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# Effective flood warning can help save life, property

By Staff Correspondent

Water Resources Minister bankments and dams in prostressed on effective dissemi- measure has got more impornation of flood forecast and tance. warning messages at grassroots level to reduce damage to livestock, infrastructure, buildings.

"Improved Flood Warning Dissemination" held in a city hotel. he also said, "as soon as the warning information is disseminated, the poor community will be aware of the unpending disaster and be able to protect their respective livestock and

tem, we could be informed of the disaster 48 hours in advance but we need to use a satellite to monitor the flood and forecast to get information at the right time so that people in the flood prone areas can be evacuated to safer places like, schools, colleges, madrassahs and cyclone shelter centres", he

He also said that the government will adopt suggestions found in such workshops for the greater welfare of country-

Organised by Flood Forecasting and Warning Centre (FFWC), a project of Bangladesh Water Development Board (BWDB) in association with DHI Water and Environment, the workshop was sponsored by

The minister thanked the government and DANIDA for their co-operation

Presiding over the concluding session of the programme. Azad Ruhul Amin, secretary of BWDB and Danish Hydraulic Ministry of Water Resources Institution (DHI) in association said, "though we cannot stop with SWMC, MML, NCG, AQUA floods, we can reduce the loss and partner NGOs implement and casualties through precaution and warning mes-

He added. "due to failure of structural measures like em-

### Mongla Port handled 30 lakh tonnes of cargo

KHULNA. Jan 11: Mongla Port handled a total of 30 lakh 35 thousand tonnes of cargo during the last six months (from July 2000 to December 2000), reports BSS.

Of the total, 11 lakh 60 thousand tonnes were import cargo and about 1 lakh 74 thousand 272 metric tonnes were export cargo.

The import cargo meluded foodgrains, cement clinkers, coal, machinery and general cargo. The export cargo included jute, jute goods, shrimps, white fish, tea and general cargo.

During the period, a total of 1 hundred and 47 ships called at the port 1 hundred 45 ship sailed off the port.

#### JU Day today

Jahangirnagar University III) will celebrate the JU Day oday to recall its birth as the ountry's lone residential university on this day in 1971. JU officials said, reports BSS.

They day will be observed amidst grand festivity with participation of the present and former students, faculty members, officers, employees and the invited guests, they said.

The day-long programmes. chalked out to mark the university day, include colourful rally of the present and former students, teachers, officers and employees of the university and the invited guests.

A reception to the former Vice-Chancellors of JU. reminiscence session, dinner, friendly football and handball matches between the present and the former students, sapling plantations and cultural functions are part of the days' programme.

#### New SC judges take oath

The newly-appointed judges of the Appellate Division of Bangladesh Supreme Court. Justice Mohammad Gholam Rabbani and Justice Mohammad Ruhul Amin, took oath at the office of the Chief Justice vesterday morning, reports

Chief Justice Latifur Rahman conducted the oath of office to the new judges. Judges of the High Court Division and the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court were present on the occasion.

# Businessman

dead

Businessman and social worker Abdul Monaem Sadeq died of heart disease on Wednesday morning in Chittagong. He was 62, reports

He is survived by his wife and three sons. Monaem Sadeq is the younger brother of Education

Minister ASHK Sadeq He was buried at Chittagong port colony graveyard. Earlier the Education Minister, among others, participated in his

namaz-e-janaza. Sadeq's qulkhwant will be held today at his residence at Road-1, Lane-4. House-17, Halishahar, Chit-

Razzak vesterday tecting flood, non-structural "All concerned organisations

have to work together with the local peoples. injury, death and disruption of mosque's imams, teachers and doctors, for effective dissemi-In his speech as chief guest nation of the warning mesat the 2" National Workshop on sages", the secretary pointed

> Participants also discussed on baseline surveys conducted in three pilot areas - Louhajang thana in Munshiganj, Chouhali in Sirajganj and Sundarganj in Gaibandha district.

They recommended some preparatory measures, includ-"Under to the existing sys- ing regular drainage of the canals, boulder placement with netting along the river banks in vulnerable area, more flood shelters and raised land or killa for safety of livestock, regular information on rise and fall of water in the rivers and door-todoor announcement by trained volunteers corps.

> They also recommended use of modern media including internet, cellular phones, fax in dissemination of such informa-

> The programme was also addressed, among others, by director general of BWDB AKM Halimur Rahman, FFEC project director ANH Akhter Hossain and executive engineer of FFWC Selim Bhuyian.

> The five-year project (2000-2004) consists of two major components - flood forecasting by FFWC and warning dissemination. DANIDA is funding the project - Consolidation and Strengthening of Flood Forecasting and Warning Services. the project. An inter-ministerial steering committee represented by concerned agencies provides overall policy guidelines for the

#### Cardiologist team of Germany to treat from Jan 26

A team of German cardiologists will provide treatment in cooperation with the Cardiology Department of the Combined Military Hospital (CMH) for three weeks from January 26. reports UNB.

During their stay the cardiologists, with the cardiac surgeons of Bangladesh, will take part in all types of open-heart surgery including CABG, beating heart surgery, valve transplantation and defects of heart from childhood.

They will render their service to the members of the Armed Forces as well as other people.

Intended patients have been requested to contact the Cardiology Department of the CMH The telephone numbers are 9870011/3324/3528.

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