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BCL rallies in dists
 Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) yesterday held rallies in thirteen districts as part of its programme to hold rallies across the country to protest against the conspiracy of the opposition parties to destroy democratic stability, reports BSS.
 It said BCL is organising the rallies to protest against the unholy alliance forged to destroy the on-going development process and protect the killers of Father of the Nation.
 The rallies were held in Netrokona, Sherpur, Faridpur, Chittagong (North), Comilla (North), Laxmipur and Pabna.



Dr Syed Anwar Hossain, Director General of Bangla Academy, presenting a copy of the Bengali version of a book titled 'Peace is Possible' to Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina at her office yesterday. — PID photo

Bangla Academy presents book to Hasina

Bangla Academy yesterday presented a copy of the Bengali version of the book 'Peace is Possible' to Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina, reports BSS.
 Director General of the Academy Professor Syed Anwar Hussain handed over the book titled 'Shanti Shamujjal' to the Prime Minister at her office.
 The book contains an article of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina. Other contributors included world renowned persons like Nelson Mandela, Dalai Lama, Gorbachev, Jody Williams and Frederik S Heffermehl.
 International Peace Bureau published the original English version of the book from Norway marking the forthcoming The Hague Peace Conference.
 The book, translated into Bengali first, would appear in different languages in different countries of the world.
 It demonstrates firm commitments of the writers to the cause of peace.
 Principal Secretary to the Prime Minister Dr S A Samad and editors of the Bengali version Selina Hussain and Sukumar Biswas were also present.

Justice Naimuddin reappointed Law Commission member
 Justice Naimuddin Ahmed, a retired judge of the High Court, has been reappointed a member of the Law Commission for three years with effect from May 25, said an official announcement yesterday, reports UNB.

What's on today . . .

Theatre: A theatre titled 'Home Alone' will be staged by Nattyacharya, Dhaka. Dramatist: Junaid Yusuf. Director — Debprashad Debmath. Time: 6:30 pm. Venue: German Cultural Centre at House No 10, Road No: 9 (New), Dhanmondi Residential Area. It will also be staged tomorrow.
Memorial meeting: A memorial meeting on noted musician, film-maker and a cultural personality Sattya Saha will be held. Venue: Indian High Commission auditorium, Road No 2, Dhanmondi. Time: 6 pm. The meeting will be followed by a film directed by Sattya Saha 'Ram Rahim John'.
Workshop: A two-day workshop on Role of Community Clinics in the health sector organised by Thana Functional Improvement Pilot Project will begin. Venue: BRAC auditorium, BRAC Centre Mahakhali. Time: 9 am.
Special exhibition: A ten-day special exhibition on the life and works of noted art critic, dramatist and cultural personality Sayeed Ahmed will begin. Venue: Gallery Bhaban of the Shilpakala Academy. Time: 5 pm. Poet Shamsur Rahman will inaugurate the exhibition. Noted artist Murtoza Bashir and noted actor Aly Zaker will take part in the discussion. National Professor Kabir Chowdhury will preside. The exhibition will remain open till May 19 from 11 am to 7 pm (On Friday from 3 pm to 7 pm).

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Human Resource Management	2-Day	18th June	Tk.3,000	17th June
ISO 9000 Certification Project	3-Day	21st June	Tk.3,500	20th June
Beef Fattening & Dairy Farming	6-Day	24th June	Tk.3,000	23rd June



First woman Lions District Governor

In Sultana Shahida Islam, M.J.F has been elected District Governor, District 315A-1 Bangladesh, at the fourth annual convention '99 of the Lions District 315A-1 at Hotel Sonargaon. She is the first woman Lion Member elected District Governor. Last year, she was elected Vice District Governor in a huge margin, says a press release.
 She represented the Lions in various conference at home and abroad. She will represent the International Lions Convention to be held in June at Santiago, USA.
 In Sultana Shahida Islam is the Managing Director of SS Builders & Developers Ltd. and wife of well-known industrialist and Rotarian Saiful Islam. She is also a sponsor member of the Lions Club of Dhaka Oriental.

'Mass leave' programme postponed

By Staff Correspondent
 The Biddut Utpadan Karmakarta Samity has postponed its 'mass leave' programme on May 10, 11, and 12 after fruitful discussion with State Minister for Power, Energy and Mineral Resources Prof Rafiqul Islam on Saturday night, said a press release by the samity last night.
 The minister has assured the samity leaders that their demands would be implemented gradually in the future, the samity said in its press release.
 President of the samity Abdul Mazid, vice-president Mohammad Hossen, General Secretary Monjurul Alam, Joint Secretary Fazlul Haque and other senior members of the samity were present during the discussion with the minister at latter's office.
 The 'mass leave' programme was declared after the talks with the authority of Power Development Board failed last week. As per the decision of the samity to continue their movement, a large number of employees at different power plants prepared themselves to resign en masse.
 During the talks with the minister on Saturday night the leaders of the samity discussed about misappropriation of crores of Taka in the name of system loss, realisation of overdue bills, setting up power plants in private sector, handing over the running power plants to private owners and increasing the salaries of employees in power development board.
 All sides agreed during the discussion that the power generation would increase if the working condition is improved, the press release said.

MBA, BBA (Hons) exams of CU from July

CHITTAGONG, May 9: The MBA examination of 1997 under Chittagong University (CU) will begin from July 21 while the third year BBA honours examination of 1997 will begin from July 7, reports BSS.

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 2. Name of work : Repairing & reconstruction of surface drain & manhole cover for the pit of Surja Sen Hall, DU.
 3. Estimated cost : Tk 60,000/-
 4. Earnest money : Tk 1200/- in the form of Bank Draft or Pay Order from any scheduled Bank of Bangladesh.
 5. Time allowed for 21 (twenty-one) days from the date of issue of work order.
 Tender forms, schedule of items for the work, special terms and conditions may also had from the office of the undersigned on all working days except on the date fixed for submitting the tender on payment of Tk 45/- (non-refundable) to the Janata Bank, TSC Branch, DU area after showing the necessary enlistment papers endorsed by the undersigned. Contractors should write the name of the works and their firm's name on the envelope clearly.
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 No 9/98-99, Dated: 09-05-99

Sealed tenders are hereby invited in Jahangirnagar University Form No 56 along with special condition of contract for "construction of Ground Floor (part) of Arts and Humanities Faculty Building" at Jahangirnagar University, Savar, Dhaka at an estimated cost of about Tk 272.74 lac from the enlisted 1st class contractors of Govt, Semi-Govt and Autonomous Bodies having experience in constructing similar nature of building work amounting to Tk 200.00 lac in a single work order during last three years time period.

Time allowed for completion of the work is 365 days.
 Earnest Money amounting to Tk 5.00 lac (Five lac) in favour of Jahangirnagar University, Savar, Dhaka should accompany the tender in the Form of Bank Draft/Pay Order from any scheduled bank in Bangladesh.

Intending tenderers shall apply in writing to the undersigned through the Consultant M/s Shaheedullah and Associates Ltd, 137, Jahanara Garden, Green Road, Dhaka-1205 at least 2 days earlier of purchase of tender documents showing the following original documentary evidences and submitting photo copies in support of their competence and experience. Tender documents will be sold only to the parties whose credentials will be considered satisfactory to the Consultant and University. The tender will be liable to be rejected and earnest money may be forfeited if any documents found false.

- Photocopy of enlistment certificate, renewed up-to-date.
- Organisation set up of the firm alongwith the names, bio-data, photocopy of last educational certificate, photography and declaration of the employees regarding their employment in the organisation of full time technical personnel to be employed for the work.
- List of works completed in last 3 years whose value is more than Tk 200.00 lac alongwith the photocopy of satisfactory completion certificate from the authority, not below the rank of Executive Engineer.
- List of works in hand whose value is more than Tk 200.00 lac alongwith the photocopy of Work Order.
- "A" class contractor's and supervisory licence from Electric Licensing Board renewed up-to-date. Alternatively the party may engage separate electrical firm for doing the electrical works and in that case the experience of the firm together with their contractors' and supervisory licenses (renewed up-to-date) shall be submitted. Further, a declaration from the tenderer about engagement of the electric contractor together with the consent letter of electrical contractor shall be submitted.
- Up-to-date Income Tax Clearance Certificate with TIN Number, VAT Registration Certificate and Trade Licence renewed up-to-date.
- Bank Solvency Certificate alongwith last 1 (one) year's 1997-98 transaction record.
- List of contractor's equipment authenticated by any officer not below the rank of Executive Engineer.

Photocopies of any documents/certificates shall only be accepted if those are attested by any Gazetted Officer".

Tender documents will be available from the Agrani Bank, Jahangirnagar University Branch, Savar, Dhaka, Agrani Bank, New Market Branch, Dhaka at a cost of Tk 2,000.00 (non-refundable) on all working days during bank transaction hours with prior permission from the undersigned from 16-5-99 to 20-5-99.

Tenders shall be received in the office of the undersigned, Treasurer, JU Director (P&D), JU, and also in the office of the Consultant M/s Shaheedullah and Associates Ltd at 137, Jahanara Garden, Green Road, Dhaka up to 12.00 Noon on 23-5-99 and will be opened immediately thereafter at the places of dropping in presence of the tenderers, if any. If the University offices is closed on the above date the Tender will be received on the next opening day at the same time at the above offices.

Intending tenderers may see the drawing, design etc. or may purchase the set of drawings on payment of requisite price from the office of the Consultant M/s Shaheedullah and Associates Ltd, 137, Jahanara Garden, Green Road, Dhaka.

The University Authority reserves the right to accept any tender a part or whole or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason thereof.

Superintending Engineer
 Jahangirnagar University,
 Savar, Dhaka.

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