## DMCH to keep

FROM PAGE 16 results quickly from DMCH pathology department or

private centres. At least 50 brokers have reportedly been doing business in and around DMCH for the last couple of years. They are hired by different clinics and hospitals mostly located in old town, sources said.

The DMCH director said there is an allegation that medical representatives (MR) hamper the treatment process as they rush to doctors during visiting hours.

The authorities have hung a notice asking the MRs to enter the hospital only on Mondays and Thursdays.

Sources say the representa-

A Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB) report prepared in 2006 on DMCH shows about 31 percent outdoor patients take assistance of middlemen for appointment with doctors,

DMCH staff including ward War?" he asked. boys, sweepers, gatekeepers

## Chronic job stress leads to obesity

and lack of exercise have been strongly associated with being overweight or obese in a study. Researchers at University

of Rochester Medical Centre found that 72 to 75 percent of the employees studied were overweight or obese.

Fernandez, an epidemiologist at the URMC Department of Community and Preventive Medicine, said her research like many others linked high job pressure with cardiovascular disease, metabolic syndrome, depression, exhaus-

She explained: "In a poor economy, companies should

keeping a healthy weight.

Fernandez said. "Other studies have shown that adults tend to eat more fatty foods while watching TV. But this requires more investigation."

loudspeaker at Leda

As Awami League men

heard the news they gathered

at the school and chased BNP

men out of the school pre-

mises. The BNP men too got

reorganised and launched a

The injured are AL leader

and school governing body

president Kamal Hossain,

Jubo League leader Mufiz

Alam, Muhammad Alam, BNP

leader Zafar Alam, Nurul

Huda, Nurul Alam, Kamal

Hossain, Farid Alam and

were admitted to Cox's Bazar

Of them, Kamal and Mufiz

Officer-in-charge of Teknaf

Police Station Khaled Hossain

said they arrested Mobarak

and Mufizur Rahman in con-

A Noakhali Correspondent

reports: At least 10 people

were injured during a clash

between pro-AL and pro-BNP

men over placing of wreath on

Muktijoddha Smriti Memorial

at Senbag upazila in the early

The injured are

Mohiuddin, Sajib, Ashraful

Alam Rana, Sohag, Faruque,

Russell, Humayun and Babu.

They were admitted to differ-

of three was stated to be critical.

Of the injured, the condition

hours of yesterday.

ent local hospitals.

nection with the violence.

Mohammad Rafiq.

Sadar Hospital.

counter attack on AL men.

Government Primary School.

AL, BNP men

ees form the network of middlemen within the hospital, sources said.

BROKERS ARRESTED

Shahbagh police yesterday arrested two brokers at DMCH emergency department.

The arrestees are Hasina Begum, 50, resident of medical staff quarters and Rokhsana Begum, 40, of Agamasi Lane. They were caught while trying to take patients to a private clinic.

However, Shahbagh Police Station OC Rezaul Karim told The Daily Star that the two are the class-IV employees of the hospital.

They were released after signing a bond with police agreeing not to work as bro-

## Ashraf asks

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Slamming the move to make a new list of freedom fighters, the BNP leader said the government is doing this only to execute "certain political intentions".

"Where is the list that was made just after the Liberation Meanwhile, Jamaat-e-

Islami, many of whose top leaders are accused of war crimes, yesterday expressed doubts as to whether the investigation would be neutral, reports UNB.

Jamaat Ameer Motiur Rahman Nizami said they fear the probe might be one based on the dictates of the minis-

"This is because the way Awami League government and its ministers have been issuing statements targeting a particular party and individu-

On the eve of the Independence Day, the government on Thursday unveiled a three-member war crime tribunal, sevenmember investigation agency and a panel of 12 prosecutors.

## Boy beaten

FROM PAGE 1 trader at Rampura.

Workers at an underconstruction building in Bashundhara residential area caught Hridoy, son of Nurunnabi of Khilkhet, who trespassed on the building compound, and beat him to death at about 10:00am.

Khilgaon police said the body of mason Mohammad Farug of Kafrul was found in a flat on the fifth floor of a building at south Banashri in the evening. The body bore stab Motive behind the murder

remained unknown. None was arrested, said police.

Meanwhile, a gang of three muggers fired shots at plastic trader Milon, 22, at Rampura while he was returning home at around 8:30pm.

Locals caught two of the muggers and beat them up.

Police rescued the two and took them to Dhaka Medical College Hospital. Injured Milon was also admitted to the hospital.

League for the attack on BNP

men at Senbag in Noakhali

and demanded punishment of

from Sylhet reports that a group

of Juba Dal men led by Yakub Ali

foiled the Independence Day

programme at Shibpasha High

school under Ajmiriganj upazila

in Habiganj, as Yakub was not

ers, guardians and students

brought out a procession and

demanded punishment of the

BDR jawans

A total 37 BDR personnel took

part in the guard of honour

yesterday under the leader-

ship of Maj Ali Mostain Khan.

Of them, 33 took part in the

parade, two carried the wreath

placed by the BDR DG, and the

remaining two jawans were on

honour parade the jawans

returned the arms to the

different units of the border

force attended the

Independence Day celebra-

tion programme. Several

hundred others including

army personnel deputed to

the BDR and their relatives

Lance Nayek Munshi Abdur

Earlier, Bir Shreshtha

were also present there.

Around 300 jawans from

Soon after the guard of

of the BDR chief.

armoury, sources said.

Protesting the attack teach-

invited to the programme.

Our Staff Correspondent

the attackers.

attackers.

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the sides

## War criminals barred from going abroad

Says home minister STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Home Minister Sahara Khatun yesterday said the government has issued instructions for all major airports, seaports

and border points not to allow any 'known war criminals' to leave the country. The home minister said this to reporters after paying homage to the martyred police personnel at Rajarbagh Police Lines marking the 40th

country. Asked if the government has any plan to arrest anybody before investigation, Sahara said some might be arrested if needed.

Independence Day of the

She also expressed her government's firm determination to put the war criminals on trial.

## Four ethnic groups call on *Boisnabi*

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Khagrachhari

Four ethnic organisations in Chittagong Hill Tracts yesterday decided to call off their Boishabi celebrations as a mark of protest against the attack on indigenous people at Sajek, Rangamati, and Khagrachhari last February.

In a joint statement, the organisations said the decision was made because the indigenous people felt insecure.

Boishabi is the biggest festival to welcome the Bangla New Year in CHT.

Bijoy Kanti Chakma, member of the Sajek Bhum Rakkha Committee, said they have made the decision due to the administration's failure to arrest the culprits behind the recent violence in the CHT Moreover, the victims are still homeless and passing nights under the open sky, he added. The organisations urged

the government to form a judicial enquiry committee and arrest the criminals as soon as possible. They also repeatedly insisted the government to take initiative to rehabilitate the arson victims and withdraw the ban imposed on March 13 on nonregistered political parties holding meetings.

The other three organisations were Hill Women's Federation, Pahari Chhatra Parishad and Democratic Youth Front.

## Facebook 'distracting' kids from studies

ANI, Melbourne

Popular social networking websites such as Facebook are having a distracting effect on school children and their

studies, according to a survey. The poll, headed by Oxygen Factory, discovered nearly 80 per cent of students, aged 11 to 18 said social networking sites were a distraction from their studies.

As many as 75 per cent said they went online to check their web profiles at least once a day, while more than half felt they spent too much time on the sites, The Couriermail reported.

Facebook communities such as "I tried to study, but ended up on Facebook" and "I Was Studying, Suddenly I'm In Facebook!!" were cited as indications to the problem.

## President, PM

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Forces and Ansar and VDP bands played instrumental music.

Later, the president hosted a separate reception for the family members of the Bir Shresthas. During the meet, the presi-

dent inquired about the well being of the families and assured them of his all-out support.

The president also distributed gifts among the close relatives of the Bir Shresthas.

Chief Justice of the Supreme Court M Fazlul Karim, Deputy Leader of the Parliament Syeda Sajeda Chowdhury, cabinet members, advisers to the PM, state ministers, diplomats, Supreme Court judges, Election Commissioners, Members of Parliament, senior political leaders, national professors, cabinet secretary, chiefs of three services, editors, senior civil and military officers, academics, business community leaders, senior journalists, religious leaders, distinguished citizens

also joined the gathering.

## Call for quick trial

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solemn silence for a few moments paying their respects to the martyrs. A smartly turned out contingent of the armed forces stood at salute while the last post was played on bugles.

Speaker Abdul Hamid, the chief justice, cabinet members, parliament members, senior leaders of ruling Awami League, chiefs of the armed forces, diplomats, civil and military officials, freedom fighters, and other dignitaries were also present at the National Memorial on the occasion.

The premier then went to Bangabandhu Memorial Museum in the capital's Dhanmondi, and placed a wreath at the portrait of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman. Later she joined the Rally of Children and Youths at Bangabandhu National Stadium organised by the district administration.

Opposition Leader Khaleda Zia, accompanied by senior leaders of her party BNP, laid a wreath at the National Memorial as well. Later, she visited the mausoleum of late president Ziaur Rahman, and offered prayers for his departed

In the evening, President Zillur Rahman hosted a reception in Bangabhaban for wounded freedom fighters, dignitaries, noted citizens, and diplomats, which was also attended by the prime minister. Afterwards the president

exchanged greetings with the family members of Birsreshthas in Bangabhaban. The day was a public holi-

The officials and staff with-

drew their black-badge

programme Thursday night

on request of the two state

ministers -- Mostafizur

Rahman for land and Enamul

were held amid chanting of

slogans by the agitating min-

ers. They yesterday burnt tyres

and straws at different points

including the gate of BCMCL

They brought out a proces-

sion holding an effigy of

Mostafizur Rahman, also the

lawmaker from Dinajpur-5

(Phulbari-Parbatipur) constit-

uency, and burnt it down near

250MW power plant and

Madhyapara Granite Mining

Company Ltd expressed soli-

darity with the BCMCL miners.

Deputy Commissioner Abdul

Jalil told The Daily Star that

police administration has

taken an initiative for another

meeting between the miners

He added road and rail

communication would be

investment and how to get

agriculture loans, SME loans

bank wants to ensure inclusive

banking for all so that people

from even the remote areas

could make transactions

alerted the audience about the

dreadful effect of money laun-

dering on economy saying

bankers as well as the people

should check money launder-

ing and remain alert to money

is coming through illegal chan-

nel is being used to finance

militancy and spreading crime.

advised the banks executives to

further strengthen their moni-

toring activities against money

the people understand how

disastrous the hundi business

gested the bankers to extend

more services to the farmers

and entrepreneurs in the rural

to the banks for getting afford-

able service instead of costly

borrowing from the rural

farm loans among 11 farmers

governor of Bangladesh Bank,

Kaiser A Chowdhury, manag-

ing director of AB Bank, Aftabul

Alam, chairman of SME

Foundation, and local law-

maker Abdur Rahman Bodi,

among others were present at

As part of the programme,

the central bank will organise

rallies and discussions at 13

points including Teknaf, Cox's

Bazar, Chittagong, Feni,

Comilla, Tangail, Sirajganj,

Bogra, Rangpur, Dinajpur,

Thakurgaon, Panchagarh and

the inaugural ceremony.

Murshid Kuli Khan, deputy

Dr Atiur later disbursed

He called the farmers to go

The governor also sug-

"The roadshow will make

UNB adds: The BB governor

He also said the money that

The central bank chief

through formal channels.

He also said the central

and BCMCL and CMC-XMC.

BB starts

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easily.

launderers.

laundering.

is," he said.

mahajans.

Tetulia.

at the function.

Contacted, Dinajpur

The workers of Barapukuria

residential area.

the coalmine gate.

Processions and meetings

Haque for mineral resources.

Barapukuria

### Reckless **FROM PAGE 1**

day. The national flag was

hoisted at government build-

ings, corporate offices, banks,

leading business houses, and

A combined parade of

Bangladesh Army, Air Force,

Navy, Bangladesh Rifles, Police,

National Cadet Corps, Rapid

Action Battalion, President's

Guard Regiment, and freedom

fighters was held at the National

Parade Square in the capital in

the morning. President Zillur

Rahman received salutes at the

resonated with slogans, patri-

otic songs, and processions all

day long. People of all walks of

life, and different organisations

also placed wreaths at Shikha

Chirantan in Suhrawardy

cultural organisations also

observed the day through

were organised all over the

country where the historic

March 7 speech by

Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur

Rahman, and patriotic songs

were played on loud speakers.

Betar and Bangladesh

television channels aired

special programmes through-

brought out special supple-

in hospitals, prisons, orphan-

ages, and homeless shelters.

Special meals were served

The president, prime min-

ister, and the leader of the

opposition issued messages

restored by deploying addi

allowed food supply for the

XMC staff, was wounded while

working underground

Thursday night. He was taken

to a hospital in Rangpur yes-

dent reports, all Dhaka-

Dinajpur bound mail and

intercity trains have been

diverted to Kaunia

Gaibandha-Santahar route

from yesterday as the BCMCL

miners imposed blockade on

Ekota Intercity express, 757 up

Drutajan express and 758

down Drutajan express are

now plying the Kaunia

Due to snapping of

Parbatipur-Santahar section

long-route trains from

Dinajpur to capital Dhaka are

to cover additional 40 kilo-

aware of human rights viola-

tions and see to it that the

tough action if they were

found guilty of any illegal

activities but also congratu-

2004 by the BNP-led alliance

government to improve law

and order in the country. Since

its establishment, 654 people

have died in their custody in

"crossfires" or what the unit

E-post services

establishing her election

slogan of "Digital Bangladesh"

through the introduction of

the electronic and mobile

money order services along-

She hoped that the two

"What's most important is

electronic services would

make a big contribution to the

that rural people in remote

villages who are victims of the

digital divide will be able to

receive money sent by their

children or brothers and

sisters from urban areas

ent government will diversify

its services to the people by

utilizing the large network of

nearly 10,000 post offices

across the country, adding

that the postal department

will be made more efficient

ment has undertaken a project

to allow 8,500 post offices to

operate as e-centres. This will

Post and Telecommuni-

Wahiduzzaman were present.

Secretary Mahbubul Huq

Shakil briefed the press.

Hasina said the govern-

and service-oriented.

the public welfare.

The premier said the pres-

side the postal cash card.

national economy.

quickly," she said.

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prefers to call "encounters".

Rab was established in

lated them for being sincere.

He warned his personnel of

metres in detour.

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Rab asked

innocent are not blamed.

Gaibandha-Santahar route.

Railway sources said, 706

Parbatipur-Santahar section.

Our Gaibandha correspon-

terday, said BCMCL sources.

Meanwhile, the miners

Earlier, Mr Hao, a CMC-

on the eve of the day.

tional police force.

confined BCMCL staff.

Major political, social, and

Many cultural programmes

Uddyan of the capital.

elaborate programmes.

The National Memorial

at private residents.

march past.

Meanwhile, two sisters and the driver of their private car were killed in a head-on collision between the car and a bus on Dhaka-Chittagong highway at Daulatpur in Comilla. The mother of the girls and her brother were also injured.

The deceased are Sayma Siddika Shikha, 26, daughter of additional secretary of establishment ministry Siddigur Rahman and student of Jahangirnagar University, her sister Sadia Siddika Tuni, 9, and driver Masum. Siddiqur's wife Parveen

Siddika, 48, and her brother Mahibur Rahman Farhad, 42, were admitted to a hospital in the capital in a critical condi-Parveen's brother Sohel

Ahmed told The Daily Star that the accident happened at about 1:00pm while they were going to their village home in Chandina from their Khilgaon residence to attend a family programme. Sayma succumbed to her

wounds at Gouripur hospital while Sadia and the driver died on the way to the capital.

AKM Kawsar Chowdhury, State owned Bangladesh officer-in-charge of Daudkandi Police Station, said Television as well as private they seized the Dhaka-bound bus of Dhaka Express but its driver and helper escaped. out the day, and newspapers In another incident, a

student of a private university was killed early yesterday in a road accident in the city's Tejgaon industrial area. Tanzum Aman, 24, student

of People's University, died on the spot after the car carrying him and his three friends hit a road divider at about 1:00am. Police seized the car.

## Top outlaw

Khulna, Jessore, Bagerhat, Satkhira and Narail districts.

He is a charge-sheeted accused in 30 cases including murders. Police said Khan Alamgir

Kabir Alam, Anil Krishna Bain, Billal Fakir and Sultan, leaders of the organisation, and the founder crossed the border in 2004 in the face of combing operations by Rab and joint forces, and were staying in West Bengal. All of them excepting Shailendra were killed by their rivals in different districts of West Bengal between 2004 and 2006. The outlaw used to guide

his men in Khulna, Jessore and Satkhira through cellphone. Recently he threatened to

blow up Dumuria thana building following the arrest of his younger brother Pratap Biswas last month.

#### RU Shibir chief **FROM PAGE 16**

Shibir controlled rooms at Shah Makhdum hall.

Rajshahi Metropolitan Magistrate Ziaur Rahman granted seven days' remand against a police prayer for 10 days', said Mrinal Bhattachariya, assistant commissioner of Rajshahi Metropolitan Police.

The court also rejected Golap's bail prayer, he added.

Golap was taken to Rajshahi after his arrest by Rab in Dhaka and later handed over to Motihar Police Station early yesterday.

Earlier, Jamaat leader Gias Uddin and RU Shibir leader Ekram Hossain in their confessional statements before the same court said Golap and RU Shibir general secretary Mobarak Hossain directly coordinated and participated in the RU violence.

Both Golap and Mobarak were in contact with top local Jamaat leaders on February 8 night.

## Prime suspect

Rashid, an associate professor

of the Govt Mohila College. All of them are JCD cadres having previous crime records.

The arrested persons were produced before the chief judicial magistrate court yesterday with a prayer for a 10-day police remand. But the magistrate sent them to jail hajat and set tomorrow for hearing on the prayer, the OC He said police caught Dulal

and his accomplice Umon on the basis of some important findings. "We guess Dulal had stabbed the teacher and at least three were in the gang at the time of attack in front of the slain teachers' rented house," he added. Earlier, JCD cadre Zamal

help the post offices to take was caught as a suspect in the advantage of new trends for case Tuesday night from his house at Bonkalapara in Subid Bazar area of the city. The cation Minister Rajiuddin Chief Judicial Magistrate of Ahmed Raju, its Secretary Sylhet Md Amir Uddin granted Sunil Kanti Bosh and PM's a four-day remand for Zamal Office Secretary Mollah on Thursday afternoon. The PM's Deputy Press

Harun-Ur-Rashid was stabbed to death by miscreants on Sunday afternoon.

## Children must know

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Hasina said that she got immense joy and enthusiasm when she comes among the children. Referring to her younger

brother Sheikh Rassel, who was killed brutally in August 15, 1975, she said that her government doesn't want to see any brutal death of a child by killers.

"I don't want to see this anymore. I won't allow any sort of oppression and torture on the children," Hasina said.

She urged the children to groom themselves in order to make the country developed in science and technology.

"You've to be patriotic, you've to be expert in science and technology, you've to be capable to build the country as Digital Bangladesh by 2021," she said.

The PM greeted the countrymen on the 40th Independence Day. She said that on March 25 in

1971, the black night in the history of Bangladesh, the Pakistani military launched their heinous attack on the innocent, unarmed people of this country.

26, Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman declared the Independence of Bangladesh through the then EPR wireless and urged the freedom-loving people to join the war of independence.

She paid homage to Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur

Rahman and four national leaders as well as martyrs in the liberation war, some 2,00,000 oppressed women and all

freedom fighters. Hasina said that the Bangalees are a nation of heroes, adding "The nation, which achieved independence through liberation war can develop the country to put it in an honourable position in the

Earlier, the PM inaugurated the rally by releasing balloons and pigeons, a symbol of peace.

world. I have that confidence."

She inspected the parade on foot after declining to ride on the decorated vehicle kept for her inspection.

The premier also took salute from the children who came from different educational institutions and organisations. After the march past, a colorful physical display was held.

Deputy Commissioner of Dhaka Jillar Rahman gave the vote of thanks on the occasion. The district administration of Dhaka organised the rally.

The gallery of the national stadium was decorated with portraits of the Father of the At the early hour on March Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and seven Bir Shresthas.

> schools displayed different symbols of the country through placards. Later, the PM unveiled the

Children from different

cover of a CD containing patriotic songs of the country's LiberationWar.

## Climate battle

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Hour began in Sydney in 2007 when 2.2 million people switched off the lights in their homes, offices and businesses for 60 minutes to make a point about electricity consumption and carbon pollution. The campaign went global

the following year, and this Saturday, more than 1,200 of the world's best-known landmarks will kill their lights at 8:30 pm local time in what organisers describe as a "24-hour wave of hope and action". A raft of multinational companies including Google, Coca-

Cola, Hilton, McDonalds, Canon, HSBC and IKEA have endorsed Earth Hour 2010 and pledged to darken their offices worldwide in support. Sydney's iconic Harbour

Bridge and Opera House will help kick off the energy-saving marathon, with Egypt's Pyramids and Sphinx, the Trevi Fountain and Tower of Pisa in Italy and all major landmarks in Paris to take part, led by a fiveminute blackout of the Eiffel Tower.

Some 30 US states and municipalities were to mark Earth Hour with darkness falling on sites including Mount Rushmore, the Empire State Building, the Golden Gate Bridge and Seattle's Space Needle. The Forbidden City in rap-

idly developing China, which was blamed by many activists for Copenhagen's failure, will go dark, along with the "Bird's Nest" Olympic stadium.

Elsewhere in Asia, where 3.3 million people have registered observation wheel, the Singapore Flyer, will extinguish its main lights, while official buildings will be blacked out in Seoul. WWF Indonesia said around

to take part, the world's biggest

200 buildings would take part in Scores of cities in India were expected to participate, including the massive urban centres of Delhi and Mumbai, while the

country's thriving Bollywood

film studios were to shut down for the hour. Japan's heritage-listed Hiroshima Peace Memorial, one of few buildings to survive America's 1945 atomic bomb attack, will take part, while

major companies including Sony, Sharp and Asahi were to switch off across Tokyo. And in Dubai, the world's tallest skyscraper, the Burj

Residents of Norway's Longyearbyen, the world's northernmost town, are set to brave an influx of curious polar bears normally deterred by lights after voting -- for the first time -- that participating was

Khalifa tower, will also dim its

worth the risk. "Earth Hour is meant to cross geographic, economic, country boundaries," said

Ridley, admitting that it was mostly a symbolic act. "It's one hour, one day, one year. We're not saving the planet

by turning the lights off for one But he added: "What you are

doing is adding your voice to a global call for action."

## 37 killed

FROM PAGE 16 have launched the multi-

pronged assault in Orakzai, which is "progressing well," Khan said. Orakzai is a former bastion of Tehreek-e-Taliban Pakistan

Mehsud, whom US officials believe probably died in a US drone attack last January, but the military said there was no evidence he was in the area. US officials have praised Pakistan for launching assaults against home-grown militants,

particularly the TTP, but also

(TTP) leader Hakimullah

want the military to crack down on groups who attack Nato troops in Afghanistan. This week, Pakistan and the United States held high-profile talks in Washington, designed to forge a closer relationship between the two countries, whose strategic alliance has

fanned massive resentment in Pakistan. Secretary of State Hillary Clinton said the nations were starting a "new day" with the dialogue, which the United States hopes will show the Pakistani public that it wants a relationship that goes beyond

battling militants. Pakistani Foreign Minister Shah Mehmood Qureshi went a step further, saying US officials and lawmakers were no longer questioning whether his country was two-faced in its fight against extremism.

Pakistan's army chief of staff General Ashfaq Kayani also attended the talks, under-

scoring the twin military and civilian tracks to the relationship that has seen the US Congress pass a 7.5 billion dollar aid bill for Pakistan.

But foreign officials and analysts question the degree to which Islamabad is willing to clamp down on warlords fighting against the Americans, as well as fight against local Taliban blamed for devastating suicide attacks at home.

"This framework is based on the assumption that Pakistan would continue to take firm action against Pakistani Taliban, Afghan Taliban in Pakistan and perhaps some dialogue between some elements of the Taliban and the Afghan government,' security and political analyst Hasan Askari told AFP. Experts say the military

cannot overstretch itself, seeing little immediate prospect of Pakistan cracking down on the Afghan Taliban Haqqani network or launching a direct offensive against militant fortresses in North Waziristan. Although the fighting in

Orakzai could be seen as a possible precursor to a more sustained assault on North Waziristan, commanders are tight lipped.

"We will launch an operation in North Waziristan also, but details about when and how the offensive will be launched will be released by the Pakistan army," Khan told reporters on Friday.

## The clash ensued after some AL and BNP men became involved in an alterca-

Rouf's mother placed a wreath tion during placing of wreaths. at the Rifles Mausoleum in BNP Secretary General Pilkhana. The BDR DG also Khandaker Delwar Hossain in placed a wreath to pay homa statement blamed Awami age to the war heroes.

tives never follow these instructions. So the authorities have decided to keep an eye on MRs through CCTVs.

admission, diagnosis, operations and beds.

and even relatives of employ-

ANI, Washington

Stressful working conditions

Lead author Diana tion, anxiety and weight gain.

take care of the people who survive layoffs and end up staying in stressful jobs. It is

who were mostly sedentary. hand, appeared to be significant in dealing with stress and

# Exercise, on the other

### fruits and vegetables had little effect in offseting the effect of chronic job stress on weight gain among the employees,

#### demands, and more opportunities for physical activity that are built into the regular workday without penalty." Surprisingly, boffins also discovered that a diet rich in

#### important to focus on strengthening wellness programs to provide good nutrition, ways to deal with job