

IFP Outreaches Farmers to Create Awareness on Lac Cultivation

A meeting was organised by the Extension Division, IFP, Ranchi with the farmers of Chandwa Block, Latehar District, on 11th October, 2013, in order to promote awareness among them about lac cultivation on *Flemengia semialata*. About 22 number of farmers including mukhia and panchayat members were present in the meeting. Dr Sharad Tiwari, Head, Extension division along with Shri S N Vaidya, RA I and Shri B D Pandit, RA I addressed the various queries raised by the farmers on different issues they face with lac cultivation. The farmers were also taken to demonstration plot of *Flemengia semialata* at N. B. Farm Chandwa. Farmers were quite convinced with the discussion and shown great interest to take up lac cultivation. Few panchayat mukhia also requested the team of IFP to visit their village and conduct such meeting with the villagers. The farmers also shown their interest to visit the Khoonti village where the institute has introduced the lac cultivation on *Flemengia semialata*.



