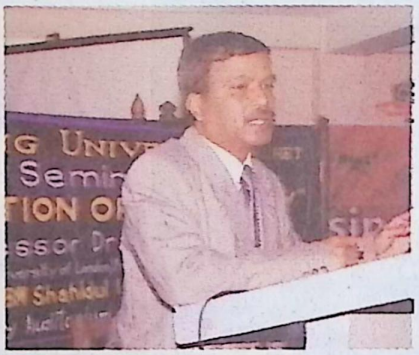
Seminar on "Separation of Judiciary" at Leading University, Sylhet

LEADING University, first private university in Sylhet organized a seminar on "Separation of Judiciary" on 30 January at its auditorium. In the seminar the key-note paper on "Separation of Judiciary" was presented by renowned columnist and media personality Dr. Asif Nazrul, Professor of Law, University of Dhaka, and Program Adviser of the Faculty of Law, Leading University. The seminar was presided over by the honorable Vice-Chancellor of the university Professor Dr. ABM Shahidul Islam. In his speech Dr. Asif Nazrul touched upon the fundamental issues of the Separation of Judiciary such as Definition of Judiciary, Judicial Independence in



the Constitution, Steps for the Separation of Judiciary, Basic Principles of the Independence of Judiciary, etc.

Placing emphasis on the importance of the Rule of Law Dr. Nazrul said that the rule of Law would be ensured if the judicial branch of the government acted as its own body freed from the intervention and influences of the other branches of the government. Drawing analogy of the historical Beijing Statement of Independence of the Judiciary that reflected the view of thirty-two Asian and Pacific Chief Justices he said that the judiciary must be uninhibited by outside influences which might jeopardize its neutrality of jurisdiction. The influence might come from the organs of the government, from the media and from the superior officers.

-Rukan Uddin, Leading University

Orientation ceremony at Northern University

The orientation ceremony of the newly enrolled students of the department of Computer Science & Engineering and Electronics & Communication Engineering of Northern University (Northern University) was held recently. The programme was held at the NUB auditorium. Chief guest of the event was Abu Bakar Siddique, treasurer, NUB.

He welcomed the students and congratulated them to choose NUB. He hoped for the very best of the freshers. The event was presided over by Prof. Dr. M. Nurul Islam, Dean ,Faculty of Science.

Freshers' reception at Nasirabad College, Mymensingh

A cultural function was held at the campus of local Nasirabad College, an old college in the district town marking the freshers reception programme recently. Deputy Commissioner of Mymensingh, also President of College Governing body Md. Shamsul Alam addressed the function as chief guest while Police Superintendent of Mymensingh Md. Awrangajeb Mahbub was the special guest. Principal of the college Md. Saiful Islam presided over the function.

College Governing Body Member Mosharraf Karim Chowdhury, Professors of the college Jibon Chandra Saha and Manik Lal Saha and some students also addressed the function. College students and artistes of Bahurupi Natya Sangstha performed in the cultural programme.

Professor Ahmed Shafiq and Professor ATM Shafiqul Islam conducted the whole programme.

-Aminul Islam



Freshers' reception at Eastern University

Fresher`s recption of Eastern university was held on 3rd February 2007 at Eastern university campus.VC,Dean of busines school along with the course cordinator of EU were present as cheif guest. Programme started with the recitation of holy Quaran. Then there was a speech from the course cordinator, followed by the Vc. Then there was a short break of about 20 minutes and refreshments were served. It was the time for the students to take the stage. Students of 9th, 10th and 11th batch rocked the evening with some well performed songs. The drama that the senior students did was lengthy but had a lot of fun. But the most awaited performance came from Mr. Minhaz Faculty member of business administration. He presented popular hindi numbers `Tere bin` and `Aadat`. This was undoubtedly the best performance of the evening followed by Saiki`s song. The show ended with a bang as Minhaz sir took the centre stage again on student`s request.

-Aftab Ahmed Khan