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Bangladeshi
Dengue patient
dies in S'pore
hospital

By Staff Correspondent
A Bangladeshi patient undergoing treatment for dengue haemorrhagic fever at Mount Elizabeth Hospital in Singapore died yesterday afternoon.

Sources said forty-seven-year-old Ibrahim Mia, Executive Engineer of DESA, Uttara Division, died at the hospital at 3 pm BST.

Ibrahim was flown to Singapore on a special aircraft ambulance on July 31 in unconscious state with dengue haemorrhagic fever and dengue shock syndrome.

Earlier, Ibrahim was treated at city's Samarita hospital.

Ibrahim was also the Honorary Secretary of Engineering Institute.

Death toll 8
One more dies of
dengue fever
in Bagerhat

BAGERHAT, Aug 6: One more person died of dengue fever here Saturday night while a young man has been afflicted with the fever raising the total number of dengue patients to eight in the district, reports UNB.

A student of class six, Mok-sudul Chaklader, reportedly died of the killer fever after suffering for seven days at Baskhali village of Sadar Upazila in the district. His body bore all the symptoms of dengue fever.

Mok-sudul is the third case of death from the fever in the district. Earlier, Hasina, 11, and Harun-or Rashid, 44, a police constable, died of dengue fever on July 31 and August 2 respectively.



Residents of Kayettuli, Ward No: 69 of DCC brought out a procession in the city yesterday demanding measures to remove city's water-logging. — Star photo

Trucks collide
on Dhaka-Ctg
highway:
One killed

From Our Correspondent
NARAYANGANJ, Aug 6: One man was killed and another injured critically when two trucks collided with each other on the Dhaka-Chittagong highway under Sonargaon thana on Sunday. Traffic came to a standstill on the highway for half an hour following the accident.

Police said that at around 3 pm a Chittagong bound truck collided with a truck heading towards Dhaka near Mograpara area on the highway. The helper of the Chittagong bound truck was killed on the spot and the driver was taken to DMCH in critical condition.

Mother hands
over addict son
to police

KHULNA, Aug 6: A mother has handed her son, a drug addict over to the Khalishpur police recently, reports BSS.

Police said, the mother Jamila Begum of port area took her son, Kamal Hossain (20) to Khalishpur police station and handed him over to the police.

Kamal Hossain is an addict of multiple drugs both intravenous and oral. Jamila Khatoon, a housewife tried to retrieve her son, an addict for a long time but in vain.

Condolence

Dr M Yusuf Chowdhury, Professor, Mymensingh Agricultural University, aged 66 years died of cardiac failure on the evening of August 5 in Dhaka on his way back to Mymensingh in a bus. He left behind wife, two sons and one daughter. His body has been kept in ICTDR, pending arrival of his eldest son, who is working in Japan. Relatives, friends and well-wishers may contact his son at phone number Dhaka-8915959 for further details. D-534

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*Kaizen is a Japanese word meaning continuous improvement of work place.

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Dept of DU invites
applications

By DU Correspondent

The Department of Clinical Psychology of the Dhaka University yesterday invited applications for the admission into the masters course in session 1998-1999, says a press release.

Those who have passed their honours graduation with higher second class in Psychology will be eligible to apply for admission. Students who have taken the honours third year examinations are also eligible.

Interested candidates have been asked to apply with attested copies of marksheets of all their examinations and a hand-written application mentioning general information as their father's name, nationality, date of birth, present and permanent address, phone number, present occupation and marital status by August 24 at the office of the department (Room No. 4004, Arts Building).

Parents call for negotiations
to end BFTA strike

By Staff Correspondent

Guardians of different non-government educational institutions yesterday appealed to the government to take effective steps to end the stalemate in non-government educational institutions all over the country.

The call was made at an exchange of views between guardians and teachers of non-government educational institutions.

The guardians urged the government to hold a dialogue with the non-government school teachers to find means to end the strike.

The teachers and employees of non-government educational institutions went on a strike from July 10 for an indefinite period in response to a call by Bangladesh Federation of Teachers Association (BFTA) demanding six point charter of

demands. The demand includes 100 per cent salaries from the government exchequer, promotion and service rules for teachers and employees of non-government educational institutions.

BFTA will continue its ongoing exchange of view programme with the guardians tomorrow.

Meanwhile, Bangladesh Teachers Association (BTA) in a statement said the leaders and activists of the newly formed Teachers' Employees' Unity Council (TEUC) will keep the non-government educational institutions under lock and key on today and tomorrow to press home their demands.

The teachers will hold a rally at the Central Shaheed Minar tomorrow at 10:30 am to press home their demands.

Plan to set up
'NAM Secretariat'
discussed

The coordination committee constituted for preparation and supervision of the upcoming NAM Summit, has discussed matters relating to setting up of a 'NAM Secretariat', reports UNB.

The committee met in the city yesterday with Foreign Minister Abdus Samad Azad in the chair.

It discussed about arrangements for housing, transport, security and media coverage of the 13th NAM Summit scheduled to be held next year in Dhaka.

Five hundred foreign journalists are expected to arrive in the capital for covering the summit.

Finance Minister Shah AMS Kibria, Communications Minister Anwar Hossain, Tourism Minister Engineer Mosharraf Hossain, Cabinet Secretary Kazi Shamsul Alam, Foreign Secretary CM Shafi Sami, Home Secretary MM Reza, Information Secretary M Akmal Hossain, Tourism Secretary Chowdhury Mohammad Mohsin, Public Works Secretary Quamrul Islam Siddique and senior officials attended the meeting.

People urged to
destroy breeding
places of aedes
mosquitoes

Local Government Minister Zillur Rahman urged the people to destroy breeding places of aedes mosquitoes and take proper medical treatment, if necessary, to contain the dengue fever, reports UNB.

He made the call while visiting the special dengue ward to set up at Red Crescent Holy Family Hospital in the city yesterday.

The minister talked with dengue patients and enquired about their treatment. He also expressed satisfaction over special treatment at dengue wards in the hospital.

Bangladesh Red Crescent Chairman Sheikh Kabir Hossain was present during the visit.

The hospital authorities apprised the minister of preparations for opening four more dengue wards in the hospital, if necessary, to cope with the scourge that scared many in cities and towns.

Holy Family Hospital has already set up three dengue wards and formed a cell at Red Crescent Blood Circulation Centre.

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