

Death anniversary of Jadu Mian today

The 15th death anniversary of Mashur Rahman Jadu Mian, indomitable soldier of democracy, will be observed today in a befitting manner, reports BSS.

ASA executive attends ICVA seminar

Md Shafiqul Haque Chowdhury chief executive of ASA is attending a seminar organised by ICVA (International Council of Voluntary Agencies) in collaboration with UNECA (United Nations Economic Commission for Africa) in Addis Ababa from March 14 to 17.

Radio programmes on Eid day

Radio Bangladesh has rescheduled its routine programmes to put on air special ones on Eid day, reports UNB. First session of all centres of Radio will conclude at 7:20 am and English bulletin of 7:30 am will be broadcast at 7:10 am.



People of the low-income group rushing to the road-side shops for Eid shopping. The picture was taken yesterday. — Star photo

F Karim dead

F Karim, retired deputy magistrate and noted social and sports organiser died of a heart failure at Suhrawardy Hospital in the city Thursday. He was 76, reports BSS.

Foundation stones laid

Education Minister Barrister Jamiruddin Sircar yesterday said the BNP government was implementing numerous epoch-making programmes with a view to eradicating the curse of illiteracy from the country, reports BSS.

Publication ceremony held

Speakers at a discussion in the city yesterday called on the linguists, writers and journalists to use colloquial words of different regions of the country in their writings to enrich the Bangla language, reports UNB.

Notice Inviting Quotation

- 1. Quotation Notice No.: 14/93-94 (2nd call).
2. Name of work: Supplying spare parts for 200 HP Man Engine under Ferry Maint. Sub-Divn. Dhaka.
3. Earnest Money: 2% quoted rate.
4. Time allowed: 10 (Ten) days from the date of issue of Work Order.
5. Form No: Bangladesh Form No. 2908.
6. Eligibility of contractors: Enlisted 'A' to 'C' general category contractors of RHD, 'D' general category contractors of Mechl. Ferry Circle, Dhaka & 'E' general category contractors of RHD, Ferry Maint. Divn. Dhaka.
7. Name of office of availability of Quotation documents: EE RHD, FMD Dhaka/FCD Dhaka/SDE RHD, Ferry Maint. Sub-Divn. Dhaka.
8. Name of offices to receive Quotation bids: SE RHD, Dhaka Ferry Circle, Dhaka, EE RHD, FMD Dhaka/FCD Dhaka.
9. Date of receipt of Quotation: Up to 12.00 Noon of 20-3-94.
10. Date & time of opening: 12-30 PM of 20-3-94.
Md Golam Mowla
Executive Engineer, R&H Ferry Maintenance Divn Dhaka
DFP (G) 4398-5/3 G-403

Government of Bangladesh Office of the Executive Engineer, RHD C. H. T Workshop Division, Rangamati

Notice of RHD Inviting Tender

- 1. Tender Notice No.: 75(Seventy five) RWD. 1993-94. Dt 28-02-94 Eng/16-11-1400 Bangla.
2. Name of work: Estimate for repair & Rehabilitation of Cyclone damaged D. P. O. L. & old store Sheed under C. H. T. Workshop Division, Rangamati during the year 1993-94.
3. Estimated cost: 7,12,052/53
4. Earnest money: 14,242/-
5. Time allowed: 45 (Forty five) days from the date of issue of Work Order.
6. Eligibility of Contractor: From 'A' to 'D' general category Contractor of RHD according to their financial limits & rule/authorised agent of manufacturer.
7. Name of Officer of availability of document: Executive Engineer, RHD, C. H. T. Workshop Division, Rangamati/Planning & Programme Division, Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka & Sub-Divisional Engineer, RHD, C. H. T. Workshop Sub-Division, Rangamati upto 22-03-94 Eng/08-12-1400 Bangla.
8. Name of Officer to receive tender bids: Superintending Engineer, RHD Workshop Circle Chittagong. Superintending Engineer, RHD, Road Circle, Rangamati. Superintending Engineer, RHD Monitoring & Evaluation Circle, Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka. Executive Engineer, RHD, C. H. T. Workshop Division, Rangamati.
9. Last date of receipt tender: 23-03-94 Eng/09-12-1400 Bangla at 12.00 Noon.
10. Date & time of opening bids: 23-03-94 Eng/09-12-1400 Bangla at 12.05 pm.
The tender will be opened in presence of interested tenderer (if any present) by the concerned authority.
Md. Taufiqul Islam Khan
Executive Engineer, RHD C. H. T. Workshop Division, Rangamati
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Death condoled

Manzoor-ul-Karim, president of Bangladesh Channel Swimming Association yesterday condoled the death of F Karim, one of the founders of the organisation.

Manzoor-ul-Karim recalled the contributions of late F Karim in encouraging long distance swimming in the country.



Kanak Champa off to US

Kanak Champa, an international award winner painter of the country has left Dhaka for the United States of America for higher studies yesterday, says a press release. Kanak Champa is going to study at the Pennsylvania State University of the United States receiving the fellowship winning Mid-America Art Alliance (M-AAA) Award. She is the first in the country to receive the M-AAA Award. A total of 372 artists from 124 countries of the world took part in the competition for Mid-America Art Alliance Award in 1994 and only 22 of them from 22 countries got the honour.

Bastuhara Samity distributes saris, lungis

The Bangladesh Bastuhara Janakalyan Samity yesterday distributed some sari and lungi among the slum dwellers of the city on the occasion of the Eid-ul-Fitr, reports UNB. Way-side rallies were also organised by the samity at the slum areas of Mohammadpur, Ring Road, Mirpur, Dholaikhal, Ganderia and Saharpoll. Party leaders — Atiqur Rahman, Dr Delwar Hossain Khan, M A Hossain, Munna Morshed and Abdul Jalil — addressed these rallies.

Canadian professor to IUBAT

Prof Dr John Richards of Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, Canada arrives tomorrow as a short term visiting Professor at the International University of Business Agriculture and Technology (IUBAT), Dhaka, says a press release.

Death anniversary of Principal Abul Kashem observed

The third anniversary of death of Principal Abul Kashem, noted educationist and a front ranking architect of the historic Language Movement was observed in the city yesterday with due honour, reports BSS. Various socio-cultural organisations chalked out separate programmes to observe the day. President Abdur Rahman Biswas in his message on the occasion said the nation would remember with gratitude the contributions of late Principal Abul Kashem for the cause of mother tongue.

Prime Minister Begum Khaleida Zia in a message said Principal Abul Kashem would remain as a source of inspiration to the future generation in the struggle of enhancing the dignity of Bangladeshi nation and Bangla language.

Principal Abul Kashem Trustee Board's programme included placing of wreaths at the grave of the late educationist. Qurankhwani, milad mahfil and discussion meeting were held at the Bangla College premises at Mirpur in the capital in the morning.

Principal Abul Kashem Smriti Sangsad, Social Development Foundation, Swabikash Grantha Surid Samity, Government Bangla College Students Union, Tamuddin Majlish, Bangladesh Bhasha Andolon Parishad, Rastrabhasha Dibash Uddapan Parishad, Principal Abul Kashem Rastrabhasha Swarnapadak Parishad, Principal Abul Kashem Hostel, Democratic League and Bangladesh Islami Andolon placed wreaths at the grave of the late principal.

The Abul Kashem Smriti Sangsad and Government Bangla College Students Union jointly held a discussion at the graveyard premises with Dr Nurul Haque Bhuiyan, first convener of the Rastrabhasha Sangram Parishad in the chair.

The meeting in an unanimous resolution demanded re-naming of Bangla College after Principal Abul Kashem.

The Swarnapadak Parishad demanded that the road in front of Bangla College be named after Principal Kashem.

Principal Abul Kashem, proud son of the soil, established Tamuddin Majlis soon after the partition of 1947 with a view to launch in a movement for establishing Bangla as the state language.

Silver jubilee of ex-students of CU Statistics Deptt

The silver jubilee and reunion of the ex-students of the Statistics Department will be held at the Chittagong University campus on April 7, reports BSS. The ex-students of the department intending to participate in the celebration have been requested to enroll their names on or before March 20 with the silver jubilee udjapan parishad '94. The fees for registration per person is Taka 250 while for each couple is Taka 400.

The money has to be deposited in a bank draft with saving account number 9742 of Agrani Bank, Chittagong University Branch. The fees may also be sent through money order to Prof. Sultan Ahmed, Chairman of the department.

School boy awarded gold medal

Sabbir Hussain Chowdhury was awarded gold medal for his outstanding performance in the Hamd and Naat, says a press release.

A student of Government Laboratory High School, Sabbir received the award from the Prime Minister at the end of the National Education Week, 1994.

Son of Engineer Motahar Hossain Chowdhury and Sahana Akhter, Sabbir has also earned fame in photography, dramatic performances and tabla.

Shishu Puraskar Protijogita begins Apr 2

The Jatiya Shishu Puraskar Protijogita (national child award competition) '94 will begin on April 2 at thana level, reports BSS.

The competition, which will be organised by the Bangladesh Shishu Academy, will end on April 26.

Following is the programme of the competition: thana level — from April 2 to 4, district level — April 6-8, zonal level — April 16-18, Dhaka zone — April 18-21 and national level — April 22-26.



The prize giving ceremony for reading competition of students of class eleven of different colleges in the city was held recently. The Viswa Sahitya Kendra organised the competition. Poet Nirmulendu Gun was the chief guest and distributed prizes among the winners, President of the Viswa Sahitya Kendra was present on the occasion.



With the rush for Eid shopping, the sale of greeting cards has also gained momentum. — Star photo

STAR TV NETWORK Saturday 12th March (All programmes in local time) BBC

Table listing TV programmes and their start times: 6 am BBC World Service News, 6:25 Newsnight, 7:00 BBC World Service News, 7:25 Business Matters, 8:00 BBC World Service News, 8:25 Newsnight, 9:00 BBC World Service News, 9:25 Kilroy, 10:00 BBC World Service News, 10:25 East, 11:00 BBC World Service News, 11:25 The Clothes Show, 12 Noon BBC World Service News, 12:25 Business Matters, 1:00 BBC World Service News, 1:25 The Late Show, 2:00 BBC World Service News, 2:25 Public Eye, 3:00 BBC World Service News, 3:25 Film '94, 4:00 BBC World Service News, 4:25 World News Week, 5:00 BBC World Service News, 5:25 Tomorrow's World, 6 pm BBC World Service News, 6:25 A Question Of Sport, 6:50 BBC World Service News, 7:25 The Late Show, 8:00 BBC World Service News, 8:05 We Have Ways Of Making You Think, 9:00 BBC World Service News, 9:25 East, 10:00 BBC World Service News, 10:25 Film '94, 11:00 BBC World Service News, 11:25 Top Gear, 12 mn BBC World Service News, 12:25 The Late Show, 1:00 BBC World Service News, 1:25 East, 2:00 BBC World News Headlines, 2:05 We Have Ways Of Making You Think, 3:00 BBC World Service News, 3:25 Kilroy, 4:00 BBC World Service News, 4:25 UN World, 5:00 BBC World Service News, 5:25 India Business Report.

STAR PLUS

Table listing TV programmes and their start times: 6 am Kidstreet, 6:30 The Children's Room, 7:00 Ovid & The Gang, 7:30 Owl TV, 8:00 Drama 'Kenya', 9:00 Shadow Of The Stone, 9:30 Garfield, 10:00 G. I. Joe, 10:30 Crossbow, 11:00 Videofashion Monthly: Fall In, 11:30 Lifestyles Of The Rich & Famous, 12:30 Street Legal, 1:00 Equinox 'Superpowers', 2:30 Movie: Television, 3:00 Riviera, 4:00 El Behind The Scenes, 4:30 Traveller's Guide To The Ori, 'New Destinations', 5:00 The Simpsons, 5:30 Baywatch, 6:30 COPS 'Las Vegas', 7:30 L.A. Law, 8:30 Picket Fences, 9:30 The Simpsons, 10:00 Baywatch, 11:00 L.A. Law, 12 mn Picket Fences, 1:00 COPS 'Las Vegas', 2:00 Confessions Of Crime, 2:30 Richmond Hill, 3:30 Lifestyles Of The Rich & Famous, 4:30 Movie: Television, 5:00 Victor & Hugo, 5:30 Choppy & The Princess.

MTV MUSIC TELEVISION

Table listing MTV programmes and their start times: 7 pm MTV Top 20 Video, 9:00 Countdown Asia, 9:30 Gone Taiwan: Wu Chun Lin, 10:00 MTV Sports, 10:30 VJ David Wu, 1:00 VJ Nonie, 4:00 MTV Top 20 Video, Countdown USA, 6 pm MTV Documentary: Def Leppard II, 6:30 Week In Rock, 7:00 MTV's Classic Collection, 8:00 MTV Party Zone, 10:00 Alternative Nation, 10:30 VJ Sophia, 12 mn Dial MTV, 1:00 Classic MTV, 2:00 VJ David Wu, 4:00 VJ Sophia.

PRIME sports

Table listing PRIME sports programmes and their start times: 6 am The Asian ATP Tour H/L Show, 7:00 WWF Wrestling Spotlight, 8:00 The Asian Football Show, 9:00 Gillette World Sports Special, 9:30 NBA Inside Stuff, 10:00 International Motorsport News, 11:00 Carlsberg Ski Report, 12 noon Boxing, 2:00 College Basketball, 4:00 EPGA Tour Open Mediterranean, 5:00 European Soccer Show, 6 pm WWF Wrestling Mania, 7:00 Rallye De Portugal TBC, 8:00 TBA, 9:00 The 1994 Vietnam Marathon, 9:30 Castrol Trophy, India, 10:00 College Basketball, 12 mn EPGA Tour Open Mediterranean, 1:00 European Soccer Show, 2:00 WWF Wrestling Mania, 3:00 Gillette 1994 Vietnam Marathon, 3:30 Live New Zealand v Pakistan 4th, 1:00 One Day From Auckland, New Zealand.

Zee TV

Table listing Zee TV programmes and their start times: 2:30 Teer Kamaan, 3:00 Avishkar, 3:30 Cartoon, 4:00 Get Set Go, 4:30 HFF, 7:00 Chakravayuh, 7:30 Galaxzee, 8:00 TBA, 8:30 Gaan: Anjaan, 9:00 Yeh Hai Bombay Meri Jaan, 9:30 Tara, 10:00 Dwidhata, 10:30 Ghanma Astina, 11:00 Body 2 Body Soul 2, Sole, 11:15 Positive Health Show, 11:30 Philips Top 10, 12:00 Khubsoorat, 12:30 Zee Horror Show, 1:00 TBA, 1:30 Shakti, 1:30 Close Down.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Project Management Unit

ADB Assisted 2nd Health and Family Planning Services Project Ministry of Health and Family Welfare House No. 80, Road No. 11, Block-E Banani, Dhaka

Fresh International Shopping Notice

Sealed International bids are hereby invited a fresh from the manufacturers, bonafide importers and local agents of Principals and manufacturers and suppliers in eligible source countries (member countries) of Asian Development Bank for supply of 'BOOKS, TRAINING/TEACHING EQUIPMENTS FOR AIR CONDITIONING AND REFRIGERATION ITEMS, ELECTRONIC ITEMS, OFFICE EQUIPMENTS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS for the Project' 'ADB Assisted 2nd Health and Family Planning Services Project, Loan No. 1074-BAN(SF)', financed by the Asian Development Bank. The terms and conditions of the contract for which this invitation is issued will be subject to the Loan Agreement for the Project, including ADB's 'Guidelines for procurement.'

Bids alongwith bid bonds will be received up to the time and date of closing of bidding as noted below:

Table with 6 columns: Tender No. and date, Items, Price of tender documents, per set (non-refundable), Bid Security amount, Closing date and time, Opening date and time. Row 1: PD/ADB/2ND HEALTH PROJEC/IS-594/160 DATE:23/2/1994, Books, Training/Teaching Equipments for Air-conditioning and Refrigeration items, Electronic items, Office Equipments and Miscellaneous items, US\$20.00 or Tk 800.00, @2% of the total quoted bid amount in the prescribed proforma from a scheduled Bank in Bangladesh, 18-04-1994 at 12.00 hours (Noon) (Bangladesh standard time), 18-04-1994 at 12.30 hours (PM) (Bangladesh standard time).

The bids will be received and opened in presence of the bidders or their authorised representatives, if any, in the Project Director's Office at Banani, Dhaka. Bids sent by post or any other means must reach the above Office by the date and time specified above. Postal delays shall not be condoned under any circumstances. Bids received after the date and time stipulated above shall be rejected. Bid documents will be available from the office of the undersigned on payment (non-refundable) on all working days during office hours except holidays on presentation of application, alongwith experience certificate in respect to execution of similar works in letter headpad. No tender documents will be sold on the closing date.

Manufacturers/Suppliers having proven experience of similar work are eligible to bid. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning reason whatsoever.

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