

Attack on GM of Sattar Jute Mills

From Our Correspondent RUPGANJ, (Narayanganj). Dec 22: The General Manager (GM) of Sattar Jute Mills Ltd. Kanchan, was manhandled in his mills office at 3 pm Thursday, according to mills sources.



KUSHTIA: Professor Inamul Haque, Vice Chancellor of Islamic University placing floral wreaths at the newly constructed martyrs' memorial 'Mukta Bangla', at IU premises in observance of Silver Jubilee of Victory Day. — Star photo

Hepatitis-B virus spreading fast in Cox's Bazar

From Our Correspondent

COX'S BAZAR, Dec 22: A large number of people are suffering from Hepatitis-B virus disease in the district and the number of victims are constantly on the increase, according to the local Health Department.

When contacted some physicians of Cox's Bazar town told this correspondent that the number of victims of Hepatitis-B virus have increased now compared to those in the previous years in this region.

If steps to stop further spread of the disease is not taking immediately things may go out of control, they said.

They also said as this is an attack from Hepatitis-B virus, the pain from the liver becomes extreme. There are five types of viruses responsible for this disease. These are ABCD and E

types of virus. Of these, B is the most serious. If at any moment a B-virus infects the body, they immediately attack the liver crippling the entire system of body's metabolism.

It is learnt that if the virus is detected in the preliminary stage, treatment of the disease becomes possible.

However, if the patient cannot understand that he has been attacked with the Hepatitis-B virus, the condition of the patient may get worse and it may be very difficult to save life.

Local doctors said that, this virus enters human body through polluted water, air or food and the disease spreads very rapidly. The disease may be infected by decomposed, stale, rotten and adulterated food. The people who have less immunity or resistance capac-

ity in their bodies are more vulnerable to this disease. If B-virus attacks a man who has less resistance in his body, his liver may develop into a liver cancer. A Medical officer of Cox's Bazar sadar hospital said that one cannot easily realise that he/she has been attacked by the virus. Excess water appears start to accumulate in the patient's stomach, and limbs.

The virus normally spreads from the body of another victim. It may spread from usable materials of the patient, such as, cloth, glass, shirt. If any mother is attacked with B virus and feeds her baby with breast milk, the baby too may be attacked with same virus. The swab of the patient is very dangerous, a doctor said.

Illegal occupants take control of Haltee beel

From Our Correspondent

NATORE, Dec 22: A portion of 'Haltee beel' of the district, the second largest open water body in the northern region, has been illegally occupied by some influential persons in flagrant violation of the government order, it was alleged.

According to the government order, water bodies used for fishing will remain open for all.

But, as a portion of the beel usurped by illegal occupants, about 500 fishermen living around the beel area have been deprived of their earnings, according to the allegation.

Ananda Mandal a member of Kaliganj Fishermen's Association was physically assaulted and his fishing kits were snatched away by the ille-

gal occupants when he went to catch fish there. The rivalry and frequent clashes between the genuine fishermen and illegal occupants over fishing rights have become a major law and order problem in the area.

Truck strike

SHERPUR, Dec 22: The Interdistrict Truck Drivers Union called an indefinite strike from Friday, protesting terrorism and extortion of illegal toll, reports UNB.

The association gave the call as a gang of local *mastaans* are harassing truck drivers and forcibly taking illegal toll from the drivers.

Rajshahi-Natore highway blocked for three hours

RAJSHAHI, Dec 22: Traffic on the Rajshahi-Natore highway halted for about three hours as mob put road barricade after an accident near Rajshahi University that left one dead and another seriously injured Saturday afternoon, reports UNB.

Witnesses said, a youngman was killed and his co-rider, a middle-aged woman, critically wounded when a speeding bus crushed their bicycle from behind in front of the main entrance of the university at about 12.45 pm.

The dead identified as Babu, 25, and injured woman, Halima, 35, both day labourers, hailed from Shital village in Poba thana. Halima was admitted to Rajshahi Medical College Hospital.

Following the mishap, local people swag into protest putting blockade on the highway which disrupted all kinds of road traffic, including movement of inter-district buses.

About 300 buses and trucks remained stranded on both sides of the roadblocks during the three-hour blockade. The

blockade was lifted at about 4 pm after senior district and police officials visited the spot and pacified the mob.

A case was filed with Moti-har police.

One killed as truck hits van

From Our Correspondent GAIBANDHA, Dec 22: One person was killed and three others sustained injuries when a truck dashed a rickshaw van at Chapriganj road Gobindganj Thana on Rangpur-Bogra highway recently.

According to police, in the evening of the day, three employees of Mohimaganj Sugar Mills were travelling by a rickshaw van. Suddenly a speeding truck hit the rickshaw van in which one, Rezaul Karim, a Cane Inspector received severe head injuries and died on the spot. Three other persons including the van puller received injuries. An unnatural death case was filed with Gobindganj Thana. The corpse was sent to Gaibandha for autopsy.

IU winter vacation

From IU Correspondent

ISLAMIC UNIVERSITY (Kushtia), Dec 22: The winter vacation of Islamic University started from Saturday and it will continue till 31st December this year, according to the decision of the 125th Syndicate meeting held on Wednesday, the university authorities announced the vacation, says a press release.

During vacation period all classes and offices will remain closed. The residential students of the varsity left the halls Thursday, according to the decision of IU authorities. The classes and works in the offices will resume on January 1, but the residential halls will be opened for the students at 4 PM on December 31, the press release added.

It may be mentioned here that following the bloody clash between Chhatra League and Chhatra Shibir which occurred on 25th and 26th September, tension in the campus is still prevailing. The clash left one killed and more than one hundred and fifty students injured.

False thumb draws 350 dls!

From Our Correspondent GAIBANDHA, Dec 22: A foreign money order amounting to 350 dollar was misappropriated at Gaibandha post office showing fake delivery, it was alleged.

Dhaka Foreign Post Office received a money order from Malaysia addressed to one Shahabuddin of village Chandia under Gaibandha sadar thana, vide M/O No. 648684-86 which they forwarded to Gaibandha head post office for making delivery to its address. But, according to allegation, the amount of money order was misappropriated by taking a thumb impression, not belonging to the addressee.

Being disappointed Shahabuddin filed a complaint with Dhaka Foreign Post Office alleging non-delivery of his money order. During primary investigation it was revealed that the said money order was delivered from post office counter against a thumb impression which allegedly does not belong to payee. Further investigation is in progress.

Jasim mela begins in Faridpur

FARIDPUR, Dec 22: A fortnight long village fair styled as Jasim Mela in connection with the observance of 94th birth anniversary of Poet Jasimuddin begins today at Anandikapur, in the suburb of Faridpur town, says a BSS report.

The birth anniversary of the poet falls on January one when special programmes will be held at the Mela fair venue, the ancestral residence and also the graveyard of the Poet.

The Mela and other related programmes are being organised by Jasim foundation. Besides, various agricultural and cottage industry products will be displayed. The entire Mela venue have been tastefully decorated.

Eye camp at Ekhlaspur

An eye camp was arranged by Innerwheel Club of Dhaka North West in cooperation with Islamia Eye Hospital, Dhaka, at Ekhlaspur Bazar, Noakhali on December 15 and 16 last, according to a press release.

The ophthalmologists attended a total number of 800 patients. Out of them 50 patients were operated upon, while the rest were released after giving free medical treatment. The operated patients were supplied with spectacles free of charge after 3 days of their operation and they were released afterwards.

The following doctors of Islamia Eye Hospital took part in the eye camp. They are: Dr Muhibbul Islam, Dr Niaz Rahman, Dr Anzarul Huq, Dr Shahrier Hossain, Dr GMM Chisty, Dr Akhtaruddin Murad, Dr Dinar Ahmed and Dr Shaiful Islam.

Nazma Islam, President, Parveen Zaman, Vice-President and Mazeda Ahmed, Past President of the club supervised and conducted the eye camp.



BRAHMANBARIA: A week long eye camp organised jointly by Lions Club of Ashuganj ZFCL and Lions Club of Meghna concluded here recently. Lion Ahsan Nazir, Governor, District-315-B-3 is seen distributing spectacles and medicines among the patients.

Cashier missing 2 BRAC officials suspended

From Our Correspondent

FARIDPUR, Dec 22: The Manager and an accountant of Bangladesh Rural Advance ment Committee (BRAC) office at Madhukhali, Shajedur Rahman and Mukti Biswas respectively were suspended from their service following a case lodged at Madhukhali Thana over missing of Cashier Harunor-Rashid of the BRAC office with a sum of over Taka One lakh recently.

According to police source, Cashier Harunor-Rashid went out to deposit the cash of the BRAC office with the Sonali Bank branch at Madhukhali. Since then he has been reportedly missing.

It was also learnt that Harunor-Rashid is the son of Abdul Hakim of village Sona Khola under Bhanga Thana in the district.

IUTA executives



From Our Correspondent JHENIDAH, Dec 22: The election of Islamic University Teachers' Association (IUTA) was held at the seminar room of Arts and Social Science Faculty recently.

Faez Mohammad Se'ajul Hoque and Mohammad Sa'war Jahani were elected the President and Secretary of IUTA respectively.

Dr Mosharrif Hossain was elected vice president, Mohammad Mijanur Rahman joint secretary, Mohammad Afaz Uddin treasurer, Dr Mohammad Ashraf Ali, Mohammad Khasru Mia, Mohammed Tojammel Hossain, Mohammad Abul Kalam Patwari, As'ad Abdul Mannan Chowdhury, Mohammed Ahsan Ullah, Mohammed Yakub Ali, Moharrar Selim Toha, Mohammed Jakir Hossain and Mahfuzur Rahman were elected members of IUTA executive committee, according to IU sources.

Government of Bangladesh
Office of the Executive Engineer, RHD
Rajshahi Road Division, Rajshahi

RHD Notice Inviting Tender

- Tender Notice No: 09-RRD/1996-97 Eng.
- Name of work: Construction of RCC box culvert/cross drain in different roads under RHD, Road Division, Rajshahi in 3 (three) groups during the year 1996-97.
- Chargeable head: As per group list.
- Estimated cost: As per group list.
- Earnest money: As per group list.
- Time allowed for completion of work: As per group list.
- Eligibility of bidder: As per group list.
- Last date for selling tender documents: 29-12-96 Eng/15-9-1403 Beng during office hours.
- Last date & time for receiving tenders: 30-12-96 Eng/16-9-1403 Beng. up to 12:30 PM.
- Date & time for opening of tenders: 31-12-96 Eng/17-9-1403 Beng at 11:00 AM.
- Name of offices where tender documents will be sold:
 - Divisional Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, Rajshahi (Above 10.00 lac).
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Rajshahi.
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Pabna Road Division, Pabna.
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Nawabgonj Road Division, Nawabgonj.
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Naogaon Road Division, Naogaon.
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Planning Division (Road & Bridge), Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Banani, Dhaka.
 - Sub-Divisional Engineer, RHD, Road Sub-Division-III, Rajshahi.
 - Asstt Engineer, RHD, 1st Line Workshop Sub-Division, Rajshahi.
- Name of offices where tender will be received:
 - Divisional Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, Rajshahi (Above 10.00 lac).
 - Superintending Engineer, RHD, Rajshahi Road Circle, Rajshahi.
 - Superintending Engineer, RHD, Monitoring & Evaluation Circle, (Road & Bridge) Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Rajshahi Road Division, Rajshahi.
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Nawabgonj Road Division, Nawabgonj.
 - Executive Engineer, RHD, Naogaon Road Division, Naogaon.
- Date of lottery & time: 5-1-97 Eng at 11:30 AM.

Sealed tenders in Bangladesh Form No 2911 for the work are hereby invited from the enlisted RHD contractors of special category according to their financial limit and will be received by the offices mentioned above on the date & time fixed for opening of the tenders.

Tender documents, consisting of BD Form No 2911, Notice Inviting Tenders, schedule of items of works, instruction to the contractor, additional terms & conditions, materials specification, technical specification of works & particulars of contractors etc. will be available for sale in the offices mentioned above during office hours on all working days up to the last date for selling tender documents at usual RHD rate. The tenders will be opened on the date & time fixed for the same in presence of the intending tenderers or their authorised representative who may like to remain present.

To ascertain availability of local materials/labour/skilled labour, carrying facilities' transportation of materials, situation of work, the services required to fulfil the contractual obligation etc it is advised to purchase tender documents well ahead of the last date of selling tenders.

14. Group list of works:

Sl No	Tender No	Gr No	Name of work with location	Estimated cost	Earnest money to be deposited in TC/BD/CD from any schedule bank/Bonus or Protrakhaya Sanchaya Patra in favour of the EE, RHD, Road Division, Rajshahi	Time allowed for completion of work from the date of issue of work order	Category of contractor
1	09-RRD/96-97	1 (one)	Construction of cross drain at 1st KM and repairing the existing Road Divider at 1st, 2nd & 3rd KM of Rajshahi greater road under RHD, Road Division, Rajshahi during the year 96-97 Ch to 168-RBF	Tk 2,23,681/-	Tk 4,474/-	45 (forty five) days	RHD, enlisted contractor of special category from 'A' to 'D' as per rule
2	09-RRD/96-97	2 (two)	Construction of 3 Nos cross drain at 1st KM & repairing the surface drain at 1st & 2nd KM of Rajshahi Station Road under RHD, Road Division, Rajshahi during the year 96-97 Ch to 168-RBF	Tk 3,70,033/-	Tk 7,401/-	60 (sixty) days	From 'A' to 'D' as per rule
3	09-RRD/96-97	3 (three)	Construction of 3.05 metre span RCC box culvert at 19th KM of Rajshahi City by pass road under RHD, Road Division, Rajshahi during the year 96-97 Ch to 266-C/A (ADP)	Tk 12,70,746/-	Tk 25,415/-	60 (sixty) days	From 'A' to 'D' as per rule

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Executive Engineer RHD
Road Division, Rajshahi



NOAKHALI: A patient being operated at the Eye Camp at Ekhlaspur.

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Office of the Executive Engineer (RHD)
Road Division, Naogaon.

Notice Inviting Tenders

- Tender Notice No: 9 NRD/1996-97 Eng.
- Name of work: Repairing and seal coat, construction of hard shoulder and construction of site drain at different KM of Naogaon-Chowmashia-Mohadevpur-Patnitola-Sapahar Road under (RHD) Road Division, Naogaon during the year 1996-97 Eng. in 6 (six) groups.
- Chargeable head: As per group list.
- Estimated cost: -do-
- Earnest money: -do-
- Time allowed for completion of work: -do-
- Eligibility of bidders: -do-
- Last date for selling tender documents: 28-12-96 Eng/14-9-1403 Bang during office hours.
- Last date and time receiving tender: 29-12-96 Eng/15-9-1403 Bang up to 12:30 PM.
- Date and time for opening tenders: 30-12-96 Eng/16-9-1403 Bang at 12:45 PM.
- Name of offices where tenders will be received:
 - Superintending Engineer (RHD) Road Circle, Rajshahi.
 - Superintending Engineer (RHD) Monitoring and Evaluation (Roads and Bridge) Circle, Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka. (Above 5.00 Lakh).
 - Executive Engineer (RHD), Road Division, Naogaon/Rajshahi/Nawabganj.
 - Executive Engineer (RHD), Road Division, Naogaon/Rajshahi/Nawabganj.
 - Executive Engineer (RHD), Planning Division (Roads and Bridge), Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.
 - Executive Engineer (RHD), Road Division, Banani, Dhaka.
 - Sub-Divisional Engineer (RHD), Road Sub-Division, Naogaon/Patnitola/1st line Workshop Sub-Division, Naogaon.
- Name of offices where tender documents will be sold:
 - Executive Engineer (RHD), Road Division, Naogaon/Rajshahi/Nawabganj.
 - Executive Engineer (RHD), Planning Division (Roads and Bridge), Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.
 - Executive Engineer (RHD), Road Division, Banani, Dhaka.
 - Sub-Divisional Engineer (RHD), Road Sub-Division, Naogaon/Patnitola/1st line Workshop Sub-Division, Naogaon.

Group List of Tender Notice No 9 NRD/1996-97 Eng

Group No	Name of work with location	Chargeable Head	Estimated cost	Earnest Money	Eligibility of contractor as per enlisted jurisdiction of RHD
1 (one)	Repairing and bituminous seal coat at 60th, 61st KM of Naogaon-Chowmashia-Mohadevpur-Patnitola-Sapahar Road under (RHD) Road Division, Naogaon during the year 1996-97 Eng.	168. RBF	Tk 12,61,006/-	Tk 25,220/-	A to D RHD general category contractor
2 (two)	Flood damage repair with bituminous carpeting and seal coat at 54th(P), 55th(P) KM of Naogaon-Chowmashia-Mohadevpur-Patnitola-Sapahar Road under (RHD) Road Division, Naogaon during the year 1996-97 Eng.	-do-	Tk 6,48,606/-	Tk 12,972/-	A to E RHD general category contractor
3 (three)	Construction of Hard shoulder and site drain at 45th KM of Naogaon-Chowmashia-Mohadevpur-Patnitola-Sapahar Road under (RHD) Road Division, Naogaon during the year 1996-97 Eng.	-do-	Tk 7,44,244/-	Tk 14,885/-	-do-
4 (four)	-do- at 33rd, 42nd and 43rd (P) KM of Naogaon-Chowmashia-Mohadevpur-Patnitola-Sapahar Road under (RHD) Road Division, Naogaon during the year 1996-97 Eng.	-do-	Tk 4,15,848/-	Tk 8,317/-	-do-
5 (five)	-do- of site drain at 20th KM of Naogaon-Chowmashia-Mohadevpur-Patnitola-Sapahar Road under (RHD), Road Division, Naogaon during the year 1996-97 Eng.	-do-	Tk 1,84,646/-	Tk 3,613/-	-do-
6 (six)	-do- at 63rd KM of Naogaon-Chowmashia-Mohadevpur-Patnitola-Sapahar Road under (RHD) Road Division, Naogaon during the year 1996-97.	-do-	Tk 1,23,332/-	Tk 2,467/-	-do-

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Ref: DACPF/INT'L TENDER/005/96-97 DATED: 08TH DEC '96.

International Tender

Sealed tender is hereby invited for supply of following items to Biman Bangladesh Airlines from manufacturers/suppliers/local agents/vendors.

Sl No	Tender Number	Description of Goods	Cost of Schedule
01.	DACPF/INT'L TENDER/005/ 96-97 DT 08.12.96	PLAIN PAPER READER PRINTER, MODEL: SMAIP250	Tk 1000/- Or USD 25/- per set

Tender schedule with details specification, terms and conditions will be available at a cost of USD 25.00 or BDT 1000.00 per set (Non-refundable) with Accounts Officer, Cash & Banking, Biman Admin Building, Zia Int'l Airport, Dhaka and Asstt. Manager (Accounts), Cash & Banking, Biman Head Office, Motijheel C/A, Dhaka as well as with Finance Manager, Biman, Bangkok, Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo, Frankfurt, Rome, Paris, London, Amsterdam, Dubai & New York on cash payment on all working days up to 21st Jan, 1997. A formal application in company's letter head pad mentioning tender number and date shall require for purchasing the tender documents.

The last date of tender submission is 22nd Jan, 1997. Biman management reserves the right to accept/reject any or all tenders, increase or decrease the quantity or items without assigning any reason whatsoever.

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Mohammad Yousof Harun
Dy General Manager (S&P/Comm)