### Outbreak of eye disease in Ctg

BSS, Chittagong

Conjunctivitis, a highly contagious viral eye disease, is spreading in the district rapidly, ophthalmologists here said yesterday.

Doctors at the ophthalmology department of the Chittagong Medical College Hospital (CMCH)

and private practitioners said people are increasingly being infected with the disease in the port city as well as across the district.

They could not give any exact reason for the outbreak of the disease but said the viral infection may take a serious turn due to maltreatment or lack of proper

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"A good number of patients infected with conjunctivitis visited the CMCH and private chambers of eye consultants during the last three weeks," said Dr Saifuddin M Tarek, head of the ophthalmology department of the CMCH.

The Chittagong chapter of Bangladesh Eye Physicians' Association (BEPA) in a press release vesterday urged the people, particularly the patients, not to be frightened by this curable disease. It advised people to clean their eyes hygienically, use antibiotic eye drops and refrain from wear-

ing clothes used by the affected

"If an infected person is not cured within 7 to 10 days, he must consult a doctor. Delay in proper treatment, self-treatment or maltreatment may cause damage to vision in the future," said Dr Tarek, also the president of the BEPA, Chittagong.

Simi Suicide Case "Even doctors are being infected by patients when they come for treatment of conjunctivitis," said Dr Mukti Mitra, Assistant Registrar of the ophthalmology department of the CMCH.



The students of Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET) continued their hunger strike on the campus on the second day yesterday. The students began fast unto death to press home their six-point demand, including punishment to the killers of Sabegun Nahar Sony.

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Communications Minister Nazmul Huda yesterday inaugurated 10 city circular buses of Bangladesh Road Transport Corporation (BRTC) to increase transportation facilities for the city-dwellers.

The new buses will ply on Motijheel-Malibagh-Maghabazar-Satrasta-Nabisco-Mohakhali-Chairmanbari-Khilkhet-Airport route.

Held at Kamalapur BRTC bus depot, the inaugural ceremony was also attended by Deputy Minister for Communications Asadul Habib Dulu and BRTC

Chairman Advocate Toimur Alam Khandakar.

Speaking on the occasion, Huda said the government had taken time-befitting measures to build a modern transport system of the BRTC for the welfare of the

Procured at the own cost of the BRTC, the price of each of the 10 single-decker buses is Tk 22 lakh, an official handout said.

More 51 single-decker BRTC buses will also be pressed into service in the city soon. Under a BRTC programme on passenger service, a total of 100 single-decker buses will be put on city streets, the handout said.

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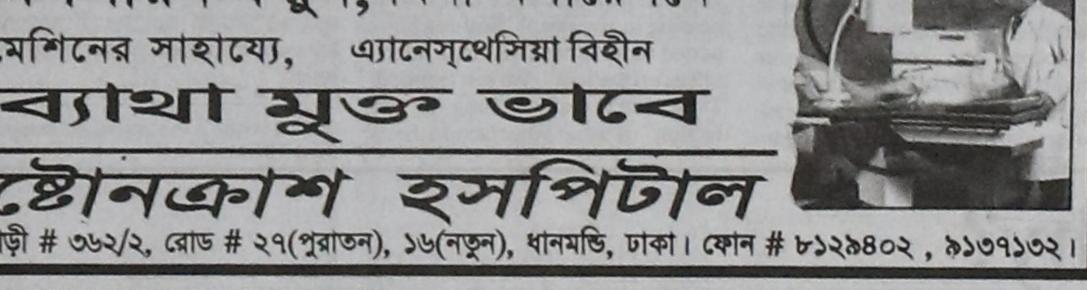
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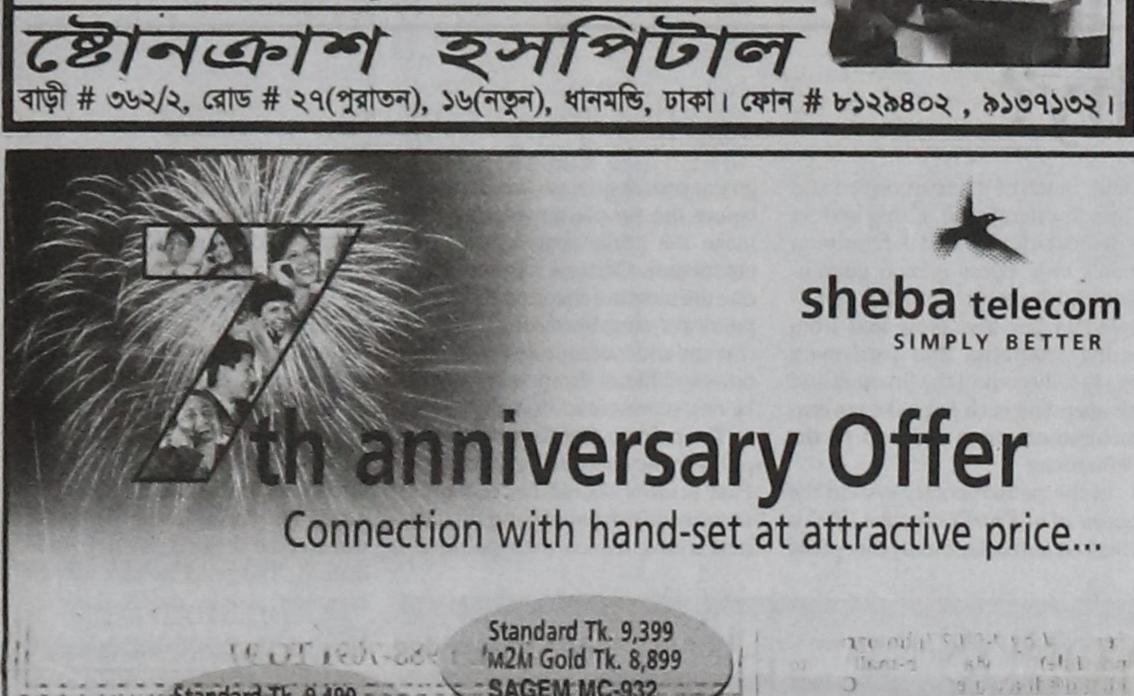
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# Three more PWs

cross-examined COURT CORRESPONDENT

Three more prosecution witnesses taking poison and later he subin the Simi Suicide Case, were mitted it to the authorities concross-examined in Metropolitan cerned on January 27, this year. Magistrate's Court, Dhaka yester-

After the cross-examination by examined. the defence lawyer of the accused for about three hours, Magistrate Narayanganj Institute of Fine Arts Mohammad Shahidul Islam adjourned the hearing till Septem

Meanwhile, the prosecution lawyers made submissions that 19 other witnesses in the case will not be produced by them (Lawyers) as Abul Bashar of Khilgaon thana the witnesses were influenced by responsible for her death. the accused of the case. So, they prayed for issuing warrant against in the jail custody, were produced the Investigation Officer (IO) of before the court yesterday. the case to appear in the court to face cross-examination.

After hearing both the sides, Al Malum and Roni Akhter apthe court issued warrant against the IO of the case.

During the cross-examination, daker Mahbub Hossain for the Dr Mohammad Noor Hossain, the accused. 22" prosecution in the case told the court that he prepared a post mortem report of Simi's body on December 24 last year.

The witness, also medical officer, Forensic Department of Dhaka Medical College Hospital (DMCH), told the court that after

### French envoy meets Hasina

BSS, Dhaka

Charge d' Affaires of France to Bangladesh Fabienne Droutlozinski made a courtesy call on Awami League President and Leader of the Opposition in Parliament Sheikh Hasina at her Sudhasadan residence yesterday.

They discussed various issues other matters.

Sheikh Hasina apprised the envoy of the overall progress attained in economic and social sectors during the period of her government. She said her government had achieved massive successes in industrial, trade and communications sectors.

The envoy highly praised the existing cordial relations between the two countries and maintained that the relations would continue in future also.

Leader of the Opposition Saber Hossain Chowdhury was present.

BSS, Dhaka Aziz-ul Huq, former advisor for Agriculture and Forests in late President Ziaur Rahman's cabinet and a life long Rotarian, died of old age complications in Comfort Nurshing Home in the city yester-

He was 82.

He left behind his wife Hosneara Hug, former professor of the department of English of Dhaka University, one son, one daughter and a host of relatives and admirers to mourn his death.

He would be buried at the relating to political, economic and Martyred Intellectuals Graveyard at the city's Mirpur area.

Late Aziz-ul Hug was the Director General (DG) of Bangladesh Academy of Rural Development (BARD) in Comilla and Director of Centre on Integrated Rural Development for Asia and the Pacific (CIRDAP).

Prime Minister Khaleda Zia expressed her deep shock at the death of Huq, saying the vacuum created by his death would not be filled up soon.

She said he was pioneer of the Political -secretary to the country's agriculture and village development and a skilled plan-



French Charge d'Affaires Fabienne Drout called on Leader of the Opposition in Parliament and Awami League chief Sheikh Hasina at her Sudha Sadan residence in the city yesterday.

### 11 arms seized

BSS, Dhaka

Police recovered a huge number of weapons and ammunition under its ongoing countrywide operation in the last 24 hours till yesterday morning, police Headquarters said | # 6629830, 303860, 309830 yesterday.

They said police seized 11 U.A.E व्यक्ती कमरक्षक मीक्टना weapons, including 10 firearms, 18 বনানী ত ৮৮২১ ৭২৮ bullets and arrested 1,403 people, Almas Super Shop including two alleged criminals over the period.

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