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Bangabandhu's killers' trial demanded

Speakers at a discussion yesterday demanded the trial of those responsible for the killing of four national leaders inside the Dhaka Central Jail on November 3, 1975, reports BSS.

They were addressing a meeting, organised by Dhaka Jewellery Industry Sramik League at Tanti Bazar with labour leader Ali Ashraf in the chair, said a press release.

Awami League Parliament Member Haji M Selim was the chief guest on the occasion.

Among others, ZM Kamrul Anam, A Jabbar, Jaydev Chandra, Dr. Manindra Pal Bhowmick, Abul Haseem Dhalil and Abul Kalam Azad addressed the meeting.

Sudanese envoy meets PM

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina said nations of the Islamic world should join hands for creating a greater and better atmosphere of prosperity for themselves, reports UNB.

Actions and efforts of the Muslim countries should be concentrated and orchestrated for the cause of Muslim brotherhood and Islamic Ummah, she said.

Hasina stated this when Sudanese Ambassador El Rasheed Khider made a call on her at the Prime Minister's office today (Monday).

The envoy, stationed in Islamabad and concurrently accredited to Bangladesh, handed over a personal letter of Sudanese President Omer Hassan Ahmed El-Bashir to the Bangladesh Prime Minister.

Sheikh Hasina expressed pleasure over the existing brotherly relations between Bangladesh and Sudan. She also mentioned the cooperation that exists between the two countries in various international fora, including OIC and NAM.

Principal Secretary to the Prime Minister Ataul Haq was also present on the occasion.



The National Committee on 50th Anniversary of the Tebhaga Movement accorded a reception at the Jatiya Press Club auditorium yesterday to the invited guests from India. Ila Mitra (3rd-R), a central leader of the Communist Party of India (CPI), seen in the picture. —Star photo

40 DU students to get Sumitomo corp'n stipend

The Sumitomo Corporation of Japan will provide scholarship-money for 40 undergraduate and postgraduate students of Dhaka University, reports UNB.

A memorandum of understanding (MOU) in this regard was signed in between Sumitomo and Dhaka University (DU) yesterday, said a DU press release.

The scholarships, each of 200 US\$ per annum, will be provided with the students over a period of four years by the Japanese private firm.

S Kobori, General Manager of Sumitomo Corporation and A Z Sikdar, Registrar and Acting Treasurer of DU, signed the MOU on behalf of their respective organisation.

Vice Chancellor of Dhaka University Prof A K Azad Chowdhury and Japanese Ambassador to Bangladesh Yoshikazu Kaneko were present at the ceremony held at the DU VC's office.

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Employment Notice

Applications are invited from the citizen of Bangladesh for the following posts:

Sl. No	Name of the posts & Range of pay	Age	Qualification & Experience
1.	Director (Logistic Services) Pay Range: 15,600-18,150/-	50	MBBS or equivalent degree recognised by BMDC and 15 years experience in Hospital Management from a reputed Institute of which 5 years shall be in the equivalent post of Deputy Director. Candidates with Degree or Diploma in Hospital Management will be given preference.
2.	Joint Director (Administration) Pay Range: 14,100-17,500/-	45	1st Class Master degree or 2nd Class Master degree with 2nd Class Hons. with 12 years experience or MBA with 8 years experience in administration of which 5 years shall be in the equivalent post of Deputy Director.
3.	Chief Security Officer Pay Range: 12,400-16,100/-	50	Retired Army Major/Superintendent of Police or equivalent post with 8 (eight) years experience in relevant field or 2nd Class Master degree with 12 (twelve) years experience in relevant field.
4.	Asstt. Director, Admin (Staff Welfare) Pay Range: 9,500-14,400/-	40	2nd Class Masters with 2nd Class Hons. in Sociology/Management from any recognised University with 7 years practical experience in Administrative/Staff Welfare in Organization out of which 5 years should be in the rank of 1st class officer. Diploma in personnel management & experience in industrial & Labour Law will be given preference.
5.	Accounts Officers (Budget) Pay Range: 5,600-10,100/-	30	C.A. intermediate or 2nd Class M. Com/equivalent degree with 3 years experience of which 2 years shall be in the equivalent post of Jr. Accounts Officer. Knowledge in computer may be given preference.
6.	Internal Audit Officer Pay Range: 5,600-10,100/-	30	C.A. intermediate or 2nd Class M. Com/equivalent degree with 3 years experience of which 2 years shall be in the equivalent post of Jr. Accounts Officer.

Applications are required to be submitted in prescribed form obtainable from the Cash Accounts Section, Room No-208, Diabetic Association of Bangladesh, 122, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka-1000. The price for application form for Sl. No 1 to 6 is Tk. 40/-. Name of the applied post has to be clearly written on the envelope. The applications should reach on or before 25-11-96 by post. Age indicates completed year on 30th June '96. Only short listed candidates (where applicable) may be called for an interview. Incomplete applications will be rejected. Appointment will be made on contract basis.

D-1203

Secretary General

PGA press confce protested

The Graduate Biochemists' Association (GBA), Bangladesh, in a news release yesterday, protested against the Pharmacy Graduates' Association (PGA), Bangladesh, press briefing at the National Press Club on October 31 over the appointment of a biochemist as the director of drug administration department, says a press release.

The PGA insisted on appointing a pharmacist to the post. But the appointment regulation has provisions for an MSc.

In biochemistry, pharmacy, chemistry, applied chemistry or veterinary science; moreover, so far no drug super was a graduate pharmacist. Yearul Kabir, and Md Abidur Rahman, president and general-secretary of the GBA respectively, hailed the government decision on appointment.

The press release added that last Friday, the GBA held its second annual general meeting at the Birdem Auditorium in which Yearul Kabir was re-elected president to the association and Md Abidur Rahman was elected the general-secretary. Health Minister Salahuddin Yusuf and Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka University A K Azad Chowdhury were present on the occasion.

The meeting further recommended that the Drug (Control) Ordinance 1982 be amended to remove existing anomalies, that all diagnostic centres appoint a biochemist as consultant, that biochemists be appointed in standard testing in food and beverage industries and that biochemistry be opened as a bachelor of science degree in the colleges.

ICDDR,B Board Meeting ends

The three-day meeting of the Board of Trustees (BoT) of ICDDR,B, the Centre for Health and Population Research, ended in Dhaka yesterday. The meeting was chaired by Dr Maureen Law, Chairperson of the International Board of Trustees. The Board Meeting was followed by the Centre's Donors' Support Group Meeting, which was inaugurated by the Minister for Health and Family Welfare Salah Uddin Yusuf, says a press release.

The meeting emphasized the importance given by the members of the donor community to the research, service, and training activities being carried out at the Centre. The meeting was informed of the need for zinc supplementation during acute diarrhoea in children associated with a clinically worthwhile reduction in the rate of prolonged diarrhoea and with a modest decrease in duration of diarrhoea episodes. Supplementation of hospitalized children with acute or persistent diarrhoea reduces growth faltering and morbidity during the subsequent three months following hospitalization. The Centre disseminates these and other research results by fostering closer relationship with the Government of Bangladesh and NGOs in the fields of health and family planning, environment, and the control of epidemic.

The minister said, "Research studies of the Centre's field site at Matlab can indicate cost-effective ways of providing health care to the people of Bangladesh." In addition, free health care service delivery to more than 120,000 patients per year in its hospital has led to a situation where the Centre is faced with the financial difficulties.

Tagore literary confce begins Friday

A two-day Tagore literary conference begins at Kanchi Kancher Mela auditorium in the city Friday, reports UNB.

Poet Abul Hossain will inaugurate the conference which will be attended by six Rabindra experts from India.

Dr Pinaki Bhadury, Dr Bishwajit Ghosh and Dr Masuduzzaman will present keynote papers while Debabrata Palit, Prof. Devdas Zowarder, Dr Prasanta Kumar Das Gupta, Prof. Sayed Monzurul Islam and Dr Mahub Sadique will discuss on the keynote papers.

A cultural function will also be held on the occasion, says a press release.

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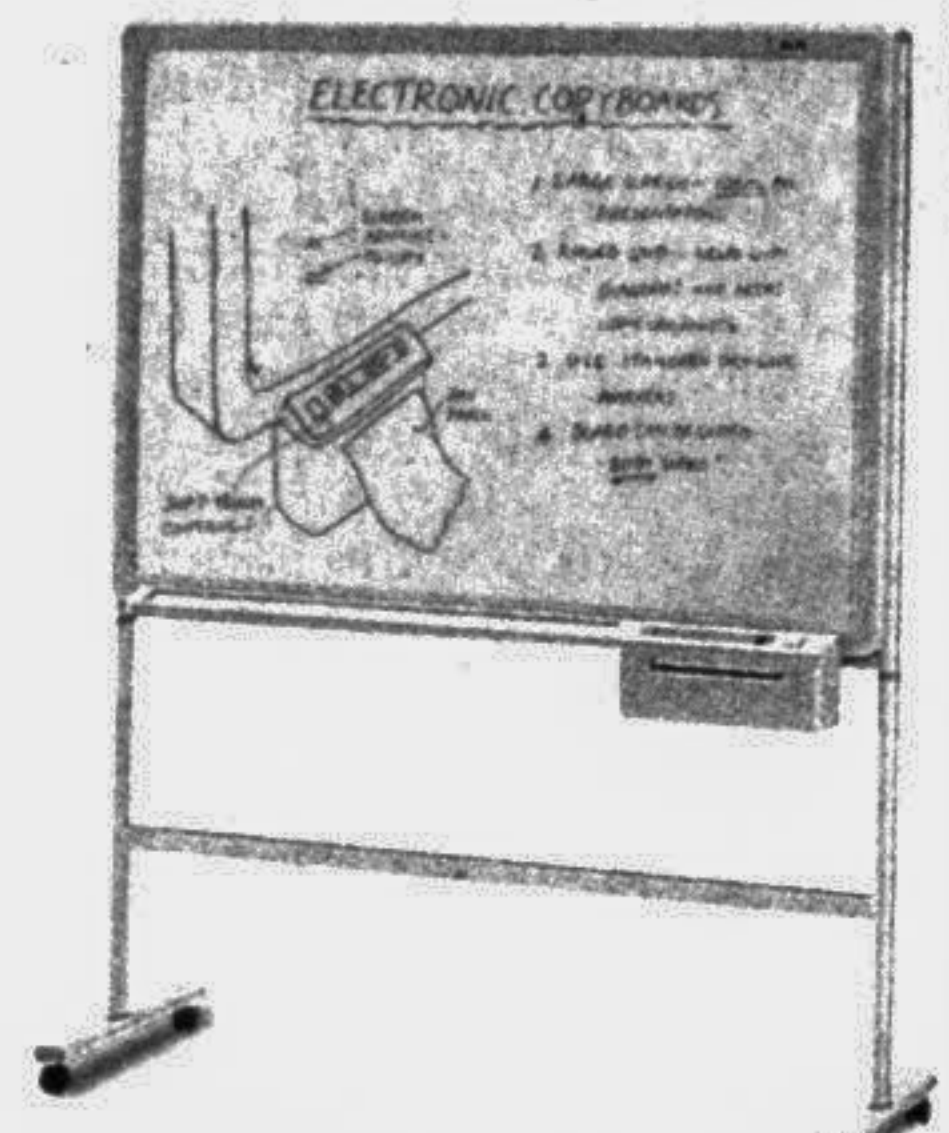
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The incumbent should meet the following requirements :

Academic

At least Post-graduate degree in Computer Science or Bachelor degree in Computer Engineering from any recognized university or engineering university. The incumbent should ideally be in his late 30's and have a proven track record of achievements in the capacity of computer expert in a multinational or a reputed national industrial organization preferably in a pharmaceutical company.

Experience

- At least five years practical experience of working on UNIX and ORACLE under multi-user and multi-tasking environment in a reputed organization.
- Adequate practical experience of software development for Integrated Accounting System in a manufacturing company.
- Experience on Electronic Mail.
- Thorough knowledge of Net Working System (LAN and WAN environment) and Data Base Administration (DBA).
- Knowledge of System Performance Tuning.

Capabilities

The incumbent should be capable of handling and managing the entire Computer Division independently. He should guide his people to successfully analyse in detail the system operation of the company, develop computer programmes as and when required in unison with the existing programmes in operation and handle all kinds of software problems. Besides, he should play a key role in the selection of additional software/hardware/equipments & accessories and be engaged in supervising the overall maintenance of computer machinery and equipment. He shall also have to develop a successful Management Information System for the entire organisation. He should, therefore, have excellent leadership qualities with strong inter-personal skills.

The position offers a professional work environment and attractive compensation package including full time car. None need apply drawing a salary of less than Tk. 30,000/- per month.

Applications from deserving candidates with detailed CV, photograph and copies of certificates should reach The Corporate Executive, The ACME Laboratories Ltd., 55 Satma sjid Road, Dhanmondi, Dhaka-1209 on or before 21 November 1996.

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