

Blood donation

Lions Club of Dhaka Ramna will hold a voluntary blood donation programme in memory of Lt Obaidul Haq Babul, former club president, at the City Club at Pallabi in Mirpur from 9.00 am to 12.30 pm today, says a press release.

Tofail Ahmed, Minister for Commerce and Industries will be present on the occasion as the chief guest, the release added.

The blood donation programme in observance of the Lion's Service Week '99.

Twenty community clinics to be built in Bandarban

BANDARBAN, Oct 8: Twenty community clinics will be constructed at a cost of Taka seventy lakh in seven thanas of Bandarban hill district during the current and next financial years.

Civil surgeon of Bandarban told BSS that LGED would start construction of the clinics in November. Construction works of 20 community clinics will be completed by next financial year when over two lakh people would be benefited from them.



The Dhaka Metropolitan unit of Bangladesh Nationalist Party (BNP) brought out a procession in the city protesting the killing of activist Biddyt Talukdar in Sherpur and 'police action' on its activist across the country. —Star photo

Zillur to attend confce in China

LGRD and Cooperatives Minister Zillur Rahman will leave Dhaka for China today to attend a conference of the cooperatives ministers of Asia-Pacific region, reports BSS.

PM to launch 67,000 lines telephone project in Dec

Home, Post and Telecommunications Minister Mohammad Nasim said Thursday that Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina would launch a 67,000-line telephone installation project in December next, reports BSS.

"We have taken initiative to implement the project to give 67,000 telephone lines which was abandoned due to inefficiency, incapability and indecision of the past government during its tenure of five years," the minister told the National Council '99 of T&T Sramik Karmachari Federal Union yesterday.

The minister underlined the need for increasing the quality of T&T services and said "There is no scope of running the T&T with the mercy and favour of others."

He said the T&T has to survive competing with the private sector by enhancing the quality of services.

Awami League presidium member Amir Hossain Anu attended the meeting as the chief guest.

Anu said the officials and employees of the T&T had to work jointly to increase the quality of service of T&T.

Criticising the opposition for talking against the peace prize Anu said "They are in fact talking against those who gave the prize to the Prime Minister not against the Awami League."

A 30-member new executive committee of the union was announced with Mostafiz Jamal Uddin as its president and Mahbulul Islam as secretary general.

Sramik League president Abdus Salam Khan, general secretary Ahsanullah Master MP, joint secretary of AL Mozaffar Hossain Paltu and other union leaders attended council which was presided over by Saber Ahmed.

CU Syndicate, Academic Council members elected

CHITTAGONG, Oct 8: Dr. Sultan Ahmed, Provost of Shahajalal Hall was elected the Syndicate member of the University of Chittagong unopposed from the Provost Category for the next two years, reports BSS.

According to a CU press release, Mohammad Jahirul Haq Mazumdar, lecturer of the Physics Department was also elected Syndicate member unopposed. Mohammad Mohsin, lecturer of the Marine Science Institute and Lima Haq, lecturer of the Sociology Department were elected members of the Academic Council of the Chittagong University unopposed for the next two years term.

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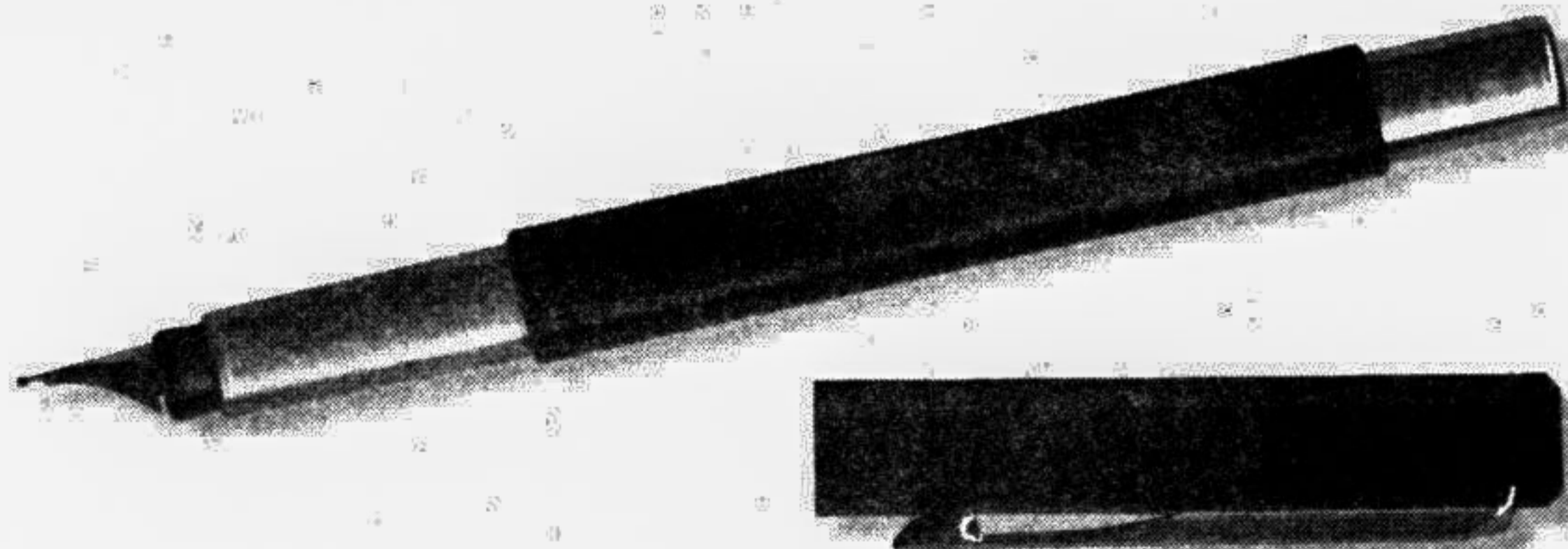
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