

Slum dwellers' memorandum to PM

Bangladesh Bastuhara Janakalyan Samity at a rally Tuesday threatened to launch an intensified movement if their 6-point demand were not met by August 15, reports UNB.

The demands include immediate rehabilitation of the shelterless and waiving of rents in the city slums.

The rally held in front of the National Press Club was presided over by Atiqur Rahman and addressed among other by MA Hamidul Huq, Sheikh Kamal Hossain and Hatem Ali.

Samity members after the rally paraded different city streets and later handed a memorandum to senior officials of the Jatiya Sangsad which was addressed to the Prime Minister.

One killed, 3 hurt in wall collapse

By Staff Correspondent

One person was killed and another three were injured when a boundary wall of an under-construction building collapsed in Lalbagh in Dhaka on Tuesday evening.

The boundary wall of the under-construction house on Plot No 33 at Sheikh Shaheb Bazar Lane collapsed on the adjacent road.

People were collecting water from a tap located just outside the wall when it collapsed.

Kalamati (11) was seriously injured in the incident and she later died at the Dhaka Medical College Hospital. Mamata (8), Shurjabanu (7) and another unidentified persons were seriously injured and were admitted to the DMCH.

What's on today . . .

Discussion on Tagore

Bangla Academy will arrange a discussion on Poet Rabindranath at the academy premises today (Wednesday) in observance of 90th anniversary of death of the poet.

Dr Jahangir Tarek will present an essay on the late poet while Prof Ahmed Kabir and Begum Akhter Kamal will take part in the discussion.

Prof Khan Sarwar Murahid will be in the chair.

The discussion will be followed by a musical soiree. Kalim Sharafi, Papa Sarwar, Tapan Mahmud and Selina Malek Choudhury will render Tagore songs.

Musical soiree on Tagore

A musical soiree under the style 'Punya probhate ajee' will take place at the Vishwa Sahitya Kendro (World Literacy Centre) at Bangla Motors in the city today (Wednesday) at 7 am.

The function will be held in observance of 50th death anniversary of Poet Rabindranath Tagore.

Noted singers will render Tagore's songs on the occasion.

Rally at Daily Khabar

A joint meeting of the three federations of the journalists and press employees will be held today (Wednesday) at the Khabar office at 11 am.

The meeting will discuss the crisis prevailing in the Bengali daily.

NASCIB certificate-giving ceremony

The certificate-giving ceremony of a four-day training course of national Small and Cottage Industries, Bangladesh (NASCIB) will take place today (Wednesday) at 2.30 pm at the centre one at Mirpur Industrial Area.

Planning Commission member, Md Sirajuddin will distribute certificates among the participants of the course on concluding day of the course as the chief guest.

Director General of Bangladesh Television, Fatur Razzak, will be the special guest on the occasion.

Rotary Club meeting

The regular meeting of Rotary Club of Dhaka Buriganga will be held today (Wednesday) at 5.30 pm at Hotel Sonargon.

Rtn M Syeduzzaman, former Finance Minister will speak on 'urban poverty' as the guest speaker.

Members of the club are requested to attend the meeting timely.

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Nutrition conference

The Nutrition Society of Bangladesh has arranged a three-day fifth nutrition conference tomorrow (Thursday) at the National Museum.

The conference will be followed by a technical session at the Institute of Food and Technology (Science Laboratory).

Discussion on terrorism

Bangladesh Muslim League will hold a discussion on 'a terrorism-free Bangladesh' at the auditorium of Dhaka District Sports Association, Motijheel, tomorrow (Thursday) at 4.30 pm.

The discussion has been organised on the occasion of the reformation of the party.

Daily Meilat Editor, Chowdhury Mohammad Faruque, Daily Inqilab Executive Editor, Moulana Ruhul Amin and party central leaders will participate in the discussion.

Rishij programme on Tagore

In observance of the death anniversary of Tagore, Rishij, a cultural group, will hold a discussion to be followed by a cultural function at the central office of the organisation at 427/B, Malibagh Choudhury Para tomorrow (Thursday) at 5 pm.

Rishij President and singer Fakir Alamgir will participate in the discussion.

Seminar on drug abuse

Smoking and Intoxicant Preventive Human Service Association (SIPHSA) will hold a seminar on drug abuse at the United Nation Information Centre (Jiban Bima Bhaban) tomorrow (Thursday) at 4.30 pm.

The seminar to be followed by screening of an anti-drug short film 'Moran Chhobal' has been organised in observance of the UN decade against drug abuse.

The programme is being jointly sponsored by the SIPHSA and the American Embassy.

Health Secretary M Mokammel Haq will be the chief guest on the occasion.

A K M Mahbulul Haque, Director General, Department of Narcotics Control, Chris Rich, acting Political chief American Embassy, Dr A N A Abye Sunder, WHO Representative in Bangladesh and Chowdhury Mohammad Faruque, Editor, Daily Meilat, will be special guest.

Kh Soleman Ahamed Kamal, Chairman, SIPHSA, will preside over the seminar.

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A seminar on ill effects of smoking was held under the auspices of ADHUNIK at Islampur Upazila in Jamalpur recently. National Professor Nurul Islam, founder President of ADHUNIK was the chief guest at the function.

'BCL (S-A), JCD harbouring terrorism'

Bangladesh Chhatra Maitree Tuesday dubbed two major student organisations as harbours for armsholders and called upon concerned political parties for a purge of the hoodlums, reports UNB.

At a press conference at its central office Tuesday afternoon, Maitree also demanded immediate reopening of all closed educational institutions including Dhaka University and Rajshahi University.

The student front of United Communist League announced a fortnight-long action programme to materialise its demands. Maitree General Secretary Ragib Ahsan Munna announced the programme.

The programme, beginning August 10, includes week-long publicity of its demand, demonstration in all educational institutions on August 18, mass rally in district and upazila headquarters on August 20 and gherao of all DC offices and submission of memoranda on August 24.

Munna, former RUCSU VP, also demanded withdrawal of the 'false' case against 60 student leaders of Rajshahi University and arrest of the killers of Faruk killed on December 22, 1990, at Chittagong University.

He said the killers of Dr Milon were rehabilitated by Awami League's student wing and alleged the government showed a high degree of reluctance to arrest them.

On the current spate of campus violence, the Chhatra Maitree leader alleged the Awami League-backed Chhatra League BCL (S-A) and Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) are shelters of unauthorised armsholders.

3 students leave for HK tomorrow

By Staff Correspondent

Three students of 'Kalyan' special school for the handicapped of Bangladesh Protibondhi Foundation — Shanta, Yasmeen and Iqbal — will leave for Hong Kong tomorrow (Friday) to participate in the 3rd International Abilitylympics (Olympics of Abilities) to be held from August 10-14.

They will be accompanied by Mrs Tahmina Ashraf (teacher) and Mrs Kamrun Nahar Ataus Samad (Mother). All three students will participate in ceramics, pottery, jewellery making, weaving and performing arts. Bangladesh Protibondhi Foundation will also participate in the 'art exhibition'. More than 800 contestants (handicapped and normal) will participate in 'Abilitylympics'.

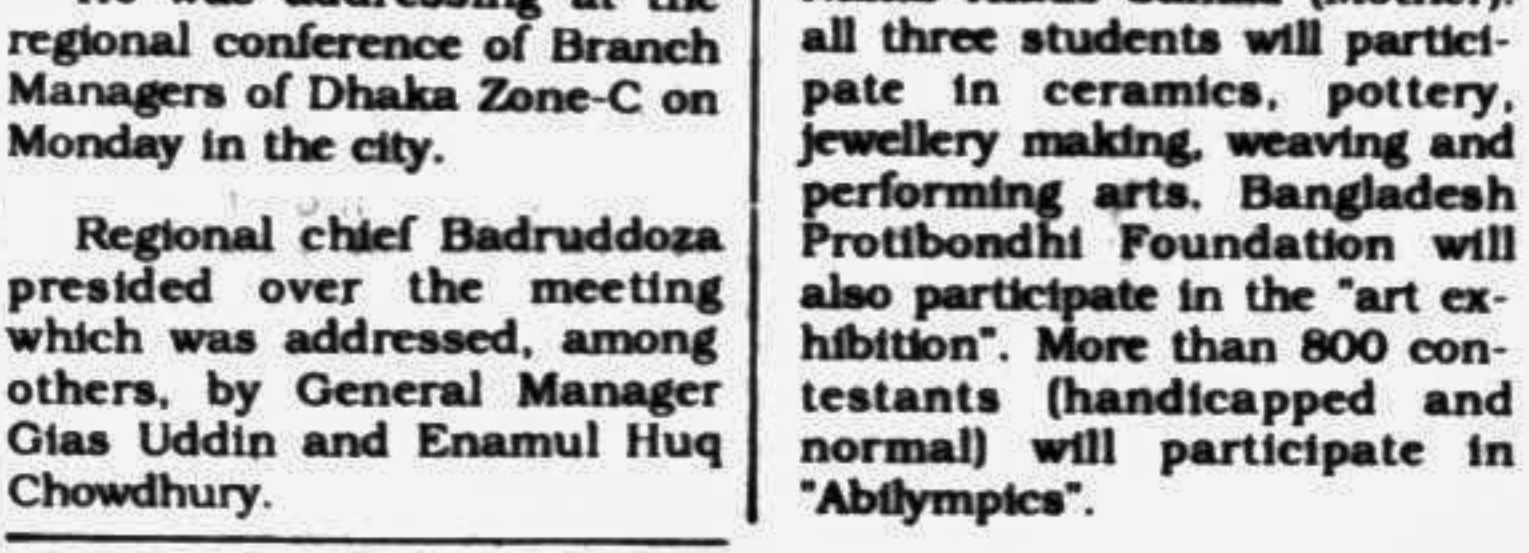
Janata Bank confce held

By Staff Correspondent

Managing Director of Janata Bank Taheruddin, directed the officials and employees to expedite their drive for earning more profit and realise outstanding loans.

He was addressing at the regional conference of Branch Managers of Dhaka Zone-C on Monday in the city.

Regional chief Badruddoza presided over the meeting which was addressed, among others, by General Manager Gias Uddin and Enamul Huq Chowdhury.



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Poll pledges to be fulfilled: Khaleda

Prime Minister Begum Khaleda Zia said in Dhaka Tuesday that the BNP government would fulfill all its election pledges one by one and ensure development in the rural areas, reports BSS.

"The BNP government would work for the vast majority of people living in the rural areas," she told the elected Presidents of different Palli Biddyt Samities when they met her at the Prime Minister's Sugandha office in Dhaka.

State Minister for Energy and Mineral Resources, Dr. K. Mosharrar Hossain, was present on the occasion. Principal Makhbul Hossain, President, Chandpur Palli Biddyt Samity also spoke. Earlier Brigadier Golam Mowla, Chairman of Rural Electrification Board (REB) gave a resume of the board's activities.

Begum Khaleda Zia said Shaheed President Ziaur Rahman had wanted to bring about a uniform development in the urban and rural areas of the country. "This is why he had initiated the rural electrification programmes", she added.

Stressing the importance of rural electrification, the Prime Minister said it would solve a large number of problems. She said her government would implement the 19-point programme of Shaheed President Ziaur Rahman to change the quality of life of the people.

She said the BNP government would resist the mafians and village touts since they spoil peace and discipline in the society. "We will never support wrong-doings and unscrupulous people whatever powerful they may be", she said.

One commits suicide

By Staff Correspondent

A housewife allegedly committed suicide by taking an over-dose of sleeping pills in Purana Paltan in Dhaka on Monday night.

Fawzia Maareen, wife of the BKSAL-backed Jatiyatabadi Chhatra League President Jahangir Sattar Tinku, allegedly committed suicide at her home at 9, Purana Paltan on late Monday night, police said. Police found the body lying in the bedroom of the house with no apparent visible injuries, but it is being suspected that an over-dose of sleeping pills may have been the cause after death.

An Unnatural Death (UD) case was registered with Motijheel police on Tuesday.

However, post mortem examinations were not carried out and the body was handed over to relatives for burial, police said.

Milad mahfil at BSB

A Milad mahfil was held under the auspices of Bangladesh Shipa Bank Officers' Association at the Bank's Mosque on Monday to pray for the departed souls of M A Karim, former Acting Managing Director of BSB and Hossain Ahmed, former General Manager of the Bank.

They died on July 27 and August 3 respectively. Abdul Karim, Managing Director, BSB, General Managers and all categories of employees of the Bank attended the milad.

Directorate General Defence Purchase
Ministry of Defence
New Airport Road
Tejgaon, Dhaka-1215

TENDER NOTICE

1. Sealed tenders for item listed below in local currency are invited from bonafide manufacturers/Suppliers (not necessarily enlisted with this Directorate General) for supply of:

a. Kurta Cotton. Quantity — 5,000 Nos
b. Pajama Cotton suitmen for hospital pink medium for Army. — 1,500 Pairs

2. Tender schedule for item with detail specification will be available on payment (Non-refundable) from 07 August 91 to 03 September 91 on any working day between 0800 hours and 1200 hours. The tender will be opened on 04 September 91 at 1000-hours in presence of all present tenderers.

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DFP (G) 8839-1/8
Major for Director General G-396

Bangladesh Agricultural Development Corporation
"Krishi Bhaban"
49-51, Dilkusha Commercial Area, Dhaka
(Purchase Division)

International Tender Notice

1. Tender No. : PUR/FERT/27/74/Re-Tender/91
2. Description of stores : T.S.P. Fertilizer
3. Quantity : 2,000 M.Tons (5% more or less or the quantity available within the allocation)
4. Sale value of tender : Tk. 1000.00 or US\$ 28.00 (Non-refundable)
5. Date and time for submission of tender : 07.09.91 at 11.00 A.M. (BST).
6. Date and time for opening of tender : 07.09.91 at 11.05 A.M. (BST).
7. Place of submission and opening of tender : Purchase Division (3rd floor), 49-51, Dilkusha C/A., Dhaka-1000.
8. Source of finance : ADB Loan.
9. Any member countries of the ADB.
10. Shipment : Within 2 weeks on receipt of operative L/C.

SPECIAL POINTS:

A. Tender documents may be collected from the Cashier of Accounts Division (Cash Section), Krishi Bhaban, on payment of the scheduled value.
B. No tender documents will be sold on the day of closing or opening of the tender.
C. Tender documents may be collected by post on sending stamps of Tk. 3 (three) in favour of the Cashier of Accounts Division.
D. No tender or any thereof, will be accepted after closing of the tender.

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Ref : DACDE/02/025/91 Date : 06th August, 1991

International Tender

Sealed tenders are hereby invited by Biman Bangladesh Airlines from reputed Airlines/ Maintenance Agencies having capability of repairing, maintenance and overhauling of DC10-30 AIRCRAFT, CF6-50C2 engines and components fitted therein and also capable of providing spare parts pool support including engine, APU, Landing Gear 'one for one' exchange basis.

Sl. No.	Description	Bid No	Price of Schedule
01.	Maintenance of 04 (four) DC10-30 Aircraft and Spare Parts Pool Support.	DACDE/02/025/91 Dated : 05.08.1991	Tk. 20,000/- within Bangladesh and US\$ 500/- outside Bangladesh

Tender schedule including full specification, terms and conditions will be available with Accounts Officer, Cash & Banking, Finance Department, Biman Bhaban, Motijheel, Dhaka during all working days up to 25th September, 1991 on cash payment (non-refundable) of Tk. 20,000/- (Taka twenty thousand). The tender schedule will also be available with Managers of Biman Bangladesh Airlines in London Frankfurt, Paris, Rome, Amsterdam, Bangkok, Tokyo, Karachi and Singapore up to 25th September, 1991 on cash payment (non-refundable) of US\$ 500/- (U.S. Dollar five hundred).

Bids shall be addressed to the Director Engineering & Stores, Biman Bangladesh Airlines, Zia International Airport, Kurmitola, Dhaka, Bangladesh and to be reached or dropped in the Tender Box kept in his office latest by 1200 hrs. (B.S.T.) on the 26th September, 1991 and will be opened on the same day at 1400 hrs (B.S.T.) in the presence of the bidders, if any.

No Bid (tender) shall be accepted without Bid schedule and money receipt. Offer should remain valid for a minimum period of six months from the date of closing.

Tender received after specified date and time will not be entertained and Biman will not accept any responsibility for late receipt of Bids due to any Postal irregularities or otherwise.

Press clipping of the Tender Notice must accompany the Bid.

Bids may be rejected if any of the terms and conditions are not fulfilled.

Biman Bangladesh Airlines reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the Bids without assigning any reason therefor.

Sd/-
Director Engineering & Stores
Directorate of Engineering & Stores

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Dateline Chittagong

Tk 40 lakh likely to be earned a month from container train

CHITTAGONG, Aug 6: Bangladesh Railway (East Zone) expects to earn Taka 40 lakh per month from Dhaka Chittagong container express train service introduced on Monday last, reports BSS.

According to a BR press release here today, the increased income from the train would be possible as 110 wagons have been placed in service in place of 60.

The railway used to earn Taka 20 lakh per month from the train previously. When the train was first introduced in 1987, the monthly income was Taka 35,000 only.

The railway will now carry containers up to 40 feet in length.

Bangladesh Railway has built 40 new wagons suitable for carrying containers and those will be placed in service in next two months time.

The express train carried 22 containers from Chittagong Port to Dhaka station yesterday in 13 hours while the ordinary train would take 30 hours to reach Dhaka container depot previously.

CU exams' date

Chittagong University today announced the following dates for four examinations: — Master degree final (1988) — from September 14, first year honours — 1990 from September 17, first year B A honours 1990 from September 10 and second year B A honours — 1990 from September 17.

20 arrested

Sitakunda and Faticchhari police rounded up 20 miscreants and recovered one gun, one pipe gun, one cut rifle and 60 rounds of ammunition from their possession during the last few days, district police said here today.

The police conducted special raids against the miscreants in those areas.

Bangladesh Railway has introduced a container express train between Dhaka and Chittagong. The first train for Chittagong was inaugurated at Dhaka Railway Station on Monday.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Office of the Executive Engineer,
Facilities Department, Ministry of Education,
Faridpur Zone, Faridpur.

Tender Notice

Tender Notice No-02/GEP/DFD/FZ/91-92 Dated: 30-7-91

Sealed tenders in Bangladesh Form No-2911 are hereby invited from the enlisted contractors of Facilities Department and eligible Contractor of Foreign Countries (World Bank Member Countries only) for the under mentioned works under "General Education Project".

Sl No	Name of work	Estimated Amount (Tk.)	Cost of Tender Documents (Taka)	Category of Contractor	Completion Time
1	Construction of Two storied District Primary Education office including water supply, sanitary and electrification work and boundary wall to Rajbari district.	18,42,983/-	750/-	A/A1	7(Seven) months.

Tender schedule & all connected papers may be obtained from the office of the undersigned at Faridpur Zone, from the office of the Executive Engineer, Facilities Department, Dhaka Zone, Dhaka/Mymensingh Zone, Mymensingh, and also from the office of the Assistant Engineer, Facilities Department, Faridpur/Rajbari/Gopalganj/Madaripur/Sariatpur district only upto 18-8-91 on all working days during office hours on cash payment (Non-refundable) for tender documents and relevant papers.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned at Faridpur Zone, office of the Executive Engineer, Dhaka/Mymensingh Zone and also by the Assistant Engineer, Facilities Department of respective District at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Faridpur/Rajbari/Gopalganj/Madaripur/Sariatpur on 20-8-91 upto 12.00 hours and will be opened on the same date at 12-30 P.M. hrs. in presence of the tenderers if there be any. No Tender will be entertained after the expiry of the receiving time as mentioned in the tender Notice.

Each Tender must accompany a Bank Draft/Pay Order from any Nationalized/Scheduled Bank of Bangladesh for an amount @2% of the Estimated Amount as Earnest Money for each group in favour of "THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, FACILITIES DEPARTMENT, FARIDPUR ZONE, FARIDPUR."

ELIGIBILITY TO PURCHASE TENDER DOCUMENTS.

- Those whose enlistment have been renewed upto 1990-91.
- Certificate from concerned Executive Engineer for satisfactory completion of similar type of works under this department, whose tendered value is not less than Tk. 6.00 (six) lacs in a single work order, has to be shown before purchasing tender documents and must be submitted along with the tender.

The Tender Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tender/tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Amirul Quadir Siddique
Executive Engineer,
Facilities Department,
Faridpur Zone, Faridpur.

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