

Freedom Fighter Pani Ram Das critically ill



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Noted Gandhian and freedom fighter Pani Ram Das of Kalaigaon has been shifted to ICU at International Hospital in Guwahati in critical condition yesterday afternoon at 4 pm. Earlier he was admitted to the hospital on November 26. The 95 years old freedom fighter had been suffering from digestive disorder along with kidney problem. He is the only living freedom fighter of Darrang and Udalguri district who had served several years in British prison during freedom struggle. He had also been a close follower of Gandhi and Binoba Bhabhe. Pani Ram Das passed Matriculation examination in first division with letter marks in English from Calcutta university in 1937. Instead of joining any British service, he followed the path of Mahatma Gandhi for the liberation of India. According to family sources no minister or organisations of the state have met him in the hospital except high ranking army officials of Red Horns Division. The army officers also donated blood to the freedom fighter on November 27.

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