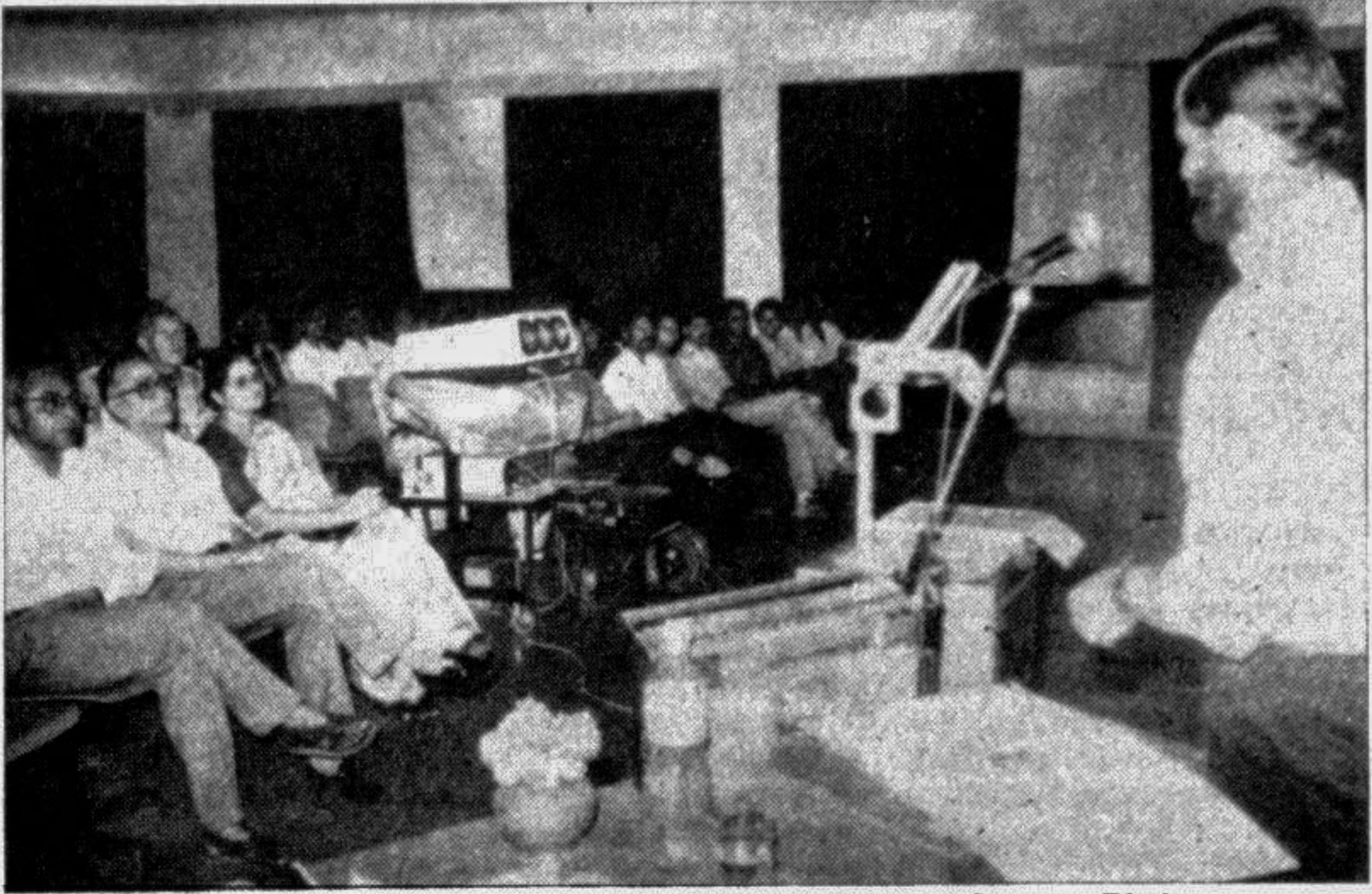


Dhaka Day by Day

Bangla Notations for Classical Music, and More...

by Fayza Haq



John Thorpe seen with his audience at Goethe-Institut, Dhaka.

John Thorpe, who recently held a talk on classical western music, at Goethe-Institut, Dhaka, explained his findings with the help of musical notations, which, he had developed himself, along with a piano, a projector and a tape recorder.

Thorpe was well aware of the sensibility of his audience, which is admirable for a foreigner, and explained that when Jesus was spoken of as 'the son of God' it was meant to be taken only as a metaphorical and spiritual term.

'Modern, traditional systems of medicine should go together'

Health and Family Welfare Minister Chowdhury Kamal Ibne Yusuf called upon the practitioners of traditional systems of medicines to come forward in implementing the National Drug Policy and the Health Policy, reports BSS.

Speaking as the chief guest at the concluding session of national seminar on traditional medicine here, the minister said practitioners of all systems of medicine should be included in implementing national health programmes.

Bangladesh Unani and Ayurvedic Board, Bangladesh Unani Aushad Shilpa Samity, Bangladesh Ayurved Parishad and Pharmacy Department of Dhaka University jointly organised the seminar.

Presided over by Professor Chowdhury Mahmood Hasan, the concluding session was also addressed by Health Secretary Syed Ahmed, National Professor Nurul Islam, and WHO representative in Bangladesh Dr. A N A Abyeysundere and Director of the Institute of Herbal Medicine, Prof. Kamaluddin Ahmed.

The Health Secretary said there were 260 Unani, 171 Ayurvedic and 61 Homeopathic drug manufacturing firms in the country, registered with the drug control administration.

Milam's remarks beyond diplomatic norms, says Workers' Party

By Staff Correspondent The Politburo of Bangladesh Workers' Party in a statement Friday criticized the speech of US Ambassador in Dhaka William B Milam saying that his remarks were beyond the diplomatic norms.

The statement also said the remarks were against the interests of the country and called upon the government to control such activities of US Ambassador.

The remarks were made as part of an organised propaganda against the interests of the country and the Chamber leaders had involved themselves with the matter, the statement observed.

The Politburo of the party, however, reminded the DCCI leaders that the US Ambassador in no way would allow a congenial atmosphere in the industrial sector of the country.

Parjotan Club confce May 18 Eid-sprees in Chittagong

CHITTAGONG, Mar 21: With a few days left for the Eid-ul-Fitr, the port city of Chittagong is in the midst of Eid-sprees, city dwellers are busy in buying varieties of presents and vermicelli (semia) in keeping with almost an established tradition on this great occasion of joy and happiness, reports BSS.

বাংলা একাডেমী ঢাকা নিয়োগ বিজ্ঞপ্তি

Advertisement for Bangladesh Academy jobs in Dhaka. Includes details on application process, dates, and contact information.

Ataul Karim awarded

Lion Ataul Karim, the Additional Secretary, Ministry of Industry has recently been awarded Palli Kabi Jasmuddin Jatiya Padak for his outstanding social service, says a press release.

Postal holidays

All post offices throughout the country will remain closed from March 24 to 26 on the occasions of the holy Eid-ul-Fitr and the Independence and National Day, reports BSS.

Envoy of Russian Federation calls on Salam

The Ambassador of the Russian Federation to Bangladesh ES Shevchenko called on the Secretary General of BNP and LGRD and Cooperatives Minister Barrister Abdus Salam Tahuk-der at his secretariat office yesterday, reports BSS.



Japanese Ambassador to Bangladesh Toshio Saiki made a farewell call on Prime Minister Begum Khaleda Zia at her office yesterday.

Heads of Muslim state greet Biswas on Eid-ul-Fitr

Heads of state and government of different Muslim countries have felicitated President Abdur Rahman Biswas on the occasion of holy Eid-ul-Fitr, reports BSS.

Those who sent messages include Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahayaan, President of the United Arab Emirates, Maktoum Bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President and Prime Minister of UAE, President Hafez Al-Assad of Syria, Qaboos Bin Said, Sultan of Oman, Khalifa Bin Hamad Al-Thani, Amir of Qatar, Hamad Bin Khalifa Al-Thani, heir apparent and Defence Minister of Qatar, and Saad Al-Abdullah Al-Salim Al-Sabah, Crown Prince and Prime Minister of Kuwait.

Obituary

Motiuur Rahman, Administrative Officer, Education Directorate died of cancer Saturday at a city clinic. He was 55, reports BSS.

CA results announced

In supersession of its earlier decision dated March 17 the Council of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Bangladesh (ICAB) has declared the results of the CA Intermediate and Final Examinations held in December 1992, says a press release.

ঢাকা সিটি করপোরেশন

দুই বর্ষের পরে ঢাকা সিটি করপোরেশনের তালিকাভুক্ত সকল শ্রেণীর টিকাসহকারী নিকট হতে বাংলাদেশ সরকার ২০১১সে কিস্তিভিত্তিক ভাবে টিকার আহ্বান করা যাচ্ছে।

Table with 4 columns: ক্রমিক নং, কাজের নাম, প্রাকল্পিত টাকা, বায়নার টাকা, সময়সীমা. Lists various utility and infrastructure projects with their budgets and completion dates.

Weather Gusty wind likely

By Staff Correspondent Rain or thundershower accompanied by temporary gusty wind is likely to occur at a few places over Dhaka, Chittagong and Barisal divisions and at one or two places over Rajshahi and Khulna divisions during the next 24 hours commencing from 6 pm Sunday, Met office forecasts.

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