মন্ত্ৰীন বিশ্ববী ও দেনগভেনিৰ স্থতি সংসদ

M H Khan for int'l law in

dealing with Farakka

M H Khan, former adviser

and minister-in-charge of the

Ministry of Power and Water.

has said that the Ganges is an

international river for all pur-

poses, and called for applying

international law in dealing with

the 'Farakka' issue, reports

that in 1991, the United Na

tions international law com-

mission adopted a set of 31 ar-

ticles on the use of international

water course, and two articles

are pertinent because these

could be taken up in case of the

violation by upper riparian for

Khan said that one article

provides that all states, sharing

an international water course,

have an obligation to use it in

an equitable and reasonable

manner and the other provides

that all states have an obliga-

tion not to use an international

water course in such a way as

to cause harm to other states

that it is a part of the custom-

ary international law, they are

suing international law, the gov-

ernment of Bangladesh may try

as has always been the case to

resolve Farakka amicably

through bilateralism", Khan

Prime Minister Begum Khaleda

Zia has mentioned the problem

of unilateral withdrawal of wa-

He said he is glad to see that

not dependent on treaties.

Khan said, it is also stated

"My proposal is that by pur-

adjudication by the interna-

tional body.

sharing it.

In a statement here, he said

A memorial meeting was held in the city yesterday to observe the death anniversary of Siraj

Sikder. Seen speaking on the occasion are (from R) Md Shahidullah, Shafiqul Kader

Chandan, Dr Reazur Rahman, Abdul Mannan, Faiz Ahmed and Hamidul Huq. - Star photo

ter from the Ganges at Farakka

in her speech at the UNGA.

However, he said, this has only

informatory value only, and

said the issue of such a vital

nature can acquire seriousness

if the subject is included in the

agenda, or in other forum that

is considered as important un-

Nat'l convention

of IEB begins

Jan 15

The 38th national conven-

tion of the Institution of Engi-

neers, Bangladesh (IEB) begins

January 15, says a press re-

lease issued by Engr. S M

Khaleda Zia, is expected to in-

augurate the seven-day conven-

tion as chief guest January 18.

is "Let Development of the Peo-

ple be the Main Aim of Engi-

neers." Besides several techni-

cal sessions and series of

memorial lectures on different

subjects of national and pro-

fessional interests, a national

seminar on "Sustainable Devel-

opment for Bangladesh: Issues

and Options" will be arranged

from all over the country and a

number of delegates from differ

ent foreign engineering institu-

tions will be attending the con-

More than 4000 engineers

during the convention.

vention.

Prime Minister Begum

The theme of the convention

der the UN system.

Mamoon.

Charbaria area

team meets

**Biswas** 

Biswas yesterday stressed the

need for spreading female ed-

ucation to promote family wel-

fare and child development,

great emphasis on having an

educated mother in every fam-

ily, he told a 10-member dele-

gation of Charbaria area in

Barisal who called on him at

Protect Varsity

Ordn '73, Zillur

tells teachers

Zillur Rahman Siddiqui yester-

day urged the university teach-

ers to come forward to protect

the University Ordinance, 1973

and unitedly raise their voice

against any attempt to amend

the activities of university is not

desirable, more so from a

democratic government," he

was speaking as chief guest at a

seminar on "University Act '73:

Rationality and Reality" at the

Social Sciences Faculty audito-

rium of Jahangirnagar Univer-

advisor of the caretaker gov-

ernment of Justice Shahab-

uddin Ahmed, called upon the

government to allocate sub-

stantial budget for the overall

Grants Commission has failed

to keep liaison between the

teachers and the government.

He said the University

Prof Mustahidur Rahman

President' of Federation of

chers' Associations (FBUTA)

addressed the seminar as spe-

cial guest. JU Teachers'

Association President Prof Abu

Saveed Khan and Anu

Mohammad of the Economics

Department also spoke on the

Bangladesh University Tea-

development of the university.

Prof Siddiqui, who was an

The former Vice-Chancellor

"Government interference in

the Ordinance, reports UNB.

Noted educationist Prof

The government had given

reports UNB.

Bangabhaban.

President Abdur Rahman

# Dhaka Day by Day

## Milk at Your Doorstep

by Parveen Anam 

The Dhakante will rise to the defence of his beloved city inspite of the hartals, the rickshaws. the roads being rented out now even for weddings or parties with the wedding season on and the garbage trucks collecting garbage in the middle of the day.

However, in quieter and saner moments, when we are sure the critics are well out of earshot, we will lament the days of old and shake our heads over lost pleasures. These include days when the traffic looked civilized roads were meant for the traffic and not to collect money at the tax payers' expense and crows were few and far between because there was less garbage littering the street corners. And one of the pleasures for the pleasure-loving Bangalee was of course his palate. Nothing he loved better than to sit around in the early morning winter sunshine, making 'pithas' and eating them piping hot. And this being also the time of the year for the fresh juice off the date trees to be turned into molasses cooked into 'payash' with milk, the Dhakaite will sigh and miss the fragrance of fresh milk boiling over the fire.

Milk as a basic health food is fast vanishing from the market inspite of the government's tall claims of helping to set up dairy farms all over the land. Those farms are apparently still very much in their embryonic stage and the Dhakaite still has a long way to go before he can drink milk as a part of his or his children's diet, at a price he can afford. But, let us hasten to add, that this does not stop the enterprising Dhakaite from procuring milk nonetheless. A walk round the city precincts will bear this out. It has become quite a common sight, to see cows ties up in the street corners, and cars stopped by them,

buying milk even as the owner of the cow milks the cows. Some housewives again will insist on having the milk delivered at their doorsteps and this is when we see the cows being walked to the house and being milked at the doorstep! Whatever be the fault of the lovable Bangalee lack of innovation can surely not be included amongst them.

Perhaps no other city can claim such original ideas in the delivery of milk. Britain of course still delivers milk to its citizens at the doorstep and the milk man is a well-loved character, but he does his rounds in the milk van.

Nowhere are cows walked to the doorstep, to be milked and the milk delivered to the fussy housewife who perhaps does not trust the man with the pail of milk in case he adds water to it

The decision-making body of the land, could perhaps encourage these genuine milkmen by providing them facilities which would help them to breed healthier cows and give them a place to properly keep their cows, instead of tying them up on the side of the roads and the pavements which not only prove a traffic hazard but also a health hazard. But again, the authorities are not exactly known for their intelligence and do not all fall in the category of nuclear scientists and we fear they are quite capable of waking up one fine morning and taking away all those cows to the pound or worse to be slaughtered as they are illegally occupying space meant for the citizens. That would be a real tragedy both in terms of the cows and the Dhakaite who would be left without his source of milk, albeit meagre at the best of times.

#### BNP a symbol of development, says Mosharraf politics of development

CHIPTAGONG, Jan 2: Enc. rgy and Mineral Resources Minister Dr Khandakar Mosharraf Hossain called upon the city people to cast vote for BNP nominee for sustenance of the pace of development and strengthen the process of democracy, reports BSS.

"The tenure of BNP is a symbol of development and upholding, the values of democracy." Dr Mosharraf Hossain said, adding The tenure of Awami League, on the contrary, is a record of famine, theft of blanket and killing of democracy while the era of Jatiya Party is of plundering of public money and rule of autocracy."

The Energy Minister was addressing as chief guest at a public meeting at Dewanhat in Chittagong last evening. The meeting, arranged by city BNP

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প্রশাসি বিষয়ের বার্যাহনের প্রপার্টি হাইটস্<sub>ন</sub> (৪**র্থ তলা**)

and its front organisations was also addressed, among others. by Amir Khasru Mahmood Chowdhury MP, Sirajul Islam, MP, city BNP president Badrul Anwar and Mir Mohammad Nasiruddin, a BNP candidate for the mayor of Chittagong City Corporation.

Dr Mosharraf Hossain said "BNP does not believe in the politics of conspiracy and unholy alliance. It is Awami League which enjoyed the fruits of power during the autocratic Ershad through unholy alliance with Jatiya Party and extending its allout support and cooperation to give autocracy a legal shape. The Jamaat-e-Islami, on the other hand, has allegedly been using 'Islam' as the tool of their

petty political gain". The Energy Minister said it is only BNP which believes in

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and welfare, with total faith to the public opinion. He said "we have no black spot of plundering relief and misrule. but a glorious chapter of achievements

#### New trust fund established at DU

A new trust fund entitled Mohammad Fazlee Hossain Memorial Trust Fund" was established yesterday at Dhaka University, reports BSS.

Former joint secretary Mohammad Tosharraf Hossain father of late Fazlee Hossain. formally handed over a cheque for Tk one takh and twenty five thousand to Dhaka University Vice Chancellor Professor Emajuddin Ahmed at the latter's office to establish the trust fund.

Saeeda H Zaman, sister of late Fazlee Hossain, also contributed to this fund and was present on the occasion.

Late Fazlee Hossain took this B Pharm (Hons) and M Pharm degrees from Dhaka University is 1970 and 1972 respectively. He died in U S A at the age of 42 following heart attack while working there as a pharmacist.

Out of the income of the trust fund one scholarship at the rate of Tk 500 per month will be given to a final year student of Pharmacy Department on the basis of results in Honours examination. Besides another scholarship will be given for a year to one student of 1st year honours class on the basis of H S C examination results

Monday

Opening announcement

Programme summary

soccer Inter vs Lazio

Chhandya Brettya

Open University

Nazrul songs News in Bangla

0.00 News in English

1 30 Khabar/The News

summary

1 45 Closing

6.45

Educational programme

Sports programme: Italian

Programme on general

knowledge Balun Dekhi?

10.30 Comedy series Murphy

10.55 Musical programme Disco

11 40 Tomorrows programme

News in Bangla

Can you do it?





Father of late Fazlee Hossain Retd Joint Secretary Md Tosharraf Hossain (2nd R) and his daughter Mrs Sayeda H Zaman jointly handing over a cheque for Taka 1 lakh 25 thousand to Professor Emajuddin Ahmed, Vice-Chancellor (Extreme R) yesterday at the latter's office. Pro-Vice-Chancellor Professor Wakil Ahmed is also seen in the

#### & Weather &

## Temperature may fall

By Staff Correspondent

Dry weather with clear sky is likely to prevail over Bangladesh

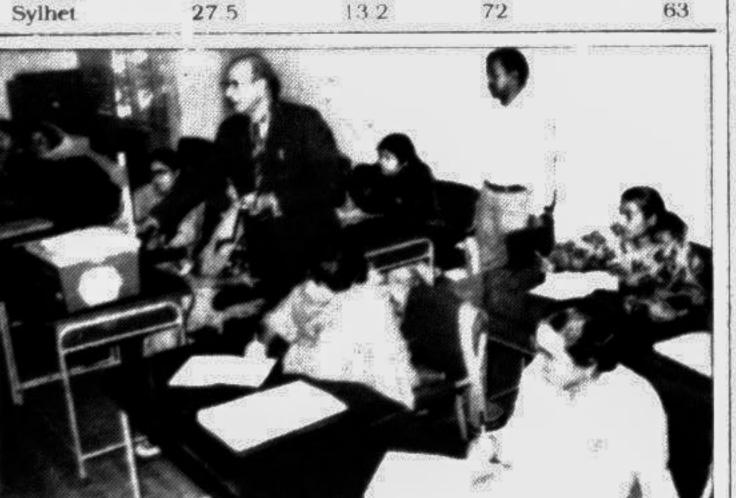
Met Office forecasts night temperature may fall by one to two degrees Celsius over Dhaka. Khulna and he regions of Pabna. Rajshahi, Bogra. Sylhet and slight fall is likely at elsewhere over the country.

The country's highest temperature of 28.5 degrees Celsius was recorded at Taknaf and lowest of 9.6 degrees Celsius was recorded at Srimongol vesterday. The sun sets today (Monday) at 5.24 pm and rises tomorrow

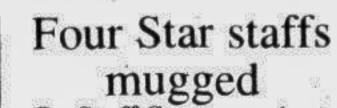
(Tuesday) at 6:42 am. The maximum and the minimum temperatures and relative

humidity recorded in some major cities and towns of the coun-

Cities/Towns	Temperatures in degrees Celsius		Humidity in percentage	
	Max	Min	_ 9 am	6 pm
Dhak.i	26.8	11.9	76	66
Chittagong	27.4	14 0	75	72
Rajshahi	25.2	11.6	95	86
Khulna	26.7	11.4	89	72
Barisal	26.8	11.8	93	66
Sylhet	27.5	13.2	72	63



Noted child specialist Professor M R Khan is seen conducting the first session of a week long training course of women journalists Saturday. The Press Institute of Bangladesh (PIB) has organised the training - PID photo course



By Staff Correspondent Four staffs of The Daily Star were waylaid by muggers and robbed of wrist watches, cash, identity cards, tiffin carriers and other items.

Two young men who were sitting on the road island stopped one of the staff scooters of The Daily Star at around one am Saturday night in between Katabon and Bata-Crossing on Elephant Road. They were soon joined by about a dozen young men from a roadside lane wielding knives and chapatis. The unidentified muggers forced Star Staffs to handover their wrist watches, cash and other items. Police who were posted on the road failed to arrive at the scene, which took place for about ten minutes.

The victims were journalist Kamal Nasser and Faruq, Selim and Nurul Islam of the general section.

বালিকা শাখা

#### Co-option of local people into family planning activities

suggested Health and family planning officials and NGO representatives yesterday met in a daylong workshop to determine strategies for the coordination of mother and child health care activities in the fourth five-year plan at the Niport auditorium in the capital, reports BSS.

Mother and child health programme coordination cell of the Health Ministry arranged the workshop in which Health and Family Welfare Secretary Shamim Ahsan, additional secretary and joint secretary of the ministry were present.

The workshop recommended to co-opt local people into the health and family planning activities to ensure their participation for the success of the programmes.

বালক শাখা

# স্কুল্ন শাথায় ভর্তি চলছে

(পূর্বনাম ঃ হলিচাইভ প্রি-ক্যাডেট স্থুল এভ কলেজ) সেষ্ট্র-৬, উত্তরা, ঢাকা।ফোন-৮৯৪০৫১, ৮৯৪০৩৯,৮৯৩০৩৫ (আবাসিক/অনাবাসিক)

नार्जाती रथरक प्राप्तन ट्यांनी (जार्शनक देशदाकी माध्यम) প্রতি:কালান

कट्लाक भाषा ७१माव म्यादारमन कना আধুনিক ও ইসলামী শিক্ষার বাস্তব সমন্ত্রয়

 রাজধানীর কোলাহলপূর্ণ এলাকার বাইরে সম্পূর্ণ খোলামেলা, অভিজাত ও নিরিবিলি পরিবেশ। উচ্চ শিক্ষিত ও প্রশিক্ষণপ্রাপ্ত শিক্ষক–শিক্ষিকার তন্তাবধানে ক্যাডেট কলেছে

ভর্তি এবং এস, এস, সি পরীক্ষায় কৃতিত্বপূর্ণ ফলাফলের লক্ষ্যেগড়ে তোলা হয় গত এসএসসি পরীক্ষার ফলাফল:১০০%ই প্রথম বিভাগ(স্টার ৪৫%) শেষ ও ৮ম শ্রেণীতে বৃত্তি পরীক্ষার ব্যবস্থা। শ্রেণী কক্ষেই অধিকাংশ পড়া বুঝানো, মুখন্ত করানো ও আদায় করা হয়।

পড়াগুনার সেমিষ্টার পদ্ধতি এবং স্পোকেন ইংগিশ এর বিশেষ ক্লাশ নিয়মিত উপস্থিত বক্তৃতা, বিতর্ক, পত্রিকা পাঠ, সংগীতের ক্লাশ এবং দেশের

গুরুত্বপূর্ণ ও ঐতিহাসিক স্থানসমূহসহ উল্লেখযোগ্য শিল্পকারখানার শিক্ষা সফরের ব্যবস্থা ছাত্রাবাস/ছাত্রীনিবাসের বিশেষত্

 ক্যাডেট কলেজীর পদ্ধতিতে সর্বোত্তম মানের শৃংখলা, নিরাপত্তা ও চিকিৎসাসহ সুনির্দিষ্ট তালিকা অনুযায়ী উন্নত থাবার পরিবেশন।

 ছাত্র ও ছাত্রীদের পুথক ভবনে থাকা–খাওয়ার সম্পূর্ণ পুথক ব্যবস্থা (অধিকত্ত্ ছাত্র-ছাত্রীদের শ্রেণী, বয়স ও চারিত্রিক বৈশিষ্ট্যের ভিত্তিতে পুথক পুথক ছাত্ৰাবাস)

মেয়েদের জন্য বিশেষ নিরাপত্তা ও শালীনতাপূর্ণ পরিবেশ মুসলিমদের পাঁচ ওয়াক্ত নামাজ বাধ্যতামূলক ও নিয়মিত কোরান শিকার वावशा (अयुजनियम्बर अवार्थ धर्मकर्य केतात जुविशा)। কুলের সমুখ-সংলগ্ন প্রশন্ত মাঠে খেলাধুলা ও সুস্থবিনোদনের পর্যাও ব্যবস্থা।

 ছাত্র/ছাত্রীদের বিছানাপত্র, বই প্রাথমিক চিকিৎসার ঔবধ স্থল(কেনেয়া হয়। ক্লের ক্লাশ ছাড়াও সকাল–সন্ধায় শিকক–শিকিকার প্রত্যক তত্ত্বাবধানে বিশেষ কোচিং ক্লাস।

🕒 দুষ্ট ও পাঠে অমনোযোগী ছাত্র/ছাত্রীদের চরিত্র গঠনের প্রক্রতিগত প্রয়া অতি ব্যস্ত, বিদেশে বা মফবলে বসবাসকারী অভিভাবকদের সন্তানের প্রতি বিশেব যত্ন এবং শিশুদের উচ্চ শিক্ষিতা মহিলা সুপার ও আয়ার তত্ত্বাবধানে মাতৃত্ৰেহে লালন

অনাবাসিকদের যাতায়াতের মিনিবাস আছে

ভর্তি সংক্রান্ত নিয়মাবলীঃ—

(ক) ভর্তিছু ছাত্র/ছাত্রীকে বাংলা ইংরেজী, অংক, সাধারন জানু-এই চার বিষয়ের লিখিত ও মৌখিক পরীক্ষায় উত্তীর্ণ হ'তে হবে। (শিক্তদের তথু মোখিক পরাক্ষা হবে)

(খ) বয়স,উকতা,দৈহিক গঠনে বাভাবিকতাসহ বা**হ্য পরীকায় উত্তীর্ণ হ'তে হবে।** ভর্তির আবেদন পত্র ও অন্যান্য বিস্তারিত বিষয়াবলী সংগ্রহ বা ছাত্রাবাস/

ছাত্রীনিবাস পরিদর্শনের জন্য শুক্রবারসহ যেকোন দিন সকাল ৮টা–১২টা/ অপরাহ্ন ৩টা–৫টার মধ্যে যোগাযোগ করতে হবে।

প্ৰতিষ্ঠাতা/অধ্যক - আঃ হক

### টিউলিপ ডেয়রী এ্যাণ্ড ফুড প্রোডাক্টস লিঃ প্রধান কার্যালয়

২/৩, বুক-এ, মীরপুর রোড, মোহাম্মদপুর, ঢাকা-১২০৭

দরপত্র বিজপ্তি

নিমুলিখিত ৩টি গাড়ী 'যেখানে যে অবস্থায় আছে' ভিতিতে বিক্রয় করার জন্যে নিমুস্বাক্ষরকারী কর্তৃক সীলমোহরকৃত দরপর আহ্বান করা হচ্ছে।

क्रियक नष्टद	সংখ্যা	রেজিক্টেশন নম্বর	পাড়ীর ধরন	মডেল	আসন সংখ্যা
۵.	٥	ঢাকা-মেটো- ০২-০০২৫ম	টয়োটা ভ্যান মাইক্রোবাস	এম-১৯৮৪ ১৬০০ সিসি.	' <b>'</b>
٦.	٥	ঢাকা-মেট্রো- ড-৬৬৮৭	টয়োটা ভ্যান	এম-১৯৮৪ ১৮০০ সিসি.	<b>S</b>
<b>9</b> .	5	চাকা-যেট্রো- ড-৬৭৮৮	টয়োটা ডেলিভারী ভাান	এম-১৯৮৪ ১৮০০ সিসি.	э. <b>У</b>

আগ্রহী ক্রেতাদের দরপরসমূহ আগামী ১০-০১-৯৪ তারিখ বেলা ১২টা পর্যন্ত প্রধান কার্যালয়, ২/৩, বুক-এ, মীরপুর রোড, মোহাম্মদপুর, ঢাকা-১২০৭, এই ঠিকানায় রক্ষিত টেন্ডার বাব্দে প্রহণ করা হবে এবং ঐদিন বেলা ৩টার সময় দরপশ্রদাতাদের সামনে (যদি কেউ উপস্থিত থাকেন) খোলা হবে । প্রত্যেক দফার জন্য পৃথক পৃথক দর উল্লেখ করতে হবে । দরপত্তে উল্লেখিত টাকার ১০% হারে পে-অর্ডার/ ডিমাও ড্রাফ্ট, টিউলিপ ডেয়রী এয়াও ফুড প্রোডাউস লিঃ-এর অনুকূলে দরপরের সঙ্গে জমা দিতে হবে । আনেষ্ট মানি ব্যতিরেকে কোন দরপর গ্রহণ করা হবে না ।

অকুতকার্য দরদাতার আনেষ্ট মানি সময়মতো ফেরৎ দেয়া হবে । দরপত্র গৃহীত হওয়ার পর দরদাতাকে উল্লেখিত টাকার বাকী ৯০% সম্পূর্ণ পরিশোধ করে ১৫ (পনের) দিনের মধ্যে গাড়ীগুলো ডেলিভারী নিতে হবে । অন্যথায় আনেষ্ট মানি বাজেয়াপ্ত বলে গণ্য হবে । বুহুস্পতি ও গুক্রবার বাদে সপ্তাহের অন্যান্য দিন অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ে (সকাল ৯টা থেকে বিকেল ৫টা) গাড়ীগুলো পরিদর্শন করা যাবে । কর্তৃপক্ষ কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকে যে কোন বা সকল দরপর গ্রহণ অথবা বাতিল করার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করেন।

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