



COLOURFUL DURGA PUJA

MANY areas of the city wore a festive look as Durga Puja climaxed yesterday. Goddess Durga was greeted to the earth amid religious zeal and fervour with Mahalaya. It followed Mahasashthi on Wednesday. Kumari Puja, a ritual of worshipping the goddess in the form of a virgin, was observed in Mahashtami. Thousands of devotees thronged the Dhakeshwari Mandir, Ramakrishna Mission, Shankhari Bazar and different puja mandaps to seek divine blessing. The Puja will conclude today with immersion of the goddess in the river Buriganga.

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