

## News snaps

### Children Rights Week observed in Ishurdi

ISHURDI, Oct 15: The Children Rights Week was observed in Ishurdi thana in a befitting manner recently, reports BSS.

The programmes of the day included children rally procession painting competition and discussion meeting. A discussion meeting was held at Thana Nirbahi Office. Brijon Kumar Baysha presided over the meeting. Shamsun Rahman Sharif Delu, MP, was present as the chief guest.

### Over Tk 59 lakh road dev programme

TANGAIL, Oct 15: Roads and Highways Department, Tangail has taken a programme to develop Gopalpur-Jagannathganj Road at a total cost of Taka 59,84,176 in this fiscal year, reports BSS.

Official sources said that under this programme repairing of pit-holes, depression, seal-coat work and construction of flexible pavement will be done. The work will be started soon and is expected to be completed within two months.

### Girl killed in Madaripur road accident

MADARIPUR, Oct 15: A girl was crushed under the wheels of a speeding bus at Bandarkhola on Bhanga-Mawa highway recently, reports BSS.

The victim Roqshana, 12, of Bandarkhola under Shibchar of Madaripur was run over while crossing the road. She died on the spot. The body was sent to Madaripur hospital for autopsy. The driver managed to escape. Police seized the bus. A case has been filed with Shibchar thana in this connection.

### Seminar held on Disaster Reduction

SATKHIRA, Oct 15: A seminar marking the International Natural Disaster Reduction Day-97 organised by district relief and rehabilitation office was held on Wednesday at Satkhira auditorium here, reports BSS.

Kazi Shamsur Rahman, MP, was present in the seminar as the chief guest. The seminar was presided over by sadar Thana Nirbahi Officer Sobir Ahmed. District and thana-level officers, educationists and social workers spoke on the occasion. Earlier a colourful procession led by Relief and Rehabilitation Officer Abdur Rab Miah was brought out from Shahid Abdur Razzak park and paraded the main streets of the town.

### 652 tubewells installed in Netrakona

NETRAKONA, Oct 15: Under pure drinking water supply programme of the government the Public Health Engineering Department (PHED) installed 249 shallow tubewells and 403 tara tubewells in 85 unions of the district in 1996-97 fiscal year, reports BSS.

According to an official source, the PHED had re-sunk 344 old tubewells during the period. About 74,700 rural people are getting pure drinking water after the installation of the tubewells.

### Youth dies in Narsingdi road mishap

NARSINGDI, Oct 15: A young rickshaw driver was killed in a road mishap on Dhaka-Sylhet highway near jail road turn in Narsingdi on October 9, reports BSS.

The victim was identified as Lal Miah, 30, of village Bramongon under Monahardi thana. According to eyewitnesses, the accident occurred when a speeding Dhaka-bound mini-bus from Monahardi, knocked down a rickshaw. The rickshaw-puller died on the spot and the rickshaw was damaged. The passengers of the rickshaw were also injured. The body was sent to the Narsingdi Sadar Hospital for autopsy.

### Cub leaders basic course ends

MANIKGANJ, Oct 15: A seven-day long training of 187th batch of "cub leader basic course" concluded here at local Primary Training Institute (PTI) on October 7, reports BSS.

A total of 45 primary school teachers took part in the training. The training was jointly sponsored by Bangladesh Scouts, Dhaka division and Manikganj district scouts.

### Massive afforestation programme

BHOLA, Oct 15: Forest department has taken up a massive afforestation programme in seven thanas of the district during the current season, reports UNB.

According to an official source, about 500 acres of land in Daulatkhan and Monpura thanas were afforested under the Resource Management Project. Also, saplings were planted along 9 km highways, 25 km embankment and 70 km connecting roads in the two thanas under the programme. Besides, about 2.5 lakh saplings were distributed among the people of seven thanas under the Social Homestead Afforestation Programme.

### Houseowner killed by dacoits

SYLHET, Oct 15: A house-owner was killed at Barcot in Gopalganj thana in a daring dacoity in his house recently, reports UNB.

The dead was identified as Azir Ali, 40. According to witnesses, the dacoits entered into the house by breaking open the door and started looting the valuables. Azir Ali at one stage caught one of the dacoits and started crying for help. Meantime, other dacoits came to the rescue of their accomplice, stabbed Ali indiscriminately and decamped with the booty.

Azir Ali was rushed to the health complex and following the deterioration of his condition he succumbed on way to Osmani Medical College Hospital. A case was filed with the police.

### Erratic power supply in Majdee Court

MAJDEE COURT (Noakhali), Oct 15: Frequent load-shedding and mosquito menace have been causing much suffering to the town dwellers, reports UNB.

Production in mills and factories has been hampering greatly giving rise to prices of essentials. The entrepreneurs and traders complained that they are to incur a huge loss everyday due to frequent power failure. Erratic power supply has become a daily affair and the work at offices as well as the courts are being hampered due to power disruption in 4-5 times a day. The students are the worst sufferers. The examiners are to prepare their lessons by lighting candles after the sundown.

### Youth killed in Rangpur road mishap

RANGPUR, Oct 15: An unidentified young man was crushed under the wheels of a speeding truck on Monday on R K Road near Rangpur central bus terminal here, reports BSS.

Police and witnesses said, a Bogra-bound truck knocked the victim who on way to Rangpur Medical College Hospital succumbed to his injuries. A case has been filed in Kotwali police station in this connection.

### Death, jail terms for triple murderers

CHUADANGA, Oct 15: A court here awarded a father and his two sons death sentence and another six sons life term imprisonment on Wednesday in a triple murder case, reports UNB.

According to the prosecution story, Ebadat, 28, and Ansar, 40, of village old Panchia in Alamdanga thana were killed by Abdul Aziz and his sons while they tried to resist them from harvesting paddy of a disputed land on November 11, 1993. Another injured Golap Ali, 42, succumbed at the Hardi Hospital. Later, a case was filed with Alamdanga police accusing nine people including the main accused Abdul Aziz. After examining the records and witnesses Additional District and Sessions Judge Abdul Matin awarded the death penalty to Abdul Aziz and his two sons Monwar and Sanwar. Other six sons Munir Hossain, Kashem Ali, Shihab Hossain, Wahab Hossain, Jamal Hossain and Kamal Hossain were awarded life term imprisonment.

### Renovation of telephone exchange urged

RAJBARI, Oct 15: Telephone subscribers of Khankhanapur, the traditional jute business centre of the district, have been suffering much due to dilapidated condition of the telephone exchange, reports UNB.

The old board of the exchange has become unfit for use long ago. Efforts were made to repair it but the sufferings of the subscribers are on rise. A large number of applications seeking new connections remained pending as no decision was taken to renovate the exchange and enhance its capacity to meet the increasing demands. The local people particularly the businessmen urged the concerned authority to renovate the exchange immediately.

### 1 killed in Khagrachhari road mishap

KHAGRACHHARI, Oct 15: One rickshaw passenger was killed on the spot and three passengers were injured when a speeding truck ran over a rickshaw at Tintahari in Manikchhari thana of the district on Tuesday evening, reports BSS.

The dead was identified as Samir Karmakar, 45. The injured persons were admitted in Manikchhari Thana Health Complex, whose identities were not available. Quoting eyewitness police said that a speeding truck ran over a rickshaw at Tintahari Bazar killing Samir on the spot and injuring three others critically. The body of the victim was sent to Khagrachhari Sadar Hospital for autopsy.

## 2-hour blockade on Gaibandha-Palashbari road

GAIBANDHA, Oct 15: Outraged people put barricade on the Gaibandha-Palashbari road after a child died in a road mishap in Palashbari thana on Tuesday, reports UNB.

Police said Seema, 7, daughter of Shafiqul Islam of Horin-mari village, was killed when a passenger bus hit her in the morning.

The bus sped away after the accident, which triggered an angry protest.

The protesters blocked the road halting traffic for two hours until officials of local administration pacified them.

## Property worth Tk 1 cr gutted

KHAGRACHHARI, Oct 15: Property worth about Tk one crore was gutted in a devastating fire at Dighinala Bazar of the hill district on Monday night, reports UNB.

Police said three rice mills, about 100 shops and 10 thatched houses were gutted in the three-hour blaze that originated from a burning cigarette.

# Outlawed PBCP splits: Armed clashes any time

From Our Correspondent

JESSORE, Oct 15: Three factions of Purbia Banglar Communist Party (PBCP) have been engaged in active confrontation.

It is being apprehended, they may get involved in armed clashes at any moment.

A responsible source said General Secretary of the Party Mokkhar Chowdhury has been trying hard to patch up the confronting factions.

PBCP was organised during the end of last decade in south-western districts of the country under the leadership of Modhu Babu alias Sharif of Fulbari in Dinajpur district.

Party activities have gained momentum in three districts including Chuadanga, Meherpur and Jhenidah.

The militant and political duties of the party were assigned to Ruhul Amin of Charulia, under Damurhuda thana, Laltu

alias Nuruzzaman of Koyradanga under Alamdanga thana of Chuadanga, Halder of Shubnagar under Kutchandpur thana in Jhenidah and Topan of Khulna districts.

But the party began to fall apart when Laltu was expelled from the Party in 1996 and Ruhul Amin was arrested by police on March 30 last.

Later approached the Party chief for revision of the decision and take him back to party.

When it was under active consideration police crackdown on outlawed party activists began from January 15 last. Laltu, who was wanted in a number of major cases fled to India. He was arrested at Ranaghat of Nadia district in West Bengal on March 17 last.

He was soon released from there well before Bangladesh authority took steps to bring back him through the Interpol for trial.

Laltu has obtained Indian nationality long before. Ruhul Amin was arrested by police from a village in Meherpur in a joint operation led by police of Chuadanga and Meherpur districts.

Ruhul is wanted in a dozen of major cases.

## Nijami criticises AL Govt

From Our Correspondent

RAJSHAHI, Oct 15: Jamaat-e-Islami Secretary General Maolana Matiur Rahman Nijami criticised the Awami League government for acting against the interests of the country and pushing the economy on the verge of collapse.

He observed that secrecy of the pact between the government and the Shanti Bahini had triggered apprehension that there were something wrong in the pact. "Withdrawal of the army from Chittagong Hill Tracts will endanger the sovereignty of Bangladesh", he said.

He was addressing a public meeting on Monday afternoon organised by the city unit of Jamaat-e-Islami at the Shaheb Bazar Square. Presided over by city Amir Ataur Rahman, the meeting was also addressed by Prof. Mujibur Rahman, Maolana Abdul Malek, Tasnim Alam and others.

## Transport strike in Jamalpur called off

JAMALPUR, Oct 15: The district Sarak Paribahan Union today called off its indefinite strike after a negotiation with the district administration, reports UNB.

Mirza Azam MP arranged the negotiation meeting held at the Deputy Commissioner's office with acting DC Moshlehuddin in the chair.

The meeting decided that legal action would be taken against Sarishabari thana OC and the miscreants who attacked the transport leaders within 15 days.

Action will be taken against the offenders on the basis of the report of the seven-member committee formed in the meeting.

## Govt. of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Directorate General of Food Inspection, Development & Technical Services  
16, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka

Memo No. IDTS/Dev-791/97/2646

Dated: 09.10.97

## Notice Inviting Applications for Selection of Local Consulting Firm

Application in two sealed separate envelopes (one for the technical offer and the other for the financial offer) are invited from qualified and experienced Consulting Firm (s) for design, documentation and supervision of the physical execution of the project "BMRE of Government Flour & Animal Feed Mill (No. 1 Unit) at Postagola, Dhaka."

A total period of about 21 months will be required and the work is expected to start from December, 1997.

The terms of reference may be purchased by any interested Consulting Firm on the submission of a written application to the Cashier, Directorate General of Food (4th Floor, Room No-419, Food Building, 16, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka) and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Tk. 1,000.00 (Taka one thousand) only on all working days from 19-10-97 to 19-11-97.

The offers will be received by the undersigned up to 12.00 Noon on 23-11-97 (Sunday) in the Conference Room of the Directorate General of Food, Room No. 118, 1st Floor, Food Building, Dhaka. Technical offers will be opened at 12.30 PM on the same day in presence of the applicants or their authorised representative (if any).

The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids in part or full without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Md. Entazul Huque

Director

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Inspection, Development and Technical Services  
Directorate General of Food.

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer  
Sunamganj Public Works Division, Sunamganj

## Tender Notice

No-6/1997-98

1. Tenders in Bangladesh Form No. 2911 are invited from Public Works Directorate approved contractors (those who are registered as per rules of Value Added Tax Act 1991) mentioned against the work for the work mentioned in the following group list. Tenders can be submitted in the prescribed tender box kept at the office of the undersigned and Executive Engineer, Public Works Division, Sylhet/Moulvibazar/Habiganj and office of the Divisional Commissioner, Sylhet up to 12:15 PM of 23.10.97 and will be opened on the same day at 12:30 PM in presence of the interested tenderers (if any present). Each tender should be submitted in a sealed cover superscribing name & group of work.

Gr No	Name of work	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Time allowed	Eligibility of contractors
1.	Construction of office cum residence of ASP (Sadar) and ASP Circle at Sunamganj District (one unit with stairs 3-storey)	19,50,400/-	39,010/-	6 (six) months	Special 1st class, 1st class and 2nd class civil contractors/contractory firms.
2.	-Do- -Do- work of water supply	2,62,502/-	5,251/-	-Do-	1st class and 2nd class sanitary contractors/contractory firms.
3.	-Do- -Do- (electrical work)	1,52,146/-	3,050/-	-Do-	1st class and 2nd class electrical contractors/contractory firms.

2(A) Tender document of work for Group No. 1 (one) of tender & schedule containing Form No. 2911, schedule of work, additional terms & conditions, design (if applicable) etc can be purchased at Tk 775/- (seven hundred seventy-five) only (non-refundable) per set.

2(B) Tender document of work for group Nos 2 & 3 containing Form No. 2911, schedule, additional terms & conditions, design (if applicable) etc can be purchased at Tk 425/- (four hundred twenty-five) only (non-refundable) per set from the office of all Executive Engineers under Sylhet Public Works Division and office of the Divisional Commissioner, Sylhet during office hours. Interested contractor himself or his representative (carrying authorisation letter with the representatives sample signature attested by the contractor) can purchase the tender document any day during office hours up to 22.10.97 on production of registration book. But tender signed by any one other than the contractor will not be considered.

Mahmood Hasan Siraji

Executive Engineer  
Sunamganj Public Works Division  
Sunamganj

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## Government of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer (RHD)  
Road Division, B'baria

## Notice Inviting Tender (2nd Call)

- Tender Notice No : 18/EE(RHD), B'baria during 1997-98.
- Name of works : Providing pre-mixed bituminous seal coat after repairing the existing damaged pavement by carpeting method at diff KM of diff road under Road Division, B'baria during the year 1997-98 divided into 2 (two) groups.
- Estimated cost : As per group list.
- Earnest money : Tk — as per group list in BD/CDR/Pay Order from any scheduled bank to deposited in favour of the undersigned.
- Name of office in which tender : The Executive Engineer (RHD), Road Division, Comilla/Chandpur/Planning & Design documents will be available for Division, Comilla/Planning Division (P&D), Dhaka and all SDE's office under Road Division, B'baria and office of the undersigned.
- Name of office in which tender will be received : The Addl Chief Engineer (RHD), Comilla Zone, Comilla/The Superintending Engineer (RHD), Road Circle, Comilla/The Superintending Engineer (RHD), Monitoring & Evaluation Circle (P&D), Dhaka and office of the undersigned.
- Time allowed : As per group list.
- Last date of selling of tender : 26-10-97 during office hours.
- Last date & time of receipt of tender : Up to 12-30 PM on 27-10-97.
- Last date & time of opening of tender : At 11-00 AM on 29-10-97.
- Date of lottery : At 11-00 AM on 2-11-97.
- Eligibility of contractor : As per group list.
- Chargeable Head : 266-Development.

### Group List

Group No	Name of work with location	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Time allowed for completion of the work from the dt of issue of work order	Eligibility of contractor
I (one)	Providing bituminous seal coat after repairing the existing damaged pavement by carpeting method at 17th KM (P) and 18th KM (P) of Sarail-Nasirnagar Road under B'baria Road Division during the year 1997-98.	Tk 3,62,728/-	Tk 7,255/-	15 (fifteen) days	"A" to "E" general category of contractor under RHD
II (two)	Providing premixed seal coat after repairing the existing damaged pavement by carpeting method at 10th KM (P), 11th KM (P), 12th KM of Dharkahar-Akhaura-Agartala Road under Road Division, B'baria during the year 1997-98.	Tk 9,62,494/-	Tk 19,250/-	35 (thirty-five) days	"A" to "D" general category of contractor under RHD

Md Helal Uddin

Executive Engineer (RHD)  
Road Division, B'baria

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GOPALGANJ: Executives of the local unit of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society recently exchanged views with the journalists at the society office. —Star photo

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Director  
Institute of Diseases of the Chest and Hospital  
Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh

No. IDCH/MD. Adm/97/6432 Dated: 7/10/97

## Notice for Admission into the MD (Chest Diseases) Course for 1998

Applications are invited for MD (Chest Diseases) course in the Institute of Diseases of the Chest and Hospital, Mohakhali, Dhaka for the academic session commencing from January 1998 from the Medical Graduates having the following qualifications.

### A. Preconditions for Admission of MD (Chest Diseases) Part-I

- Candidates shall be required to produced a certificate of MBBS degree of the University or its equivalent degree recognised by BMDC.
- Completion of two years after obtaining graduation.
- Three copies of recent passport size photographs should be attached with application.
- Govt. candidates should have to apply through proper channel and an advanced copy should be submitted into the Academic Section of IDCH, Mohakhali, Dhaka.
- Original certificates are to be produced during viva-voce.
- Incomplete application will be rejected.
- Application form is available in the Academic Section of IDCH at the cost of Tk. 400/= (Taka four hundred) only and last date of submission of application is November 04, 1997.

8. Written examination will be held on November 21, 1997 at 10 AM at IDCH, Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212.

9. It will be responsibility of the candidate to receive Admit Card on November 18, 1997 from the Academic Section of IDCH, Dhaka during office hour. No candidate will be allowed to enter into the examination hall without Admit Card.

10. Candidates should not be above 45 years of age.

11. Private candidates fulfilling the pre-requisites may also apply for admission to the course mentioned above & they will have to pay tuition and admission fees as per rule.

12. No government candidates will be considered for admission into any post-graduate course within 3 (three) years of a previous deputation if he or she has not been able to complete the course.

13. Candidates who have successfully completed their course during a previous deputation are not eligible to get a deputation within next 2 (two) years.

14. The candidates will have to bring "Ball Pen & Clip Board" during written examination.

### B. Instruction for Candidates Holding FCPS (Medicine)

- Candidates holding FCPS (Medicine) may apply for admission in MD (Chest Diseases) directly in the Part-III.
- They will need to apply in separate proforma available from Academic Section of the IDCH on all working days on cash payment of Tk. 400/= (Taka four hundred) only.
- Application with 2 (two) copies of recent passport size photographs and attested copy of FCPS (Medicine) certificate must reach the Academic Section on or before November 04, 1997.
- Original certificates must be produced at the time of the interview.
- Candidates should not be above 45 years of age.
- Candidates should have to apply through proper channel and an advanced copy should be submitted into this Academic Section.
- Incomplete application will not be considered.
- These candidates will not be required to sit for the written examination. They will be asked to appear before a separate interview board through a notification.

Prof. Md. Sofiullah

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