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**Daughter of valiant soldier enthrall
 music lovers at Raj Bhavan**



ITANAGAR, May 23: Dubbed Nightingale of the India Army, Niharika Naidu gave a scintillating performance at a Musical programme organized at Raj Bhavan here today.

Niharika, daughter of Late Col Brahmanand Avasthy of 4 Rajput, who made his supreme sacrifice at Morsing, near Shergaon in

West Kameng in 1962 Indo-Sino war referring to her visit to the state said that it was a like pilgrimage. Arunachal Pradesh has always been close to my heart, she said.

In order to give proper exposure to the young budding talents of the State interested in the field, the Governor Gen JJ Singh and the First Lady Anupama

Singh invited the singer.

Internationally repute classical singer; she had performed worldwide including USA, Canada, United Kingdom, France, Italy and Switzerland. She had almost performed in every part of India. With numbers of song recorded under her belt, Naidu also trains music enthusiasts. *(Contd. P-3)*

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(From P-1) This evening at the musical night, she enthralled everyone with songs ranging from patriotic, popular ones to classical numbers.

Piyali Nath, student from NERIST and classical dance enthusiast danced to Naidu's numbers.

Along with the State first couple, ministers, senior political leaders, officers, guests and invitees attended the programme. (PRO, Rajbahavan)