



BNP activists bring out a procession in Pabna town yesterday demanding arrest of those who attacked four local leaders of the party on May 10.

MAY 10 ATTACK ON 4 LEADERS Pabna BNP gives seven-day deadline to arrest culprits

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pabna

BNP Pabna municipality and Sadar upazila units jointly brought out a procession and held a rally in the town yesterday demanding arrest of those who attacked their four leaders at powerhouse Para under the municipality on May 10.

The BNP leaders of the two units also gave the district administration a seven-day deadline to arrest the attackers. Otherwise, they threatened to launch a tougher agitation programme.

Local BNP sources claimed that a gang of criminals attacked Rehanul Islam, secretary of Pabna Sadar upazila unit, Ilyas Ali, president of ward no 11, Kamal Hossain, secretary of the same ward unit, and Md Opel, a leader of the municipality unit, at around 11:00pm on May 10.

Of the four BNP men, Rehanul and Ilyas were admitted to Pabna General Hospital and later shifted to Dhaka Community Hospital as their condition deteriorated. The rest two were given first aid at a local clinic.

A case was filed with Pabna Police station on May 12, accusing 18 people of attacking the BNP men. One of them named Sajal is now in jail while the rest has been absconding since filing of the case.

At the rally held in front of the DC's office, President of Pabna district BNP Major (ret) KS Mahmud, Secretary Habibur Rahman Tota and Sadar upazila BNP President KM Musa alleged the attackers are moving freely under the nose of the law enforcers. They demanded immediate arrest of the accused.

Contacted, Officer-in-Charge of Pabna Sadar Police Station Md Motiur Rahman said police are looking for the accused.

Introduce provincial government system

Ershad repeats call
SAFF CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet

Jatiya Party Chairman and former president Hossain Mohammad Ershad on Wednesday again called for introduction of provincial government system in the country.

"There is no alternative to provincial government to remove the existing mismanagement in the administrative system," he said while addressing a meeting at a hotel in Sylhet city in the afternoon.

Ershad said decentralisation of power by creating eight provinces in the country is a must to strengthen the local bodies and ensure good governance.

He urged all political parties to come forward to establish provincial government system in the country.

Organised by Pradeshik Baybostha Bastobayon samannoy Committee, the meeting was also addressed by Mayor Badar Uddin Ahmed Kamran, JP leaders Ruhul Amin Hawlader and Mostafa Jamal Haider and committee's regional chief Atiqur Ranman Atiq.

The JP chairman later joined a party meeting at local circuit house.

177MM RAINFALL IN NINE HOURS Sylhet paralysed, low-lying areas of city flooded

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet

Torrential rain paralysed life in Sylhet as many areas, especially the low-lying parts of the city, went under water by yesterday noon.

The city saw 176.8 mm rainfall in nine hours till 3:00pm yesterday, said an official at the regional Met office.

Water logging in many areas of the city and its suburbs has become a nuisance for the city dwellers, especially during the rainy season.

A number of busy city roads go under water even during light to moderate rainfall as there is lack of proper drainage system.

Almost all the natural streams and canals in the city areas have become narrow due to gradual occupation by a section of unscrupulous people. Many of them have constructed buildings and commercial establishments.

Officials of Sylhet City Corporation (SCC) said rainwater cannot pass through the

drains and canals as those are too narrow and indiscriminately dumped wastes clog most of the drains.

Local people alleged that sanitation department of the SCC does not clean the drains regularly while the authorities are not sincere to evict the grabbers.

Nur Azizur Rahman, acting chief engineer of the SCC, claimed they could not provide the city dwellers with minimum services due to shortage of employees at the department.

The roads at Bilopar,

Kuarpar, Laladighirpar, Kanishail, Hawapara, Dargah Mohalla, Kajolshah, Bagbari, Shahjalal Upashahar, Tero Ratan, Jatarpur, Hosnabad, Jhalopara, Mendibag, etc go under water even after a little rain.

A number of markets including some kitchen markets also go under rainwater and people suffer a lot.

Four weeks ago, the SCC started a programme for constructing drains and freeing the natural streams / canals from occupiers in the city areas under a Tk 20 crore

project.

But the work to demolish illegal structures on the banks of streams including Malmi Chhera, Goali Chhera, Monglichhera, Kalibari Akhlaia Chhera, Bhubichhera, Boloramer Khal, Ratnar Khal Haldichhera and Bashu Khal was later suspended due to pressure from influential quarters.

Sylhet city Mayor Badar uddin Ahmed Kamran, however, said the waterlogging problem in the city will be solved when the project work completes.

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"Amendment of APSCL Tender Enquiry"

Tender Name, Enquiry No. & Date	Subject to be Amended for	Shall be Amended as
Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of a New brushless Main exciter with pilot exciter (PMG) for Steam Turbine Unit of CCP,APSCL. APSCL/PRO-01/2010/400 Dated. 08/04/2010	01)Tender last Selling date: 24/05/2010 02) Tender Closing date & Time: 25/05/2010 at 12:00 BST. 03) Tender Opening date & time: 25/05/2010 at 12.15 BST. 04) Completion time: 120 days from the date of L/C opening	01)Tender last Selling date: 08/06/2010 02) Tender Closing date & Time: 09/06/2010 at 12:00 BST. 03) Tender Opening date & time: 09/06/2010 at 12.15 BST. 04) Completion time: 150 days from the date of L/C opening

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'Decorate FFs with state honour during their lifetime'

BSS, Brahmanbaria

President of Muktiyoddher Chetona Bastabayan Committee (MCBC) Principal Abdul Ahad Chowdhury yesterday called upon the government to decorate the freedom fighters (FFs) with state honour during their lifetime.

"Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina, who is also the chief patron and chief adviser of the Bangladesh Muktiyoddha Sangsad during her previous tenure took the decision to give state honour when a freedom fighter dies," Chowdhury recalled adding that "Inshallah this time she would confer state honour to the valiant freedom fighters during their lifetime."

Principal Chowdhury, who was the former Chairman of the Central Command Council of the Muktiyoddha Sangsad, was speaking as the chief guest at a freedom fighters' rally held at the Ustad Alauddin Khan Town Hall demanding speedy trial of the perpetrators to human rights during the war of liberation in 1971.

Presided over by MCBC central leader Khan Mohammad Belayet, the function was also addressed, among others, by noted freedom fighters Principal Mizanur Rahman, Advocate Tafsirul Islam, Wasel Siddiqui, Advocate Abdur Rashid and Abu Huraira.

Referring to various demands raised by local freedom fighters, Abdul Ahad Chowdhury hoped that the government of Sheikh Hasina would implement the 30 percent reserved quota for the offspring of the freedom fighters.

One killed in Kushtia clash

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushtia

One person was killed and 10 others were injured in a clash between two groups of villagers at Fakirabad in Bheramara upazila on Wednesday night.

The dead was identified as Rajab Ali, 40, of the village. According to police, Rajab Ali had land dispute with one Faruq of the same village for long.

On Wednesday evening, a group of Faruq's musclemen attacked the house of Rajab.

Hearing the news, men of Rajab rushed to the spot and locked in a clash leaving at least 10 people from both groups injured.

Police said musclemen Anwar chopped Rajab who later died on the way to Kushtia General Hospital at about 7:30pm.

Yaba tablets recovered

UNB, Comilla

BDR personnel on Wednesday night seized 10,000 pieces of yaba tablets at Saulpur in Sadar South upazila. A special team of border guards of 33 Rifles Battalion raided the area and recovered the sex stimulating tablets worth about Tk 50 lakh from under a cross dam in an abandoned condition. None was arrested.

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"Amendment of APSCL Tender Enquiry"

Tender Name, Enquiry No. & Date	Subject to be Amended for	Shall be Amended as
Supply of Spare Parts for overhauling of Boiler & Its Auxiliary & Equipments of Unit # 1 & 2 of APSCL. APSCL/PRO-01/2010/398 Dated. 07/04/2010	01)Tender last Selling date: 23/05/2010 02) Tender Closing date & Time: 24/05/2010 at 12.00 BST 03) Tender Opening date & time: 24/05/2010 at 12.15 BST.	01)Tender last Selling date: 14/06/2010 02) Tender Closing date & Time: 15/06/2010at 12.00BST. 03) Tender Opening date & time: 15/06/2010 at 12.15 BST.

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