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## Six die, 50 injured in separate mishaps

From Staff Correspondent

SYLHET, Jan 29: Two persons were killed and twenty others injured in two separate road accidents in Sylhet today.

The first accident occurred at about 11 am at Haripur on the Sylhet-Tamabil Road. Shafiqur Rahman, 30, ran over by a truck. The villagers blocked the road for about five hours. Police later brought the situation under control. Shafiqur Rahman, assistant thana agriculture officer, Chunarughat, Habiganj was on leave in his village home. Police sent the body to the Sylhet MAG Osmani Medical College hospital morgue.

In another incident an unidentified student was killed when a minibus over-

turned at Govindaganj on the Chhatak-Govindaganj Road in the afternoon. Twenty others were also injured.

Our Rajshahi Correspondent adds: Two persons were killed and 15 others injured in three separate road accidents in the district.

A cyclist was run over by a tractor (Tangail-E-14) at Tepukuria village under Bagha thana in the afternoon. Victim was identified as Alauddin, 6, of Harina village.

Some people caught the driver and later handed him over to the police. When a tractor-drawn-trolley fell into the ditch at Chandpur under Bagha thana, its helper, who could not be identified was seriously injured and later died in the local thana health complex.

In another accident, 15 persons were injured when a minibus over-

turned into a ditch at Kamarpura village under Godagartha.

Fatema Jinna, 45, and Tariqul Islam, 26, were admitted into the Rajshahi Medical College Hospital and Mohammad Zakaria, 38 was admitted into Premtoli health centre.

UNB from Comilla adds: Two people were killed and 15 others injured in two road accidents on Dhaka-Chittagong highway in Chowddagram thana.

Police said Abdul Kashem, 32, and Sirajul Islam, 42, of Fatikchhari thana of Chittagong died on the spot when a Dhaka-bound truck over-turned and fell into a roadside ditch.

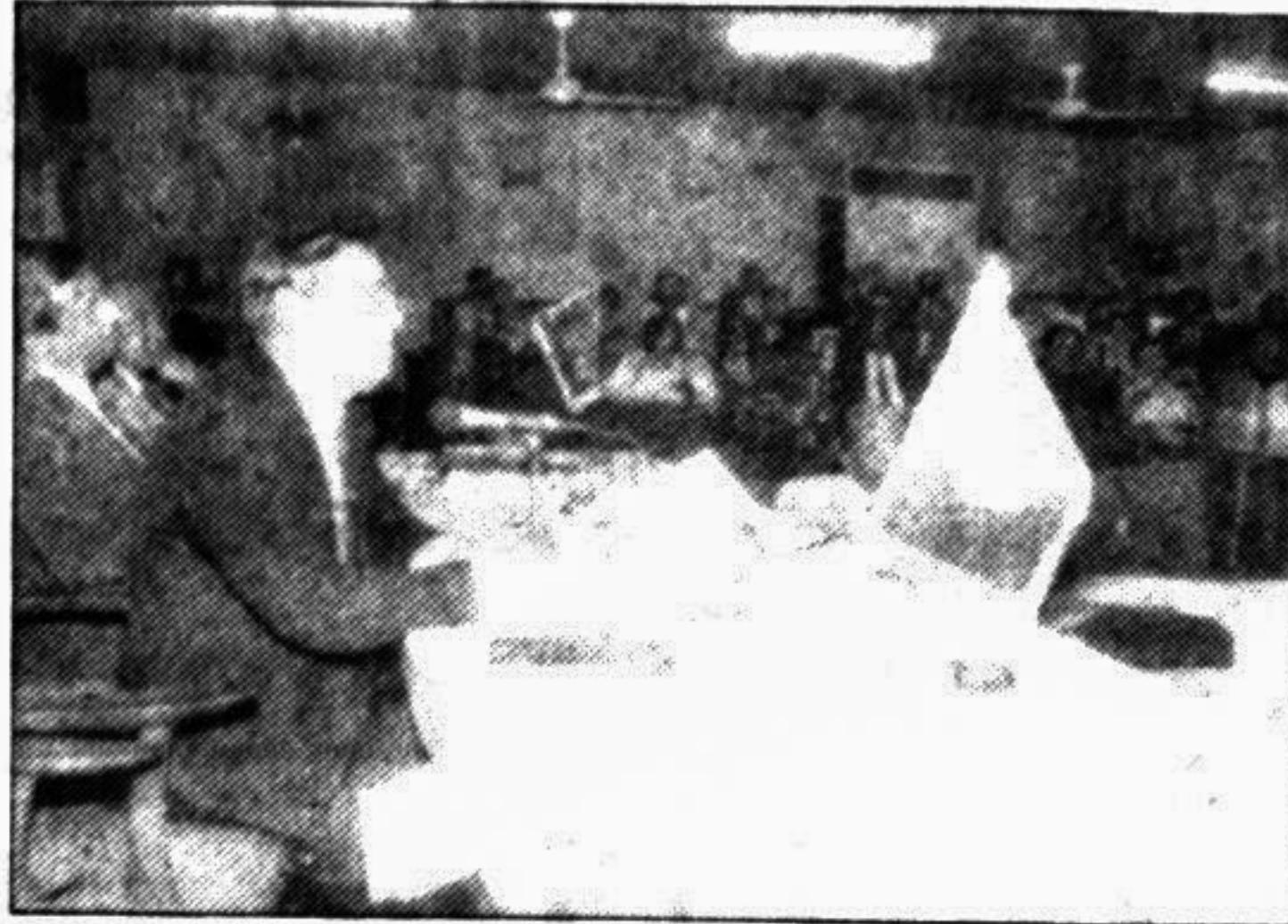
In another pre-dawn accident on the highway, 15 people were injured as a Dhaka-bound night coach collided with a truck near Miazbari in the thana.

## Death condoled

Muktijoddha Sammiloni, sector-5 yesterday condoled the death of freedom fighter Yamin Chowdhury, Bir Bikram, reports BSS.

In a condolence message signed by its president Lt Col (retd) AS Helaluddin, psc and general secretary NAM Alamir prayed for the peace of the departed soul and conveyed their sympathy to the members of the bereaved family.

The committee reminded all that the club is a neutral organisation and it was the responsibility of everybody to stop reoccurrence of such incidents in future.



Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka University Prof Emajuddin Ahmed speaking at a special session of the DU Senate yesterday.

## Manhandling of Press Club employees slated

The Jatiya Press Club Karmachari Kalyan Parishad in a press release yesterday alleged that its joint secretary Abul Kashem and member Abul Khair were manhandled on duty at the Press Club main gate by Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) activists during yesterday's hartal, reports BSS.

It said two meetings, one by the Awami League and another by the Jatiya Chhatra Samaj were being held at the road in front of the Jatiya Press Club at around 12.30 pm. At one stage, the workers of the Jatiya Chhatra Samaj attacked as private car and were obstructed by the police on duty there. As a consequence the Awami League leaders wanted to forcibly enter the club premise through the closed main gate.

Club employees Abul Kashem and Abul Khair who were on duty at the time refused them entry for security reasons. In reply, some BCL workers became unruly.

The club Employees Kalyan Parishad strongly condemned the incident.

Meanwhile, the managing committee of the Jatiya Press Club sought cooperation of all in maintaining the sanctity of the club.

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## Zahir Raihan's disappearance day today

The 24th anniversary of disappearance of eminent litterateur and film maker Zahir Raihan will be observed in the city today, reports BSS.

Zahir Raihan disappeared on January 30 in 1972 when he went out of his residence to search out his elder brother, eminent journalist and litterateur Shahidullah Kaiser, who was kidnapped by the agents of occupation forces on the eve of the Victory Day.

The Zahir Raihan Film Society has chalked out an elaborate programme to observe the occasion which includes a discussion on his life and activities to be held in the Russian Cultural Centre today at 2.30 pm.

Besides, ten films including three documentaries on 1971 War made by Zahir Raihan, one documentary on Zahir Raihan made by Alamgir Kabir and six full-length feature films made by Zahir Raihan will be screened from today till February 7 at 2.30 pm every day.

The films include: 'Stop Genocide', 'A State is Born', 'Let there be Light', 'Zahir Raihan', 'Kakhno Aseni', 'Kacher Deyal', 'Anwara', 'Jibon Thekey Neya', 'Behula' and 'Sangam'; (Urdu).

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## The Daily Star Entertainment Guide

Tuesday 30th January  
All programmes are in local time. We recommend programmes printed in bold. There may be changes in the programmes!

## BTV

3:00pm Opening Announcement  
Al Quran 3:10 Recitation from the Geeta 3:15 Documentary Film: Cinema Europe 4:00 News in Bangla 4:15 Programmes on Mass Education: Esho Para Shikhi 4:45 Drama Series: The Sky Trackers 5:00 News in Bangla 5:20 Sangsate: Modern Songs 6:00 News in Bangla 6:05 National Television Debate Competition: Participated by Colleg & University Students 7:00 The News 7:05 Open University 7:25 Comedy Series: Perfect Strangers 8:00 News in Bangla 8:40 Drama Serial 10:00 News At Ten 10:30 Boipatra 10:55 Film Show: Northern Exposure/Senfeld 11:30 Sangbad: Bangla 11:35 Tomorrow's Programme 11:40 Close Down

## BBC

6:00am BBC World News 6:10 Newsnight 7:00 BBC News Report inc. WBR, Asia Today, 24 Hours 10:00 BBC World Headlines 10:05 Panorama 11:00

Hasrat-ein on Zee TV, Tonight at 10:00



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