

Two panels to contest JUTA polls

By JU Correspondent
Two panels were floated for the Jahangirnagar University Teachers' Association (JUTA) polls — scheduled for December 30.
Dr Abu Syeed Khan of the Department of Physics and Dr Tazul Islam of the Department of Economics have filed in their nomination papers for the president post, according to unofficial sources.
The Election Commission will scrutinise the nomination papers and announce the valid candidatures today. Candidates may also withdraw their nominations by today.
Meanwhile, teachers were seen busy in coming up with a consensus panel before the deadline of withdrawal ends today.



The Chief Election Commissioner Justice Abdur Rouf met the leaders of major political parties at his Election Commission Secretariat office to discuss the ensuing City Corporation polls. —Star photo

Weather

No change in temperature

By Staff Correspondent
Dry weather with a fair sky is likely to prevail over the country for the next 12 hours commencing 6 am today (Monday).
The Met Office forecasts night temperature will remain nearly unchanged over the country.
The country's highest temperature of 29 degrees Celsius was recorded in Teknaf and the lowest of 9.4 degrees Celsius was recorded in Srimongol yesterday.
The sun sets today at 5.20 pm and rises tomorrow (Tuesday) at 6.40 am.
The maximum and the minimum temperatures and relative humidity recorded in some major cities and towns of the country yesterday are:

Cities/Towns	Temperature in degrees Celsius		Humidity in percentage	
	Max	Min	9 am	6 pm
Dhaka	26.6	10.6	60	67
Chittagong	27.2	13.8	80	58
Rajshahi	26.4	13.5	78	77
Khulna	26.8	11.5	74	72
Barisal	27.2	12.2	79	-
Cox's Bazar	28.3	15.5	73	72
Sylhet	27.5	13.7	-	-
Dinajpur	27.0	10.3	89	69

Kamrun's batik show ends today
The 10-day solo batik painting show of Kamrun Nahar concludes at 8 pm today at the Gallery Tone, 26/B Dhanmondi R/A, says a press release.

Notice
Our regular feature item Dhaka Day by Day could not be published today due to space constraint. Inconvenience to our readers is regretted.

Attack on CCHRB office protested

By Staff Correspondent
Leaders of the Coordinating Council of Human Rights in Bangladesh (CCHRB) have called upon the government to ensure security to the human rights activists and organisations in the country.
Speaking at a press conference at the Jatiya Press Club in the capital Sunday, the leaders protested the December 20 bomb attack on the Lalmitia office of the CCHRB and said that an "identified quarter" was out to foil the on-going human rights campaign in the country.

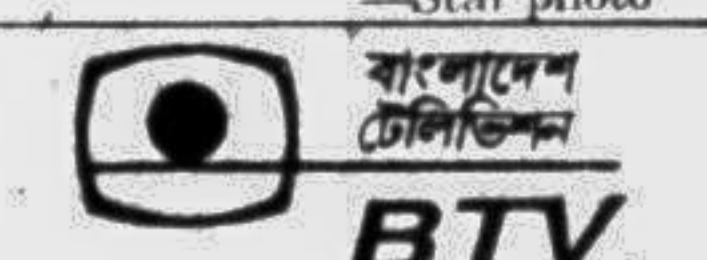
Filipino envoy makes farewell call on Biswas

Bangladesh is being recognised internationally for its efforts to poverty alleviation, increase in export and improvement of tax collection, reports UNB.
President Abdur Rahman Biswas at Bangabhaban yesterday.
The outgoing ambassador said, "consolidation of democracy, efforts for poverty alleviation, increase in export, production of bumper crop and improvement of tax collection in Bangladesh are being recognised internationally."
Exchanging views with the Filipino ambassador, President Biswas lauded the personal role and services of the ambassador during the cyclone in 1991.



Bangla Academy publishes book on film industry

By DU Correspondent
The Bangla Academy has recently published a research-oriented book 'Bangladesher Chalachitra Shilpa' (Film industry in Bangladesh).
The academy has started marketing the book written by Mirza Tarekul Kader from yesterday.
The price of the 737-page book has been fixed at Tk 500.
The book has covered the history of the film industry and discussed on different types of films, film censorship, investment in film, film journalism and other sectors related to the film industry in Bangladesh.
The book contains more than 300 illustrations with 51 articles and nine chapters.



Monday

- 2:15 Opening announcements Al-Quran
- 2:40 Live coverage of the closing ceremony of VI SAF Games from Dhaka Stadium
- 6:45 Open University
- 7:20 Nazrul songs
- 8:00 News in Bangla
- 9:00 Bhara Nadir Banke
- 10:00 News in English
- 10:30 Highlights-8
- 11:30 Khabar/The News
- 11:40 Tomorrow's programme summary
- 11:45 Closing

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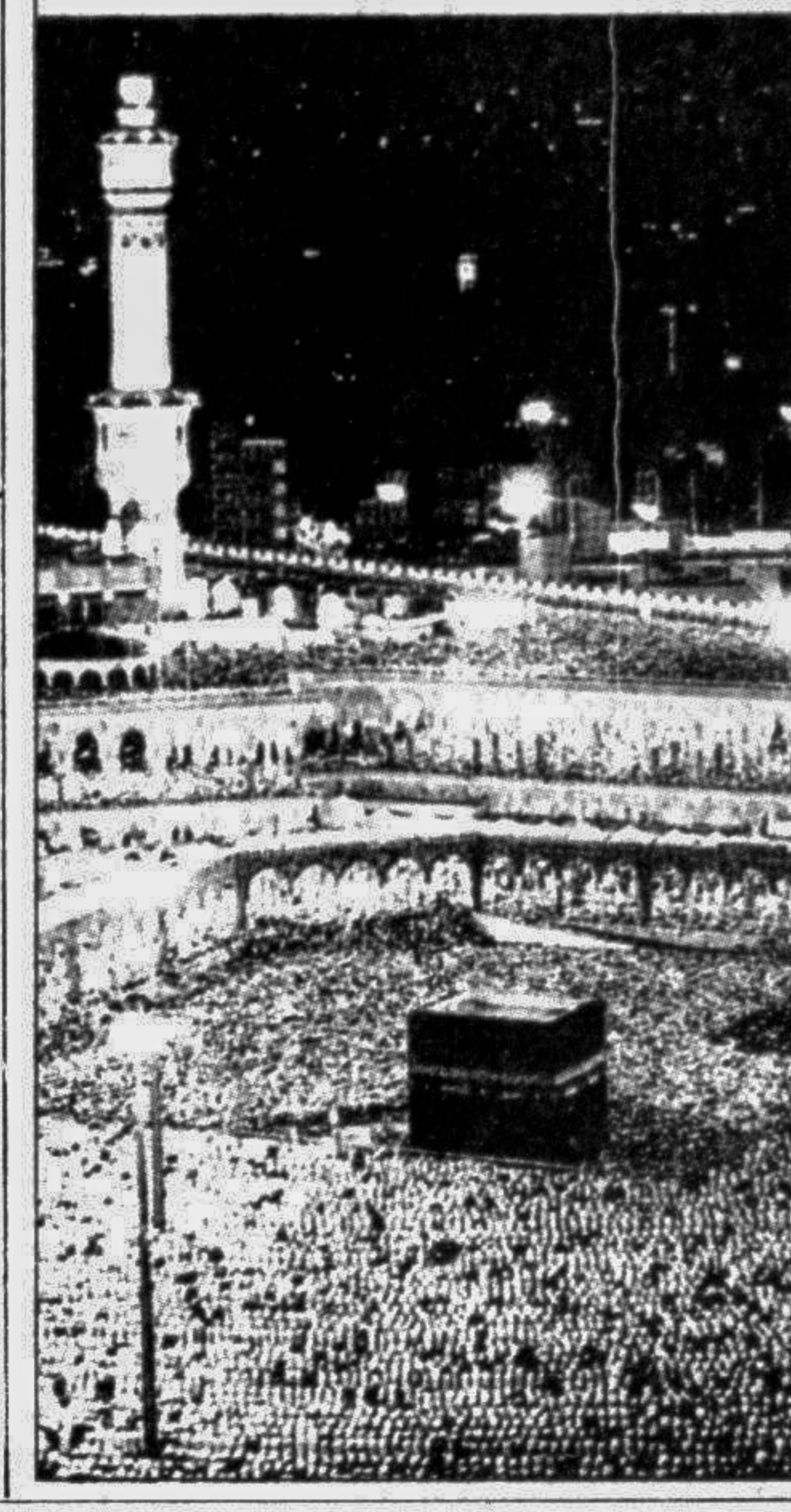
Sony, Munna, Mom & Papa

Happy Birthday to our son

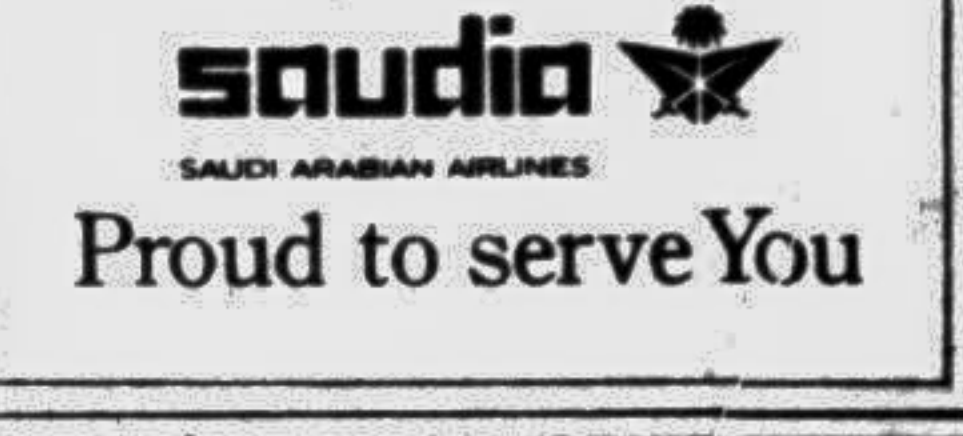


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