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NSU convocation tomorrow

The 3rd Convocation of North South University (NSU) will be held tomorrow, reports BSS.

A total of one hundred students will be conferred degrees this year at a ceremony to be held at Osmani Memorial Hall in the city.

Pro Vice Chancellor Professor Hafiz G A Siddiqui will confer degrees on the students as nominated by the NSU Chancellor and President of Bangladesh, Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed.

Dr G Warren Smith, President of Slippery Rock University, Pennsylvania, USA, will be the chief guest and convocation speaker for this year.

The US Ambassador to Bangladesh John C Holzman will be the guest of honour while M A Kashem, chairman of NSU Foundation will address the graduating students.

Shehrina Tabassum, the Valedictorian, will speak on behalf of the graduating Class of 1999.



Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina leading procession towards the Central Shaheed Minar in celebration of the UNESCO Declaration of February 21 as the International Mother Language Day yesterday. —Star photo

Recognition to language martyrs Jubilations all around

By DU Correspondent

Dhaka University campus wore a festive look yesterday as the nation celebrated international recognition of its language martyrs across the country through different programmes.

Hundreds of students thronged the campus from early morning and celebrated the whole day dancing and singing amidst drum beats.

Wearing traditional dresses — *parjabin* and *saree* — the emotion charged youths were ecstatic over the world recognition to *Amar Ekushey* and our language heroes.

Suspension of classes till 10 am for the jubilations made the youths overjoyous on the campus.

A grand colourful procession led by DU Vice-Chancellor Prof A K Azad Chowdhury, was brought out from the Aparajeyo Bangla at about 8 am which paraded to the main celebration point at Paltan Maidan (ground).

Teachers, students, officers and employees of the University with banners, placards and festoons in their hands gathered at the Aparajeyo Bangla from early morning to participate the procession.

Members of the DU family also placed wreaths at the Central Shaheed Minar to pay their tributes to the martyrs of the Language Movement in 1952. DU also organised a cultural programme at the Central Shaheed Minar where artists rendered patriotic and folk songs highlighting the day.

Students divided in various groups were seen discussing about the world recognition of our language martyrs and singing patriotic songs. Many

jubilant youths were seen taking special dishes terming the day as special one for the nation.

UNESCO has declared the day as 'International Mother Language Day' recognising Bangladesh's long movement for establishing its mother tongue. From next year, February 21, the country's language martyrs day will be celebrated throughout the world.

With the declaration by the UNESCO on November 19 this year, all its members numbering 188 countries will observe the day to pay homage to the martyrs of language movement, who sacrificed for the cause of their mother language.

BIRDEM fails to complete tender process of shop in four months

BIRDEM authorities could not complete the tender process of a medicine shop in more than four months creating doubts among the bidders about fairness of the deal, reports UNB.

The Ibrahim Memorial Diabetic Centre (BIRDEM) floated a tender on July 25 inviting bids for its medicine shop, *Chawa Pawa*, in its Shahbagh complex. The schedules were opened on August 19, but the authorities could not select one out of 10 bidders although 30-day validity expired much earlier.

One of the bidders, who deposited a pay order of Tk 100,000 as earnest money with the schedule more than three months ago, said they are worried as BIRDEM authorities are taking so much time to decide on the tender.

BIRDEM management is reluctant to let people know about the fate of the tender. Procedures are going on as per rules... It's none of your business, the director general told UNB over telephone.

Khaleda visits injured BNP leaders

BNP chairperson Begum Khaleda Zia yesterday visited three injured BNP leaders at South Asian Hospital in the city.

The injured BNP leaders are: Sirajganj district convener Abdul Mannan Talukder, general secretary of Jatiyatabadi Tanti Dal central committee Humayun Islam Khan and former president of Sirajganj district committee Advocate Mokaddes Ali.

The BNP chairperson stayed some time with BNP leaders who had been injured by attack of rival political groups, said a press release by the BNP last night.

Khaleda Zia also enquired about their health condition and on-going treatments. The managing director of the hospital Dr Fazul Kabir apprised the BNP chairperson about the treatment of the injured.

BNP vice-president Shajahan Siraj, executive committee member Iqbal Hasan, Mahmud were present during the visit.

BNP city committee convener Sadek Hossain Khoka called upon the people to intensify the on-going movement against the government. Presiding over a meeting of joint convenors of the committee he said that the fall of the government is a matter of time.

Dhaka city unit joint convener Salahuddin Ahmed, Abdus Salam, Wazid Master were among the joint convenors who were present at the meeting, the press release said.

SPGRC token hunger strike today

Stranded Pakistanis General Repatriation Committee (SPGRC) will observe an 8 hour token hunger strike today at Osmani Uddayan in the city their protest against delay in repatriation, eviction of camps and terrorism and repression on stranded Pakistanis in camps, says a press release.

It will start at 8:00 am. It will be led by Dr Abdul Jabbar Khan, President, SPGRC. The programme is a part of the committee's observance of World Human Rights Day.

SPGRC appeals to human rights organisations both at national and international levels to come forward and help mitigate the suffering of stranded Pakistanis.

Citizens' condolence meeting on Dewan Mohammad Azraf today

DU Correspondent
A citizen condolence meeting will be held at the National Press Club auditorium at 3 pm today to remember the National Professor philosopher Dewan Mohammad Azraf.

Noted litterateur and National Professor Syed Ali Ahsan will be the chief guest at the meeting while Prof Shahed Ali will chair the function, said a press release.

Former vice-chancellor of Dhaka University Prof Emajuddin Ahmed will attend the meeting as special guest while renowned personalities of the country will address the programme.

New timing for IRC of USIS during Ramadan

The Information Resource Centre (IRC) of the United States Information Service (USIS) will follow a new time table during the month of Ramadan, says a press release.

Accordingly, the IRC will be open to users from 10 am to 4 pm Sunday through Wednesday effective from the first day of Ramadan. After Ramadan, the IRC will go back to its previous schedule.

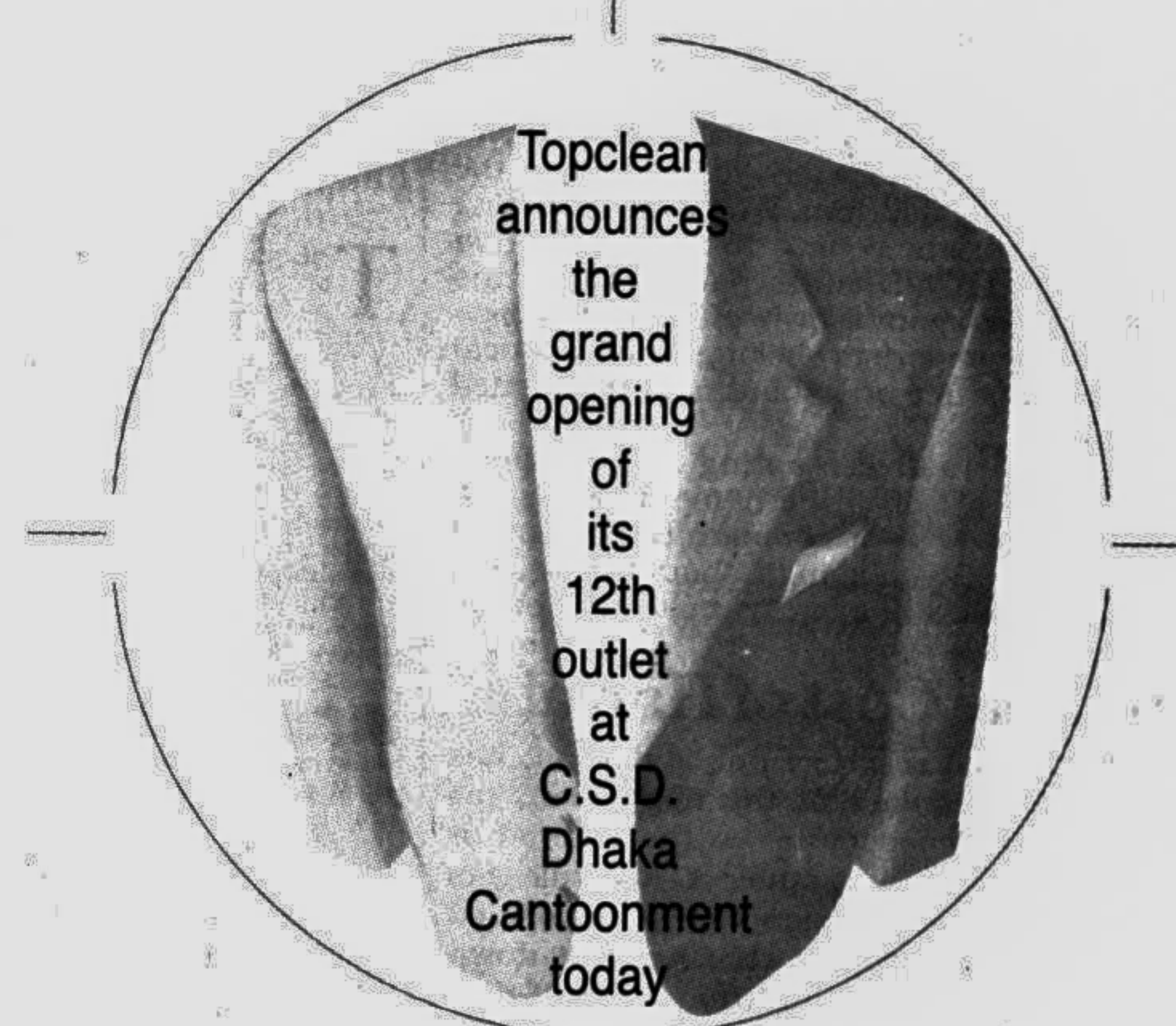
Seminar on higher education at CU tomorrow

CHITTAGONG, Dec 7: A day-long seminar on the role of autonomous and private universities in higher education of Bangladesh will be held at Chittagong University on December 9, reports BSS.

Chittagong University Teachers' Association (CUTA) is organising the seminar.

Vice Chancellor Prof Abdul Mannan and pro-vice chancellor Prof Abu Yusuf are expected to attend the seminar as the chief and the special guests respectively.

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Sealed tender quotations are invited from the interested buyers for sale of the under mentioned vehicles. The closed cover clearly marked "VEHICLE FOR SALE" on the top of the envelop shall have to be dropped by 11:00 A.M. 18th December 1999. The description of the vehicles and terms and conditions of the tender are given below :

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03	CAR TOYOTA STARLET	KHULNA-METRO-KA-02-2752	1000	1989	DO	DO	KHULNA BRANCH 107, SIR IQBAL ROAD, KHULNA
04	CAR TOYOTA COROLA	DHAKA-METRO-KA-03-7394	1300	1990	DO	DO	DILKUSHA BRANCH 13, DILKUSHA C/A DHAKA-1000.

Vehicles can be inspected any working days between 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. at respective addresses mentioned above. Interested bidders are requested to quote rates in sealed tender with an earnest money (refundable) at the rate of 5% of the quoted rate and drop it in the tender box kept at the reception lobby of our Head Office by 11:00 A.M. 18th December, 1999. The successful bidders will have to take delivery of the vehicles within 7 (seven) days after getting delivery order, otherwise the earnest money will be forfeited. The Bank reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without showing any reason whatsoever.

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