

SSMC reopens on Aug 31?

SSMC Correspondent The Academic Council of Sir Salimullah Medical College Monday decided to reopen the college on August 31...



Two rival female student groups clashed Monday at Ideal Mohila College in Mirpur. One injured student admitted in the Dhaka Medical College is seen.

AL blames BNP for unrest

Awami League leader Begum Sajeda Chowdhury, MP, Monday blamed the BNP government for growing hardship of the people and unrest in socio-economic sectors...

Sajeda Chowdhury said ruling BNP's wrong policy had aggravated the hardship of the people on the one hand and on the other deteriorated law and order.

Referendum to be a decisive factor: Hafiz

Law and Justice Minister Mirza Golam Hafiz Monday directed the representatives of local government bodies to motivate people for massive participation in the coming referendum...

Communalism harms cause of democracy: Kemaluddin

Former chief Justice Kemaluddin Hossain has said communalism was contrary to democracy. He is speaking at a seminar on 'democracy and communalism' organised by the Communist Party of Bangladesh (CPB)...

By Staff Correspondent state religion the former Chief Justice said Islam does not permit state religion in a multi-religious state. He said the vested interest groups exploit religion by making it state religion...

can be attributed to the failure of progressive forces. He called upon all progressive forces to be united against communalism. He said it is necessary to create a sense of security among the minority communities...

Assault on govt employees protested

By DU Correspondent Dhaka University Technical Employees Union and Third Class Employees Union jointly held rally and procession Monday on the campus protesting police assault on the government employees.

Govt firm to establish stability

Minister for Health and Family Welfare Chowdhury Kamal Ibne Yusuf Monday expressed the hope that the people would extend their support to BNP during the coming bye-election as they did in the last parliamentary elections...

Residential area for lower middle class at Panchabati

RAJUK has taken up a plan to build up a residential area for the lower middle class at Panchabati near Narayanganj town, reports UNB.

He called for measures to check migration of villagers to the capital. He strongly suggested creating job opportunities in the rural areas by setting up industries and diverting business in the district towns and upazilas...

He said 80 per cent demand of the city's requirement could be fulfilled if the plan could be implemented by the year 2000.

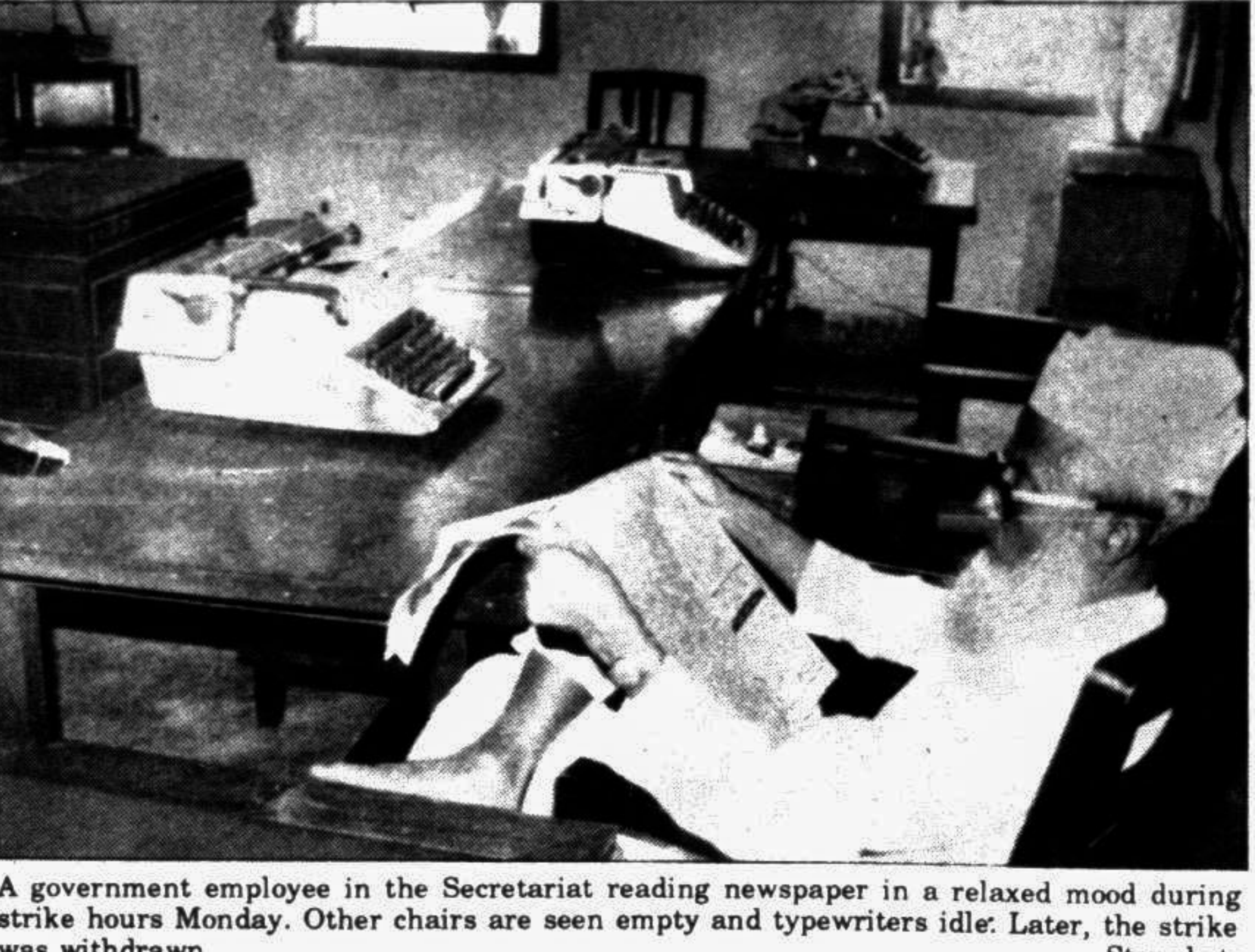
'Govt firm to root out terrorism, corruption'

State Minister for Land Jamiruddin Sircar said, the government of Begum Khaleda Zia was pledge-bound to root out terrorism and corruption from all spheres of social life...

Manpower Rafiqul Islam Mia, Aminul Haq MP, Zainal Abedin, MP, Ahsanul Kabir, Special Assistant to the BNP Chairperson and BNP leader Shahe Alam and Ahsanul Haq spoke on the occasion.

Two cheats arrested

By Staff Correspondent Dhaka Metropolitan Police on Monday arrested two cheats and recovered 15 poisonous tablets from their possession.



A government employee in the Secretariat reading newspaper in a relaxed mood during strike hours Monday. Other chairs are seen empty and typewriters idle. Later, the strike was withdrawn.

Training on narcotic detection begins

CHITTAGONG, Aug 26: A four-day training programme on the detection and interdiction of narcotics and other dangerous drugs and inaugurated at the Customs House this morning, reports BSS.

Ceramic industries make headway

The ceramic industry of Bangladesh is as old as its history. The term 'Ceramic' properly applies to a vast number of products made by shaping moist clay or similar substances, which are then dried and subjected to temperatures high enough to give the finished article strength and permanence.

By A B M Mokshed Ali Clay, Feldspar, Flint. 5. Stoneware: Clays & Fluxing agents. The basic raw material of ceramic products is the clay. Clay is plentiful and inexpensive in a riverine country like Bangladesh.

The common clay, with such rich properties are available in almost 64 thousand villages of Bangladesh and has, from time immemorial, helped in development of rural high quality pottery for local consumption as well as handicrafts items for urban and city consumption.

Engineering Department Bangladesh Bank Head Office Dhaka Re-Tender Notice No 05/of 1991/92 Dated: 14-08-91

Jamiruddin Sircar is renowned in the political arena of the country for his honesty and dedication. He went on to say "That is why he has been entrusted with the responsibility of a minister by all BNP government."

Nasim Khan returns today

SPGR leader M Nasim Khan returns today (Tuesday) after 'meaningful' discussion with Pakistan President and Prime Minister on immediate repatriation of the stranded Pakistanis in Bangladesh...

BDRCS relief operation

Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS) has geared up relief activities in the flood affected districts of the country, reports BSS.

RU Masters exams postponed

RAJSHAHI, Aug 26: The Master's final examinations 1988 of Rajshahi University scheduled to start on September 2 have been suspended, reports UNB.

Purbokone staff call off strike

CHITTAGONG, Aug 26: Journalists and other employees of Dainik Purbokone here today called off their strike following an understanding reached with the management for implementation of Wage Board Award, reports BSS.

Chehlum

Chehlum of the mother of Moulana Mohammad Saidur Rahman Syedabadi will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) at her village home in Rampal. She died at the age of 65 at Rampal on July 20 last and was buried there.

Obituary

Prof Shafiqul Rahman, an economist, died in Dhaka Monday afternoon following protracted illness. He was 78. Rahman is survived by his wife, two sons, six daughters and a host of relations to mourn his death.