

District roundup

NATORE

Statues worth Tk 40 lakh recovered

Mar 8: Police recovered two statues of valuable stone worth Taka 40 lakh from Tebaria Hat in Sadar thana on Sunday and arrested two people in this connection, reports UNB.

DINAJPUR

Seven people held for heroin trading

Mar 8: Kotwali Police arrested seven people including four women from Putanipara in the town on Friday for their alleged involvement in heroin trading, reports UNB.

SIRAJGANJ

Armed group loots valuables from 12 houses

Mar 8: An armed group swooped on 12 houses in Gowshala area of the town Friday night and allegedly looted valuables worth about Taka 1.50 lakh, reports UNB.

SATKHIRA

Indian cows worth Tk one lakh seized

Mar 8: Bangladesh Rifles seized 17 Indian cows worth about Taka one lakh from the border area on Saturday morning, reports UNB.

FARIDPUR

Tk 25 lakh stolen from Sonali Bank

Mar 8: About Taka twenty five lakh was stolen Friday night from Sonali Bank, Faridpur Sugar Mills branch at Madhukali sixteen miles from here, reports BSS.

BRAHMANBARIA

Meet held on Ramzan's sanctity

Mar 8: A meeting was held at the Jamia Younusia Madrasha Masjid premises of the town recently urging to maintain the sanctity of ramzan.

PATUAKHALI

Quarters for health complex employees to be constructed

Mar 8: Residential quarters for the fourth class employees of the Dashmina Health Complex will be constructed during the current year, reports UNB.

KISHOREGANJ

Week long eye camp concludes

Mar 8: A week-long eye camp organised by Kishoreganj Central Rotary Club concluded at Gobiradpur High School in Hossainpur thana of the district recently.

MAGURA

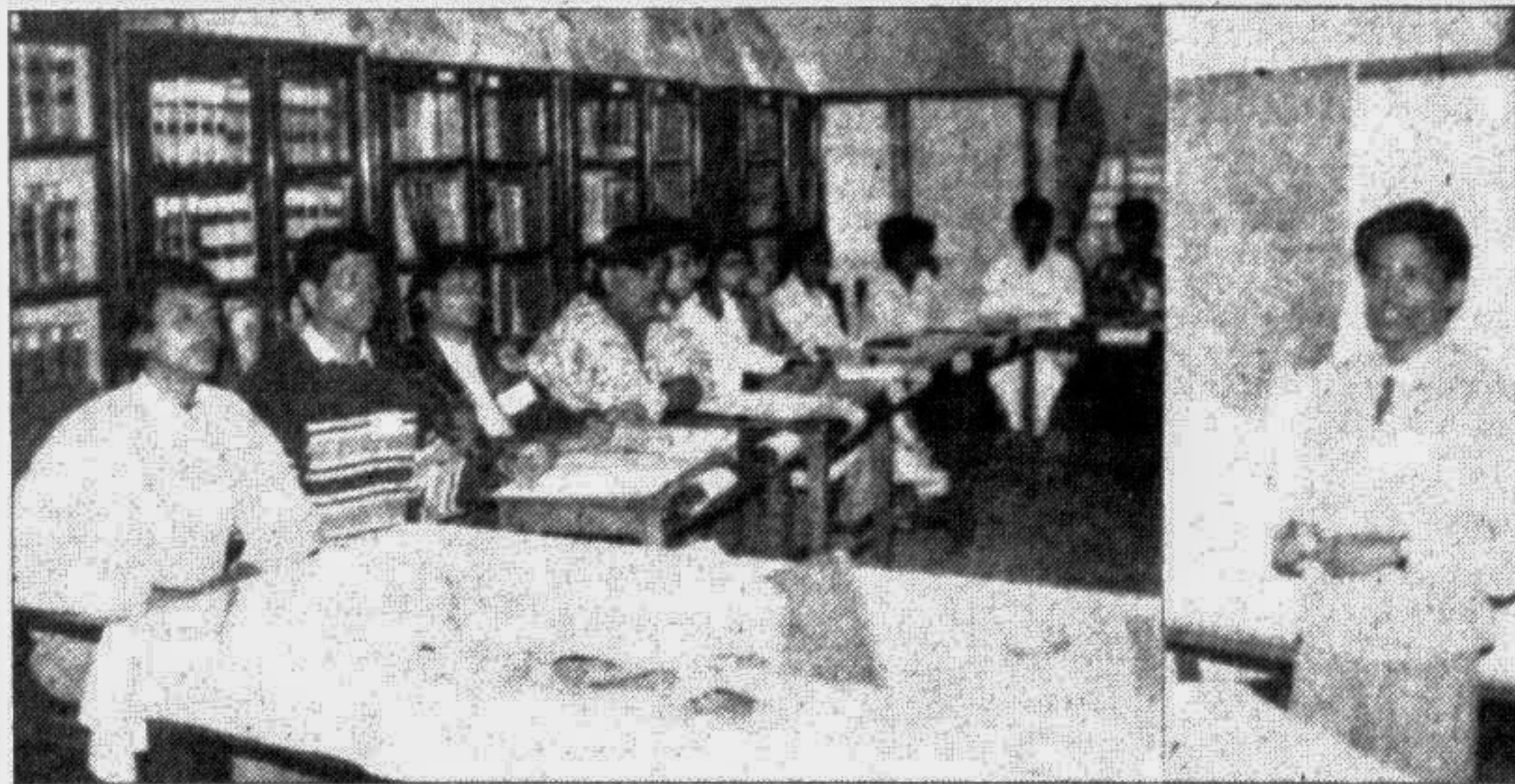
Housewife killed in road mishap

Mar 8: A housewife was killed when a speedy truck dashed her near Katakhalai on Magura-Arpara road Saturday, reports UNB.

JHENIDAH

Two persons shot dead

Mar 8: Two persons were allegedly shot dead Friday night by armed men at village Kalukhalai under Kaliganj thana, reports BSS.



MADARIPUR: Instructor Shahabuddin Farooqui at a training course arranged by Madaripur Udichi Shilpi Gosthi held at local Legal Aid Association auditorium recently.

Registration of marriages can reduce divorces

DINAJPUR, Mar 8: Hundreds of divorce cases have been recorded during the last three years in 25 thanas of the district.

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After separation, the poor victims live in despair as their parents can not give them food and shelter. Sometimes, they are to indulge in immoral activities to earn their livelihood.

Programmes on tafseer Quran taken up

TANGAIL, Mar 8: Islamic Foundation Tangail district branch has taken up a programme on Tafseer quran and quran technic on occasion of holy month of Ramadan, reports BSS.

UP member arrested with arms

KHULNA, Mar 8: Police arrested a member of Nothati Union Parishad from his house along with arms on Thursday, reports UNB.

Use, sale of intoxicant unabated

MEHERPUR, Mar 8: The indiscriminate use and sale of intoxicant and other drugs has assumed an alarming proportion in the district, reports UNB.

Jamaat-BCL clash leaves 15 hurt in Pabna

PABNA, Feb 8: At least 15 people were injured when activists of Jamaat-e-Islami and pro-Awami League Chhatra League clashed at Chatmohar Tuesday, reports UNB.

43800 hectares of land under IRRI-Boro farming

SATKHIRA, Mar 8: A total of 43,800 hectares of land has been brought under IRRI-Boro cultivation in seven thanas of Satkhira district during the current IRRI-Boro season.

1,27,700 sets of books distributed in Chuadanga

CHUADANGA, Mar 8: During the current academic season the government has distributed 1,27,700 sets of books free of cost among the primary students of four thanas of Chuadanga district like Chuadanga sadar, Alamdanga, Damurhuda and Jibannagar.

Mosquito menace alarming in Jamalpur, Satkhira

JAMALPUR, Mar 8: Mosquito menace in the town assumed an alarming proportion causing untold suffering to the town dwellers for a long time, reports UNB.

Selling of note-books unabated in Savar

SAVAR, Mar 8: Note-books are being sold with impunity in all the book stalls of Savar and Dhamrai thana areas despite government ban, reports UNB.

Tk 4cr plan taken up to remove water logging

CHITTAGONG, Mar 8: Chittagong City Corporation has undertaken an expansion and re-excavation of two canals at a cost of Taka 4.05 crore during current financial year under environment development project with the aim of removing water logging in the city area, reports BSS.

2,136 transformers, 133,572 metres electric wire stolen

PABNA, Mar 8: Huge quantity of electric goods were stolen from Pabna, Iswardi, Chatmohar and Kazinathpur electric godowns in the last 14 months, official sources said, reports UNB.



SYLHET: Pitiab condition of a road in the Hasnanagar area of Sunamganj town which needs immediate reconstruction.

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expected to fail to achieve its target due to abnormal price hike of fertilizers, pesticides, diesel and other agricultural inputs, it is learnt.

duction cost. As a result, the farmers of the district have been passing hard days. As such they are reluctant to cultivate paddy.

Cotton production

UNB report from Natore adds: About 2.5 lakh maund of cotton is expected to be produced in 16 northern districts during the current season.

6,60,673 hectares of land under rabi crop farming

MYMENSINGH, Mar 8: At least 6,60,673 hectares of land have been brought under rabi crop cultivation in five districts of Mymensingh Agricultural Region in the current season, reports UNB.

Muktijoddha Sangsad unit confce held

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Acid thrown on two female SSC examinees

PIROJPUR, Mar 8: Three youngmen threw acid on two female SSC examinees while they were returning from Debarkati School under Sadar thana on February 22, it is informed.