

What's on today

Seminar: People's University of Bangladesh (PUB) will hold a seminar on 'Physiotherapy as a profession in Bangladesh'...

Film show: Swaborn will screen 5 movies on the second day of its Millennium Films show...

and tomorrow

National workshop: USC Canada-Bangladesh in association with Adolescent Development Forum-Bangladesh...

Film show: Swaborn will screen 4 movies on the third day of its Millennium Films show...

Weather

Table with columns: City/Town, Temperature in Celsius, Humidity in percentage, Max, Min, Morning, Evening.

HERE and THERE

BCSIR: The week-long second workshop on Tissue Culture of Economic Plants conducted at BCSIR...

Hepatitis-B vaccination at DU hall: 'Badhan', a Dhaka University-based welfare organisation...

Qulkhwani of Hasan Saeed held: A cultural programme was also held on the occasion...

PM pays tribute to Comrade Farhad

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina yesterday paid tributes to Comrade Mohammad Farhad saying that the late leader sacrificed his whole life for socio-economic emancipation...

World Postal Day today

The World Postal Day will be observed in Bangladesh today as elsewhere in the world, reports UNB.

Schroeder says Nazi slave compensation offer 'decent'

BERLIN, Oct 8: Chancellor Gerhard Schroeder today described an offer of compensation for Nazi-era slave labourers in German industry as "decent" and worthy of consideration...

GSS schools' rally today

By DU Correspondent: Children of Gano Sahajay Sangstha (GSS) operated schools will hold a rally today in protest against alleged non-approval of four phase projects of the GSS by the NGO Bureau...

One killed in accident in Gazipur

GAZIPUR, Oct 8: A cattle-laden truck fell into a roadside ditch at Kodda in the sadar thana on Dhaka-Tangail highway killing a trader today, reports UNB.

Khaleda condoles death of Krishak Dal leader

By Staff Correspondent: BNP Chairperson and Leader of the Opposition in Parliament Begum Khaleda Zia has expressed her deep shock at the death of M Aminul Haq, the finance secretary of Jatayatnadi Krishak Dal (JKD) Central Committee...



Artist of Chhayantun performing dance at a function in observance of the sharat usav at the Bakul Tala of the Institute of Fine Arts of Dhaka University yesterday.

Speakers at discussion on Farhad No alternative to third political force

Speakers at a discussion yesterday urged all progressive political forces to build up strong resistance against fundamentalist Jamaat-e-Islami and its allies to uphold the spirit of the country's War of Liberation...

World Lions Service Day observed

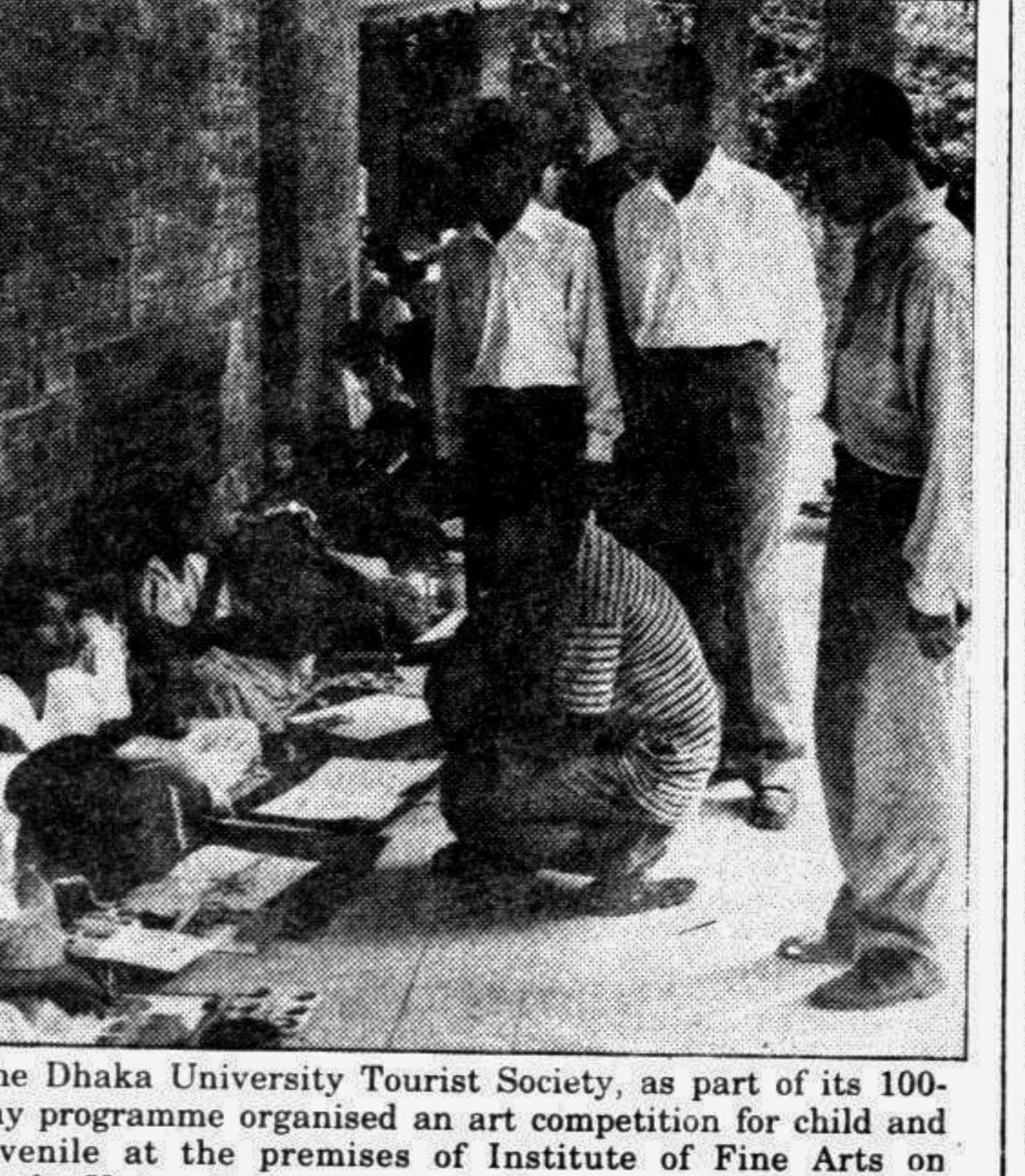
The Lion District 315-A1, Bangladesh accorded a reception to meritorious students and recipients of Lions week-long service reporting as part of the World Lions Service Day programme yesterday, reports BSS.

Govt to extend assistance to leather sector, says Tofail

Commerce and Industry Minister Tofail Ahmed yesterday said the government would extend all possible assistance to entrepreneurs for exploiting the prospects of leather industry, reports BSS.

'Govt gives topmost importance to modernise postal department'

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina yesterday said the government has given top most importance for modernising and improving the postal department, reports BSS.



The Dhaka University Tourist Society, as part of its 100-day programme organised an art competition for child and juvenile at the premises of Institute of Fine Arts on Dhaka University campus yesterday.

Habibie says Golkar unlikely to review his candidacy

JAKARTA, Oct 8: Indonesian President B.J. Habibie today said he believed it was highly unlikely the ruling Golkar Party would review his presidential candidacy during its congress next week, reports AFP.

Immoral act Police official arrested at Faridpur

FARIDPUR, Oct 8: An ASI of Kotwali thana was arrested and suspended on charge of committing immoral act today (Friday).

AL: No talks

From page 1: The party ticket for the upcoming by-poll, a counter lobby strongly opposed it and demanded that Tiju Panni, a former Jatiya Party lawmaker, be awarded the AL nomination.

Vienna

From page 1: Agency (IAEA) are headquartered in Vienna. The headquarters of the Inter-governmental Agency on Narcotics and Drugs is also in Vienna.

Tigers save wickets

From page 1: hander was on only 18. After being granted a new life, Hinds went on to score a power-packed 40 off 46 balls that included six fours and a huge sixer.

India insists on own timetable for signing CTBT

NEW DELHI, Oct 8: India refused to be pressured by international appeals Friday to sign the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty (CTBT), reports AFP.

Economic emancipation must for upholding own identity: Nasim

Home Minister Mohammad Nasim yesterday stressing the need for adoption of liberal and pragmatic policy in the country said economic emancipation is a must for upholding one's own identity before the world community, reports BSS.

UNSC maintains Iraq-Kuwait mission

UNITED NATIONS, Oct 8: The UN Security Council has agreed to maintain its Observation Mission (UNIKOM) on the border between Iraq and Kuwait at least until April, it was announced today, reports AFP.

Pinochet lawyers to appeal against extradition

LONDON, Oct 8: Lawyers for former Chilean dictator Augusto Pinochet are to appeal after a London court ruled he could be extradited to Spain to face torture charges...