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On the cover story "The curse of Cupid"

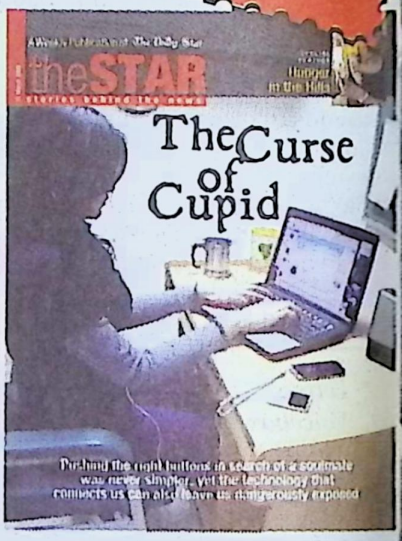
The search for love and relationships began from the time of Adam and Eve. Just as satan deceived them in the Garden of Eden, there will be wrongdoers who will confuse and deceive innocent people. Though technology has facilitated the interplay of love and friendship throughout the world irrespective of the location, the distress in terms of deception, frustration and melancholy has also increased. Though it's not possible to avoid the digital world for fear of being cheated, precautions must be taken while providing personal information. This can reduce the hazard and ensure a safe and spontaneous relationship over a long period.

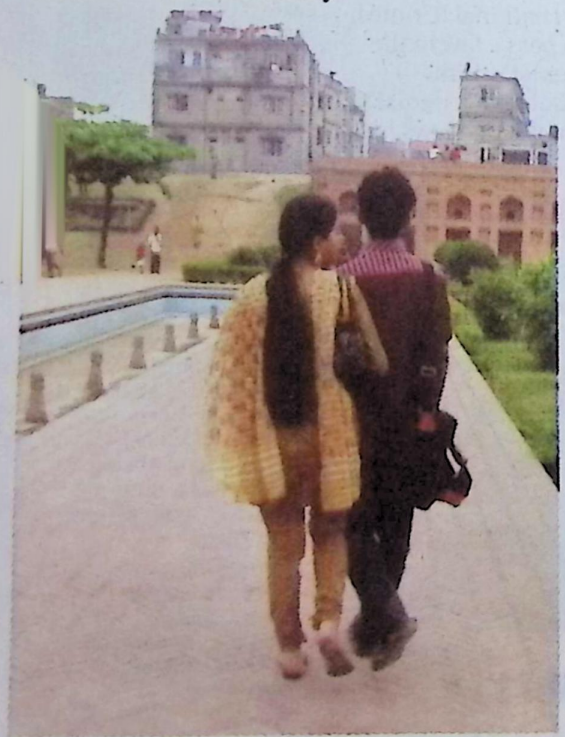
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While I was reading the cover story "Love @ First Byte" I kept thinking about why our teens and twenties make the mistakes that they do. Interestingly, I have seen many of my friends stick to the net all day neglecting regular activities -- even they don't take their meals properly. We know that " A mistake is not a mistake, but to repeat a mistake is a mistake ". We must remember that in this case one mistake can ruin a life. There are a lot of businesses that target this emotion called "love". They play with people's emotions and encourage our youth to spend valuable time on frivolous activities. We condemn this attempt to destroy our youthful spirit.

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Terror Alerts

Are the constant headlines about terrorism helping or hurting us? These days, no country in the world is free from terror threat. From the US to India to Egypt, all countries have to be careful about this. The security forces as well as the people have to be alert. But recently we see our ministers and the media constantly talking about terrorism. Every day some newspapers make terrorism their headline. This may give the impression that the country is being taken over by extremists. Recently warnings were sent to schools about terror threat. Parents are now panic stricken. This undermines confidence, and terrorises people. It is also bad for the business climate. Let the law enforcement agencies work hard to stop extremists, but constant terror warnings to the public only makes the water muddy. This is what the terrorists want, is it not? We should all be more responsible.

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