

Students demand ban on movement of trucks in city

By SSMCH Correspondent
More than 2000 students demonstrated in the city yesterday protesting the death of a medical student under the wheels of a speeding truck recently.

Death anniversary of Dr Milton

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members of the BMA placed wreaths at the newly-erected memorial to Dr Milton near the TSC and at his grave at the Dhaka Medical College premises.

AL reacts sharply

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The Leader of the Opposition did not, contrary to what you suggested in your commentary, make any derogatory remark about the Parliament.



Deputy Speaker of the Jatiya Sangsad Humayun Khan Panni receiving the Australian parliamentary delegation at the Zia International Airport yesterday. -PID photo

Australian MPs in city

A nine-member Australian parliamentary delegation led by Deputy Speaker Henry Alfred Jenkins arrived here yesterday on a week-long visit to Bangladesh, reports UNB.

Nepali MPs

BSS adds: A six-member Nepalese parliamentary delegation led by Radha Krishna Mainali MP arrived here yesterday on a three-day visit to Bangladesh.

Khulna City College closed

From Staff Correspondent
KULNA, Nov 27: The authorities today closed down Khulna City College here for five days to avert possible violence.

JP calls hartal in Barisal today

From Staff Correspondent
BARISAL, Nov 27: The Jatiya Party (JP) has called for a half-day hartal here tomorrow protesting the reported attempt on the life of the acting president of the party and an attack on its meeting.

Chandpur College closed sine die

From Our Correspondent
CHANDPUR, Nov 27: The Chandpur Government College has been closed sine die today following a clash between two student groups.

BNP, AL leaders

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ready to 'positively scrutinise' the Treasury bench formula. The AL leaders would raise a few fresh demands at today's negotiations.

Sweden departs 9 Bangladeshis

STOCKHOLM, Nov 27: Nine Bangladeshi men held after a police raid on a convent providing sanctuary for illegal aliens were deported from Sweden today.

Romania celebrates Nat'l Day Dec 1

By Staff Correspondent
Romanians across the world will celebrate their new National Day on December 1 marking the ouster of the communist regime and transition to democracy.

Cuba to import jute, rice from Bangladesh

Cuba is keen to import rice and jute from Bangladesh, reports BSS. This was disclosed by the new Cuban Ambassador to Bangladesh Ms Olghamera Triah when she called on Commerce Minister M Shamsul Islam at his secretariat office here yesterday.

Shibir-Moitree clash in Pabna: 20 injured

PABNA, Nov 27: At least 20 people were injured, six of them seriously, in a clash between the activists of Islami Chhatra Shibir and Chhatra Moitree at the Shahid Bulbul Government College here today, reports UNB.

Hasina's house

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get inside the house defying the police sentry Nazrul Islam. A skirmish took place between the youths and the policeman. Later, Bahar and Afzal, went to the Ramna thana to lodge a complaint against alleged 'misbehaviour' by the sentry.

One to die

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page at Saleh Noor College examination hall when some examinees were expelled on the ground of adopting unfair means. The students ransacked the hall and assaulted invigilators and members of the law enforcing agency.

5-party blames BNP for crisis in JS

By Staff Correspondent
The Five Party Alliance at a meeting Saturday blamed the ruling party for the present crisis in the Jatiya Sangsad and demanded immediate solution to the problem.

Resolve all issues in JS, says Huda

GAZIPUR, Nov 27: Information Minister Barrister Rafiqul Islam Miah, who submitted the notice for a breach of his privilege by Sheikh Hasina, told this correspondent last night that his party was ready to make a compromise with the Opposition for the sake of democracy.

Dhaka keen

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back the Chakmas from the camps in Tripura. When his attention was drawn to a news item published yesterday on Rao's statement regarding repatriation of the tribals of the Chittagong Hill Tracts, a senior official at the Foreign Ministry, however, said "the ball is now in the Indian court."

BDR-BSF

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111-acre accreted land, near the Feni-Belonia border. The Indian Border Security Force (BSF) triggered the skirmish when BDR personnel tried to resist the Indians from harvesting the paddy crop on the char.

4 BAF men die

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and Pilot Officer Rahman. The full names and ages of the victims were not immediately available. An official of the Inter-Services Public Relations said that an enquiry has been ordered into the accident.

Hasina condoles

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The Midnight File

Ukraine dismisses Russian threats

KIEV, Nov 27: Ukrainian officials dismissed Russian threats to stop servicing former Soviet missiles on their territory as irresponsible and defended their parliament's stiff conditions for getting rid of nuclear weapons.

Iran for better ties with Iraq

BEIRUT, Nov 27: Iran wants to normalise ties with longtime foe Iraq and the exchange of visits by both countries' officials is part of that policy, Iranian Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati said in comments published today.

Opposition conspiring

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said. Pointing to the interest shown by foreign entrepreneurs in investing in Bangladesh, the Prime Minister said frequent hartals and indiscipline will discourage them.

Govt to encourage private initiatives to expand tourism

COX'S BAZAR, Nov 27: Prime Minister Begum Khaleda Zia today assured her government's continued support to the private sector initiatives for expansion of tourism in the country, reports UNB.

Search for oil in Bay

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adding that in case of further delay, the exploration might have to be postponed until November next year. In order for any oil exploration by a foreign firm to begin in the country, a PSC submitted by a company, followed by signing of a MOU and submission of proposals, should be approved by the Ministries of Energy, Finance, Law, the NBR and the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Energy.

BNP conspiring

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The opposition leader alleged that the government was trying to brand the entire student community as terrorists by patronising some identified goons of the Chhatra Dal. She urged the students to remain alert against the conspiracy.

Loan Court Act

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given effect through promulgation of an ordinance," said a source in the Ministry of Finance. The Act, enacted in 1990, was aimed at expediting the loan recovery activities of the financial institutions and the nationalised banks. All such banks and institutions were covered by the Act except the BKB and the RKUB. These two banks have been pursuing their loan recovery activities through the Public Demands Recovery (PDR) Act of 1913.

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