

Dr Mostafa Jalal's house attacked Milon's killer freed, DMC union alleges

Dhaka Medical College Students Union called upon all political parties not to give protection to the killers of Dr. Shamsul Alam Khan Milon, who was killed on November 27 last year during the anti-autocracy movement, reports BSS.

In a statement Farhad Ali Khan and Abesh Kumar

Call to observe Dr Razez's death officially
By Staff Correspondent

Speakers of different social organisations in their statements to the press on Tuesday urged the government to observe the sixth death anniversary of Dr Alim Al Razez officially.

They also urged radio and television authorities to broadcast special programmes on the day. Some organisations have chalked out elaborate programmes to observe the day.

The organisations are Bangladesh Garib Dal, Bangladesh Jatiya Din Majur Itiyan Samity and Bangladesh Bhumihin Rickshawchalak Samik Federation.

Bhattacharya, Vice President and General Secretary of the union, expressed their dissatisfaction over the inability of the relevant agencies to arrest the killers of Dr. Milon.

Demanding immediate arrest of the killers, the DMC Student Union leaders alleged that even after his arrest, Shimul the key person behind the killing, was later released for unexplained reasons. They also alleged that after the release Shimul and his group had launched an attack on the house of Dr. Mostafa Jalal Mohiuddin, who is the complainant of the murder case, under the cover of a particular political party.

Rupashi painting competition

A children's painting competition has been organised by Rupashi, a women's organisation, on the occasion of the Independence Day.

Interested participants have been invited to enlist their names with Rupashi, 29, Bangabandhu Avenue in Dhaka by May 20.

The student leaders also said that similar attack was launched on the hostel of Salimullah Medical College on March 11 after the general students raised the demand for arresting Dr. Milon's killers.

They also said it was unfortunate that the present Government, installed following the bloody mass movement in which Dr. Milon had shed his blood, could not even apprehend and try the killers of Dr. Milon.

Chairman, Water Development Board dead

A. K. M. Zakul Alam Chairman of Bangladesh Water Development Board died of hepatic disease at the diabetic hospital in Dhaka Tuesday evening, reports BSS.

He was 56. He left behind his wife, a son and a daughter, a large number of well wishers, and relatives to mourn his death. His namaz-e-janaza will be held today at Baitul Mukarram Mosque after Zohr prayer.

Police bars JP, JCD from holding rallies

CHITTAGONG, Mar 12: Chittagong Metropolitan Police today did not allow Jatiya Party, Jatiyatobadi Chhatra Dal and Jatiyatobadi Jubo Dal to hold their respective rallies at

adjacent venues here to avert any law and order situation, police said, reports BSS.

Local unit of Jatiya Party had earlier announced a programme to hold a rally inside Muslim Institute Hall to demand release of Ershad and other leaders of the party.

Jatiyatobadi Chhatra Dal and Jubo Dal also announced a joint programme to hold a rally at Shaheed Minar in protest against Jatiya Party activities at the same time. This created a tension in the area.

Police served notices on the organisers of the two rallies and deployed force at the venues.

Leaders of Jatiya Party Messrs, Haurnar Rashid Khan, Advocate Shamsul Huda and Liaqat Ali told a Press conference at Chittagong Press Club that police being influenced by a political party had snatched

away their right to hold rally to demand release of Jatiya Party leaders including H.M. Ershad.

They also termed undemocratic the recent arrests of Dasgajir Chowdhury, a Joint Secretary of the City Unit of the party, and Shamsul Alam, JP candidate in the Parliamentary election from Chittagong-11 (Patiya). JP workers raised slogans outside the Press Club when the Press conference was in progress.

Rural doctors' grand confce under way

A meeting of the preparatory committee of Palli Chikitshak Samity will be held at Outer Circular Road on March 29 to finalise preparations for a grand conference of all rural doctors. This was decided at a meeting of the Central Committee of the Palli Chikitshak Samity held on Tuesday with Dr. Nazimuddin Ahmed in the chair, says a Press release.

Qul Khwani

Qul Khwani of Mr. Shamsul Huq, a renowned Nuclear Agriculturist of the country, will be held at his residence at 43/H Banani Model Town, road number-11, today (Wednesday) after Asr prayer, reports BSS.

Mr. Huq died in Dhaka on Monday. Relatives, friends and well-wishers have been requested to attend the Qul Khani.



Begum Sophia Khan, wife of the Chief of Army Staff Lt General Muhammad Noor Uddin Khan looking at the items of the food exhibition arranged by the Dhaka Senanibash Ladies' Club at Dhaka Cantonment on Tuesday. —ISPR photo

Dateline Rajshahi

88 candidates lose security money

RAJSHAHI, Mar 12: Eighty-eight candidates out of 147 in Gaibandha, Pabna and Rajshahi Districts had lost their security deposits, according to Election Commission sources, reports BSS.

Total of 66 candidates contested the Jatiya Sangsad election from five constituencies in Gaibandha and of them 45 lost their security deposit.

From Pabna District, 44 candidates contested the polls from five constituencies and 23 lost their security deposits. In Rajshahi District, 37 candidates contested the election from five constituencies and 20 of them including former State Minister Nurunnabi Chand lost security deposits. The Commission sources added.

Besides, 22,845 votes in three districts were found invalid, of them 8,234 in Gaibandha, 7,683 in Pabna and

6,928 in Rajshahi District, the sources said.

Mango production

Mango production in greater Rajshahi District this year will be satisfactory, reports BSS.

According to experts, mango buds have abundantly grown in all the trees due to favourable weather and they expressed hope that if normal weather condition prevails, production of mango will be sufficient in the region.

Concerned authorities have already taken adequate measures to help check any pest attack or other mango diseases for healthy growth of the crops.

10 hurt in clash

Ten people including two cops were injured in a clash over refusal of entry to an

opera (Jatra) show in Sirajganj early Monday.

Two seriously injured constables, Rafiqul and Mahbub, were rushed to hospital, where the condition of Rafiqul was stated critical.

According to police, the clash ensued at 3 a.m. as about 15 policemen were refused entry to the pandal with pass issued by the jatra authorities.

The clash occurred among motor workers, jatra authorities and police. The situation took a serious turn as local transport workers joined the brawl.

Police later intervened and brought the situation under control. Three motor workers—Salam, Abdullah and Selim Reza—were picked up from the spot.

But they were later released on bail after threat of transport strike by the workers.

Dateline Khulna

Miscreants on rampage: 1 killed

from Syed Issa

KHULNA, Mar 12: Anti-social elements in the Khulna Division have seemingly gone on rampage following laxity of the law-enforcing agencies. All roads now look deserted in the night as the people appear to have been scared because of lawlessness after the February 27 Parliamentary polls. One man was brutally killed by dacoits in Harintana village under Battaghata police station.

Gholam Shaikh, 35 Harintana village under Battaghata P.S. succumbed to his injuries at Khulna Sadar Hospital on Sunday morning.

The body of Mujibur Rahman Shaikh (60) was recovered from a ditch along Khulna-Satkhira road at Dumuria at the same time.

Gholam Shaikh was attacked by a group of armed

miscreants at his village home and brought to the hospital on Saturday night. Another young boy, who was also stabbed, is still fighting for his survival.

Mujibur, a shrimp seeds trader of village Chunkuri under Daeope police station came to Dumuria for realisation of payment from his clients. He stayed at Dumuria for two days with his young son Selim, both of whom were caught by two shrimp gher owners of village Mechaghona in the fateful night. The body of Mujibur Rahman was found in the ditch the following morning when Selim lodged complaint with the Dumuria police.

No arrest has yet been made but investigation is on.

DU VC's reception

Professor M. Maniruzzaman Miah, Vice-Chancellor, University of Dhaka hosted a reception in honour of the participants at the SAARC Inter-university debate championship, 1990 held in Dhaka, on March 12 at his official residence, says a Press release.

Among others, the reception was attended by the High Commissioners and Ambassadors of the SAARC countries, Dr. Jon L. Summers, Representative of the Asia Foundation in Dhaka, Ms. Stephanie Shwabsky, First Secretary of Australian High Commission, the Deans of the Faculties, members of the Syndicate and officials of the Dhaka University Theosophical Society who are organisers of the debate were also present.

While welcoming the guests, the Vice-Chancellor lauded their active participation to make the championship a success.

Dateline Chittagong

Ershad's trial demanded

CHITTAGONG, Mar 12: Bangladesh Nationalist Party (BNP) Chittagong City Unit Monday brought out a big procession protesting against what it said 'provocative' activities of Jatiya Party, reports BSS.

The procession paraded through main roads chanting anti-Ershad and anti-Jatiya Party slogans. In a rally after the procession held in front of BNP office at Nur Ahmed Road, local leaders demanded trial of Ershad and arrest of his other absconding accomplices.

Meanwhile, Mr. Haroonur Rashid Khan, Acting President of Metropolitan Unit of Jatiya Party announced a programme to hold a rally at Muslim Institute Hall Tuesday afternoon to press home their demand for immediate release of Ershad.

Plea to reopen CU
One hundred and one lawyers of Chittagong Bar in a joint statement here Monday called upon the relevant authorities to reopen Chittagong University immediately.

They said, as all other educational institutions reopened following a fair, free and impartial election, there was no reason to keep the Chittagong University closed for an indefinite period.

All quarters including guardians of the students were worried as the future of their wards was uncertain because of continuous closure of the university, they said adding concerned authority should take appropriate measures to ensure law and order on the campus if necessary.

Chittagong University was closed sine die following a clash between Islami Chhatra Shibir and All Party Students Union on December 22 last year.

Burglary

Burglars broke into a jewellery shop and allegedly took away forty tolas of gold and eighty tolas of silver at Station Road of Patiya upazila headquarters last night, police said Monday.

Two night guards who were on duty around the shop were found unconscious in the morning. They were removed to Chittagong Medical College Hospital.

It was suspected that the burglars had poisoned the night guards before intruding into the shop. Further investigation is on in this connection.

Carters wish bright democratic future

Former US President Jimmy Carter and his wife Rosalynn Carter have felicitated Acting President Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed on holding a successful parliamentary election, reports UNB.

"The election was a victory for the people of Bangladesh," officials here quoted the Carters' to have said in a message received Tuesday.

The American leaders lauded the political parties and the people of Bangladesh for their outstanding show of support and participation in the country's democratization process.

"The political leaders and the electorate have acted on wisdom and courage," they observed.

The former US President and the First Lady wished Bangladesh a bright democratic future.

The 4-member group of the Washington-based National Democratic Institute (NDI) which monitored the Feb 27 parliamentary polls had termed the election was absolutely free and fair.

Welfare Secy Gen

Commonwealth Secretary General Emeke Anyaoku has congratulated Acting President Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed on holding a free and fair parliamentary polls.

In a message, the Commonwealth Secretariat chief said "I am writing to express my congratulations to you and your government for the exemplary way in which the people of

Bangladesh have been able to exercise their vote in free and fair elections."

"The skillful management of such a process of transition, in an atmosphere of peace and good spirit, has been universally acclaimed," Anyaoku said.

A Commonwealth team of observers highly appreciated the polls as absolutely free, fair and neutral after overseeing the February 27 suffrage.

Citizens Election Commission

Citizens Election Commission (CEC), a non-partisan voluntary observers group having over 500 members all over Bangladesh has congratulated the Acting President Justice Shahabuddin for conducting a free, fair and credible parliament election of February 27 which had been acclaimed nationally and internationally, says a press release.

Wills School urges President to allot land

By Staff Correspondent

The Management Committee of Wills Little School on Tuesday requested the Acting President to allot 1.60 acres land at 85, Kakrail to the school permanently.

The committee in a memorandum to the Acting President urged the government to acquire 0.635 acres land and allot the entire plot of 1.60 acres to the school.

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E. A. Chowdhury, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Pubali Bank Limited handing over a cheque to Prof Kazi Zaker Hossain and Prof Sohrabuddin Sarker, President and Secretary respectively of the Bird Preservation Society recently.