

## News snaps

### Road development projects undertaken

CHUADANGA, May 10: The Local Government Engineering Department (LGED) has taken up a programme to implement five schemes in all four thanas of Chuadanga district in the current financial year at a total cost of Taka 71 lakh and 39 thousand, reports BSS.

According to an official source, the schemes include the maintenance work of 3.5 kilometre of Soroganj-Kharagoda-Hizolgar road under Chuadanga sadar thana, of 11 kilometre of Bhalapur-Ashmankhal-Hatboalia road under Alamdanga thana, of 7.3 kilometre of Shontoshpur-Azuldaria road under Jibannagar thana, of 6 kilometre of Damurhuda-Karpashdanga road under Damurhuda thana and construction of multi-purpose shed, garbage pit, underground drain, toilet and installation of a tubewell at Karpashdanga bazar under Damurhuda thana.

### Abducted girl rescued

MANIKGANJ, May 10: A girl, who was abducted on Monday night, was rescued from a bus in Manikganj bus stand on Tuesday and three people were arrested in this connection, reports UNB.

Police said Keya, class IX student of Uthli Girls' High School and daughter of Badruzzaman of village Tepra in Shibabaya thana, was kidnapped by the miscreants when she came out of her house to respond to the call of nature at dead of night. Police acting on a secret information recovered the girl from the Dhaka-bound bus when the kidnapers were taking her to the capital. Arrested Babu, 20, of village Gobindabari, Mokbul alias Mintu, 21, of village Tepra in Shibabaya thana and Moniruzaman alias Monir, 20, of village Nurpur in Bhanga thana were sent to jail. Police said the arrested were also wanted in connection with several other criminal cases.

### Courtesy meeting

JAMALPUR, May 10: Divisional Commissioner of Dhaka Md Nizamuddin held a courtesy meeting here with the elite of the town on Wednesday at Deputy Commissioner's conference room, reports BSS.

He exchanged views with them on various social and economic programmes including law and order situation. Earlier, he held meetings with the officials and reviewed welfare and development activities and administrative performances. He also held meetings with the staffs of the DC's office to acquaint himself with their performances and zeal. He advised them to serve the people sincerely and honestly to make the nation a happy one for the next generation.

### Bridges in dilapidated condition

SHERPUR, May 10: Several bridges in the district are in dilapidated condition due to lack of care and maintenance, reports UNB.

At least three bridges on Sherpur-Benaigathi and Sherpur-Nalitabar roads are in bad shape and may collapse at any time due to movement of heavy vehicles, local people said. Though the two bridges built with the financial assistance of Asian Development Bank in 90s for communication with frontier two thanas are now lying in deplorable condition due to lack of maintenance. The freedom fighters destroyed some part of the middle point of Katakhal bridge to disrupt the communication system of Pakistani forces during the Liberation War. Arrangement for vehicle movement was made on the bridge by constructing a Bailey bridge in the post-liberation period. But the bridge is yet to be reconstructed.

### Workshop of elected women UP members

From Our Correspondent

MYMENSINGH, May 10: A two-day workshop of elected women members of the union parishads (UPs) of Mymensingh district on "empowerment and development" concluded here recently.

Organised by the district administration the workshop was attended by the State Minister for Health and Family Welfare Prof Amanullah as chief guest. Speaking on the occasion the state minister urged the women members to involve themselves in social development works including education and health in their respective areas.

### Seminar on Islam

MANIKGANJ, May 10: A seminar on "21st Century and Islam" was held at Jhika Ananda Mohan High School recently, reports BSS.

The seminar was chaired by Mir Quasem Ali, Director, Rabta al Islami, Bangladesh. Addressed among others, by Dr Omar Jaki of Malaysia, Dr Hasanuzzaman Chowdhury, Professor of Political Science, Dhaka University, Dr Md Abdur Rab, Assistant Professor of Geography and Environment, Dhaka University, Advocate Md Rahamat Ali, President, Manikganj District Bar and two former upazila chairmen Shamsuddin Ahmed and Md Taleb Hossain, Commodore (Retd) Ataur Rahman, Chirman, Islami Bank Bangladesh Ltd was the chief guest. A key-note was also placed by Major General (Retd) Sayeed Md Ibrahim Bir Protick in the meeting.

## Ex-Jhalakathi DC, 2 others convicted for violating court order

From Staff Correspondent

BARISAL, May 10: Nirmal Chandra Sarkar, former Deputy Commissioner (DC) and M A Awal, former Additional Deputy Commissioner (Rev) of Jhalakathi and M Mohsin Ali, Assistant Commissioner (Land) of Nalchity thana were given 3 months' civil jail for violating a court order.

S M Solaiman, Sub-judge and First Assistant Sessions Judge of Jhalakathi pronounced this judgement recently. He also ordered to seize the movable property of their respective offices.

The judgement will be executed after their detention.

The case history in brief is, these government officials, violating the High Court order, leased out 5.06 acres of land of Dapdapia mouza in Nalchity thana to six persons for 99 years in 1988-89.

Keramat Ali and others after becoming owners of the land, filed a case with the First Sub-judge Court of Jhalakathi on October 5, 1989 in this connection.

## Indian national arrested

From Staff Correspondent

SYLHET, May 10: An Indian national was caught and a DBBL gun was recovered from his possession from Range Forest area in Fultala border of Kulaura thana on Monday afternoon.

A police official informed Beat Officer of Ragna Forest under Juri range was patrolling in the deep forest on Monday afternoon. He found Toajaya Darlong, 28, an Indian national who was moving with a DBBL gun. On interrogation, he gave his identity and said, he is the son of late Suja Darlong of Baithai bari in Dharmnagar thana of Tripura in India.

However, he declined to say anything about his motive behind his unauthorised entry into Bangladesh. The man was handed over to the Kulaura police.

## Khalishpur Sramik Dal leader sued

From Staff Correspondent

KHULNA, May 10: Khan Ibne Zaman, former joint secretary of city Awami League (AL) has filed a general diary (GD) with Khalishpur thana against Jatiyatabadi Sramik Dal leader Lokman Hakim for threatening lives of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina and all her relatives.

The GD filed on May 3 has stated that the Sramik Dal leader in a public meeting on May 1 at Khalishpur had threatened the PM and her relatives to get ready for meeting the same consequence as her father's on August 15, 1975.

The Sramik Dal leader has been absconding since filing of the case, said OC of Khalishpur thana.

## Chalan Beel Irrigation Project closed

PABNA, May 10: The Chalan Beel Irrigation project has been stopped affecting cultivation in the project area, reports UNB.

The reason behind the closure of the project was said to be ending of the term of the agreement between the Water Development Board and Asian Development Bank.

Bangladesh Water Development Board with the financial assistance of Asian Development Bank had taken a project in 1977 to protect crops from flash flood and ensuring the cultivation of crops on 1.85 lakh acres of land in seven thanas of Pabna and Sirajganj districts of Chalan Beel area under the Sirajganj Rural Development Project in 1977.

The thanas are: Taras, Ullapara, Raiganj, Shahjadpur and Chatmohor, Bhangura, Faridpur.

The activities of the project started in fiscal 1977-78 and various steps including construction of embankments, dams, sluice gates for protecting flood were taken at a cost of Tk

## Satkhira Newsletter

From Our Correspondent

### Two commit suicide

SATKHIRA, May 10: One housewife committed suicide by taking poison recently.

Police sources said, Khairunnesa, 26, wife of Arshad Ali of village Chitla committed suicide by taking liquid poison. As a result she died on the spot. Following family trouble she took poison, police sources said.

Another young girl, Anowara Khatun, 20, daughter of Abdur Razzak of village Kunduria under Assasuni thana committed suicide by taking poison recently. Family trouble is the cause of her suicide.

### 5 illegal toll collectors held

Tala police arrested five alleged illegal toll collectors from Machhira village under Tala thana recently.

The arrested persons are: Baker, 28, Jamarul, 25, Ibrahim, 25 and Amjad, 30. All are inhabitants of village Machhira under Tala thana. Another arrested person named Fazar Ali, 30, has from village South Nalta in Kaligonj thana.

Police sources said, they collected tolls from villagers of the area. Local people informed the matter to the police. Police arrested them later on.

### Young man beaten to death

A young man was beaten to death allegedly by his cousin following a land dispute at village Lautara in Assasuni thana recently.

Police sources said, Balai Chandra, 35, of village Lautara was ploughing his land when his cousins came there and beat him mercilessly. As a result he died on the spot.

## BNP workers join AL

From Our Correspondent

FARIDPUR, May 10: A large number of Bangladesh Nationalist Party (BNP) workers led by Nazimuddin Ahmed and Md Feroj, president and joint secretary respectively of Atghar union BNP met Minister for Environment and Forestry Syeda Sajeda Chowdhury at a public meeting held at Nakul Hall Primary School ground under Nagarkanda thana on April 24 and joined Awami League expressing their allegiance to the ideology of the party under the leadership of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina.

Welcoming the newcomers, the minister urged them to work unitedly for fighting terrorism, poverty diseases and other social evil, to make the country 'Sonar Bangla'.

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Facilities Department, Ministry of Education  
Shiksha Bhaban, Bangladesh, Dhaka  
Tender Notice No GPM/FD/02/97-98 Dated: 19-04-98

### Tender Notice

Sealed tenders in Bangladesh Form No 2911 are hereby invited from Facilities Department enlisted A-1 class contractors for construction of double storey academic building at the undermentioned Govt Madrasas under "Development of selected Madrasas (Govt & Private) Project".

Group No.	Name of educational institution
01.	Govt Alia Madrasa, Dhaka
02.	Govt Alia Madrasa, Sylhet
03.	Mostafabia Govt Alia Madrasa, Bogra.
A)	Estimated cost of : Tk 40,00,000.00.
B)	Amount of : 80,000.00.
C)	Price of tender : Tk 750.00 (non-refundable) document per set
D)	Time limit for : 10 (ten) months.
E)	Last date & time : 14-05-98 (during office hours).
F)	Date & time of : 18-05-98 (up to 1-00 PM).
G)	Date & time of : 18-05-98 (at 2-00 PM).
H)	Offices where : Head Office of this Department Respective Zones, all zones under the Circle that includes the respective Zones office of the respective Divisional Commissioner & office of the Assistant Engineer of respective district.

I) List of selected educational institutions & other information can be availed from the head office of Facilities Department, Office of the respective Executive Engineer & respective Assistant Engineer.

J) Earnest money should be submitted with each tender in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft from any scheduled bank in favour of "Executive Engineer," Facilities Department (respective Zone).

1. Permission to purchase tender document should be obtained from the proper authority on production of original copy of the undermentioned papers and attested photocopy of the said papers should be submitted with the tender document at the time of submitting tender document:

- Up-to-date licence renewal certificate.
  - Up-to-date Income Tax clearance certificate.
  - VAT registration certificate.
  - Satisfactory work completion certificate from Executive Engineer with copy of work order of past year at this Department.
2. In case the work is cancelled or any change occurred under any circumstance, the contractor can not claim any kind of financial benefit.
3. Bill will be paid subject to receipt of allotment. The contractor shall be bound to complete the work within the prescribed time.
4. Tender of the participating contractor/contractors firm will be treated as cancelled outright if any wrong information is furnished while filling in the "Eligibility Evaluation Form".
5. Income Tax & VAT will be deducted against bill as per govt rules.
6. Tender will be treated as cancelled outright if the rate quoted is more than 5% below the estimated cost.

The authority reserves the right to accept/reject any/all tenders without assigning any reason.

Md Idris Ali  
Executive Engineer for, Chief Engineer  
Facilities Department  
DFP-8749-22/4  
G-988

## Dhaka WASA Tender Notice



পানির অপচয় বন্ধ করুন।।  
ম্যানহোলের ঢাকনা চুরি রোধ করুন

Tenders are invited from Dhaka WASA enlisted 1st, 2nd and 3rd class mechanical and electrical contractors for manufacturing of essential goods to be used in 1.5 cusec turbine pump including repair of 50 nos 7" dia column pipe at an allotted cost of Tk 2,45,107/-. Tenders will be received up to 12.00 Noon of 18-5-98 and will be opened on the same day at 2.00 PM in presence of the tenderers or their representatives (if any).

Schedule of tender will be available at the office of the Chief Accounts Officer of Dhaka WASA, WASA Bhaban, 98, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka and all MODS Zone offices of Dhaka WASA. Other details will be available at the office of the undersigned.

Ajit Kumar Roy  
Executive Engineer  
FM Division, Dhaka  
WASA  
Address: Hatkhola Road, Dhaka  
WASA-PI-123/98  
DFP-9310-28/4  
G-987

## Dhaka WASA Tender Notice



পানির অপচয় বন্ধ করুন।।  
ম্যানহোলের ঢাকনা চুরি রোধ করুন

Tenders are invited from Dhaka WASA's pre-qualified category 'B-1 & B-2' contractors for construction of diversion line of the damaged brick sewer behind BDR Lake at an allotted cost of Tk 2,32,724/- under ADB aided Dhaka Integrated Flood Protection Project. Tenders will be received up to 12.00 Noon of 18.05.98 and will be opened on the same day at 2.00 PM before the tenderers or their representatives (if any) present.

Schedule of tender will be available at the office of the Chief Accounts Officer of Dhaka WASA, WASA Bhaban, 98, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka and all MODS Zone Offices of Dhaka WASA. Other details will be available at the office of the undersigned.

Mir Motiar Rahman  
Executive Engineer (In-charge)  
Drainage Division-3  
Dhaka WASA  
Address: Segunbagicha, Dhaka  
WASA-PI-129/98  
DFP-9718-4/5  
G-985

## Dhaka WASA Tender Notice



পানির অপচয় বন্ধ করুন।। ম্যানহোলের ঢাকনা চুরি রোধ করুন

Tenders are invited from Dhaka WASA enlisted ABC licence holder 1st class Mechanical & Electrical contractors and ABC licence holder and 200 Amp. main switch, cut-out manufacturing firms for manufacturing and installation of LT Panel Board for 20 water pump stations at an allotted cost of Tk 2,18,902.62. Tenders will be received up to 12.00 Noon of 18-5-98 and will be opened on the same day at 2.00 PM before the tenderers or their representatives (if any) present.

Schedule of tender will be available at the office of the Chief Accounts Officer of Dhaka WASA, WASA Bhaban, 98, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka and all MODS Zone Offices of Dhaka WASA. Other details will be available at the office of the undersigned.

Ajit Kumar Roy  
Executive Engineer,  
FM Division,  
Dhaka WASA.  
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WASA-PI-118/98  
DFP-8767-22/4  
G-986

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer, R&H

Narayanganj Road Division, Simrail, Narayanganj

### R&H Tender Invitation Notice

1.	Tender Notice No.	: No. 320/Narayanganj Road Division year 1997-98.
2.	Name of work	: Construction of flexible pucca road at different kms of Devgram-Volta-Nayapur Bazar-Madanganj Road under Narayanganj Road Sub-Division during 1997-98 financial year.
3.	Estimated cost	: As per attached group list.
4.	Earnest money	: As per attached group list, through any schedule bank's Bank Draft/Treasury Challan/Pratirakha Sanchayapatra/ 5-year Bangladesh Sanchayapatra/Bonus Sanchayapatra in favour of the undersigned.
5.	Time allowed for work	: As per attached group list.
6.	Eligibility of contractor	: As per attached group list.
7.	Offices where tender to be had at	: Divisional Commissioner, Dhaka Division/Executive Engineer (R&H), Road Division, Dhaka/Manikganj/Munshiganj/Gazipur/Narsingdi/Narayanganj/Planning & Design Division, Dhaka Zone, Sarak Bhaban, Dhaka/Planning Division (Road & Bridge), Sarak Bhaban, Dhaka & Sub-Divisional Engineer (R&H), Bitikandi/Narayanganj Road Sub-Division.
8.	Offices to receive tender	: Divisional Commissioner, Dhaka Division/Superintending Engineer (R&H), Dhaka Road Circle, Dhaka/Planning, Monitoring & Evaluation Circle, Dhaka Zone, Sarak Bhaban, Dhaka/Narayanganj Road Division, Shimrail, Narayanganj.
9.	Last date & time of selling tender	: 18.5.98 up to office hours.
10.	Date & time of receiving tender	: 19.5.98 up to 12:30 PM.
11.	Date & time of opening tender	: 25.5.98 at 1:00 PM, Executive Engineer (R&H), Narayanganj Road Division.
12.	Date & time of lottery	: 27.5.98 at 1:00 PM.
13.	Head of account	: 266 Development.
14.	Estimate approving officer	: Additional Chief Engineer (R&H), Dhaka Zone, Dhaka.
15.	Price of tender	: 1,500/- per set (non-refundable).

If may be noted that the tender is invited subject to approval of the estimate of the said work by the appropriate authority and the approved rate & estimated cost shall be treated as final.

### Group List

Description of Tender Notice No. 320/NRD/ year 1997-98 under Narayanganj Road Division during 1997-98, divided in 5 (five) groups.

Group No.	Name of work	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Time limit	Eligibility of contractor
1 (one)	Construction of flexible pucca road at 5th (part) & 6th (part) km of Devgram-Volta-Nayapur Bazar-Madanganj Road under Narayanganj Road Division during 1997-98 financial year.	Tk 53,94,802/-	Tk 1,07,976/-	75 (seventy-five) days	'A' to 'C' general class
2 (two)	Construction of flexible pucca road at 6th (part) km of Devgram-Volta-Nayapur Bazar-Madanganj Road under Narayanganj Road Division during 1997-98 financial year.	Tk 54,19,802/-	Tk 1,08,396/-	75 (seventy-five) days	'A' to 'C' general class
3 (three)	Construction of flexible pucca road at 6th (part) & 7th (part) km of Devgram-Volta-Nayapur Bazar-Madanganj Road under Narayanganj Road Division during 1997-98 financial year.	Tk 54,34,771/-	Tk 1,08,695/-	75 (seventy-five) days	'A' to 'C' general class
4 (four)	Construction of flexible pucca road at 7th (part) km of Devgram-Volta-Nayapur Bazar-Madanganj Road under Narayanganj Road Division during 1997-98 financial year.	Tk 54,94,767/-	Tk 1,09,896/-	75 (seventy-five) days	'A' to 'C' general class
5 (five)	Construction of flexible pucca road at 7th (part) & 8th (part) km of Devgram-Volta-Nayapur Bazar-Madanganj Road under Narayanganj Road Division during 1997-98 financial year.	Tk 54,20,419/-	Tk 1,08,408/-	75 (seventy-five) days	'A' to 'C' general class

Shahabuddin  
Executive Engineer (R&H)  
Narayanganj Road Division  
DFP-9412-29/4  
G-983

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer, Road Division, Noakhali

### R&H Tender Invitation Notice

Sealed tenders are invited through Bangladesh Form No 2911.

1.	Tender Notice No	: E/N/123 of 1997-98.
2.	Name of work	: As per the following chart.
3.	Name of offices where tender to be had at	: Executive Engineer (R&H), Road Division, Noakhali/Lakhipur/Feni/Planning & Design Division, Comilla/Planning (Road & Bridge) Division, Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka and all Sub-Divisional Engineers' offices under Noakhali Road Division.
4.	Name of offices to receive the tender	: Additional Chief Engineer (R&H), Comilla Zone, Comilla/Superintending Engineer (R&H), Road Circle Noakhali/Monitoring & Evaluation Circle, Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka & Executive Engineer (R&H), Road Division, Noakhali.
5.	Last date & time of selling tender	: 18-05-98 during office hours.
6.	Last date & time of receiving tender	: 19-05-98 up to 12-30 minutes.
7.	Date & time of opening tenders by Executive Engineer (R&H), Road Division, Noakhali	: 24-05-98 at 12-45 minutes.
8.	Detailed description of work	:

Tender Notice No	Group No	Name of work & location	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Time for completion of work from the date of work order	Eligibility of contractor
E/N/130 of 1997-98		Work of seal coat in 2 (two) groups at different kilometres of different roads under Noakhali Road Division during 1997-98.				R&H enlisted general class contractors
	1 (one)	-do- -do- at 1st & 2nd KM (part) of Sonaimuri-Senbag-Chandrerhat Road (Kallyandi-Chandrerhat portion)-do-	Tk 6,90,924/-	Tk 13,818/-	30 (thirty) days	-do- do- A E
	2 (two)	-do- -do- 3rd (part) & 4th (part) KM of Senbag Thana Link Road.	Tk 6,48,899/-	Tk 12,978/-	30 (thirty) days	-do- do- A to E

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Road Division, Noakhali.  
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