# BNP to observe death anniversary of Bhasani

BSS, Dhaka

BNP has undertaken a comprehensive programme to observe the 26th death anniversary of leader of the masses Moulana Abdul Hamid Khan Bhasani on November 17.

Central leaders and workers of BNP and its front organsiations will start for Santosh, Tangail from the party central office at 8 am on the day to visit the mazar of

### FAO to help implement goat dev programme

BSS, Dhaka

FAO representative in Dhaka Bui Thi Lan yesterday expressed keen interest in extending allout sup- Africa and Latin America. port to poverty alleviation by implementing the goat development programme of the government.

The FAO representative expressed the interest when she called on Fisheries and Livestock Minister and Dhaka Mayor Sadeque Hossain Khoka at his office

During the meeting, they discussed different programmes being implemented with the financial support of the FAO under the Fisheries and Livestock Ministry.

Khoka reiterated the government's commitment for initiating multi-purpose projects in the fisheries and livestock sector for creating job opportunities.

Acting Joint Secretary of the ministry Bhuiyan Rafi Uddin Ahmed and other high officials were present on the occasion.

Moulana Bhasani and place wreaths there. A special milad mahfil with Qurankhwani will be held at Santosh to mark the occa-

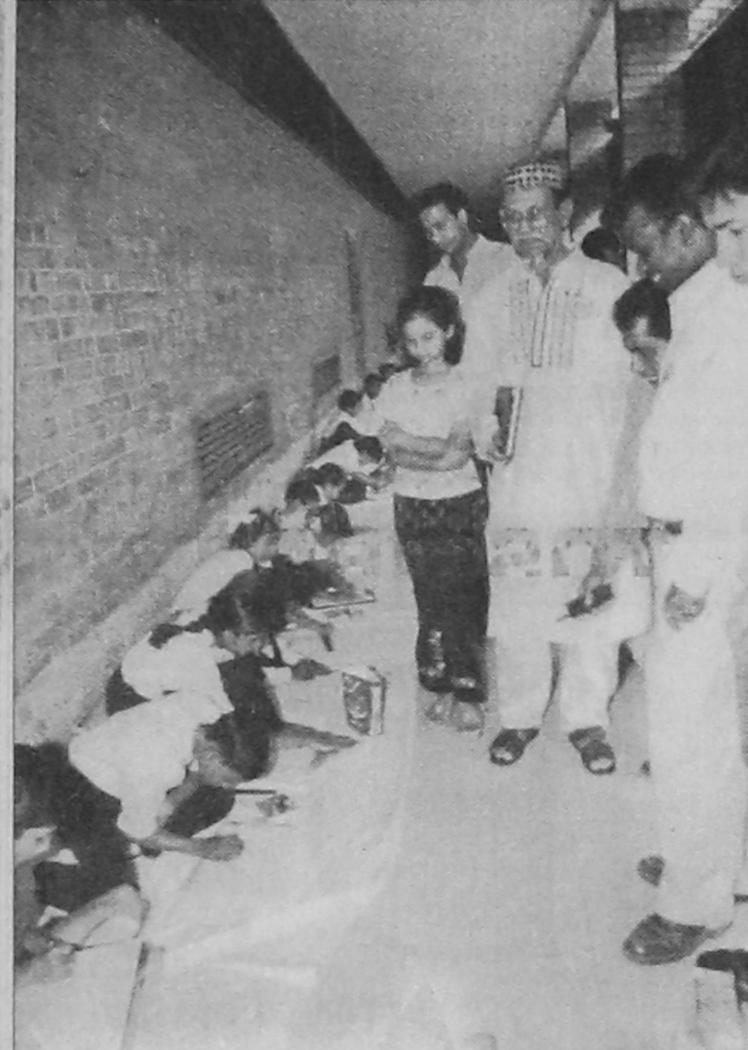
long political career of the great leader will be held at National Press Club on November 18. National leaders leading intellectuals and Moulana Bhasani's followers will take part in the discussion. One of the greatest leaders of

the Sub-continent, Moulana Bhasani died here on November 17 in 1976, bringing down the curtain on a checkered political

During his lifetime, he commanded respect, love and affection as he dedicated his whole life to the struggle for emancipating the oppressed millions in Asia,

The BNP programme was taken at a meeting of the National Committee on observing Moulana Bhasani's 26th death anniversary here yesterday with Information Minister Tariqul Islam in the chair.

tended the meeting.



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# arrested

UNB, Dhaka

Police rounded up 1331 more people including four listed criminals, from different parts of the country in 24 hours ending at 6am yesterday.

eight other weapons and 1,132 rounds of bullets during the period and filed eight cases against 11 people under the Arms Act.



অর্থঝণ বন্ধকী ডিং-৪১/২০০০।

১। মেসার্স রাখী ট্রেডার্স, ২৮নং আর,কে, দাস রোড, নারায়ণগঞ্জ, থানা ও জেলা নারায়ণগঞ্জ। উক্ত প্রতিষ্ঠানের পক্ষে আবদুল আজিজ

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ব্যাংক ডিক্রীজারী তপছিল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তির মূল্য ১৪,৬৬,০০০/- টাকা নির্ধারিত করিয়া নিলাম করার প্রার্থনা করিয়াছে। উক্ত মূল্য নির্ধারনের ব্যাপারে আপনাদের কোন আপত্তি থাকিলে তাহা আগামী ১৯/১১/০২ ইং তারিখে সকাল ১০ ঘটিকার সময় অত্রাদালতে হাজির হইয়া দাখিল করিবেন। অন্যথায় আইন মোতাবেক কার্য্য করা হইবে।

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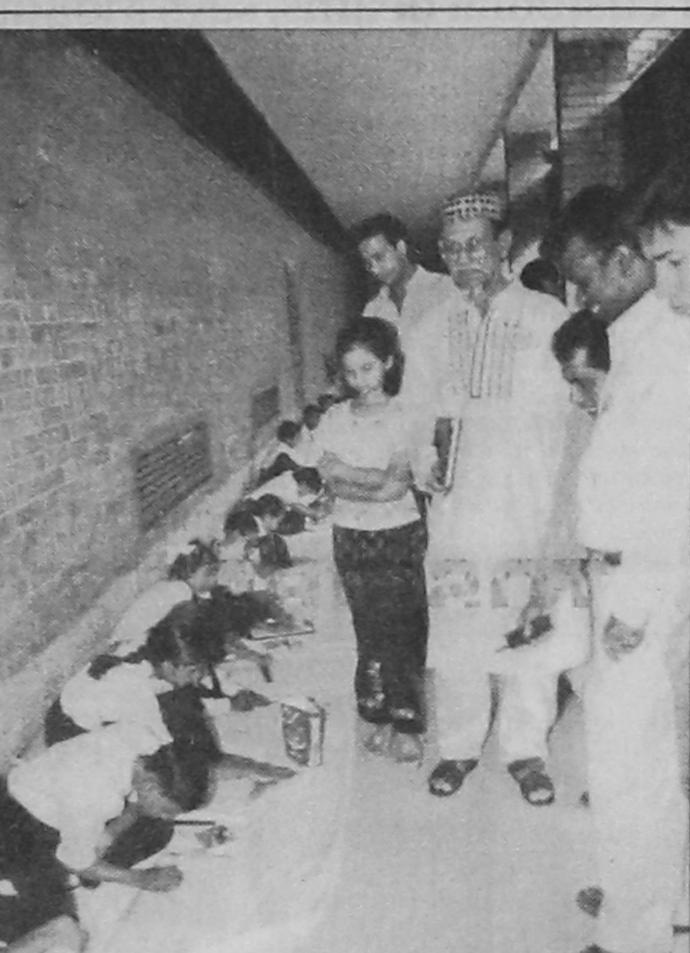
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A discussion on the life and

Earlier, a 131-member national committee was formed headed by Tarigul Islam to observe the death anniversary of Moulana Bhasani.

Mayor of Dhaka and Minister for Fisheries and Livestock Sadeq Hossain Khoka, BNP Vice-Chairman Begum Sarwari Rahman, Chairman of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society Maj Gen (Retd) ZA Khan, Deputy Minister for Education Abdus Salam Pintu, member-secretary of the committee Majibar Rahman and BNP assistant office secretary Emran Saleh Prince, among others, at-



The Bangladesh Social and Cultural Development Organisation arranged a drawing competition for the children at the Fine Art Institute in the city recently on the occasion of World Child Day.

# 1331 more

They also seized eight firearms,

অর্থঝণ আদালত, আইন ১৯৯০ এর ৫ক ধারার বিধান মোতাবেক দায়িকগণ প্রতিমূল্য নির্ধারনের



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জেলা-নারায়ণগঞ্জ, থানা-ফতুল্লা, মৌজা-সেঃমেঃ ১৮৫নং দেওভোগ 'ম' খন্ত স্থিত ঃ-



METROPOLITAN

A roadside vendor at Banglabazar wraps the stacks of books with a polythene sheet to protect those from torrential rain that virtually crippled life in the city yesterday.

# Zinc therapy reduces non-injury deaths of children: Study

UNB, Dhaka

Scientists at the ICDDR,B found that zinc therapy in diarrhoeal cases reduces hospitalisation and non-injury deaths of children by 50 per cent.

An international team of scientists found this after evaluating the effectiveness of zinc therapy delivered with oral rehydration solutions (ORS) during episodes of diarrhoea in 8,070 Bangladeshi children.

During the research, the scientists documented significantly lower rates of child morbidity, hospitalisation and non-injury deaths in children treated with

Diarrhoeal diseases and dehydration kills about 2 million children every year in the country.

Lead researcher Abdullah Baqui, a Bangladeshi scientist, published these findings in the British Medical Journal on November 9, said a press release of the International Centre for Diarrhoeal Disease Research, Bangladesh (ICDDR.B).

incidence of diarrhoea related hospitalisation were significantly less and non-injury deaths were 50 per cent in children who received

The children brought under the research received 20mg elemental zinc daily for 14 days during each episode of dairrhoea in addition to oral saline though most of them took zinc for maximum 7 days.

In addition, the ORS use increased by 20 per cent and antibiotic use decreased by 60 per cent in the children receiving zinc.

Most cases of diarrhoeal dis-The findings revealed that the eases and the resulting dehydration occur in developing and poor countries, where children suffer from malnutrition and access to clean water, safe sanitation, and health facilities are limited.

experiencing serious debacles in

previous elections to syndicate,

academic council, dean of differ-

ent faculties and Chittagong Uni-

versity Teachers Association

Leaders of both the panels at a

meeting on November 1 agreed

that they would contest all future

### Adulterated butter | CU dean polls Nov 16 oil factory **CU CORRESPONDENT** unearthed. fight the elections jointly after

BSS, Dhaka

Dhaka Metropolitan Police (DMP) in a special operation arrested 277 people from different parts of the city and unearthed an adulterated butter oil factory in the last 24 ,hours ending at 6 pm yesterday.

Officer-in-charge of Hazaribagh police arrested one Babul Hossain from Hazaribagh bazaar for his alleged involvement in marketing of adulterated butter oil in the name of 'Pabna Special Ghee Company' and recovered huge materials which were used for marketing this adulterated food item.

Following the confessional statement of Babul Hossain, police unearthed the adulterated butter oil factory in 'Shunibir Housing' area at Adabar under Mohammadpur police station and arrested one Shah Alam from the spot and recovered huge adulterated butter oil worth over Tk one

### Orientation course for intending Hajj pilgrims

Dhaka Ahsania Mission has organised three-day orientation course for Hajj pilgrims of this vear, says a press release.

The course will be conducted by Haji experts of the Mission at its head office in House-19, Road-12 (New) of Dhanmondi Residential Area.

Initially there will be two batches. The course for the fist batch will continue from 19 to 21 November and that of the second batch from November 23 to 25.

The course will start at 11 am and will continue till I pm intending Hajj pilgrims both male and female are requested to contact the Mission or over Telephone Nos. 8119521-22, 9123420, 9123402.

# groups reached an agreement to

Pro-Awami League and other leftleaning teachers of Chittagong University (CU) have again formed an electoral alliance to contest the upcoming election for the posts of dean of science faculty and a representative of assistant professors to the academic council.

Election for the two posts will be held at the science faculty gallery no 1 on November 16.

Teachers of the two groups, who were under 'Pink Panel', were separated a year ago.

one named 'Blue Panel' while the sors to academic council. left-leaning teachers remained Anupam Sen. Campus sources said the two for the post of dean.

elections jointly maintaining their respective identity. The alliance has nominated Prof ANM Alamgir of Botany de-

(CUTA).

partment to contest for the post of The Awami League-backed dean of science faculty while teachers led by ex-pro-vice- Rashed Un Nabi of Institute of chancellor Prof Abu Yousuf Alam Marine Science (IMS) for repreleft the panel and formed a new sentative of the assistant profes-The BNP-Jamat-backed 'White

under the 'Pink Panel' led by Prof Panel' has nominated Prof Yousuf Sharif Ahmed Khan of IMS to vie

# Light to moderate rain likely UNB, Dhaka

Light to moderate rain or thundershower accompanied by gusty to squally wind is likely at most places over the country with moderately heavy to heavy falls at places today. Night temperature may fall by one to three degree Celsius, Met

Office said. Country's highest temperature 31.2 degree Celsius was recorded at Teknaf and lowest 19.6 degree at Srimongal yesterday.

The sun sets in the capital at 5:14 pm today and rises at 6:13 am tomorrow. Highest and lowest temperature and humidity recorded in some

major cities and towns yesterday were: City/Town Humidityin Temperature percentage in Celsius Morning Evening 20.8 Dhaka Chittagong 21.8 Rajshahi 21.0 21.8 Khulna

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### Death anniversary



l'oday is the 10" death anniversary of Anwara Begum, former Managing Director of KDH Labora-

tories Limited and former president of Aushud Shilpo Shomity, says a press re-

the occasion, a Qurankhwani and a milad mahfil will be held in the residence of her eldest daughter Sultana Daula, and at Anwara Memorial Complex at Tetui Bari, Joydevpur.

A Qurankhwani and milad mahfil followed by Iftar will also be held at the Banani Graveyard.

Relatives and admirers have been requested to attend the milad and pray for salvation of the departed soul.

### Saifur, Mary Ann Peters discuss economic issues

BSS, Dhaka

US ambassador to Bangladesh Mary Ann Peters met with Finance and Planning Minister M Saifur Rahman at his secretariat office yesterday and discussed wide ranging issues.

Saifur Rahman later told waiting newsmen that they had discussed bilateral issues. "The discussion focused on mutual relations," he said, adding that it covered issues on economic cooperation from both sides.

To a question whether gas export and Chittagong port issue or the last law and order situation came up for discussion, the finance minister replied in the negative. "No such special issues came up for discussion," he said. The finance minister said

World Bank and IMF related issues

and other economic issues were discussed. We exchanged views on common issues, he said. To a question if the payment problems to the international oil companies for gas bills came up for discussion, Saifur Rahman

replied in the negative. It is part of routine meetings.

the finance minister said. Earlier, MaryAnn Peters while leaving the finance ministry also declined to comment on the issues she discussed in the meeting. She said that as a diplomat she had met the finance minister and held what she said interesting conver-

### Darul Ihsan University VC Dr Hamid dead

BSS, Dhaka

The Vice-Chancellor of Darul Ih san University Prof. Dr MA Hamid died on Monday night at a hospital in Chicago, USA at the age of 63.

He was suffering from lung cancer and was under treatment in the hospital for last six months. The namaj-e-janaza of Prof. Hamid will be held in Chicago and

he will be buried there. Prof Hamid was the former Vice Chancellor of Islamic University, Kushtia, and a professor of economics in the Rajshahi Univer-

expressed his profound shock at the death of Dr Hamid. In a message of condolence, the port city tomorrow.

the President recalled his long personal acquaintance with late Dr Hamid and said that he (Hamid) always worked hard to acquire knowledge.

Salam Sattar

BSS, Dhaka

the discussion.

Renowned industrialist Salam Makioka, My Sons and Good-Bye Sattar died on Monday in Karachi, for Tomorrow. Pakistan at the age of 64, family friend sources in Dhaka said yes- | conference at the local press club

Late Salam Sattar was the former owner of Karim Jute Mills and | orary consul general of Japanese Sattar Match Factory in Dhaka.

Short film show

Dhaka University Film Society under the banner of '10th World Film Manifestation Programme', will screen four short films from Bangladesh, Pakistan, Iran and Spain. Venue: High Commission of India Cultural Centre auditorium, Satmasjid Road, Dhanmondi. Time: 2.15pm.

### **FEJB Award**

The distribution ceremony of FEJB Award 2001, organised by the Forum of Environmental Journalists of Bangladesh, will be held with Environment and Forest Minister Shajahan Siraj as chief guest. Venue: National Press Club. Time: 3.00pm.

### ICAB Award

The distribution ceremony of ICAB Award 2001, organised by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Bangladesh, will be held with Finance and Planning Minister M Saifur Rahman as chief guest. Venue: Sonargaon Hotel. Time: 4.00pm.

**BGMEA** programme Bangladesh Garment Manufacturers and Exporters Association (BGMEA) organises a programme for distribution of posters to build up social movement against crimes with Home Minister Altaf Hossain Chowdhury as chief guest. Venue: BGMEA Office, Karwan Bazar, Time: 2.00pm.

### Memorial lecture

Ajit Guha Smriti Parishad organises a lecture in memory of language veteran Prof Ajit Guha. Venue: National Press Club. Time: 3,30pm.

### Closing ceremony

The closing ceremony of the training programme on AutoCAD, organised by the Institution of Engineers. Bangladesh, (IEB), will be held with State Minister for Education A N M

Ehsanul Hoque Milon as chief guest. Venue: IEB seminar room. Time:

### AL meeting

A meeting of the Awami League Secretariat will be held with party General Secretary Zillur Rahman in the chair. Venue: Party office, Dhanmondi. Time: 11.00am.

### Rotary meeting

Regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Dhanmondi Dhaka will be held with Dr Mohammad Faruque as guest speaker. He will speak on Ramadan. Venue: Dhanmondi Recreation Club. Time: 4.15pm.

## TOMORROW

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Rally On the occasion of World Diabetes Day, Bangladesh Diabetic Society organises a rally to be followed by a discussion with Health and Family Welfare Minister. Dr Khandaker Mosharraf Hossain as chief guest. Venue: Children's Park and National Press Club respectively. Time:

Opening ceremony The opening ceremony of Uttara branch of The City Bank Limited will be held with Mayor of Dhaka Sadeque Hossain Khoka as chief guest. Venue: Rabindra Sarani, Uttara Model Town. Time:

## Japanese Film Festival begins in Ctg tomorrow

10.30am

CU CORRESPONDENT A three -day Japanese Film Festi-President lajuddin Ahmed has | val and Education Fair will begin at the Institution of Engineers, Bangladesh (IEB) auditorium in

> tagong will organise the programme to celebrate the 30 th anniversary of diplomatic relations with Bangladesh. Six films will be screened at the festival. The films are Faraway

Japanese embassy at Chit-

Sunset, Haven Sent, My Stiff-

Necked Daddy and Me, The

It was disclosed at a press here on Monday.

Mohammad Nurul Islam, hon-

the written statement at the con-

He said the Japanese government gave scholarships to 1001 Bangladeshi students a year. He also told about the process to obtain the scholarships and admis-Japan recognised Bangladesh

on February 1972 as the first

country of the East after its independence. And the Japanese government helped Bangladesh a lot to reconstruct its economy destroyed by the occupied Pakistani army during the War of Liberation. he added. Japan is continuing its help to Bangladesh, he said. The two countries have a cul-

tural link and Japan honoured

eminent Bangladeshi artist Prof

Mohammad Kibria recently, he



Food Minister Abdullah Al-Noman speaks at a discussion marking the National Revolution and Solidarity Day at the Engineers' Institute in the city yesterday. The Bangladesh Sarkari Karmachari Samannya Parishad organised

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