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No permission for
 export of froglegs

The government has not given any permission for export of froglegs. The Ministry of Commerce said in Dhaka yesterday. A press release of the Ministry said that its attention was drawn to a news item reporting that the government had given permission for export of froglegs. "But the fact is that the government has not given any permission for export of froglegs," reports Reuter.

Two killed in
 road mishaps

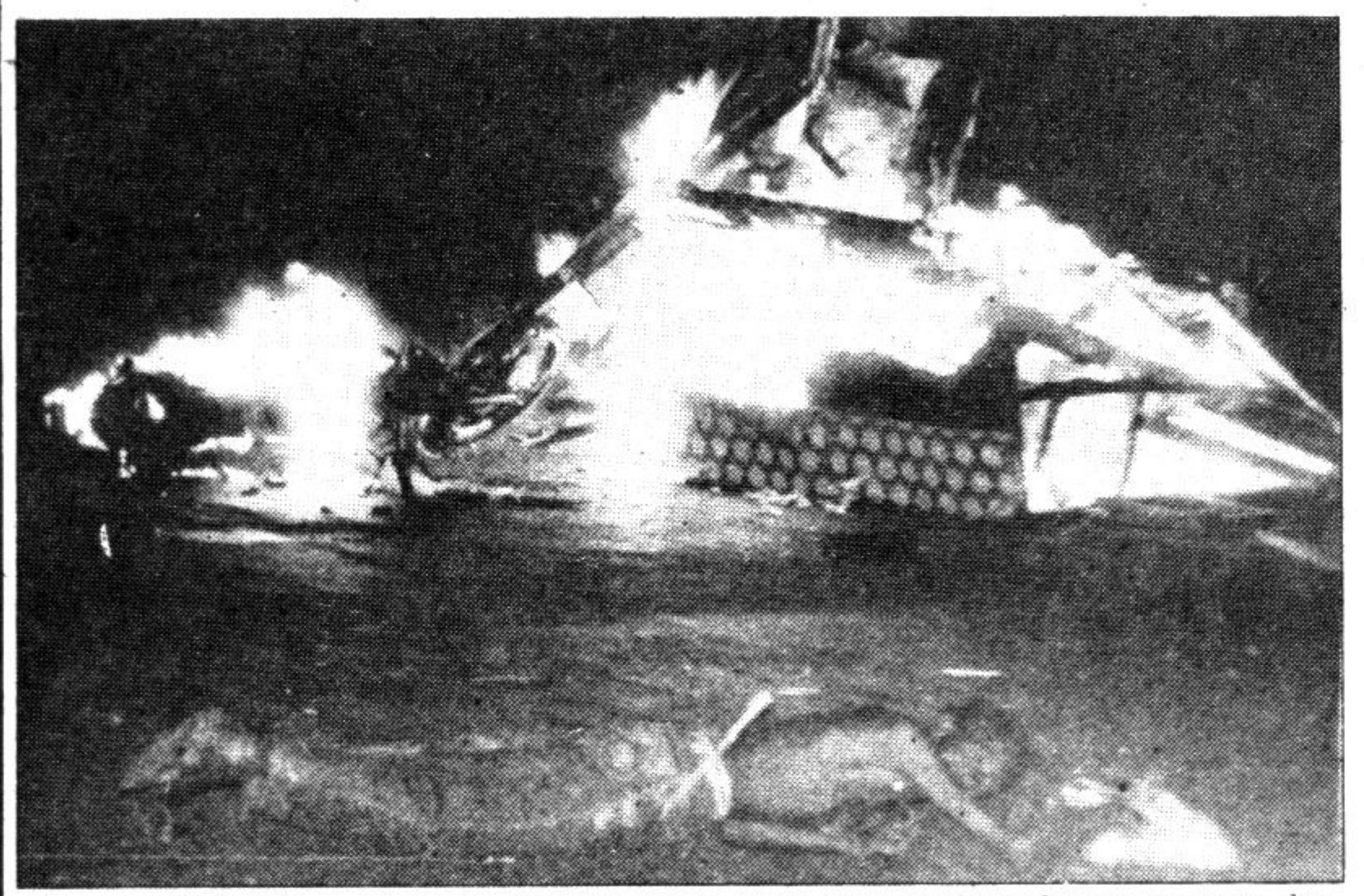
From Our Correspondent JHENIDAH Aug 17: Two persons were killed in two separate road accidents in Magura and Jhenidah districts today. One Kanailal Saha, 26, was killed when a truck hit his motorbike from the opposite direction near Abal village, about two miles away from Magura town, in the morning. In another incident, one Jamaluddin, 30, was killed when a vehicle of a pharmaceutical industry ran over him at Bhatia Bazar area of Jheridah district at 2:30 pm today.

College student
 stabbed to death

PABNA Aug 17: A college student was stabbed to death by some miscreants in front of the Krishnapur Girls High School here today. Police said, Mamunur Rashid Mamun, 22, a 2nd year student of the Government Bulbul College was seriously injured when he resisted the hoodlums while teasing his teenage sister at around 4 pm. Mamun was rushed to Sadar Hospital where he died at 10 tonight. Reports UNB.

Salesman robbed

Miscreants snatched Tk 400 from a salesman of a bread factory at dagger point at Section Two Mirpur yesterday at about 8:15 pm. Three youths snatched the money forcibly from Md. Mostafa, 26, a salesman of the Olympia Bread Factory.

100 hurt as soccer fans go
 on a rampage in city

Frenzied football fans set fire to two motorbikes and a lottery ticket sales counter near the National Sports Council building at Purana Paltan near the Dhaka Stadium in the city yesterday. An unidentified man injured in the violence is seen lying on the road (foreground). — Star photo

By Sports Reporter

More than a hundred people, including a number of policemen, were injured when unruly football fans went on a rampage following a violence-marred Star Premier Division league match between defending champions Mohammedian Sporting Club and Public Works Department (PWD) SC

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at the Dhaka Stadium last night.

The teams were tied 1-1.

Trouble began just one minute from the final whistle when referee Rafiqul Islam overruled appeals from the Mohammedian players and officials for a stoppage after their skipper Rumman bin Wali Shabbir lay writhing in pain inside the PWD penalty box after a collision with the goalkeeper.

This enraged the Mohammedian players and officials into attacking the man with the whistle and instigated commotion in the stands, which led to clash between

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The PA's ally the Sri Lanka Muslim Congress got seven seats and an independent Tamil group standing in the north and allied to the ruling party won nine.

The PA spokesman said

Kumaratunga held talks with two other Tamil parties, the Tamil United Liberation Front and the Democratic People's Liberation Front, and was confident of their support.

They won five and three seats respectively.

An independent group won

one seat and a fringe leftist group took another.

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BUET closed sine die

By Staff Correspondent

The Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET) was closed sine die last night due to deterioration of the campus situation centring the scheduled elections of its central students union (EUCSU) and hall unions.

The BUET authorities asked the resident students to vacate the seven halls by 10 am today.

The EUCSU and hall union elections scheduled for today have been postponed and processions and rallies on the campus banned.

"It was unavoidable," Vice Chancellor of BUET Moham-

mad Shahjahan told The Daily Star over telephone last night.

The decisions followed a day-long meeting of the VC with the teachers, provosts and officials.

Tension gripped the BUET campus for the last few days with the Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) and Bangladesh Chhatra Union (BCU) supporting the holding of elections now, and the Awami League-backed Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL), JSD-backed BCL, Chhatra Front and Chhatra Federation opposing it.

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