

BSD protests water, power crises

By Staff Correspondent
Bangladesher Samajtantrik Dal (BSD) yesterday brought out a procession protesting the acute water and power crises in the city.
They also held a rally at Hatirpul Bazar and demanded immediate solution to the crisis.
BSD leader Bazlur Rashid Feroz and Abdul Mannan addressed the rally.

Art exhibition of Dutch artist begins tomorrow

Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, in cooperation with the Royal Netherlands Embassy has organised an art exhibition of contemporary Dutch artist Marion Bloem titled 'Certainty of People', says a press release.
The exhibition will begin tomorrow at the Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy. It will be open from 11:00 am to 7:00 pm till April 29th.

Fight for control of DU Mohsin Hall not yet over

By DU Correspondent
Working out strategies to regain the control over the students dormitory. As part of it, they managed to a statement by more than a hundred general students residing in the Mohsin Hall against various misdeeds of those who have taken over recently.
Some known supporters of the recently arrested group made copies of the statement, along with the list of signatories, available to the Dhaka University Journalists' Association (DUJA) office yesterday afternoon.
However, a Daily Star investigation reveals that a number of students who are said to have signed the statement are not even aware of such a move.
The students, however, admit that many of the allegations mentioned in the statement are true. The allegations against the Shafiqur Rahman led group include giving shelter to outside terrorists and compelling politically innocent students to keep illegal arms in their rooms.
The statement was signed by one M Islam whose designation or identity was not mentioned.

The Shafiqur Rahman led group, which had previously regained the hall between 1993 and 1997 has now begun disturbing the students, according to allegations received from a number of the residents.
Meanwhile, the supporters of the arrested group seem busy

NATO air-strikes on Yugoslavia condemned

Speaker's at a roundtable yesterday condemned the unilateral NATO air-strikes on Yugoslavia and called for peaceful resolution of the imbroglio under UN system, reports APB.
Held at the Russian Cultural Centre, the dialogue on 'the situation in Yugoslavia and perspectives of establishing peace' slated the imposition of a war by ignoring the world body's move.
The speakers said a congenial atmosphere should be created for the return of the refugees of Kosovo to their homeland.
Speaking on the occasion, General Secretary of Workers Party Rashed Khan Menon said NATO can in no way attack a sovereign territory under international law.
Organised by the Bangladesh Peace Council, the roundtable was presided over by its General Secretary Ali Akasad.
It was addressed, among others, by Bangladesh Communist Kendra leader Ajay Roy, renowned film director Abdus Samad, Awami League leader Mustafa Sarwar, Counsellor-Minister of the Embassy of Russian Federation Gennadi Trotsenko, AL working committee member Monam Sarker, international affairs adviser to the Leader of the Opposition Rezaul Karim and Gono Forum secretary General Saifuddin Ahmed Manik.

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