

## CRIME

### 3 die in Sirhind mishap

Fatehgarh Sahib, November 17

Three persons were killed and nine sustained serious injuries as four vehicles collided with one another near Adampur village on the Sirhind-Patiala highway, near here, this afternoon.

### 2 quintal poppy husk seized

Kharar, November 17

The Kharar Sadar police confiscated two quintals of poppy husk during a special naka put up at Kharar-Banur highway on Friday late evening.

## AGRICULTURE

### Green house technology best suited for Punjab

Chandigarh, November 17

Punjab is a fit place to grow high quality coloured capsicum, vegetables, flowers tomato and etal around the year under controlled temperature conditions. Bitman, an Israeli expert told The Tribune after visiting various parts of the state and interacting with the senior officers and farm experts.



**Mohammad Mushtaq and Rajiv Roy in Chandigarh on Saturday. A Tribune photograph**

## ADMINISTRATION

Transfers

### Muktsar SSP shifted

Chandigarh, November 17

Bringing about a minor change the Punjab Government today shifted the IG of Patiala zone and the SSP of Muktsar, Chief Minister's home district. Both the officers, IG M.K. Tewari and SSP Pramod Ban had sought transfers citing "family reasons".

## EDUCATION

### Badal reviews functioning of school education

Chandigarh, November 17

Punjab Chief Minister Parkash Singh Badal today directed the school education department to implement Rs 132 crore NABARD-assisted scheme for upgradation of infrastructure in government senior secondary schools with science stream in true spirit.

### Tech fest at Rayat gets off to flying start

Ropar, November 17

'Minerva - The Legend 2007', the annual two-day techno-cultural extravaganza of Rayat Institute of Engineering and Information Technology, got off to a flying start here today at Rayat Technology Campus, Railmajra.

### ABS to adopt two CAT toppers

Kharar, November 17

Aryans Business School (ABS) has launched scholarships for CAT students. Christened as Late M.R. Kataria Memorial Scholarship, the scheme aims at providing financial support to those who have merit but lack resources. Students from Chandigarh,