The Ambassador of Japan to Bangladesh Shigeo Takenaka made a farewell call on President Abdur Rahman Biswas at Bangabhaban in the city yesterday. — PID photo

PIOs threaten agitation

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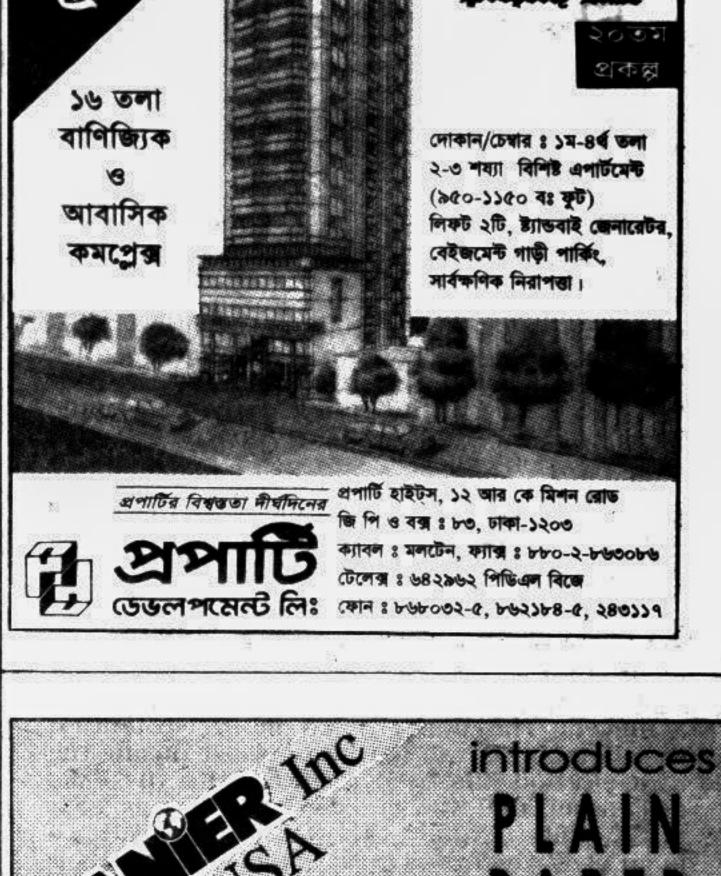
The Thana Project Implementation Officers' (PIOs) Association ended their 36-hour hunger strike yesterday evening and threatened more agitations including work stoppage to press their 3-point demands.

They gave the government a September 22 ultimatum to implement their demands; otherwise they will launch the agitations from September 23.

General secretary of the association Fazlul Haq Mallik announced programme package.

The programmes include work stoppage on every Saturday and Sunday from September 23, boycotting all meetings with authorities concerned, regional conferences in September-October and sit-in in front of the Directorate of Relief and Rehabilitation on October 21.

Philosophical Assoc team meets Biswas

Member of the Bangladesh Philosophical Association called on President Abdur Rahman Biswas at Bangabhaban, in the city yesterday, reports BSS.

President of the association Dr Amirul Islam, Dean of the Faculty of Arts of Dhaka University, led the delegation.

Tribute paid to Shantapada Mahathero

Tribute was paid to the memory of Shantapada Mahathero, for his contributions towards non-violent campaign for more than five decades, reports BSS.

Speakers at a memorial function on the occasion of his eighth death anniversary at the International Buddhist Monastery at Merul Badda Friday said, the late Mahathero endeavoured to create an enlightened Buddhist community.

Milad mahfil at DCC

Dhaka City Corporation organised a discussion followed by milad mahfil at its central office to mark the holy Eid-e-Miladunnabi, in the city yesterday, reports BSS.

Eminent Islami thinker Moulana Aminul Islam discussed the life and work of Prophet Hazrat Muhammad (SM).

Notice

Our regular feature Dhaka Day by Day could not be carried today due to space constraint. The inconvenience caused to the readers is regretted.