

Russia, China, India, Pakistan condemn Batamul blast

BSS, Dhaka

Russia, China, India and Pakistan yesterday condemned bomb explosions during the Bengali New Year celebration at Ramna Batamul on April 14.

Businessman

Unidentified gunmen shot Shahin, a garment cut piece trader, in his chest. Local people rushed him to Samaria Hospital where the doctors declared him dead.

WB may turn back

WB has already spent more than half of its promised amount for the project. When the project is completed, WASA would be able to supply another 22.5 core litres of water daily.

Hawkers

Meanwhile, DCC is yet to take any fresh initiative to evict hawkers from their re-occupied places. When asked, Fazle Elahi, Chief Estate Officer (CEO) of DCC, said they will discuss the matter with DMP in a couple of days because DCC is unable to conduct any eviction drive without force from DMP.

Hasina urges Khaleda

Divisional Commissioner AR Khan and Social Welfare Secretary Mohammad Rafiqul Alam also spoke on the occasion. Sheikh Hasina also urged the people to vote for Awami League for the next term to ensure economic emancipation of the masses.

At the complex, 100 old people including 60 women, and 400 children will live together. The first Shanti Nibas is built in Faridpur at a cost of Tk 22 crore.

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Business leaders

FROM PAGE 1 with Hasina and Khaleda will focus mainly on the political situation. Latifur Rahman said, "Our main objective is not to concentrate on political issues. All issues that hamper normal economic and business activities will come up during the discussion."

KCC in disarray

FROM PAGE 12 beliefs. During a recent interview with Khulna correspondent of a Dhaka-based Bangla daily Ranjit alleged that the mayor cannot tolerate him since 'Tam a Hindu'.

HC order

FROM PAGE 1 embankment-cum-road along the river bank, which would help demarcate the Buriganga," he said.

Batamul carnage

FROM PAGE 12 burial. He returned to the city on April 18. SB however could not cite any concrete basis for suspecting Maitur's involvement in the explosion.



Yusuf Abdullah Haroon, President of the Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FBCCI), briefing newsmen about FBCCI's future programmes on present political and economic situation at the FBCCI Board Room yesterday.

Khaleda blames AL

FROM PAGE 1 the bomb explosion at CPB's meeting did not form any judicial inquiry committee to probe the incident and find out the terrorists.

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Mixed fortune for Bangladesh

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polls. Although the AL joined in the polls, but failed to foil the anti-autocracy movement and similarly any one's quit from 4-party alliance might not affect the unity and the movement. Without naming HM Ershad, she said the people have witnessed the drama in the jail and the person has again identified as betrayer.

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BDR roll back

FROM PAGE 1 Bangladesh and India and that they have worked," the foreign secretary said. He said the two governments are in constant touch to defuse the tension.

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foreign secretary said Bangladesh feels that it (Padua) was a case of "unauthorised occupation by India", while the Indian position was that it was an "adverse position". He however added that it was under "our control even before 1971".

Dilip-Alfaz murder

Charge sheet of Mir Elias Hossain Dilip and Alfazuddin Murder Case was submitted to Jhenidah court on Wednesday. Five armed cadres of Purbo Banglar Communist Party (PBCP) were charged in the case.

Matia

FROM PAGE 12 rating the correct data and factual information relating to the agriculture sector. The agriculture minister further mentioned that the government had a production target of 25 million metric tons of food grain by the year 2002 but the country already achieved it two years earlier in 2000.

Upazila polls

FROM PAGE 12 dent replied in the negative. Talking to The Daily Star last night, several influential ministers confirmed that there was no initiative on the part of the government to hold the election.

BCL factions

Two factions of Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) clashed on the Titumir College campus in the city yesterday, leaving five students injured. Four of the injured were identified as Atiqur Rahman Swapan, Anwar Hossain, Hanunur Rashid and Mofijur Rahman all BCL activists.

5 of bridal party

Five people including three women of a bridal party were drowned and ten others were injured when a boat capsized in the Bay between a small offshore island of Moheshkhali and the coastal Banshkhali thana here on Wednesday.

Clash at Titumir

Two factions of Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) clashed on the Titumir College campus in the city yesterday, leaving five students injured.

Clash erupted

The clash erupted at about 12:15 pm, police said. A tense situation was prevailing on the campus.

Identified

The ill-fated victims were identified as Nurul Alam, 24, Md. Zakaria, 35, Rabeya Begum, 18, Minara Begum, 21, and Zarina Begum, 25.