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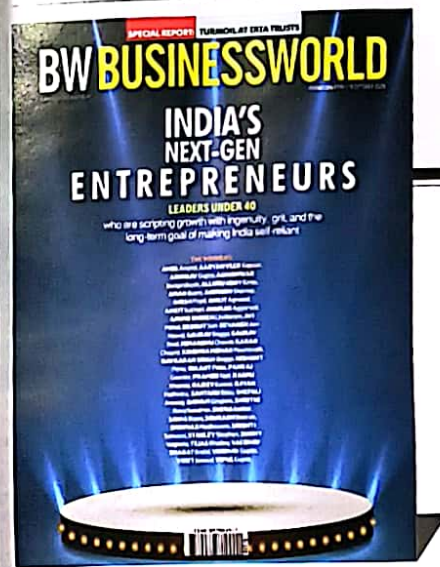
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RESILIENCE AND RENEWAL

This refers to the editorial (“Weaving New Dreams,” BW, October 18). The author rightly points out that it’s not often that a 120-year-old company manages to feel as fresh as a startup, yet as grounded as a legacy brand. Mafatlal Industries, once synonymous with classic cotton textiles, is today scripting a narrative of resilience and renewal that blends tradition with transformation. The management’s conscious decision to diversify beyond textiles has opened new frontiers in health and hygiene, consumer durables, and digital infrastructure. Mafatlal closed FY 2024-25 with revenues of Rs 2,845.3 crore, growing a sharp 33 per cent year-on-year, and a profit after tax of Rs 98.1 crore. In an age where many storied brands fade under the weight of their own history, Mafatlal has done the unthinkable: turned its legacy into leverage.

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ROBUST GROWTH

This refers to the editorial (“Cooking Up Growth”, BW, October 18). It’s good to know that from a modest beginning to a billion-dollar turnover, Gemini Edibles & Fats India’s (GEF India’s) journey epitomises what smart regional strategy, disciplined execution, and consumer empathy can achieve. GEF India today operates three state-of-the-art refineries—two in Kakinada and one in Krishnapatnam—with a combined refining capacity of 3,450 metric tonnes per day. As Indian consumers shift toward health-conscious and specialised oils, GEF India plans to introduce cold-pressed variants, premium blends, and innovative packaging designed to cater to the growing segment of urban wellness buyers.

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