **Harry Crowe Buck** for the development of Physical Education and Sports in India. **Harry Crowe Buck** was involved in developing and implementing physical education programs for young Indian men in schools and colleges across India and in building gymnasiums and sports facilities in his capacity as advisor to the colonial government.

At the end of the programme **Dr. Dulal Debnath**, Principal of FOPEY, was conclude the programme. He told in his speech that, Harry Crowe Buck was a Physical Education Teacher and Coach in USA. He also gave coaching of different ball games like Football, Basketball, and Baseball. At that time YMCA New York gave him the opportunity to work in the field of physical education and sports in India. There after he came in India in 1919 and established the

YMCA college of Physical Education in Madras now Chennai the capital of Tamil Nadu (India).

Photographs of the Programme





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Date:- 25th November, 2020

Time:- 3:30 pm

Program Schedule

Time	Particulars
3:30 pm	Welcome of the dignitaries
3:35 pm	Lightening the candle and Offering the flowers to Harry Crowe Buck's photo
3:40 pm	Welcome Speech by Mr. Konark Roy , Ph.D Sccholar.
3:45 pm	Speech by Mr. Tapasjit Rajkumar , Assistant Professor, FOPEY
3:50 pm	Speech by Mr. Laxmindar Debnath , Assistant Professor, FOPEY
3:55 pm	Speech by Dr. Aditya Kumar Das , Assistant Professor, FOPEY
4:00 pm	Speech by Dr. Dulal Debnath , Principal of FOPEY
4:10 pm	Conclusion of the Program