

Fake ghee factory busted, one arrested

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Team checking sacks. Amar Ujala - Photo: amar ujala

On Wednesday evening in a house in Hajipura village of police station, the police, administration team raided the factory to make fake ghee. One person has also been arrested. 56 tins of synthetic ghee, fake khoya powder and equipment have been recovered from the spot.

On Wednesday afternoon, SDM Hemsingh, CO Uttam Singh, police station in-charge JP Pal and light incharge Dinesh Kumar Yadav reached Hajipura village with heavy police force. Here Manish Kumar's house was raided. During this period, 56 tins filled with synthetic ghee, furnace, gas cylinder, ghee making equipment along with 13 and a half sacks of powder used in Khoya were seized. Told that the expiry date of the powder had passed. The police have also arrested the landlord Manish Kumar.

During interrogation, the accused said that he has been doing this work for a long time. It sells ghee and powder to the people in the surrounding village. There are more of these people who trade Khoya.

During interrogation, he told that the work of making fake mawa from powder is being done on a large scale in the surrounding half-dozen villages. It is sent to Kanpur via train.

The SDM called the food inspectors Shailendra Kumar and Jitendra Kumar on the spot. They have sent the sample to the laboratory for examination. SDM Hem Singh said that the goods caught were being investigated. Other people involved in this work are also being traced.

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