

National Archives Bhaban to be built soon

The construction of a National Archives Bhaban costing Tk five crore on two acres of land at Sher-e-Bangla Nagar is going to be started soon, reports BSS.

This was informed at the 18th meeting of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Cultural Affairs Ministry held at the Jatiya Sangsad Bhaban yesterday with State Minister

74 arrested on various charges

Police rounded up 74 people from different parts of the city in last 24 hours on various charges, a DMP press release said yesterday, reports UNB.

The arrested include eight wanted criminals, three under the Anti-Terrorism Law, one accused in arms case, one for dacoity, five for stealing and one for burglary.

All the arrested people were produced before court.

for Cultural Affairs Prof Jahannara Begum in the chair.

The directorate has two sections, these are archives and libraries. The prime objective of the library sections is to collect and preserve all sorts of books, journals, newspapers and magazines and books and booklets published abroad of Bangladesh.

The main objective of the archives section is to preserve important governmental, state-level and administrative files and documents.

Members of the committee Shahin Ara Huj, Rubeka Mahmud, Shamsunnahar Ahmed and Amanullah Chowdhury of BNP, Rashida Khatun of Jamaat-e-Islami and Abu Lais Mohammad Mobin Chowdhury of Jatiya Party, Nur-e-Alam Chowdhury of Awami League attended.

Cultural Secretary Islamuddin Malik was also present.

Reception to top 20 of SSC, Dakhil exams August 28

The students who secured the first 20 positions in the merit list of the SSC Examinations 1993 under the four boards of the country and also of the Dakhil Examinations under the Bangladesh Madrasah Education Board, will be accorded reception at a function, according to an official handout yesterday, reports BSS.

The function will be held at 10:30 am on August 28 at the Osmani Memorial auditorium in Dhaka.

Prime Minister Begum Khaleda Zia will attend the function as the chief guest while Education Minister Barrister Jamiruddin Sircar will preside over. State Minister for Education Principal Md Eunus Khan will also attend the function.

The concerned meritorious students have been requested to report at Osmani auditorium at 3:00 pm on August 27 for registration and rehearsal.

The heads of the concerned educational institutions have also been requested to attend. They will have to be present at the Osmani auditorium at 8:00 am on August 28.



Information Minister Barrister Nazmul Huda seen with the recipients of Gold Medal '92 of Deshbandhu Chittaranjan Das Research Parishad at a local hotel in the city yesterday. —PID photo

Unity of religious communities must for progress : Huda

Information Minister Barrister Nazmul Huda yesterday called for forging greater unity of all religious communities to lead the nation towards progress and prosperity, reports BSS.

Speaking at a function as chief guest last night on the occasion of gold medal award ceremony in commemoration of Desh Bandhu Chitta Ranjan Das, the minister said Desh Bandhu had left to his posterity a glorious legacy of service to mankind based on unity of all people.

The function organised by the Desh Bandhu C R Das Research Council at a city hotel was presided over by council president Lt Col (Retd)

Héshamuddin Ahmed, a former secretary of the government.

The recipients of CR Das Gold Medal are: Principal Ahsan Ullah Khan, Shamsuddin Ahmed, M G Morshed, Momtaz Hossain, Helaluddin, Ahsan Nazir, Mohammad Badruzzaman, Al-Haj A Razaque Khan, Abdul Hye Sarkar, Ahsan Habib Kohinor, Dr Z H Gazi and Hanifur Rahman Chowdhury for their distinctive contributions in respective fields of life.

The function was rounded off with a cultural function.

The Council for the first time has instituted the gold medal award in the name of Desh Bandhu, great son of the soil who was born in Bikrampur in 1870.



Planning Commission member Mokammel Haque addressing the second quarterly review meeting of the Joint Government UNICEF Advisory Group (JGUAG) at the NEC Bhaban recently in the city.

What's on today . . .

- Zahir Raihan Film Society**
Zahir Raihan Film Society will screen a film titled 'The Creatures' today (Tuesday) at 6 pm at the Alliance Francaise.
- BGMEA discussion**
A discussion has been arranged by the Bangladesh Garment Manufacturers and Exporters Association (BGMEA) at the Association's conference room at BTMC Bhaban, 7-9, Kawran Bazar today (Tuesday) at 5:00 pm.
Minister for Planning AM Zahiruddin Khan will be the chief guest in the meeting.
- Rotary Club of Ramna**
The regular meeting of Rotary Club of Ramna will be held today (Tuesday) at 5:30 pm at Hotel Sonargaon.
- Theatre Unit**
Theatre Unit will stage 'Baro Bhuter Bojjat' and 'Akal Darshan' today (Tuesday) at 7 pm at the Guide House auditorium.
- IEB seminar**
A seminar on 'Concrete Pavement - A Rescue to the Road Construction in Bangladesh' organised by Technical Activities, Seminar and Conference Committee for Civil Engineering, The Institution of Engineers, Bangladesh (IEB) will be held today (Tuesday) at 4:30 pm in the seminar room of IEB, Ramna, Dhaka.
Minister for Communications Oli Ahmed will attend the seminar as chief guest while Dr Engr JR Chowdhury, president, IEB will be the special guest. Dr Engr AMM Saifullah, Chairman Civil Engineering Division, IEB will preside over the session. Engr Abdur Rahman General Manager, Soil Tech Ltd will present the paper.

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- Rotary Club of Dhaka Mid-town**
The 16th installation ceremony of the office bearers of Rotary Club of Dhaka Mid-town for the year 1993-94 will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) at 5:15 p.m at Sonargaon Hotel.
Prof A Q M Badruddoza Chowdhury, Deputy Leader of the Bangladesh Jatiya Sangsad will grace the occasion as chief guest.
Rtn. Magfur Uddin Ahmed, District Governor and Rtn. L K Siddiqui Immi former District Governor, Rotary International District 3280, will be the special guest and guest of honour respectively.
- NASHGAF**
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Publication ceremony
By Staff Correspondent
The publication ceremony of a book 'Chorachint' written by Dr Captain (Retd) Masudur Rahman was held at the National Museum children's auditorium in the city yesterday.

The function was inaugurated by the Chairman of the University Grants Commission Professor Shamsul Huq.

The book of rhymes was published with the initiative of Kalantar Kala and Krijiti Kendra.

The function was presided over by the organisation president and the writer of the book Capt Masud Al Kalam Abdul Wahab.

Abbas releases fish fries
Mayor of Dhaka City Corporation (DCC) Mirza Abbas, MP yesterday called upon all concerned to clean the derelict tanks and ponds in the city and culture fish in them, reports BSS.

Mirza Abbas was speaking at a function on the occasion of releasing fish fries in the tank adjoining Lalmatia Shahi Mosque here.

Mayor of Dhaka urged the non-government organisations to carry forward the developmental and production oriented programmes taken up by the government for the welfare of the people.

Calling for cooperation by all quarters to build Dhaka as a clean and beautiful city, Mirza Abbas regretted that despite repeated reminders, desired response from concerned owners was not available to clean their derelict tanks.

Enlistment of DU registered graduates
The date for enlistment of the registered graduates of the Dhaka University has been shifted to September 1, from August 31, according to a university press release, reports BSS.

The decision has been taken due to the government holiday for Eid-e-Miladunnabi on August 31.

Other conditions for enlistment remain unchanged, the press release added.

Dhaka WASA Tender Notice

নিয়মিত পানি ও পয়ঃ বিল পরিশোধ করুন

Tenders are invited from Dhaka WASA enlisted 1st, 2nd & 3rd class mechanical & electrical contractors and bonafide contractors experienced in Motorola radio parts supply & radio servicing for Wireless set No. 9 (Ma Ka Ma - 70), old Motorola antenna servicing and Feeder cable connector & Microphone cord supplying and installing at Pagla Sewer Treatment Plant office at an allotted cost of Taka 25,480/-.

Tenders will be received up to 12:00 Noon on 30-8-93 and opened on the same day at 2:00 PM in presence (if any) of the tenderers or their representatives.

Schedule of tender will be available at the Office of the Chief Accounts Officer, WASA Bhaban, 98, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka & all MODS Zone offices of Dhaka WASA. Other detailed descriptions will be available at the office of the undersigned.

Address:
Elephant Road
Kakrail, Dhaka
WASA-P.I.-359/93
DPP (G) 12959-19/8
G-1097

Zahidul Arif
Executive Engineer (Acting)
SOC Division
Dhaka WASA

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Project Director

Second Aquaculture Development Project

Matshya Bhaban, 1 Park Avenue
Ramna, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Part A: Memo No: 2834
Loan No. 821-BAN(SF)
Dated: 15-8-93

Invitation for Bids (3rd Call)

Under International Shopping Procedure

- Government of Bangladesh has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) in various currencies towards the cost of Second Aquaculture Development Project (ADB) and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under contract for procurement of "Seines and Twine". This package invites bids on over 1,200 feet of hung seine net and other materials.
- The Project Director, Second Aquaculture Development Project (ADB), Department of Fisheries (DOF), Matshya Bhaban, 1, Park Avenue, Ramna, Dhaka now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders from member countries of ADB for the supply of the goods for purposes of the project.
- Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information of the bid form and inspect the bidding documents at the office (Room No. 713) of the Project Director, Second Aquaculture Development Project (ADB), Department of Fisheries, Matshya Bhaban, 1, Park Avenue, Ramna, Dhaka, Cable-Matshya.
- A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested eligible bidders on the submission of a written application to the above address and upon cash payment of a non-refundable fee of Taka 1,000/- (Taka one thousand) or equivalent in US \$ up to 14.30 hrs. on 29/9/93.
- All bids must be accompanied by a bid bond or bank guarantee of two per cent (2%) of Total Bid Price and must be delivered to the above office on or before 11:00 hours 30th September, 1993.
- Bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives who may choose to attend at 11:30 hours on 30.9.93 at the office of the Project Director, Second Aquaculture Development Project, Department of Fisheries, Matshya Bhaban, 1, Park Avenue, Ramna, Dhaka.
- The Department of Fisheries will not be responsible for any cost or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

Project Director
Second Aquaculture Development Project
Matshya Bhaban, Ramna,
Dhaka, Bangladesh.

DPP (G) 12684-15/8
G-1096

BCIC International Tender Notice

বিসিআইসি'র পণ্য শিল্পায়নে জাতীয় অগ্রগতির প্রতীক

Managing Director, Zia Fertilizer Company Limited, Ashuganj, B. Baria, Bangladesh hereby invites sealed quotations as under:-

Sl. No	Tender Enquiry No.	Description of goods	Terms of delivery	Due date of opening	Price of tender documents (non-refundable)	Earnest Money	Source of financing
1.	OS-1497	Hot Insulation	C&F/C&F(C) Chittagong	22.9.93	Tk. 400/-	1% of total quoted value (but not less than Tk.1000/-)	Any suitable source of finance
2.	OS-1611	Spares for UPS	-do-	22.9.93	Tk. 400/-	-do-	-do-
3.	OS-1619	Potassium Carbonate	-do-	22.9.93	Tk. 750/-	-do-	-do-

Tenders will be received by the Chief Commercial Manager, Zia Fertilizer Co. Ltd, Ashuganj, B. Baria up to 2:30 PM on the date mentioned above and be opened the same day immediately thereafter in presence of the tenderers' representatives, if any.

Tender documents with detailed specification, terms and conditions will be available on all working days from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM on payment of the prescribed price in cash from the office of:-

- The Controller of Accounts, BCIC, 30-31, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka.
- The General Manager, BCIC, 6-Agrabad C/A, Chittagong.
- The General Manager (Accounts & Finance), ZFCL, Ashuganj, B. Baria.

No tender document will be sold on the date of tender opening.

BCIC 767-148
DPP(BA)7262-148
G-1095

STAR TV

WORLD SERVICE TELEVISION
Tuesday, 24th August

(All programmes in local time)

6 am	BBC World Service News
6:15	Asia Today
6:25	Newsnight
7:00	BBC World Service News
7:25	World Business Report
8:00	BBC World Service News
8:15	Asia Today
8:25	Newsnight
9:00	BBC World Service News
9:15	Asia Today
9:25	Birchright
10:00	BBC World Service News
10:25	Doc Martin's Casebook
11:00	BBC World Service News
11:30	BBC Business Breakfast
12:00	BBC World Service News
12:15	Panorama
1:00	BBC World Service News
1:25	Arta Documentary
2:00	BBC World Service News
2:25	Arta Documentary
3:00	BBC World Service News
3:25	World News Day
4:00	BBC World Service News
4:25	World News Day
5:00	BBC World Service News
5:25	The Beat Of Donahue
6:00	BBC World Service News
6:25	BBC News From London
6:50	BBC World Service News
7:25	Tomorrow's World In...
8:00	BBC World Service News
8:25	World Business Report
9:00	BBC World Service News
9:10	World News Day
9:25	BBC World Service News
10:00	Birchright
11:00	BBC World Service News
11:25	BBC News From London
12:00	BBC World Service News
12:25	Blooming Bellamy
1:00	BBC World Service News
1:15	Panorama
2:00	BBC World Service News
2:25	BBC World Service News
3:00	BBC World Service News
3:25	Pagoda's Box
4:00	BBC World Service News
4:25	Panorama
5:00	BBC World Service News
5:25	World Business Report

STAR plus

6 am	The Elephant Show
6:30	Dinky Dog
7:00	Emu TV
7:30	The Magic Box
8:00	The Elephant Show
8:30	Dinky Dog
9:00	A Traveller's Guide To The Orient
9:30	Jane Wallace
10:30	Neighbours
11:00	Sonia Barbara
11:50	Hollywood Stars
12:00	The Bold & The Beautiful
12:30	Donahue
1:00	The Oprah Winfrey Show
2:30	Yan Can Cook
3:00	Emu TV
3:30	The Magic Box
4:00	The Elephant Show
4:30	Crossroads
5:00	The Beat Of Donahue: How To Get By On Little Or No Money
6:00	Neighbours
6:30	The Bush Randall Mystery: Means Of Evil
7:00	Newhart
8:00	Canned Carrot
8:30	Hollywood Stars
9:00	The Bold & The Beautiful
9:10	Sonia Barbara
10:00	Special: Look Of The Year
11:10	Newhart
11:40	Canned Carrot
12:10	Neighbours
12:40	Beyond 2000
1:40	The Bush Randall Mystery: Means Of Evil
3:00	Newhart
3:30	Canned Carrot
4:00	The Oprah Winfrey Show: Great Sex Seminar
5:00	Drak Pack
5:30	The Magic Box

PRIME SPORTS

6:00	MTV's Most Wanted Movie
7:00	Dial MTV Sports
8:00	Classic MTV Danny
9:00	World News Taiwan
10:00	VJ David Wu
11:00	MTV's Stupidest Hits
12:00	VJ Danny McGill
1:00	MTV's Greatest Hits
1:30	VJ Sophiya
3:00	MTV Prime
3:30	VJ David Wu
6:00	Day In Rock
6:10	3 From One
6:30	The Grind
7:00	MTV's Most Wanted
8:00	Dial MTV
9:00	MTV Heart And Soul
9:30	Angela
10:00	MTV Top 20 Video Countdown Europe
12:00	MTV Unplugged
12:30	Arrested Development II
12:30	MTV Documentary: Billy Idol
1:00	MTV's Stupidest Hits
2:00	VJ Danny McGill
3:00	Day In Rock
3:10	3 From One
3:30	The Grind
4:00	Awake On The Wild Side
4:30	Angela Chow

Zee TV

7:30	Good Sports
8:00	Filmi Duniya
8:30	Sa Re Ga Na Chakraayuh
9:30	Tara
10:00	Commander
10:30	The Nandy Show
11:00	Bazaar Buzz
11:10	Starra/Jhalak
11:40	Campa
12:10	Daak Ghar
12:40	Saajan Sajni
1:10	Toi Moi Ke Bol
1:40	Gaame Arjaane
2:10	Bazaar Buzz
2:20	Close Down

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