



**Pradeep KA (left) and  
Rithvik Alevooraya**

## **Pradeep, Rithvik bag gold in Canada**

► **BENGALURU, DHNS:**  
Pradeep Kumar Acharya  
and his student Rithvik  
Alevooraya bagged three  
gold medals at the Com-  
monwealth Benchpress  
Powerlifting Champion-  
ship at St John's, Canada.

Pradeep won in the 83  
kg Senior division on Tues-  
day while Alevooraya K V  
bagged two gold medals  
in the 83 kg Sub-junior  
category on Wednesday.  
Alevooraya won medals  
in Classic and Equipped  
category. Pradeep lifted 210  
kg to claim his gold.