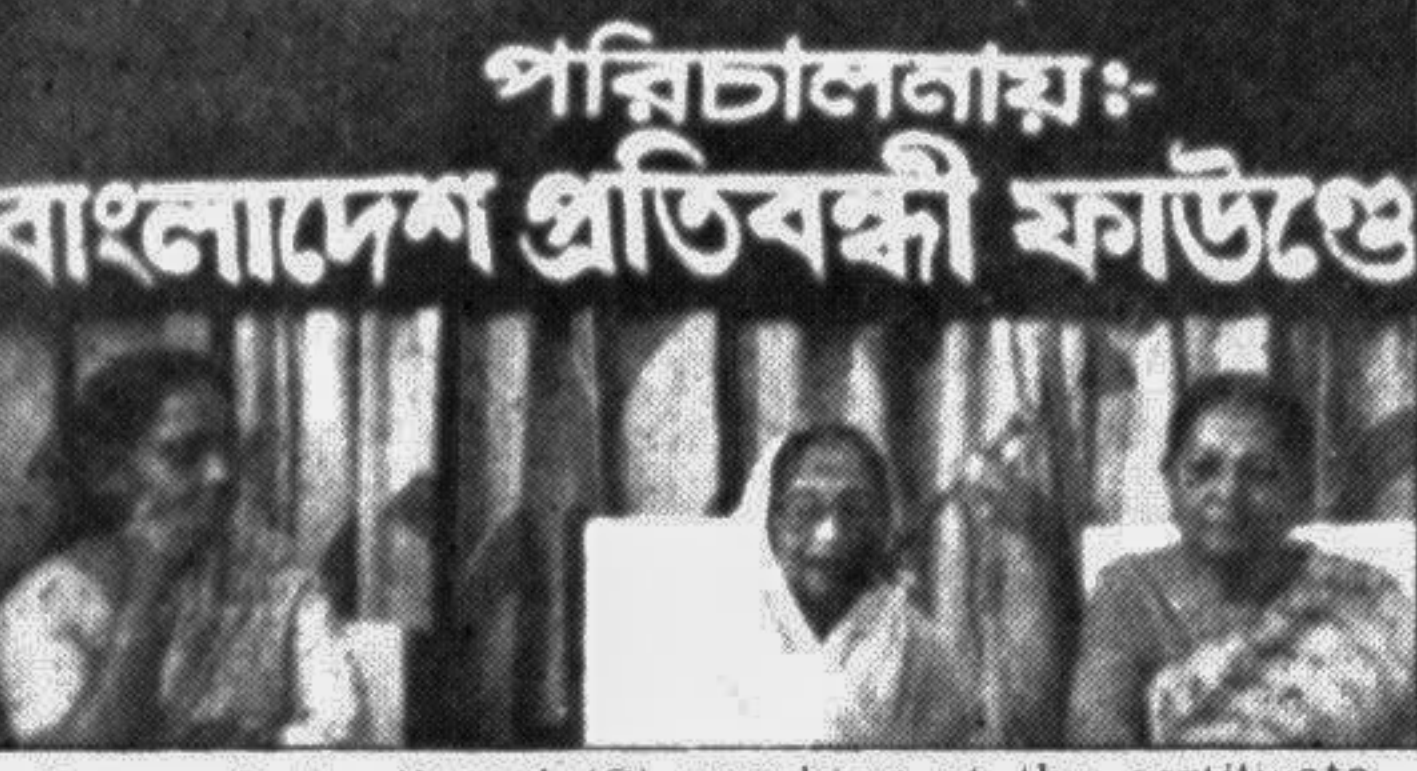


INDIA, PAKISTAN, BANGLADESH CEYLON CONFERENCE NOTICE TO TRADE BUNKER ADJUSTMENT FACTOR

91 arrested on various charges Police rounded up 91 people, including nine wanted criminals, from different parts of the city yesterday, said a DMP press release, reports UNB.



Begum Sultia Kamal (C) speaking at the certificate giving ceremony of a 10-day long course on community based rehabilitation of the disabled conducted by the Bangladesh Protibandhi Foundation (BPF) in the city Saturday.

What's on today...

Seminar: On the historic Six Points and Bangladesh organised by the South Bengal Youths Welfare Association. Chief guest: AL presidium member Mohiuddin Ahmed Main speaker: AKM Obayedur Rahman, president, Bangladesh Janata Dal, Syed Altaf Hossain will preside Venue: TSC seminar room (2nd floor). Time: 5:30 pm.

Islami Bank: Award giving ceremony for the Dhaka University students who have achieved highest places in the examinations. Chief guest: DU VC Prof Emaj Uddin Ahmed. Special Guests: Dean, Commerce Faculty, ABM Khaled and M A Samad, Managing Director and Chairman of the Bangladesh General Insurance Company. Venue: National Press Club auditorium. Time: 5 pm.

Leo Club of Dhaka Central: New member's kit distribution ceremony will be held. Chief guest: Md Rafiqul Islam, Muhammed Ruhul Hasan will preside. Venue: Spandhani Life Insurance Co Ltd, 29, Mirpur Road. Time 5:30 pm.

Plant more trees to contain environment pollution

KHULNA, July 17: Jatiya Sangsad Speaker Shaikh Razzak Ali has called for planting of more and more trees as a step to contain environment pollution and also for alleviating poverty, reports BSS. The Speaker was formally inaugurating the tree plantation fortnight arranged by the Khulna district administration yesterday at the Zia Hall premises. Deputy Commissioner Kazi Reazul Huq presided over the inaugural function. Minister for Fisheries and Livestock Abdullah Al-Noman, State Minister for Planning Dr Abdul Moyeen Khan, Mayor of Khulna City Corporation Shaikh Tareyeb Rahman, Whip of Jatiya Sangsad Ashraf Hossain, Syeda Nargis Ali, MP, and secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forest Abdullah Haroon Pasha spoke in the function. The Speaker mentioned that a movement had started all around the world to save the environment from pollution. 'We have to associate ourselves with this movement,' he said. Referring to present government's initiative and success in tree plantation drive, he said that planting of trees and is preservation has now taken the shape of a social movement in as much as it ensures income generation aimed at poverty alleviation. He called upon the people to plant saplings in every spare spaces. A tree-fair has also been arranged at the Zia Hall premises in connection with the observance of the tree plantation fortnight '94.

International Tender Notice

জাতীয় অগ্রগতিতে বিএসইসি'র আন্তর্জাতিক মানের পণ্য সামগ্রী ব্যবহার করুন Sealed offers with 1% earnest money are invited by Bangladesh Steel & Engineering Corporation, BSEC Bhaban, 102, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka-1215 for procurement of undermentioned item on C&F (C) Chittagong Liner Terms basis:

Table with columns: Tender No. & Item, Quantity, Cost of Tender, Closing Date, Source of Fund. Includes BSEC/COM PIG IRON 10,000 MT, COKE VARIETY.

Documents are available during office hours except opening date on Cash Payment from Head Office, BSEC Bhaban, 102, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka-1215 and Chittagong Steel Mills Ltd., North Patenga, Chittagong.

Tender Notice

Sealed tenders are hereby invited by the undersigned from the bonafide experienced 1st/2nd class Contractors/Firms enlisted with PWD/ Government/ Semi-Government/Autonomous organization for the undermentioned Civil works:

Table with columns: Sl No, Name of the Works, Price of the Tender Documents, Earnest Money, Estimated Cost, Period for Completion of Works.

1. Renovation works of single storied office building at BOU Campus, Board Bazar, Gazipur. Tk 100/- (One hundred). 2.5% (Two and a half per cent) of quoted amount. 34,114/- 15(Fifteen) days.

Project Director/Vice-Chancellor Bangladesh Open University House # 16, Road # 2, Dhanmondi R/A, Dhaka-1205

Seminar held on collision of Levy-9 with Jupiter

Scientists at a seminar said the collision between the Shoemaker Levy-9 comet and Jupiter would help increase human knowledge of the solar system, elements of life and how to save the sun family from such galactic disasters in future. At the seminar organised by the Bangladesh Astronomical Association (BAA), speakers pointed out that although chances were very slim, the series of Jupiter's collisions with some 21 pieces of the Levy-9 comet might affect the giant planet's rotation speed. This may affect the solar system's balance. 'But we don't think anything like that would happen,' said Dr AR Khan of the Applied Physics Department of Dhaka University (DU). 'The Jupiter is a huge planet which would absorb the shock wave. The liquid planet will be affected locally only for some hundred years,' he opined. The speakers said the collision might be visible from Bangladesh but so far no one could see the 'once-in-a-lifetime' disaster due to cloudy sky and non-availability of a good telescope in the country. They informed the audience that the Shoemaker Levy-9, discovered in March 93, had broken into 21 pieces of which the first one collided with the Jupiter late Saturday night. Today (Monday), two pieces of the comet will collide with the giant planet.



Chief Executive of ASA Md Shafiqul Hoque Chowdhury inaugurated the coordination meeting at the WVA auditorium in the city Saturday.

ASA Coordination meet held

The ASA half-yearly co-ordination meeting was held in the city on July 16 and 17 at the WVA auditorium with its chief executive Shafiqul Haque Chowdhury in the chair, says a press release. 70 Regional Co-ordinators including senior staffs of ASA central office attended the meeting. They evaluated the ASA present poverty alleviation programme and presented their first six months' (January-June '94) achievement report. ASA has distributed 51.48 crore taka among the group members. The rate of repayment is 99.48 per cent. ASA is distributing Tk 10 crore each month. Ms Belen Cueva Laud team leader of ASA, external evaluation, Philippine, also present in this meeting with four others team members.

Death anniversary

The 21st death anniversary of former speaker of the National Assembly of erstwhile Pakistan and former president of the Muslim League A K M Fazlul Quader Chowdhury, will be observed today. Khatme Quran and milad mahfil will be held at the graveyard of late Chowdhury at Gahira of Rauzan thana on the occasion.



Producer of the film, tum amaar, Shamsheer Ahmed held a function in the city recently on the success of the film. It was attended by director Tamiz Uddin Rizvi, Salman Shah, Shabnoor, Habib Khan, Haji Shahbuddin Ahmed, Raisul Islam Asad, Sanwar Murshed, Azizur Rahman Bulu, Nasir Uddin Dilu, Syed Salahuddin Zaki and others.

Programme to resist fundamentalists

The Kendrio Sampradayekata Birodhi Chhatra Samaj, an alliance of the pro-liberation student fronts in a meeting in the city yesterday announced a series of programme to resist the rise of fundamentalism in the country. The programme includes anti-razakar-fatwabaz week, resistance day and memorial meeting on Shaheed Janani Jahanara Imam. The anti-razakar-fatwabaz week will begin from July 23 with the mass awareness programme to resist the anti-liberation forces. Meanwhile, the Ganotantrik Biplobi Jote in a dialogue at its central office, yesterday urged all to resist fundamentalism. Among those present in the dialogue were Badruddin Umar, Nirmal Sen, A F M Mahbubul Huq, Mujahidul Islam Selim and Nurul Islam Choton.



New Chairman of WDB

Mohammad Majidul Islam has been promoted to the post of Chairman of Bangladesh Water Development Board, says a press release. Prior to his promotion, Islam was the Member, (Operation & Maintenance) of the Board holding additional charge of chairman. He joined the then EPWAPDA as an Assistant Engineer on October 3, 1959.

ADMISSION OPPORTUNITY

A few chances still exist for joining the 94-95 session. Students may opt for any of the below stated Courses duly recognised and offered by the University of Madras & Bharathiar University (India).

- B.Sc. (Bio-chemistry, Computer Sc., Microbiology Catering Technology) B.E.S (Bachelor of Electronic Science) B.A (Corporate Secretaryship, English, Economics, History) B.B.A & B. Com M.B.A (Honours Graduation is preferable)

Intending Candidates are requested to contact with papers by 25/07/94. Hostel facilities available. WE ARE PLEDGEBOUND TO A COMPLETE SERVICE. Overseas Study Counselling Bureau 10/22 Iqbal Road (Close to Md. Fur Preparatory School) Dhaka-1207.

জনতা ব্যাংক প্রধান কার্যালয়

সাধারণ সেবা (সংরক্ষণ) বিভাগ তারিখ: ০৪-০৭-১৯৯৪ ইং পুনঃ দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি (অগ্নিনির্বাপক যন্ত্র)

নতুন অগ্নিনির্বাপক যন্ত্র সরবরাহ এবং পুরাতন অগ্নিনির্বাপক যন্ত্র পুনঃ তত্ত্ব ও মেরামত করার লক্ষ্যে প্রকৃত বাংলাদেশী প্রতিষ্ঠানের নিকট হইতে পৃথক পৃথক পাল্লা সীলমোহরকৃত দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাইতেছে। কাজের বিবরণ: ক) বাংলাদেশ প্রকৃত ব্রাডের নামসহ ৫ কেজি ধারণ ক্ষমতাসম্পন্ন এবিএস (অথবা সূত্রপূর্ণ এবিএস এম ই) (মালটিপারপাস) ডাইপাউন্ডার অগ্নিনির্বাপক যন্ত্র সর-বরাহ ও সংস্থাপন। প্রতিনিধি দর

Weather Temperature may rise

Light to moderate rain or thundershower is likely to occur at a few places over Chittagong, Barisal and Khulna divisions and at one or two places over Dhaka and Rajshahi divisions, reports UNB. Met office said day temperature is likely to rise by 1 to 2 degree Celsius over the country during the period. Highest rainfall 9 mm was recorded at Comilla, 8 mm in Jessore and 6 mm in Khulna yesterday. Rainfall activities may increase in the following week but little change in the weather is likely during the next two days. The country's highest temperature 35.5 degrees Celsius was registered at Ishurdi and the lowest 24.5 degrees at Rangamati and Hatiya yesterday. The sun sets today (Monday) at 6:48 pm and rises tomorrow (Tuesday) at 5:21 am. The maximum and minimum temperatures and humidity of some major cities/towns recorded yesterday were:

Table with columns: City/Town, Max, Min, Humidity in Celsius, Humidity in Percentage. Includes Dhaka, Chittagong, Rajshahi, Khulna.

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Tender Notice

Tenders in sealed cover are hereby invited from the 'A' class enlisted contractors of Govt./Semi-Govt./Autonomous bodies for construction of Ground Support Equipment Shed for Biman Bangladesh Airlines in Chittagong International Airport, Chittagong. Tender documents will be available in the office of the Asstt. Manager Accounts (Cash & Banking), Biman, Motijheel C/A, Dhaka on payment of Tk. 1500/= (Taka one thousand five hundred) only (non-refundable) per set on all working days up to 8.8.94. Tenderers shall have to deposit earnest money @Tk. 2.5% of the total quoted amount in favour of Bangladesh Biman Corporation in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order from scheduled bank along with the tenders. Tender will be received in the office of the Deputy General Manager (B&W) up to 1330 hrs. on 9.8.94 and will be opened by the Committee on the same day at 1400 hrs. in presence of the tenderers (if any). Biman Management reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever. Dy. General Manager (B&W)

STAR TV Monday 18th July (All programmes in local time) BBC

Table of TV programmes: 6:30am BBC World Service News, 6:55 The Money Programme, 7:30 BBC World Service News, 7:55 Woodbridge On Whiskey, 8:30 BBC World Service News, 9:00 BBC Business Breakfast, 9:30 BBC World Service News, 9:55 The Money Programme, 10:30 BBC World Service News, 10:55 Top Gear, 11:30 BBC World News Headlines, 11:35 Assignment, 12:30 BBC World Service News, 12:55 The Money Programme, 1:30 BBC World News Headlines, 1:35 Holiday, 1:55 BBC World News Headlines, 2:05 3D, 2:30 BBC World Service News Hour, 2:30 BBC World Service News, 2:35 Voyager, 4:30 BBC World Service News Hour, 5:30 BBC World Service News Hour, 6:00 World Business Report, 6:55 Woodbridge on Whiskey, 7:30 BBC World News Headlines, 7:35 Horizon, 8:30 BBC World Service News, 8:55 The Money Programme, 9:30 BBC World Service News Hour, 10:30 BBC World Service News, 10:55 Antenna, 11:30 BBC World News Headlines, 11:35 Assignment, 12:30 BBC World Service News, 12:55 Top Gear, 1:30 World Business Report, 1:55 World Business Report, 2:30 BBC World Service News, 2:55 Forces Television Report, 3:30 BBC World Service News, 3:55 Newswatch, 4:30 BBC World Service News, 4:55 World Business Report, 5:30 BBC World Service News, 5:55 Newswatch.

Table of TV programmes: 6 am Kidstreet, 6:30 Dangermouse, 7:00 Take Off, 7:30 Play It Again, 8:00 Kidstreet, 8:30 Dangermouse, 9:00 Movie Television, 9:30 Aerodics Oz Style, 10:00 The Sullivans, 10:30 Neighbours, 11:00 Santa Barbara, 12 noon The Bold & The Beautiful, 12:30 Donahue, 1:30 The Oprah Winfrey Show, 'Service Workers Turn The Table On The Customers', 2:30 Nathalie Dupree, 3:00 Take Off, 3:30 Play It Again, 4:00 Forces Television, 4:30 Atlantis Family Playhouse, 5:00 Videofashion News: New York Women, 5:30 Neighbours, 6:00pm M A S H, 6:30 Mini Series: 'The Heroes', 6:30 The Bold & The Beautiful, 9:00 Santa Barbara, 10:00 Mini Series: 'The Heroes', 12 mm M A S H, 12:30 El Features 'Wyatt Earp', 1:30 Neighbours, 1:30 Mini Series: 'The Heroes', 2:30 Donahue: 'Jilted Lovers Fight Back', 4:30 El Features 'Wyatt Earp', 5:00 The Wind In The Willows, 5:30 Papa Beaver's Story Time.

Table of TV programmes: 7 am The Source, 8:00 Rewind, 8:30 VJ Danny McGill, 9:00 Frame by Frame, 9:30 VJ Sophia, 11:00 By Demand, 11:30 VJ Nonie, 12 noon The Ride, 12:30 VJ Danny McGill, 2:00 The Source, 3:00 Big Bang, 3:30 VJ Kamal, 4:00 Rewind, 4:30 VJ Danny McGill, 5:00 The Vibe, 5:30 VJ Ruby, 7:00pm By Demand, 7:30 VJ Nonie, 8:30 Over the Edge, 9:00 The Ride, 10:00 Big Bang, 11:00 Rewind, 11:30 VJ Danny McGill, 12 mm Frame by Frame, 12:30 VJ Sophia, 2:00 The Ride, 2:30 VJ Danny McGill, 4:00 By Demand, 4:30 VJ Nonie, 5:00 Jump Start, 5:30 VJ Shadow.

PRIME sports

Table of TV programmes: 6 am Trans World Sport, 7:00 Futbol Mundial, 7:30 Super Stockers, 9:00 Baseball's Greatest Games, 10:30 Martial Arts Festival Bercy, 11:30 Asia-Pacific Rally Indonesia, 12:30 US PGA Tour Ameritech Senior Open From Final Day, 2:00 European League Snooker Semi-Final, 4:00 Primebodies, 4:30 Talking Baseball, 5:00 Watersports World Superbikes From Osterreichring, Austria, 6:30 US PGA Tour Ameritech Senior Open From Final Day, 7:00 Open From Final Day, 7:30 Talking Baseball Superbikes From Osterreichring, Austria, 8:00 European League Snooker Semi-Final, 8:30 Baseball's Greatest Games, 9:00 Watersports World Primobodies, 9:30 Zee TV, 10:00 Lux Kya Scene Hai, 10:30 South Parade, 11:00 European League Snooker, 11:10 Khobosurat, 11:40 Close Up Anifakshari, 12:10 Tara, 12:40 Hum Honge Kamiyaab, 1:10 Khoomta Aina, 1:40 Close Down.