

## News snaps

### Prices of winter vegetables up

PABNA, Nov 7: Prices of winter vegetables have shot up abnormally in the market causing much inconveniences to the fixed income group of people, reports BSS.

Different varieties of seasonal vegetables now-a-days are coming to the market although abundantly but those are beyond the reach of the common people. According to a market report, a cauliflower is now being sold at Tk 50 and a cabbage at Tk 25-30. But the price of potato is declining day by day. The prices of fish are also on rise as its scarcity is acute in the market.

### 59 Degree examinees expelled in Chandpur

CHANDPUR, Nov 7: Some 59 examinees have been expelled in the district for adopting unfair means in the English examination on Thursday, the first day of the Degree (Pass) examinations under the National University, reports BSS.

Official sources said the highest number of examinees were expelled from Bangabandhu Degree College centre at Kochu. Eight examinees who were expelled from Hajiganj Degree College centre ransacked some halls of the centre after the examination. At least 3 people, including a policeman, were injured in the incident. The unruly examinees also created disturbance just after the examination at Meher Degree College centre at Shaharasti.

### Virus fever breaks out in Madaripur

MADARIPUR, Nov 7: Virus fever has broken out in all thanas of Madaripur a few days ago, reports BSS.

A large number of people, specially the children and women have been attacked with the disease. Almost every day many patients are coming to the outdoor of the hospital for treatment. Talking to this correspondent some patients said that they were experiencing high temperature and pain in their body. The physicians who were on-duty in the outdoor of the hospital could not say about the actual cause of this virus fever.

### 10 pty school bldgs being built in Rangpur

RANGPUR, Nov 7: Ten primary school buildings are being constructed by the Local Government Engineering Department (LGED) in Rowmari thana under Kurigram district, reports BSS.

According to an official source, the Facilities Department of the Ministry of Education sanctioned Taka 5.7 million for implementation of the project in the current fiscal year. The construction of the school buildings will be completed within next six months.

### Drug addicts on rise

JOYPURHAT, Nov 7: The number of drug addicted youths is on rise in the district with the influx of smuggled drugs from India, reports BSS.

Many youths in different parts of the town and urban areas including the sweeper colony, Akkelpur, Tiloikpur bazar have become addicted to drugs as the drugs are being sold in those areas openly.

### Preparatory meet for peaceful UP poll

RAJBARI, Nov 7: A preparatory meeting for peaceful holding of the forthcoming union parishad election was held here at the DC's conference room on Sunday, reports BSS.

Presided over by Dhaka Divisional Commissioner Ahmed Mahmud Raza Chowdhury, the meeting was attended by the Deputy Commissioner of Rajbari, Police Super, district Election Officer, TNO's and other officials of four thanas of the district. The meeting discussed details about the discharging of duties by officials concerned and maintenance of law and order during the elections to be held in next month. The Divisional Commissioner also discussed about the progress of development programmes in the district and directed the authorities to take steps to solve different problems.



SYLHET: Professor Habibur Rahman, Vice-Chancellor, Shahjalal University of Science and Technology inaugurated the afforestation programme in the university premises recently.

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## Government of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer, RHD  
Road Division, Comilla

### Notice Inviting Tender

1. Tender Notice No : 46 & 47/EE of RHD, Road Division, Comilla during the year 1997-98.
2. Name of work : Tender for brick pavement work at different KM of different roads in 4 (four) groups & flexible pavement work in one group, under Road Divn., Comilla during 1997-98.
3. Estimated cost : Tk as per schedule.
4. Earnest money : Tk as per schedule in BD/Pay Order in favour of EE, RHD, Road Divn., Comilla.
5. Name of office where tender bids will be received : Addl. Chief Engineer, RHD, Comilla Zone, Comilla/ Superintending Engineer, RHD, Road Circle, Comilla/Monitoring and Evaluation Circle, Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka and Office of the Undersigned and Office, the Divisional Commissioner, Chittagong.
6. Name of office availability of tender bids : Office of the Undersigned/EE, RHD, Road Divn/B'baria, Chandpur/ Planning & Design Divn., Comilla/Planning Divn., Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka, SDE's office, under this Division & Office of the Divisional Commissioner, Chittagong.
7. Time allowed : As per group list from the date of issue of work order.
8. Last date of selling of tender bids : 17-11-97 up to office hours.
9. Last date of dropping of tender : 18-11-97.
10. Date & time, place of opening of tender bids : 20-11-97 in the Office of the EE, RHD, Comilla.
11. Date of lottery : 24-11-97.
12. Eligibility of contractor : As per schedule.

NB: Tender above 10.00 lacs will be received in the office of the Divisional Commissioner, Ctg. & above 5 lacs will be received in the office of the Addl. Chief Engineer, RHD, Comilla Zone & SE (RHD), Moni. & Eval. Circle, Dhaka.

Md. Abul Quasem Bhuiyan  
Executive Engineer, RHD  
Road Division, Comilla

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## National

### Jessore Board employee terminated

From Our Correspondent JESSORE, Nov 7: One employee of Jessore Education Board has been terminated from the service on charge of certificate forgery and corruption. The punishment against 16 others of the board taken earlier by the authorities on the same charge, remained unchanged. The decision was taken in a meeting of the committee of board held on Thursday.

According to a board source, certificate writer Ahsan Habib Mukul, has been dismissed due to his direct involvement in certificate forgery. Three other upper division (UD) assistants of the board including Ansar Ali Abdullah-Al-Mukit and Mujibul Haque who were allegedly involved in such offence are yet to be punished.

Besides, decision of the board committee taken earlier about 13 other employees, involved in such unfair deal, is yet to be implemented.

No decision was taken about those against whom, several allegations were reported despite three-hour discussion on the subject.

The allegations against them include forgery of certificate, tampering of stock register and illegal promotions.

### 147 Returning Officers appointed in 6 S-dists

From Staff Correspondent BARISAL, Nov 7: A total of 147 Returning Officers have been appointed in 38 thanas of six southern districts under Barisal division to conduct the forthcoming Union Parishad (UP) elections scheduled to be held from December 1st to December 24.

According to official sources, 34,05,725 voters including 16,98,140 female voters will exercise their voting rights at 2,932 centres having 7,945 booths in Barisal, Patuakhali, Barguna, Bhola, Pirojpur and Jhalakati districts under this division.

So far 2,932 Presiding Officers and 7,947 assistant presiding officers including 15,893 polling officers will be appointed soon to conduct the election.

### Satkhira Newsletter

From Our Correspondent SATKHIRA, Nov 7: One housewife was awarded life term imprisonment with a fine of Taka 5000, in default to suffer one year more rigorous imprisonment (RI) for killing her husband.

The convict is Safura Khatun, 25, wife of Shafigul Islam of village Raita under Kalaroa thana of the district.

The prosecution story in brief is that the accused, Safura Khatun with the help of her lover Abdul Khaled of Munishpara under Satkhira pourasava strangled her husband Shafigul Islam death near at village Nabatkhali under the sadar thana on December 21, 1994.

A case was lodged with Satkhira Police Station. Later police after investigation submitted charge sheet against Safura Khatun and her lover Abdul Khaled.

After examining the witness Additional Sessions and Special Tribunal Judge Sheikh Rawnaqul Islam awarded the punishment. However lover Abdul Khaled was acquitted as charged framed against him was not proved.

### Child drowns in pond

A three-year-old female child drowned in a pond here at village Tentulia under Kaliganj thana recently.

The victim, Ayesha Khatun, 3, daughter of Amir Gazi while playing by the side of the pond, all on a sudden, she slipped and fell into the pond and drowned. The villagers rescued the body from the pond.

### Smuggler gets 2-yr RI

One Person has been sentenced to suffer rigorous imprisonment (RI) for two years with a fine of Taka 500, in default to suffer one month's RI on charge of smuggling.

The convict is Jamal Uddin Sardar of village Shahpur under Kalaroa thana of the district.

Court sources said, the accused Jamal Uddin while coming from bordering area and reached near village Baksa under Kalaroa thana, BDR personnel on duty challenged him and recovered Indian wine and pesticides from his possession on March 24, 1994. A case was filed with Kalaroa police station.

### Woman labourers on rise

The unusual spurt of women labour force in seven thanas of Satkhira district, has been causing concern among the Social Welfare activists.

Due to poverty, female labourers seek work but the opportunities have been shrinking day by day alarmingly.

According to social welfare and labour leaders, thousands of the female day labourers are seen husking paddy in the rural villages and working in the brickfields, shrimps processing farms in different areas of the district. Many of the female labourers are found taking part in the earth digging in the rural areas of the district.

## BCIC International Tender Notice

বিসিআইসি'র পণ্য শিল্পায়নে জাতীয় অংগতির প্রতীক

Managing Director, Sylhet Pulp and Paper Mills Ltd, Chhatak, Sunamganj invites Two-Envelope system sealed tender for supply of Boiler Feed Pump against Tender No. 446 on C&F Chittagong basis under any suitable credit. Tender schedule available at Tk 200/- per set from (a) BCIC, 30-31, Dilkusha, Dhaka (b) BCIC Branch office, 6, Agrabad, Chittagong and (c) SPPM Ltd, Chhatak, Sunamganj. Tender along with 1% earnest money will be received up to 3-00 PM on 8/12/97 and thereafter opened Technical offer. No tender documents will be sold on the date of opening.

BCIC 959-30/10/97  
DFP-24693-3/11  
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Golam Mostofa  
Manager (Commercial)  
for Managing Director

### Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

#### Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism

Bangladesh Hotel and Restaurant Registration and Classification Cell  
Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka

### Notice

A hotel licence book No 1101-1200 and a restaurant licence book No 0901-1000 of Bangladesh Hotel and Restaurant Registration and Classification Cell are missing. As such the validity of the two licence books is hereby cancelled. Later on, the two licence books, if found anywhere, will no more remain valid. Meanwhile, if anybody had anyway used any page of the books, that will also be treated as cancelled.

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Controller

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General Manager (Purchase), BCIC, BCIC Bhaban (16th floor), 30-31, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka invites sealed quotation under 2 (two) envelope system against Tender Enquiry No PUR-3.1460/97-98 dated 28-10-1997 for 25,000 MT (±10% at buyer's option) Rockslipper on C&F (C) Chittagong liner terms basis under cash foreign exchange. Offers shall be received up to 11:00 AM on 3-12-1997 and shall be opened immediately thereafter. Tender documents will be available on payment of Tk 750.00 per set (non-refundable) from (i) Controller of Accounts, BCIC, Dhaka (ii) Sr General Manager, BCIC Branch Office, 6, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong.

Earnest money as 1% of the total quoted value. No tender documents will be sold on the date of opening and no late offer shall be accepted. Buyer reserves the right to accept or to reject any or all bids without assigning any reason thereof.

BCIC 959-29/10/97  
DFP-24637-3/11

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## Power Development Board

বিদ্যুৎ ব্যবহারে নিয়ন্ত্রণ কানুন

### International Tender Notice

1. Tender No : BPDB's International Tender Notice No. Pur-212/97 dated 18.9.97.

2. Name of materials : 33 KV Outdoor SF6 Circuit Breaker with structure, control & relay panel.

3. Financing : Cash Foreign Exchange.

4. Qualification of tenderer : Renowned manufacturers/ suppliers.

5. Bid bond : Irrevocable/un-conditional bid bond of equivalent to 2% of quoted amount in the currency of bid in favour of Director, Purchase, PDB, Dhaka.

6. Place of receipt of tender : Office of the Director, Purchase, PDB, WAPDA Building (9th Floor), Motijheel C/A, Dhaka-1000.

7. Date & time of receipt of tender : 14.12.97 up to 11.00 AM (BST).

8. Date of opening of bids : 14.12.97 at 11.30 AM.

9. Name of the office where tender documents available : From the office of the undersigned on submission of written application along with Pay Order/Bank Draft for amount of Tk. 2,000/- (non-refundable) in favour of the Director, Purchase, BPDB, Dhaka.

Tender document will neither be sold on the day of opening nor it will be received through Telex/Fax/Post/ Courier etc.

Bangladesh Power Development Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids without assigning any reason thereof.

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Director, Purchase  
BPDB, Dhaka.

## Government of Bangladesh

### Police Headquarters

Dhaka

### Ist Re-Tender Notice

Sealed tenders are invited from the bonafide suppliers/manufacturer or their authorised agents for supply of the following vehicles for Bangladesh Police during the financial year 1997-98:

1. Name of vehicles : (a) CAR.  
(b) PRISONERS VAN.  
(c) AMBULANCE.

2. Tender schedule available from : Police Headquarters, E & T Section, Room No 107, Dhaka.

3. Cost of tender schedule (non refundable) : Tk 750/- (seven hundred fifty) only in cash each set for each item.

4. Last date of selling tender schedule : Up to 20-11-97 during office hours.

5. Place, date & time of submitting/ opening tenders : Tenders will be received at Police Headquarters, E & T Section, Room No 107, Dhaka on 23-11-97 up to 12:00 Noon & will be opened at 12:30 PM on the same date & venue in presence of tenderers, if any.

6. Earnest money : @ 3% (three percent) of total quoted value.

7. Validity of offer : Up to 30-6-98.

8. Tender reserves the right to accept any or all tender/tenders without assigning any reason.

Md Anisur Rahman

Asst. Instr. Genl. of Police (E&T)

Bangladesh, Dhaka

Phone: 9562849

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