

Proposal for caretaker govt not impartial: Mosharraf

Energy and Mineral Resources Minister Dr Khan-daker Mosharraf Hossain alleged three defeated forces with an unholy alliance had been hatching conspiracy to thwart the process of democracy and impede the pace of development in the country in the name of so-called caretaker government, reports BSS.

The proposal for caretaker government is not itself impartial because the caretaker government, as proposed, will be nominated only by the minority group in the parliament undermining the opinion of the majority," Dr Mosharraf

Hossain said while addressing a public meeting at Mill Barrack under Sutrapur thana in the city yesterday.

The minister said the idea of the caretaker government proposed by the three defeated forces was against the main spirit of democracy where opinion of the majority was the widely acceptable guiding force for determining any decision.

The energy minister said: The parties who are vocal in favour of caretaker government had been resorted to undemocratic activities to jeopardise the hard-earned democracy and the tempo of development.

He said the democracy-loving people of the country would not accept in any way their undemocratic demand. He urged the people to remain alert against their any move designed to foil the parliamentary democracy.

Essay competition to mark World AIDS Day

STD/AIDS Network will organise a Bangla essay competition for the HSC students on 'AIDS and the Family' in observance of the World AIDS day on December 1, reports UNB.

The Bangladesh Women's Health Coalition and Unity Through Population Service will jointly sponsor the competition in cooperation with the Voluntary Health Services Society (VHSS).

The best essay will be awarded Tk 5,000 and a certificate. Certificates will also be distributed to 10 good essay writers.

The essays should be in 800-1000 words and written in one side of the foolscap paper.

For entry in the competition, a competitor should enlist his name, father's name, address, name of the college and academic session with attestation of the Principal/teacher of the college.

The essays should reach Dr Nazneen Akhter, Bangladesh Women's Health Coalition, House No. 46/A, Road No. 6/A, Dhanmondi by September 30.

Janmastami festival begins in Ctg

CHITTAGONG, Aug 28: A three-day Janmastami festival commemorating the birth of Lord Sree Krishna began here today with religious fervour and enthusiasm, reports BSS.

Various programmes have been organised to celebrate Janmastami. A colourful procession of men, women, youths and children carrying the images of Sree Krishna in trucks and lorries passed through main city roads today.

A congregation was held at JM Sen hall after the procession.

The three-day programmes also include discussions, sangkirtan and other religious functions.

Samajbadi Dal rally today

By Staff Correspondent

The Sramik Krishak Samajbadi Dal will hold a rally at the Noor Hossain Square at 4 pm today on the occasion of its 25th founding anniversary.

Besides, the organisation, in a statement yesterday, urged the working people of the country to be united under the flag of socialism. The statement signed by Nirmal Sen said that the capitalist economy could not solve any problem of the society.

Qulkhwani of Fazlullah held

By Staff Correspondent

Qulkhwani of Alhaj Maulana Hazrat Shah Sufi Fazlullah (R) of Azimpur Daira Sharif was held at its mosque in the city yesterday.

Hazrat Shah Sufi Fazlullah (R), Shah Shaheb of Azimpur Daira Sharif died of old age complications Thursday. He was 80. He was buried at his family graveyard at Azimpur.

Alhaj Maulana Sayed Shah Sufi Saif Ullah, nephew of Hazrat Shah Sufi Fazlullah (R), succeeded the late saint of the Daira Sharif.



Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal, the student wing of the ruling party, brought out a procession on the Dhaka University campus yesterday demanding to make the campus free from violence. — Star photo

Rabitat chief due tomorrow

Secretary General of Rabitat Al-Alam Al-Islami Dr Ahmed Mohammad Ali arrives in Dhaka tomorrow, reports UNB.

Dr Ali is expected to exchange views with Foreign Minister A S M Mostafizur Rahman and Religious Affairs Minister Keramat Ali on the ensuing UN Conference on Population and Development.

The Makkah-based Rabitat with world-wide networks has already taken a clear stand on the conference beginning in Cairo next week, protesting the proposals for legalisation of abortion and freedom of sex as mentioned in the draft paper of the conference.

One killed in city

By DMCH Correspondent

An AGB audit officer, Fakrul Islam Selim, 35, died while returning home at Rashidbagh, Lalbagh, in the city yesterday afternoon.

When Selim was going by an under-construction building in the area, some pieces of bricks fell upon his head inflicting severe head injuries.

The fatally injured audit officers was rushed to the Dhaka Medical College Hospital (DMCH) where he was declared dead on arrival at the emergency room.

New time schedule for USIS library

Effective September 1, the United States Information Service (USIS), Dhaka, will introduce a new schedule for its library patrons. According to the new schedule, the USIS library will be open from 11 am to 4:30 pm Sunday through Thursday, except on US and Bangladesh holidays, says a USIS special release.

Ban on carrying of arms in JS areas

Carrying of fire arms, explosives and other harmful materials, and holding of rallies, processions and demonstrations in and around the Sangsad Bhavan have been restricted from midnight today, reports UNB.

The restricted areas are: from Old Airport (Mymensingh road) to Bangla Motor crossing, from western part of Bangla Motor link road to Sonargaon road fountain crossing, from eastern part of Panthapath to connecting point of Green road via Farmgate, Shamoli Cinema hall to connecting point of Dhanmondi (old) Nq. 27. Agargaon link road.

The areas also include Agargaon link road to connecting point to Rokeya Srawani via Bijoy Srawani to Parjaton crossing, eastern part of Indira road to western part of Manik Mia Avenue and the restricted areas of Sangsad Bhavan, including its all inside roads and lanes.

The order will remain in force until the 16th session of the parliament ended.

CU budget approved

CHITTAGONG, Aug 28: The adjourned eleventh session of Chittagong University senate held at the conference room yesterday approved the budget of the university for 1994-95, a university press release said today, reports BSS.

The budget showed an income of Taka 20 crore and 62 lakh and an expenditure of Taka 21 crore 15 lakh and 38 thousand.

The senate also discussed the revised budget of last year of the university where income was shown as Taka 20 crore 63 lakh and 45 thousand while expenditure was Taka 21 crore 88 lakh and 76 thousand.

German President condolences launch mishap deaths

President Roman Herzog of the Federal Republic of Germany has expressed his grief and deep sorrow at the loss of many lives due to the launch accident at river Meghna near Chandpur, reports UNB.

In a message to President Abdur Rahman Biswas the German President said, "I was deeply saddened to learn of the ferry accident near Chandpur which claimed many lives."

"I convey to you, also on behalf of the German people, my sympathy at this great loss. May I ask you to express my heartfelt condolences to the families of the victims."

Tk 9cr budgetary provision for madrassah teachers

A budgetary provision of Tk 9 crore has been kept in the current financial year to provide a grant of Tk 500 for each of four teachers of 5,000 *ibtedayee* madrassahs, reports BSS.

About 550 *ibtedayee* madrassahs have already started getting this benefit.

This was stated at a meeting of the parliamentary standing committee on the Ministry of Education held at the Jatiya Sangsad Bhavan here yesterday.

Education Minister and chairman of the committee Jamiruddin Sircar presided.

The meeting had a discussion on the principle of giving benefit of teachers of all registered primary schools and affiliated *ibtedayee* madrassahs.

It was informed that about 13,000 primary teachers have been recruited in two phases during last two years. The meeting also took notes that steps were being taken to fill up 5000 vacant posts by December, 1994.

'Govt determined to ensure health for all by 2000'

State Minister for Finance Mujibur Rahman has said present government is determined to ensure health for all by the year 2000, reports BSS.

The state minister was speaking at a public meeting in Nawabganj Abdul Wasek auditorium on the occasion of Mother and Child Health Fortnight '94 yesterday. State Minister for Civil Aviation and Tourism Abdul Mannan also spoke.

He said education is the pre-requisite for our all development programmes. To achieve the goal, the government has attached top priority to the education sector allotting highest 4,000 crore Taka in the national budget. He said that the government had taken various steps to remove the curse of illiteracy from society.

IG condoles death of constable

By Staff Correspondent

Inspector General (IG) of Police, ASM Shahjahan, yesterday condoled the death of constable Sirajul Islam who was killed by armed hooligans in Jessore on Saturday.

The IG of police in a statement prayed for the salvation of the departed soul and expressed deep sympathy to the bereaved family of the deceased.

What's on today....

Drama Circle: The second performance of the play *Drishti* by Drama Circle will be held today. Venue: Guide House auditorium. Time: 7 pm.

Jubo Moitree: A discussion meet on "Blasphemy: A new weapon for repression" has been arranged. Participants: Rashed Khan Menon, MP, Abul Bashir, Abdul Matin, Tipu Biswas, Saiful Haq, Nurul Kabir, and Ragib Ahsan Munna. Faze Hossain Badsha will preside. Venue: Party central office. Time: 4:30 pm.

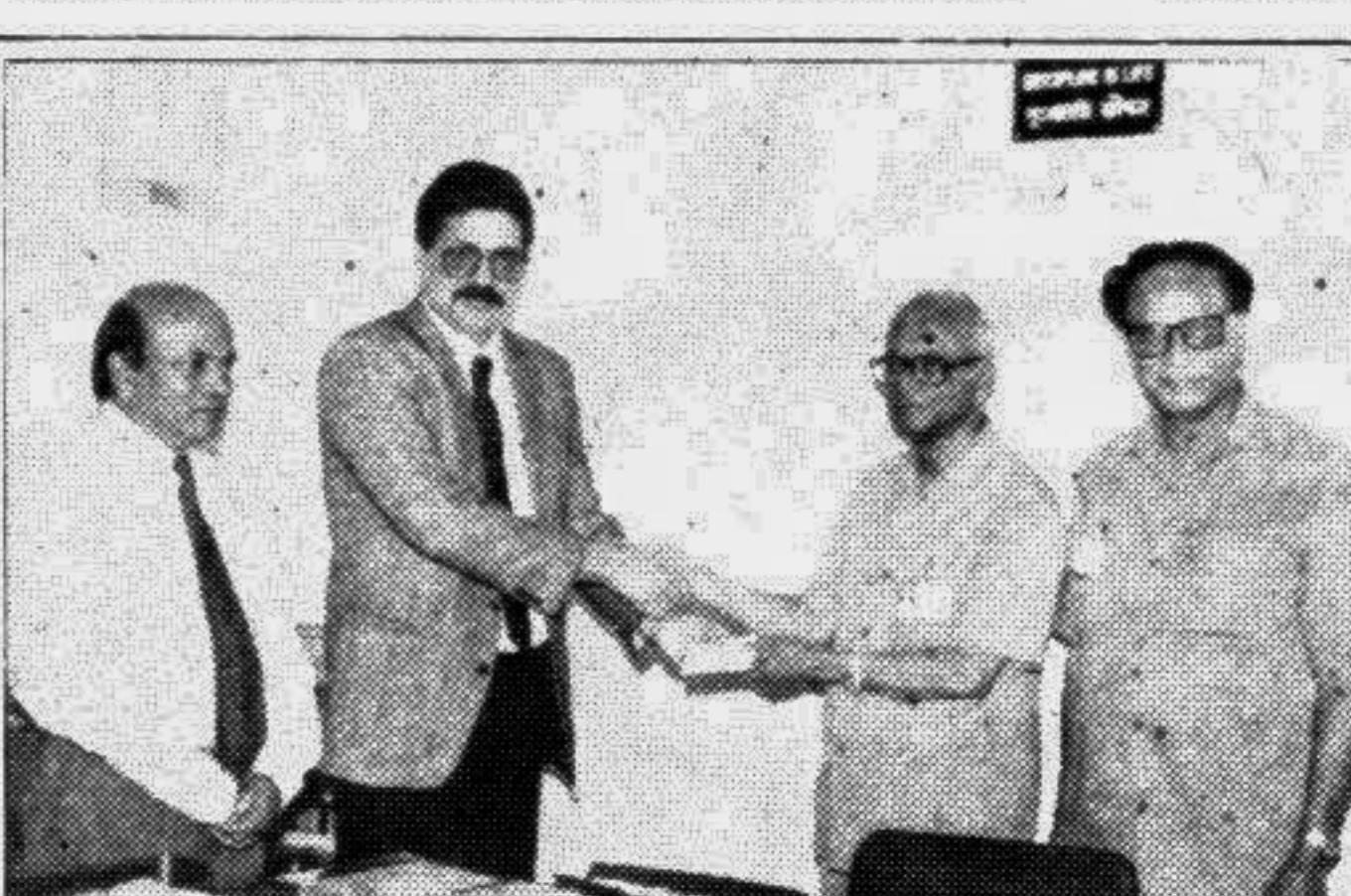
BGMEA, BFUW Meet: A joint meeting of the executive committee of the Bangladesh Garments Manufacturers and Exporters' Association (BGMEA) and the Bangladesh Federation of University Women (BFUW) will be held. Venue: Shangrila restaurant, Kamal Ataturk Avenue, Banani. Time: 7:30 pm.

Lions Club of Dhaka Modhumoti: The board and regular weekly meeting will be held. Venue: Blood Transformation Deptt, IPGMR. Time: 6:30 pm.

Rotary Club of Shahbagh: The sixth installation ceremony of the club will be held. Chief guest: LGRD Minister Abdus Salam Talukdar. Venue: Sonargaon Hotel. Time: 5:30 pm.



Commerce Minister M Shamsul Islam speaking at a seminar organised by the Rotary Club of Narayanganj at a city hotel Saturday. Rtn M Mosharraf Hossain, District Governor of Rotary Bangladesh is also seen. — Star photo



Managing Director of Bangladesh Tobacco Company Ltd R Acorda handing over a cheque for Tk 2 lakh to Alamgir M A Kabir, president of the Diabetic Association of Bangladesh on Thursday. R A Mazumdar, Corporate Affairs Director of BTC and Prof Mirza M Islam, Director General, BIRDEM are seen on the extreme left and right.



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Tender Notice No: 04/94-95

Sealed tenders are hereby invited by Biman Bangladesh Airlines on two envelope system (Technical & Price Offer) from interested Distributors/Suppliers for the supply of any or all the items mentioned below (08 items) as per details/specifications mentioned in the schedule:

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| 01. a) Micro-computer (01 Unit). | 04. Computer Colour Classic with Laser Printer (01 Unit). |
| b) Printer (01 Unit). | |
| c) Stabilizer (01 Unit). | |
| 02. a) Micro-computer (01 Unit). | 05. Hardware Micro-computer Network. |
| b) Operating System (01 Unit). | 06. Photostat Machine (02 Unit). |
| c) Stabilizer (01 Unit). | 07. Fax Machine (03 Unit). |
| d) Printer (01 Unit). | 8. a) Tyre/Tube with Flap (04 Set), Size: 1600-25(32 PLY). |
| e) Bengali Word Processor (01 Unit). | b) Tube with Flap (02 Set), Size: 1600-25. |
| 03. a) Micro-computer (01 Unit). | |
| b) Dot Matrix Printer (01 Unit). | |
| c) Voltage Stabilizer (01 Unit). | |

Tender schedule mentioning full details/specifications of items, terms and conditions will be available from the Accounts Officer, Cash Payment Unit of Finance Directorate, Admin Building, Biman, ZIA, Dhaka on payment of Tk: 300/- (Taka three hundred only) per set (Non-refundable) during any working day up to 14-09-1994.

Sealed tenders should be dropped in the tender box kept in Local Purchase Section latest by 11-00 hours on 15-09-1994 and will be opened on the same day at 11-15 hours (BST) in presence of the tenderers (if any).

Biman Management reserves the right to increase or decrease the quantity in the items and can accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Dy General Manager (S & P) Commercial
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Notice of RHD Inviting Tender

- Tender No: 24/EE/1993-94.
- Name of work: Supply of materials for making of fan for RHD, Ferry Division, Barisal during the year 1994-95.
- Estimated cost: Tk 1,40,440/=
- Earnest money: Tk 2,810/= in favour of Executive Engineer, RHD, Workshop Division, Tejgaon, Dhaka.
- Time allowed: 15 (Fifteen) days from the date of issue of work order.
- Eligibility of contractors: Eligible enlisted RHD, "A" to "E" category contractors.
- Name of offices of availability of tender documents: Printed BD Form No 2908, notice inviting tender, schedule of items and terms & conditions etc of supply shall be available for sale on cash payment of Tk 20/= only per set (Non-refundable) from the office of RHD, Workshop Division/Equipment Control Division, Dhaka.
- Name of officers of receive tender: Superintending Engineer, RHD, Workshop Circle, Dhaka/Executive Engineer, RHD, Workshop Division/Equipment Control Division, Dhaka.
- Last date of receipt of tender: Up to 12-00 Noon of 05-09-94.
- Date and time of opening of tender: At 12-30 pm of 05-09-94.

Md Ashraf Islam

DFP-2674-23/8 Executive Engineer RHD (M)
G-1338 Workshop Division, Tejgaon, Dhaka.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer
Sylhet PWD Division, Sylhet

Notice Inviting Tender

No 13/1994-95

1. Tenders in sealed covers in the BD Form No. 2911 are hereby invited from the approved and eligible contractor of PWD as per group reference for the undermentioned works. Tenders will be received by the undersigned as well as the Executive Engineer, PWD Division, Sunamganj/Moulvibazar/Habiganj under PWD Circle, Sylhet on 14-9-94 up to 12-00 Noon and will be opened on the same day at 12-15 PM in presence of the tenderers who may like to remain present at the time of opening.

Sl No	Name of work	Estimated cost in Taka	Earnest money	Time allowed	Classification of contractors
1	Extension of Dispensary-cum-office room, construction of boundary wall, gate & essential repairs to dispensary & residential quarters at Moglabazar Union Health Sub-centre at Sylhet during the year 1994-95. Gr. No. I (One).	2,13,178/=	4,265/=	60 (Sixty) days	Approved all classes bldg contractors of PWD.
2	Construction of boundary wall & gate at Moglabazar Union Health Sub-centre, Sylhet during the year 1994-95. Gr. No. II (Two).	3,47,936/=	6,960/=	90 (Ninety) days	Approved contractors of PWD special class-I, class-II & III bldg contractors of PWD.
3	Essential repair works of Union Health Sub-centre at Moglabazar, Sylhet during the year 1994-95. (Dispensary residential quarters). Gr. No. III (Three).	1,42,201/=	2,845/=	40 (Forty) days	Approved all classes bldg contractors of PWD.

2. Contract document, consisting of BD Form No. 2911, schedule of items, additional terms and conditions etc. can be seen and purchased from the office of the undersigned and Executive Engineer, PWD Division, Sunamganj/Moulvibazar/Habiganj under PWD Circle, Sylhet & Sub-Divisional Engineer I/II/III/IV of Sylhet PWD Division on payment of usual charges of Tk 425/- (Taka four hundred twenty five) only non-refundable per set of schedule, terms & conditions and per copy of BD Form No. 2911. Tender form may be purchased by the intending contractor himself or by his authorised representative on production of up-to-date renewed book of registration & other requisite papers of his eligibility with signature of the representative duly attested by the contractor on any day during office hours up to 14-9-94.

Md Khaliquezzaman
Executive Engineer
Sylhet PWD Division, Sylhet

DFP-2730-23/8
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Monday 29th August
(All programmes in local time)



9:00am BBC World Service News
9:25 The Money Programme 10:00
BBC World Service News 10:25
Rhodes Around Britain 11:00 BBC
World Service News 11:30 BBC
Business Breakfast 12:00noon BBC
World Service News 12:25 The
Money Programme 1:00 BBC World
Service News 1:25 Top Gear 2:00
BBC World News Headlines 2:05
Assignment 3:00 BBC World
Service News 3:25 The Money
Programme 4:00 BBC World News
Headlines 4:05 The Travel Show
4:30 BBC World News Headlines
4:35 Crime Ltd. 5:00 BBC World
Service News Hour 6:00pm BBC
World News Headline 6:05 Voyager
7:00 BBC World Service News Hour
8:00 BBC World Service News Hour
9:00 BBC World Service News 9:10
World Business Report 9:25 Rhodes
Around Britain 10:00 BBC World
Service News Headlines 10:05
Horizon 11:00 BBC World Service
News 11:25 The Money
Programme 12:00noon BBC World
Service News Hour 1:00 BBC World
Service News 1:25 Heretic 2:00
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Assignment 3:00 BBC World
Service News 3:25 Top Gear 4:00
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6:00am Kidstreet 6:30 Danger-
mouse 7:00 KTV 7:30 Ovid & The
Gang 8:00 Kidstreet 8:30
Dangermouse 9:00 Movie
Television 9:30 Aerobics Oz Style
10:00 The Sullivans 10:30
Neighbours 11:00 Santa Barbara
12:00noon The Bold & The
Beautiful 12:30 Donahue 1:30 The
Oprah Winfrey Show 2:30 Nathalie
Dupree 3:00 KTV 3:30 Ovid & The
Gang 4:00 Kidstreet 4:30 Atlantis
Family Playhouse 5:00 Videofashion
Men: The Leading Man 5:30
Neighbours 6:00pm M A S H 6:30
Movie: 'Not Just Another Affair'
8:30 The Bold & The Beautiful 9:00
Santa Barbara 10:00 Movie: Sweet
Lorraine 12:00pm M A S H 12:30
El Features 1:00 Neighbours 1:30
Movie: Sweet Lorraine 3:30 Crime
Story 4:30 El Features 5:00 The
Wind in the Willows 5:30 The
Little Flying Bears



7:00am The Source 8:00 Rewind
8:30 VJ Danny McGill 9:00 Frame
By Frame 9:30 VJ Sophiya 11:00 By
Demand 11:30 VJ Nonie 12:00noon
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 7:00 By Demand 7:30
VJ Nonie 8:30 Over The Edge 9:00
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Danny McGill 4:00 By Demand 4:30
VJ Nonie 5:00 Jump Start 5:30 VJ
Shadow



6:30 Trans World Sport 8:00
Superbikes From Suigo, Japan
10:00 F1 World Championships
Belgian GP From Spa-Fran-
corchamps, Belgium 11:30 Futbol
mundial 12:00noon The Canadian
Open Final From Toronto, Canada
2:30 Chinese Soccer Artiboro
League Beijing v Shanyang From
Beijing 4:00 Primebodies 4:30
Talking Baseball 5:00 Watersports
World 6:00pm European Soccer
7:00 USA PGA Tour NEC World
Series of Golf From Akron, Ohio,
USA Final Day 9:00 Live US Open
Championships 10:00 From
Flushing Meadow New Jersey, USA
Day 1 Night Time Session Men's &
Women's Opening Rounds 2:00 US
PGA Tour NEC World Series of Golf
From Akron, Ohio, USA Final Day
4:00 European Soccer 5:00
Talking Baseball



2:30 HFE To Be Announced 5:00
Galaxee 5:30 Cartoon 6:00 Celeste
6:30 South Indian Programme 7:00
Anurodher Gaan 7:30 Shesh
Prashna 8:00 Manasi 8:30 Film
Deewane 9:00 South Parade 9:30
Campus 10:00 Lux Kya Scene Hai
10:30 Asian Wall Street Journal
11:00 Bazaar Buzz 11:10
Khoobsurat 11:40 Close Up
Antakshari 12:10 Tara 12:40
Nostalgia 1:10 Ghoomia Aaina 1:40
Close Down

Dental Society

The installation and fresh-
ers' reception of the Bangla-
desh Dental Society for the
current year was held in the
city recently, reports UNB.

In his speech as chief guest
Deputy Minister for Health and
Family Welfare Md Sirajul Huq
promised more government
support to improve dental
health care.

The function was also ad-
dressed by president of
Bangladesh Dental Society Prof
Anwarul Alam, outgoing pres-
ident Prof Mohammad Rezaul
Huq, vice president Dr Abdul
Malek Bhuiyan and secretary
general Dr Mohammad Zakir
Hossain.