

Family members of those killed by the Pakistani army and their collaborators at Mirpur Jalladkhana Killing Field during the Liberation War visit the Killing Field Memorial to pay homage to their dear ones as the Liberation War Museum observes the first anniversary of the memorial yesterday. (Story on page 1)

## Decentralise power, expand economic activities to save Dhaka

Speakers urge govt

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Speakers at a roundtable yesterday in the city. underscored the need for decentralisation of power and spreading roundtable on "What to do at this presented a keynote paper at the out the economic activities across moment to turn Dhaka into a real roundtable. the country in order to save Dhaka capital and an urban system of city from any disaster.

nities and rehabilitation for them National Press Club in the city. through right planning and initiatives. If the capital city cannot be Rights Movement Chief Adviser turn into a city of garbage. depopulated, its risks will con- Syed Margub Morshed, the

to build underpass railways, they Shahriar Igbal, journalist Syed to safe Dhaka city. proposed to launch a system of Abul Moksud, former director

with a view to reducing traffic jam official Tapan Kumar Nath.

4:00pm to 6:00pm, the daily office Mohammad Alfaz, CPB leader being killed.

hours, and widen the footpaths Ruhin Hossain Prince and Rajuk

Citizens' Rights Movement They were speaking at a Secretary General Tusher Rehman

ASM Abdur Rab said that if the international standard in the city corporations, municipalities, "The rush of people towards socio-economical backdrop of Rajuk and other local bodies can-Dhaka city will have to be stopped Bangladesh," organised by not function independently, the by creating employment opportu- Citizens' Rights Movement at the environmental and ecological must be ensured and the industries balances would not be created and Presided over by Citizens' as a result, the capital city would city. National will and political

"A pro-people democratic purpose. tinue to increase. Political good- roundtable was addressed by government will have to be formed will and commitment are needed former minister ASM Abdur Rab, in order to make Dhaka an environto build Dhaka a beautiful city," former army chief Lt Gen (retd) ment-friendly developed city," he will have to be built surrounding Mahbubur Rahman, Bapa said, adding that there is no alter-Protesting a government plan Chairman Abu Naser, Buet Prof K native to decentralisation of power treatment plants to be made man-

banning the movement of private general of BDR Maj Gen (retd) beautiful Dhaka city has become Balu, Shitalakkha to make the city cars from 8:00am to 10:00am and ANM Fazlur Rahman, engr an ugly one since the Buriganga is attractive and remove the water

"With 140 million people, Dhaka city has completely turned into a slum. If a moderate earthquake occurs here, its 70 lakh peo ple will be killed. Our government, even the army, has no capacity to face the disaster and to rescue the (probable) victims in the calamity,"

He said supply of electricity to be transferred from the capital commitment are needed for this

Tusher Rehman, in his written statement, said circular waterways the city and setting up of water datory at the mills and industries Mahbubur Rahman said a on the banks of Buriganga, Turag, pollution.

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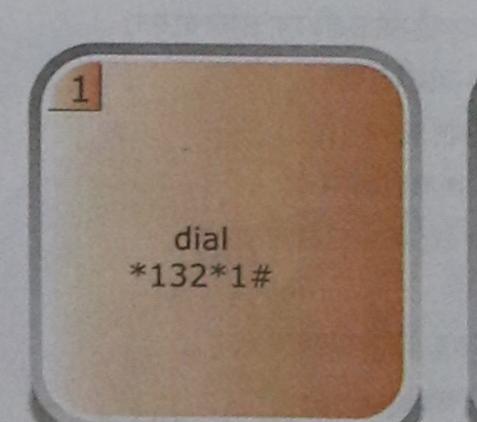


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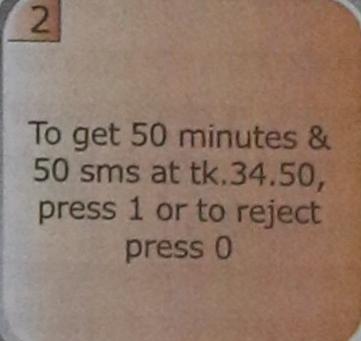
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