

District roundup

BARISAL
NSB earns Tk 29.38 cr from deposit schemes

Sept 12 : The National Savings Bureau has earned Taka 29,38,84,504 from different deposit schemes in ten thanas of Barisal district in the last fiscal year, reports BSS.

COMILLA
Cash, valuables looted

Sept 12 : Armed robbers raided a house and looted cash, valuables and medical apparatus worth Taka five lakh here early Wednesday (September 9), reports UNB.

NOAKHALI
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NARSINGDI
BNP's founding anniversary observed

Sept 12 : The 14th founding anniversary of Bangladesh Nationalist Party was observed here with a call to practice democratic norms and curb terrorism from the society, reports UNB.

DINAJPUR
Doctor stabbed by miscreants

Sept 12 : One doctor of the local tuberculosis clinic was stabbed by some miscreants at the clinic premises Tuesday last, reports UNB.

CHITTAGONG
Convening body to set up college formed

Sept 12 : An 11-member convening committee with Col (Retd) Muhammad Mohsin as Convener and M. Rahim Ullah and M. Abdul Halim as Joint Convener was formed recently at a meeting of a cross section of people of Halishahar Housing Estate here to establish a college in the area, a press release of the committee said recently, reports BSS.

The college to be named as Halishahar Housing Estate Mahabiddyalay will start functioning from the academic session 1992-93. The press release added, a seven member advisory body was also formed at the meeting.

SIRAJGANJ
Minor boy die while playing Kabadi

Sept 12 : A diarrhoea attacked boy while playing hadudu died at railway colony madrasa area on Sunday, reports UNB.

MAGURA
Goods worth Tk one lakh stolen

Sept 12 : Goods worth about Taka one lakh were stolen from a grocery shop at Arpara Bazar here, reports UNB.

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CHANDPUR
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FENI
Contraband goods worth Tk 22 lakh seized : 13 held

Sept 12 : Bangladesh Rifles seized contraband goods worth about Taka 22 lakh and arrested 13 alleged smugglers last month, reports UNB.

KUSHIA
Fish fry being caught indiscriminately

Sept 12 : Fish fry are being caught indiscriminately in various parts of the district in defiance of a government ban, reports UNB.



MYMENSINGH: Local Ghatak Dalal Nirmul Coordination Committee brought out a procession demanding the execution of Gano Adalat's (People's Court) verdict recently. — Star photo

Diarrhoea claims 15, attacks 2600 in one week

SIRAJGANJ, Sept 12 : Diarrhoea claimed 10 lives and attacked 2,500 others in five thanas of the districts over the last one week, reports UNB.

The district Civil Surgeon official, however, confirmed seven deaths and said at least 1,700 other were attacked by the disease. The worst affected thanas are : Sadar, Ullapara, Shahjadpur, Kamarkhand and Kazipur.

Cattle lifting rampant
Our correspondent adds : Cattle lifting and thefts have been rampant in Belkuchi and Chowhali thana areas. People of two thanas mainly in the remote charlands are passing sleepless nights due to such crimes.

BOGRA, Sept 12 : The normal functioning of Gabtali Health Complex of the district is being seriously hampered due to various problems including acute shortage of physicians, reports UNB.

Out of 17 doctors assigned in different sub-centres and thana health complex, only 5 are working now. Rest are on deputation or on leave. Two MOMCH are on unauthorised leave for about 2 months.

Due to scarcity of doctors, the daily treatment of patients are being hampered seriously. About 300 to 400 patients come to the hospital daily and it has turned difficult for the three doctors to attend them properly.

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Freshers' reception

The freshers' reception of Brahmanbaria Govt College organised by the student wings of all political parties was held here at college compound recently.

Two bodies recovered

The Railway Police of Akhaura recovered two unidentified bodies from railway track, of separate places recently.

Four miscreants rounded up

UNB report says : Villagers foiled a kidnap bid and caught four miscreants redhanded near Shahbazpur village when they were assaulting an official of Sathan Textile Mills Ltd recently.

Ustad Alauddin Khan's death anniversary observed

Another UNB report adds : Different cultural organisations in the town observed the 20th death anniversary of famous musician Ustad Alauddin Khan recently.

Hartal for uplift of road observed

PATUAKHALI, Sept 12 : A half-day hartal was observed in Mirzaganj thana of the district demanding the development of the Barguna-Mirzaganj-Bakerganj Road, reports UNB.

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Secretary, Ministry of Post and Telecommunication Md Azizul Hoque and Chairman Bangladesh T and T Board Abdus Salam were present.

T. aman cultivated on 69000 acres in dist

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CHUADANGA, Sept 12 : During the current transplanted aman cultivation season, 69,000 acres of land have been brought under cultivation in four thanas of the district.

'Labour-management ties in TSS excellent'

GAZIPUR, Sept 12 : The members of the parliamentary standing committee on post and telecommunication ministry visited Talibabad Satellite Earth Station of Bangladesh T and T Board on Wednesday, reports BSS.

UPEP faces problems

KUSHTIA, Sept 12 : Universal Primary Education Programme (UPEP) of the government has been facing setback due to manifold problems in six thanas of the district, reports UNB.

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NARAYANGANJ: This photograph 'the girl' by Md Kamaluddin (inset), Secretary of local Photographic Society received 'Okamoto Award' in the 17th Asia and Pacific Contest held at Tokyo in Japan recently. — Star photo