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7 killed in Jhenidah road accidents

Seven people were killed and 33 others injured in Jhenidah district yesterday. Our Jhenidah Correspondent reports: four persons were killed and 25 others injured when a minibus collided head on with a truck at Baromasia on the Kalligong-Jibannagar road yesterday afternoon.

Snackmaker Toaster Oven Transcom Electronics Limited PHILIPS



The Kendrio Khelaghar Ashar arranged a demonstration in the city demanding education for tokais on the occasion of Education Day yesterday.

PM: Visit successful

From Page 1. lem of this region, she said and called for a concerted effort to drive out poverty for better living of peoples of this area.

'55 pc of city's population live below poverty line'

Fifty-five per cent of 9.3 million population of Dhaka city are living below the poverty line with 32 per cent below the hard-core poverty line. An Asian Development Bank study said here yesterday.

BNP urges govt to buy jute at fair price

The Bangladesh Nationalist Party (BNP) demanded of the government to take necessary steps for buying jute from the growers at fair price and hard cash to alleviate their plight, reports UNB.

KCC drive to detect arsenic in tubewell water

From Our Correspondent. KHULNA, Sept 17: The Khulna City Corporation (KCC) has taken up a programme to detect arsenic pollution in tubewell water.

Apa, not PM!

Sheikh Hasina preferred to be called Apa (sister) by newsmen despite her official position as Prime Minister, reports UNB.

JS probe body visits Langadu

From Our Correspondent. RANGAMATI, Sept 17: The special parliamentary committee on the Baghaichhari massacre visited Langadu today to probe the causes of the killings and make a report on the incident.

5 hurt as BCL, Shibir clash on CU campus

From Staff Correspondent. CHITTAGONG, Sept 17: At least five student activists were injured in a series of clashes between the supporters of Chhatra League and Chhatra Shibir on the Chittagong University campus this afternoon, police and campus sources said.

Nomura Int'l officials in city

From Staff Correspondent. The investment banking arm of the Nomura Securities Company Ltd, the largest securities firm of Japan, Nomura International Plc expressed keen interest to invest in Bangladesh, says a press release of First Capital Securities Limited, a corporate member of Dhaka and Chittagong Stock Exchanges.

Kailashtila Gas Field GM gheraoed

From Staff Correspondent. SYLHET, Sept 17: The angry employees and workers of Kailashtila Gas Field at Golapganj gheraoed the office of the General Manager and put the four wells under lock and key today to press their demand for regularising their services immediately.

Manpower exporter kidnapped in city

By Staff Correspondent. An unidentified gang kidnapped a businessman, Md Shajahan, 28, from his travel agency office at Motijheel in the city Monday afternoon.

2 BTV men among 4 hurt in Rangamati road accident

From Our Correspondent. RANGAMATI, Sept 17: Four persons, including two employees of Bangladesh Television (BTV) and an information officer, sustained injuries in a road accident at Sakhchar in sadar thana this morning.

Bldg collapse

From Page 1. Corporation Mohammad Hanif said that the DCC was not aware of the condition of the dilapidated building as there was no coordination among various government organisations dealing with construction of buildings.

PM addresses

From Page 1. tial candidate Bob Dole, both of whom would be preoccupied with the US elections being held on November 5.

Gunfight

From Page 1. their associates, snatched Tk 6000 from the cash and assaulted an employee, employees of the restaurant claimed.

Six robbed in city

By Staff Correspondent. At least six persons including a woman were robbed in separate incidents in the city yesterday.

Diarrhoea claims 4 of a family

SHERPUR, Sept 17: Diarrhoea claimed four members of a family at the frontier village Nayangan in Jhenaidah thana of the district, reports UNB.

Samad, Jyoti

From Page 1. ish Kumar Majumdar, West Bengal State Chief Secretary, Deb Mukherjee, Indian High Commissioner to Dhaka, Ranjan Mathai, Joint Secretary, Indian External Affairs Ministry and NVR Chatterjee, Commissioner (eastern river) of Ministry of Water Resources.

BNP to boycott

From Page 1. last night: "We have decided to fight against the allegations both legally and politically."

PM: Cricketers

From Page 1. She also assured of bringing foreign coach for a better training to develop cricket. The government will take appropriate measures for setting up cricket stadium with all modern facilities for development of the game, she said.

36pc vehicles in 4 cities emit black smoke

Some 36 per cent of vehicles ply on the streets were found emitting black smoke and other exhausts which are injurious to health.

5-member probe body on CHT incident

The government has formed a five-member enquiry committee headed by the Additional Divisional Commissioner (General) at Chittagong to investigate the killing of 28 woodcutters on September 9 in Baghaichhari thana under Rangamati, an official handout said here yesterday, reports BSS.

Corrupt to face trial

From Page 1. The accused are former Jute Minister Hannan Shah, former State Minister for Relief Lutfar Rahman Khan, and former State Minister for Religions Affairs M A Mannan.

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The Anti-Corruption Bureau has lodged cases against former Prime Minister Begum Zia's son Tarek Rahman, her brother Syed Iskandar and three other former ministers on Monday for appropriation of public money, corruption and misuse of powers during the BNP rule, according to the BBC Bengali service yesterday.

The Production Sharing Contract (PSC) with the Cairn is very sound," said a well placed source in the Energy Ministry. "Initially, the equity of the government and the Cairn for any gas field discovered under the PSC would be 70:30 and over the years, Bangladesh will own 100 per cent of the fields," the source said.

The DOE experts said DOE has already recommended limiting the sulphur content in petrol and diesel within the safety-level and banning the use of tetraethyl lead at production level so that clean air, clean fuel and clean car slogan can be turned into reality.

The other members of the committee are director of the special affairs division, a deputy secretary of the Home Ministry, a representative of 24th Infantry Division based in Chittagong and additional district magistrate of Rangamati.

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