



Jatitya Shikhhak-Karmachar Oikya front, a body of teachers and employees, Rajshahi unit forms a human chain at Zero Point in Saheb Bazar area of Rajshahi city yesterday demanding speedy trial of war criminals.

ALLEGED SEXUAL HARASSMENT TO A GIRL

RU students lay siege to administrative building

A RU CORRESPONDENT

Students of different departments at Rajshahi University (RU) yesterday laid a siege to the administrative building demanding expulsion of a student for allegedly sexually harassing another student.

According to the agitating students, Assaduzzaman Siju, a fourth year student of RU economics department sexually harassed a third year student of the same department a few months ago. The victim has become mentally ill as Siju allegedly tortured her on and often, they alleged.

They alleged that the accused is still threatening the victim's family and creating pressure on them to marry the girl. The agitating students besieged the administrative building for one and half hours and kept the building's main gate under lock and key till 11:30pm demanding immediate expulsion of the culprit.

Later, the protesters locked in an altercation with proctor Prof Chowdhury Zakaria as he barred the students from meeting vice chancellor.

However the proctor later

allowed the students to meet the VC in the face of demonstration.

At the meeting with VC Prof Abdus Sobhan, the students threatened that they would go for tougher agitation on campus if he did not take immediate steps in this regard.

Prof Sobhan sought more times needed for official procedures.

Earlier, on Tuesday, the students placed a memorandum to the vice chancellor demanding expulsion of the

culprit within 48 hours. They launched a mass signature campaign in favour of the demand on the day.

The students also laid similar siege to the administrative building on July 21 on the same issue.



Students of Rajshahi University besiege the administrative building yesterday demanding expulsion of a student who allegedly sexually harassed a female student of the university recently.

SNIPPETS

Three AL men held

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Satkhira

Police arrested three Awami League (AL) men on Tuesday night allegedly for assaulting a freedom fighter in Tala upazila. The arrestees are ward AL President Tafaj Uddin, ward Juba League leader Akhter Hossain in Kheshra Union and Tala upazila Swetchasebok League General Secretary Abdul Momin. Police quoted local people as saying that the leaders of the Awami League and its associate bodies beat up freedom fighter Abdul Latif Biswas on Tuesday. Police arrested the three at their houses following a case filed by Abdul Latif the same day.

Lightning kills mother, daughter

OUR CORRESPONDENT, C'nawabganj

A mother and her daughter were killed by lightning at Paitali village under Nachole upazila of Chapainawabganj district yesterday Wednesday. The victims are Samorati Begum, 45, and her daughter Nasrin Khatun, 22, of Paitali village under Fatepur Union. Israil Haque, chairman of Fatepur Union Parishad, said they were lightning struck by lightning while working at their house at around 3:00pm.

10 hurt as BCL rivals clash

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Madaripur

At least 10 activists of Bangladesh Chhatra League were injured in a clash between two groups at Madaripur Government Nazimuddin University College yesterday. Witnesses said the clash ensued over an altercation between Atiqur Rahman Babu, the assistant general secretary and Masiur Rahman Nahid at 12:00 noon. The hour-long chase and counter-chase left Mintu, Titu Hawlader, Bappi Ahmad, Iadul Islam, Sabbir, Sajjad and others injured. Danish Miah, principal of the college, blamed outsiders for the clash.

WIFE MURDER

One to die, another sentenced to life

STAR NATIONAL DESK

Two people were convicted in Faridpur and Natore on Tuesday and Sunday for killing their wives while body of a housewife was recovered in Nilphamari on Tuesday.

A court in Faridpur sentenced a man to death on Tuesday for killing wife about two years ago.

Convict Sheikh Farid, 30, is son of Abdur Rashid of Moheshdori village under Bhanga upazila of the district, reports our correspondent.

Court source said, Shirina Akter, 20, daughter of Wadud Khan of Bagpura village under Bhanga upazila was married off with Sheikh Farid of the same upazila.

After marriage Sheikh Farid used to beat Shirina demanding a fat amount of dowry.

As Shirina refused to bring the dowry money, she was set ablaze in the kitchen of in-law's house on 31 May, 2008.

She succumbed to her injuries on the way to Faridpur Medical College and Hospital (FMCH) the same day.

Shirina's father Wadud Khan filed a case with Bhanga police station in this connection on 2 June, 2008 accusing three people -- Sheikh Farid, his father Abdur Rashid and mother Zarina Begum.

In Natore, another man was sentenced for life on Sunday for killing his wife in 2004, reports UNB.

Convict Abul Hossain Mollah is son of Khadem Ali of Kashimpur village in Lalpur

upazila. The court also fined him Tk 10,000, in default, to suffer one year more RI.

According to the prosecution, Abul Hossain stabbed to death his wife Syeda Khatun following a family feud on April 1, 2004. Later, he tried to commit suicide by taking poison but survived as his relatives rushed him to a local hospital.

Syeda's father Abdur Rahim filed a case with the police in this connection.

Meanwhile in Nilphamari, police recovered the body of a housewife from Dimla hospital in Dimla upazila on Tuesday morning.

The deceased was identified as Sahera Khatun, 26, wife of Abul Hossain and mother of two children, of Uttar Goyabari village in the upazila. The death is shrouded in mystery.

Police quoting hospital sources said Abul admitted her to Dimla hospital on Monday evening claiming that she swallowed poison in a bid to commit suicide.

Later, she died at about 10 pm on the same night while her husband along with his relatives fled away.

Later, on information from the hospital authorities, police recovered the body and sent it to morgue for autopsy.

Locals alleged that Abul beat up Sahera mercilessly following a family feud leaving her senseless. Later, he poured poison in her mouth in a bid to prove that she took poison to commit suicide.

50 hurt as villagers clash

UNB, Habiganj

Over 50 people were injured in a clash between two rival groups of villagers at Yala village in Baniachong upazila yesterday.

Police said Mahadev Sarker of the village took lease of two water bodies from upazila parishad recently.

When Mahadev along with his men went to install bamboos there at about 9am, supporters of Nuru Mia Talukder obstructed them, which resulted in an hour long clash.

The two groups equipped with home made lethal weapons attacked each other, leaving over 50 people injured from the both sides.

On information, police rushed to the spot and brought the situation under control.

Of the injured, 30 were admitted to upazila health complex and Sadar Hospital. Rest of injured were given first aid.

BEANIBAZAR GAS FIELD

Syndicate steals Tk 1cr oil a year

UNB, Sylhet

Oil worth about Tk one crore is allegedly being pilfered every year from the state-owned Beanibazar gas field.

Sources said, a syndicate of some dishonest officials and employees of the gas field, Padma-Jamuna depot in Sylhet and owners and drivers of tank-lorries are involved in stealing the oil.

They said the oil is pilfered from the gas field by overloading oil in tank-lorries during the supply of fuel to Padma-Jamuna depot in Sylhet. At least 100 people are involved in the network, they said.

The sources said, at least 60 oil-tankers are used every month to carry the refinery fresh oil from the Beanibazar gas field to Padma-Jamuna depot.

Although each tank-lorry is supposed to load 9,000 litres of

oil but the tankers carry 9,100 to 9,200 liters. The excess oil is being sold in open markets in Chittagong.

A government official said after loading a tank-lorry, the security lock is not properly sealed. The security lock is put in such a way so the excess oil could easily be unloaded on the way by opening the seal.

The DGM of the Beanibazar gas field said they hold no responsibility after the loaded tank lorry leaves the gas field and they are not responsible for selling oil in the black market.

Padma oil depot DGM (operation) Rezaul Karim said he did not know that oil is being stolen from the tank lorries.

However, a tank-lorry driver said on condition of anonymity that sell oil worth Tk 2,500-Tk 3,000 to meet their 'daily expenditure'.



Law enforcers unearth a clandestine firearms factory at a house at Baraikhali village in Morrelganj upazila of Bagerhat district early yesterday and arrested two people with arms making materials.

Illegal firearms factory busted, 2 arrested

A CORRESPONDENT, Bagerhat

Police early yesterday busted an illegal firearms manufacturing factory and arrested two persons while assembling arms at Morrelganj.

They also recovered a number of arms-making materials from the spot.

Following a tip-off, police raided the houses of listed drug peddlers Nayan Talukder and Shamim Talukder and unearthed the arms manufacturing factory, sub-inspector of Morrelganj police station Md Manirul Islam, said.

They caught red-handed two persons and seized five incomplete pipe guns and 27 kinds of arms-making equipments from the illegal factory.

The arrestees were identified as Khan Zakir Hossain, 35 of Rupsha upazila and Md Abdul Hakim Sheikh, 60 of Batiaghata upazila in Khulna district.

A case was logged with Morrelganj police station in this connection.

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