Sacrifice of '71 martyrs still Sarbahara men unsung in Narsingdi

NARSINGDI, Mar 14: Narsingdi lost a number of its intellectuals and notables during the nine-month of the Liberation War in which the people of the district put up an indomitable. resistance against the Pakistan occupation army.

Patriotism prompted the freedom-loving people of Nars-ingdi to join the War of Liberation immediately after crackdown by the Pakistan Army. They had prepared themselves for resisting the occupation forces after taking training in different parts of India. Those who stayed back in Bangladesh helped the freedom fighters in all possible ways. People of all walks of life including students, youths. Ansars, intellectuals, doctors, journalists, writers, peasants and political leaders of Narsingdi had taken up arms to build resistance against the occupation Pakistani forces when they had entered the district on April 4, 1971.

Narsingdi district got liberated from the occupation forces on December 12 after a ninemonth long bloody armed struggle, but in the process quite a good number of intellectuals and notables of the district had to sacrifice their lives. Among them were senior lecturer of Dhaka University Giasuddin Ahmed. Administrative Officer of North Bengal Sugar Mills in Rajshahi, Mohammad President of the party ward

of the tubewells in 11 southern

will lose water extraction ca-

pacity by this year due to fall of

ground water layer, experts ap-

cent tubewells in greater

Barisal and Faridpur region

were becoming inoperative and

would lose the capacity to draw

Department has taken mea-

Public Health Engineering

prehended, reports UNB.

water this year.

districts including Madaripur ity.

A survey showed that 74 per water layer of this region.

vation is going on in full swing in the district.

Station of Ukhia" of Bangladesh Television.

3/5 door. White colour will be preferred.

following working day at the time stated.

06. The jeep will have to be right-hand drive.

Petrol-fuelled, right hand drive with 4-6 cylinders,

1500-3000 cc, 4x4 wheel drive, 7-9 seated and with

a) Technical ruling of jeep:

Description of jeep:

Terms and conditions:

Shahidullah, Chairman of the committee in Sankhola village Education and Research Centre of Dhaka University, Dr Sadat Ali, Lecturer of Narsingdi College, Prof Suruj Kumar Nath Adhikari of Narsingdi College. Engineer Mohammad Fazlur Rahman, Chief Engineer of Chittagong Port Authority, Shamsuzzaman and Flight Lieutenant Matiur Rahman.

Like many other regions of the country, the Pakistani forces with active cooperation of local collaborators had left a trail of devastation in every part of the district. Members of various professional groups including service holders, businessmen and peasants along with freedom fighters had taken up arms to fight against the occupation forces. And in the process, a lot of innocent people had to die while mothers and sisters had to lose their chastity.

The Pakistani forces did havoc in different parts of Narsingdi Sadar, Raipura, Shibpur, Monohardi, Palash betrayed with them as they are and Belaboo thanas under the now facing hardship in their district, causing immense sufferings to the people.

To cite a few examples of barbaric acts of the enemy forces and their collaborators, the 'rajakars' had burnt local Awami League leader Abdul Jalil to death. Jalil was the

Tubewells becoming inoperative

wells that have lost the capac-

uous withdrawal of water from

upstream river is indirectly

leaving an impact in the ground

district are the worst affected.

He said Rajbari and Faridpur

Another report from Rang-

pur says: Public Health Engi-

neering Department (PHED)

will install 219 tubewells and

Tara pumps in the district to

Farmers plant Boro paddy saplings at village Athrokhada in Magura district. Boro culti-

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Bangladesh Television

121, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue,

Shahbagh, Dhaka-1000

Re-Tender No-04 Ukhia 02/2000

terms and conditions for purchasing 1 (one) new jeep for the project titled 'Installation of One TV Relay

01. Tk 750.00 (seven hundred and fifty only which is not refundable) will have to be deposited in

head in Bangladesh Bank through Treasury Chalan and the original copy of chalan will have to be

submitted with the quotation of rate. No rate quotation, without the copy of chalan will be acceptable.

02. Tenders will have to be submitted in the tender box kept at the office of the Project Director,

Project for Installation of 1-TV Relay Station at Ukhia, Bangladesh Television, 121, Kazi Nazrul Islam

Avenue, Shahbagh, Dhaka-1000 by 12-00 Noon on March 22/2000, and tenders will be opened the same

day at 12-15 PM in presence of the tenderers (if anyone remains present). If it is not possible to receive

and open tender on that date due to unavoidable circumstances, then it will be received and opened the

04. Price will have to be quoted with registration cost. Price of vehicle and registration expenses will

05. The jeep will have to supplied in the above mentioned address within 21 (twenty-one) days of getting the order of delivery. The cost of the vehicle will be paid from the office of the Chief Accounts Officer

07. The name of the manufacturing country and the year of manufacture will have to be mentioned

Original catalogue of the model quoted will have to be given with quotation of rate. Photocopy will not

08. Cylinder, Horse Power and cc will have to be mentioned in quotation of rate. Water, cassette,

09. The establishment which will quote rate will have to be the manufacturer/importer/assembler/

10. Supplier will have to give warranty of accurate service of all kinds of machine, spare parts for a

period of 1 (one) year from the day of delivery. If any machine or parts become inoperative during this

11. Security money at the rate of 2.50% (two point five zero per cent, which is refundable) of the

quoted rate in the forms of Bank Draft/Pay Order by name of Finance Officer, National Broadcasting

Authority (Television) will have to be given. If the tenderer fails to deliver the vehicle or withdraws the

quotation of rate, then the security money will be forfeited. Security money for the unsuccessful

12. Terms and conditions as mentioned above will have followed properly, otherwise quotation of rate

won't be considered. An undertaking regarding "shall abide by all terms and conditions of the tender" will

13. The BTV authority can accept or reject any or all quotation of rates without assigning any reason.

03. Number of seats, model number, month and year of import/assemble will have to be mentioned legibly.

have to be shown separately. Price quoted will remain valid till 30-06-2000.

standard tools, with box jack, jack handle, spare wheel etc will have to be built in.

supplier establishment and should have an established repairing workshop.

period, then it will have to be supplied and get it repaired free of cost.

(Information) through a cheque of Bangladesh Bank in local currency.

Tenders are invited from manufacturers/suppliers establishments under the undermentioned ruling and

(standardised)

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Isuzu, 6. Suzuki, 7. Landrover.

MADARIPUR, Mar 14: Most sures to reinstall 1.709 tube- ensure availability of pure

Administrative Department of in Ayubpour union under Shibpur thana. The victim's family members are now passing their days amidst utmost suffering. Miar Uddin and Abu Sadek had embraced martyrdom in a front-fight between the Pakistani forces and the freedom fighters. Their family members also now facing hard-

60-year old Kalachand, a freedom fighter of Raipura thana, expressed his dismay over his present deplorable condition. He cannot just bear the burden of acute hardship at this stage of life, Kalachand became nostalgic, recalling the memories of the days during the War of Liberation. He questioned "Will our government do anything beneficial for us?

Mother of Sabani of Sokarchar village and Khodeja of Khainekat village under Shibpur thana had lost their husbands during the War of Liberation. They themselves were also freedom fighters. But luck day to day life.

Wounded freedom fighter Zahiurul Huq of Raipura thana is still alive. Bullets ripped through various limbs of his body in a front-fight near Hatubanga Bridge under the thana. He now lives on begging. He sleeps in a shanty covered

Officials said PHED under

eas" programme would sink 146

tubewells and 73 Tara pumps in

eight thanas at a cost of Tk

21.95 lakh in the current fiscal.

install 93 deep tubewells in the

district at a cost of Tk 6.40

Over 27,500 people are ex-

pected to be benefited upon

completion of the programme.

During the period, it will re-

drinking water.

A PHED source said contin- its 'Water Supply in Rural Ar-

lakh.

to railway track. Likewise, freedom fighter Barek Mia, of Chinispur union under Narsingdi thana, is passing his days

with polythene papers adjacent

Freedom fighters Moslem Mia and Mohammad Ali of Raipura thana live by pulling rickshaws. Wounded freedom fighter Nasir Mia of Sadar thana is passing his days in utmost miseries. Similarly a number of freedom fighters and family members of many martyrs freedom fighters are facing the same fate.

Such painful scenario speak of one thing that the nation is yet to build a society congenial for the freedom fighters who shed their bloods for the independence of the country. Many families of the freedom fighters are now distressed. Those who had taken up arms and fought for the liberation of their motherland at the critical juncture of the country are often found with torn shirts and lungis or moving from doors to doors for financial support for

Freedom fighters have now been turned into mere beggars, living in utmost poverty. Ironically, many of those who had collaborated with the occupation forces during the War are now passing their days with stables condition, sound economic backing and luxury.

Man with

counterfeit

notes held

arrested a man along with 26

counterfeit notes of Tk 100

from Panchbibi thana on Sun-

day, reports UNB.

session.

JOYPURHAT, Mar 14: Police

Patrol police caught Rezaul

Karim for his suspicious

movement around the local

railway station and recovered

the forged notes from his pos-

Rezaul, believed to be a

- BSS Feature

active again

From Staff Correspondent

Four get life term

in Naogaon

NAOGAON, Mar 14: A court Abedin found Bhanu Basak

BARISAL, Mar 14: Members the region surrendered to poof outlawed Sarbahara Party lice. Most of them virtually are active again in different ar- went to hibernation during the eas of Barisal division.

They have started collecting fund through robbery and extortion, creating panic among

Besides, several clashes between the Sarbahara Party activists in different places have occurred during the last three months.

According to local people, the outlaws generally become active in harvesting periods in villages. They also become active during local body elections.

Mainly two factions, Kamrul group and Zia group, often clash in different areas in Babuganj, Gournadi, Muladi and Ujirpur of thanas of Barisal district.

The outlaws are also active in Galachipa and Dashmina thanas of Patuakhali district, Swarupkathi and Nazirpur thanas of Pirojpur district, Kalkini thana of Madaripur district and many other places in Faridpur district.

small number of outlaws from eyes.

here has sentenced four people

to life term rigorous imprison-

ment in sensational Abul mur-

victs - Nazrul Islam, Jamaila,

Meser Ali and Taleb — will also

have to pay Tk 10,000 each as

fine, in default, to suffer one

the accused called Abul Hossain

out of his house at village Ban-

gra in Manda thana on July 21,

Another from Kurigram

The case history in brief: A

squad from Narcotics Control

Department raided the house of

Sri Bhanu Basak of Bhunga-

mari on Nov 11, 1997 and ar-

and witnesses. Assistant Ses-

rested him along with 39 bottles

After examining the records

According to prosecution,

Court sources said the con-

der case, reports UNB.

year more RI.

period. About 150 activists of Sar bahara Party from the region surrendered and most of them belonged to Kamrul group.

BSS from Shariatpur says: Police on Tuesday recovered bodies of three suspected members of Sarbohara Party from Dhamudya and Naria thanas. Dhamudya thana police re-

covered two bodies from an abandoned house at Basalia village in the afternoon. Quoting local people, police said that members of rival

groups of Sarbohara party might have committed the killings. Naria thana police recovered one body from Dinara village in

the morning. The victim was identified as Babul, 26. He was suspected to be a member of the outlawed Sarbohara party.

Earlier, on February 16, villagers being fed up with the Last year the government atrocities of the members of declared general amnesty for Sarbohara party rounded off outlaws and terrorists. But six members and gauged their

guilty of drug smuggling and

The court also fined him Tk

12,000, in default, to suffer two

Another report from Gopal-

ganj says: One Abdul Latif Hao-

lader, 40, and Abdul Quddus,

30, have been sentenced to 10

years in jail in an arms and

Dacoity at Rupali

Bank branch in

Bhola: Tk 1.54 lakh

looted

bandits broke into the Doury

branch of Rupali Bank in Lal

mohan thana of Bhola district

and looted Tk 1.54 lakh on Sat

bers entered into the bank

branch breaking its door open

and looted the cash from its

ble barrel gun, as there was no

guard during the time of da-

bank's Barisal regional office

Social Welfare

Deptt instructor

sued

technical instructor of Social

Welfare Department in Durga-

pur thana has been sued for his

alleged corruption, reports

with Durgapur police station.

technical instructor Abdul

Khaleque embezzled Tk 3 lakh

sanctioned for various projects.

According to the case filed

NETRAKONA, Mar 141 A

coity, the sources said.

Bank sources said the rob-

They also took away a dou-

Senior officials from the

urday night, reports UNB.

BARISAL, Mar 14: Armed

handed down the verdict.

drug smuggling case.

years more RI.

Trawler capsizes

BARGUNA, Mar 14: An over-loaded goods-laden trawler capsized in the river Jhopkhali in Betagi of the district on

Monday, reports UNB. Witnesses said the trawler capsized in the morning on its way to Badankhali Bazar from Jhalakati river port. The boatmen and the businessmen of Badankhali who hired the trawler. however, managed to swim ashore.

'Hold CBA polls'

PALASH (Narsingdi), Mar 14: A big workers' rally was held on Sunday at Ghorasal Bangladesh Jute Mills Gate, reports

The rally was addressed by Azizul Haq Arun Mia, Abdul Hamid Bhuiyan, Mojibur Rahman, Md Farid Mia, Hasan Mia and Motaher Hasan. The speakers demanded holding of CBA election in the BJMC controlled Jute Mills as early as possible. According to labour union sources, the duration of CBA expired on the 9th March.

Woman killed in road accident

BARISAL, Mar 14: An insane woman was killed in a road accident at Choumatha in Kashipur on Dhaka-Barisal highway

on Saturday, reports UNB. Police said Laily Begum, 45, was critically injured when a bus knocked her down while she was crossing the road. She died at a local hospital after admission. A case was filed.

Comilla Bar Assoc polls

COMILLA, Mar 14: Election of Comilla district Bar Association was held on March 9, reports BSS.

Advocate Muhammad Ismail and Advocate M Moazzem Hossain were elected President and General Secretary respectively for the current year 2000. Other elected office bearers are: Vice Presidents - Lokman Hossain, Sayed Zalaluddin, Treasurer -Mostafa Kamal, Assistant General Secretary - Kazi Emdadul Hoque, Enrolment Secretary - Nazir Ahmed Hossainee, Library Secretary - Yusuf Ali, Cultural and Recreation Secretary -Sayeda Nilofar Akhter, Criminal Court Branch Secretary - M Shariful Islam.

Body recovered

SATKHIRA, Mar 14: Police recovered the body of a cowboy from a pond in Dhanpur village under Ashasuni thana recently, reports UNB

Sheikh Nazrul Islam, 10, of village had been missing since he along with his master Zontu Miah went out to search for their stolen cows. The body was sent to hospital morgue for autopsy. A case was filed with Ashasuni police.

Training concludes

CHAPAINAWABGANJ, Mar 14: A self-employment training programme under horticulture development project concluded here recently, reports UNB.

Some 6,000 people, mostly women, were trained so far under the five- year scheme aimed at making women self-reliant by utilising their homeyard for producing vegetable, spices and fruits. Asian Development Bank (ADB) financed the project, which included cultivation of vegetables and spices.

Six schemes implemented

CHUADANGA, Mar 14: All the six schemes undertaken for implementation by the Local Government Engineering Department (LGED) at a total cost of Taka 38,95,000 have been completed recently, reports BSS.

According to an official source, of the total schemes, one has been implemented in Chuadanga Sadar, two in Alamdanga, one in Damurhuda and two in Jibannagar. The schemes have been implemented under the "Construction and Reconstruction of Infrastructures Damaged by Flood in the Rural Areas on Priority Basis" programme.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Department of Films & Publications

112, Circuit House Road, Dhaka No. 3-32/1999-2000(F)

Re-Tender Notice

No 78 (F)/1999-2000

Sealed open tenders are invited from established supplier

establishment for purchasing 16 mm canspool of 800 feet. Description of goods Quantity

Aluminium Cans with 16 mm canspools 2000 (two thousand) Each set of tender will be available from the Accounts Section of this Department on payment of Taka 400 (four hundred) till

21-03-2000 (07-12-1406) during office hours. Tender will be opened on 22-03-2000 (08-12-1406) at 11-35 AM.

Sharke Chaman Khan Assistant Director (Films)

Dated: 06-03-2000

Member-Secretary, Tender Committee

DFP-5502-8/3 G-465

Tender Invitation Notice

2 Name of work

- Star photo

: Sale of total 24 old shishu trees and dry wood in auction on the

Approved value as

per survey report Earnest money

5 Time limit for felling

tenderer

received

tender

and removal of trees

Eligibility of auction

Offices in which

auction tender will be

(Offices) by which

auction tender will be

selling auction tender

Last date and time of

available for sale

1999-2000 fiscal year. As per group list stated.

10 (ten) per cent of the cost

quoted in the tender in the forms of Treasury Chalan, Pay Order/Bank Draft (which can be exchanged in any scheduled bank in Rajshahi city) in favour of Executive Arboriculturist, R&H, Rajshahi.

All classes of contractors under R&H Department timber merchant/firm and financially

Assistant Arboriculturist, R&H, Rangpur/Khulna & Executive Arboriculturist, R&H, Rajshahi.

the undersigned.

Last date and time of

: 22-03-2000 (till 12.15 PM).

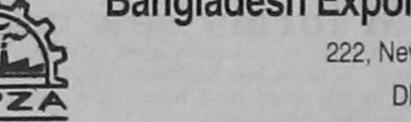
receiving auction Date and time of

opening auction notice collecting all sealed auction tenders from other offices.

All detailed information can be collected from the office of

DFP-5514-8/3 Md Abdul Hamid G-464 Executive Arboriculturist R&H Rajshahi.

Bangladesh Export Processing Zone Authority



222, New Eskaton Road Dhaka-1000

No-BEPZA/CE-09/99/26

Short Tender Notice

No-26/99-2000

Sealed tenders are invited from contractors according to their eligibility for the undermentioned work under the

Bangladesh Export Processing Zone Authority: Time limit for | Cost of tender Name of work Estimated Eligibility of contractor completion of document (in taka) expenditure (Taka) (non-refundable) Construction of Tk. Contractors enlisted with 70 (seventy) Tk 750.00 surface water 21, 12,161.64 government/ semi government/ days autonomous organisations who reservoir at Mongla, EPZ, have experience of earth-digging for minimum 11 lakh taka in a Mongla, Bagerhat Project single work order.

Earnest money as stated in the tender in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order from any scheduled bank in favour of the 'BEPZA' will have to be submitted with tender.

Contractors must submit attested copies of following documents in support of their eligibility alongwith the tender. Otherwise, tenders will be treated as rejected.

Trade Licence for the current year. Certificate of enlistment of the contractor for the current year.

TIN certificate supporting the contractor as Tax Payer from the Income Tax Authority and VAT Registration Certificate.

Certificate regarding the similar work, work order and completion of work from the official at least an Executive Engineer. If the documents submitted with the tender are proved to be false or forged then the earnest money submitted with the tender will forfeited and the tender will be rejected.

Tenders can be purchased from the BEPZA, Executive Office, 222, New Eskaton Road, Dhaka, Chittagong, EPZ, South Halisahar, Chittagong, Dhaka EPZ, Ganakbari, Savar, Dhaka and Mongla EPZ, Accounts Section and all the offices of divisional commissioners till 20-03-2000. In case of purchasing tender documents from the office of the divisional commissioners, it can be purchased by depositing the specific price in the forms of Pay Order/Bank Draft from any scheduled bank in favour of BEPZA Acknowledgment receipt/money receipt against the payment of that amount of money will have to be enclosed with tender.

Tenders will be received till 21-03-2000 at 12-00 Noon in the office of the Chief Engineer at BEPZA Executive Office, Chittagong, Dhaka EPZ, in the office chamber of the Project Engineer and in the office chamber of the Project Director at Mongla EPZ Project and in all the offices of the Divisional Commissioners. Tenders submitted in different divisions/offices only will be opened at the

office of the Chief Engineer at BEPZA Executive Office on 23-03-2000 at 10-00 am in presence of the tenderers (if there is any). If the last date of selling tender happens to be government holiday, then it can be purchased the following working day and in that case tenders can be submitted the day after of the changed date. If the day of submission/opening is a government holiday

then it will be submitted/opened the following working day. If more than one establishment submits the tender at the lowest rate as per terms and conditions that is below 10% of the estimated expenditure then a lottery will be held on 23-03-2000 at 4-00 pm in the executive office of BEPZA in presence of the tenderers concerned.

If the documents submitted by the 1st successful tenderer in the lottery are found to be alright after scrutiny as per terms and conditions, then the work order will be given to that establishment. Otherwise, all necessary preparations will be made to give work order to the 2nd and 3rd tenderers in phases after scrutinising their tender documents. The authority reserves the power to accept any of the tenders submitted or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

DFP-5727-12/3/00 G-466

Abu Reza Khan Chief Engineer

DFP-5720-12/3 G-463

tenderers will be refunded.

have to be given with quotation of rate.

be acceptable

Project Director Project for Installation of 1-TV Relay Station at Ukhia

Md Mostagur Rahman

Standard fixed for government vehicles

1. Toyata, 2. Mitsubishi, 3. Nissan, 4. Daihatsu, 5.

member of an organised gang, 1995. He was missing since was sent to jail. then and his body was recovered two days later from a pond. Police submitted charge-Work on dam sheet against the accused after investigation and the judge progressing after examining the witnesses

and records handed down the JHALAKATI, Mar 14 Work verdict recently. on 40-km canal excavation and 22-km embankment construcsays: A man has been contion in Rajapur thana here is demned to 12 years of hard progressing fast, reports UNB. labour in jail for smuggling Local Government Engineering Department is implement-

2.11 crore. The projects include improvement of drainage and irrigation system and construction of embankment in Baroia and

Saturia unions.

ing the projects at a cost of Tk

The projects will be extended to four other unions in phases. | sions Judge Kazi MA Joynal

Auction tender notice : 23 EA (Raj) 1999-2000 (2nd

of Indian drugs.

59th KM of Kushtia-Meherpur road in front of Meherpur Government College under-Executive Arboriculturist, R&H, Rajshahi as per group list during

As per group list stated.

solvent any individual. Executive Engineer, R&H, Kushtia,

Chief Arboriculturist, R&H Paikpara, Mirpur, Dhaka, Superintending Engineer, R&H, Road Circle, Jessore and office of

21-03-2000 (till office hours).

All tenders will be opened on 27-03-2000 at 10 AM after

the undersigned during office hours and interested buyers can see the trees any day at the site as stated in the schedule and can remain present in the office of the undersigned on the day of opening auction tender.