



PHOTO: STAR

A mobile court aided by Rapid Action Battalion seizes huge substandard jute seeds from different shops in Natore town yesterday.

44 mutineers jailed in Moulvibazar

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Moulvibazar

Forty-four jawans of 14 battalion of Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) were yesterday sentenced to jail terms ranging from four months to seven years for their involvement in mutiny at the battalion in Sreemongal of Moulvibazar district on February 26, 2009.

The special court-14, headed by Col SM Farhad, director of communication at BGB headquarter, pronounced the verdict in the mutiny case and also fined the convicts Tk 100 each.

Two other members of the court are Lt Col Md Akhtaruzzaman and Major Md saiful Wadud. Lt Col Md Nurul Huda, commander of the battalion, was the prosecutor.

According to the judgement, three jawans were jailed for seven years, seven for five years, two for four years, six for three years, two for two years and six months, seven for two years, five for one year and six months, four for one year, five for four months, one was jailed for six months, one for six years, and another for three years and six months.

Twenty-three of the convicts confessed to their involvement in the mutiny while the rest claimed innocence.

According to the prosecution, 45 jawans revolted against their officers at the battalion on February 26 in 2009, looted firearms and ammunition from armoury and opened blank shots.

They were arrested immediately after the incident and the complainant brought allegations against them. As one of the accused died in the jail, the court framed mutiny charges against 44 and punished them.

SNIPPETS

Two killed in mudslide

UNB, Gazipur

Two workers were killed in mudslide while digging a hole at Telihati in Sripur upazila on Tuesday. The deceased were identified as Abul Mansur, 28, of Khilgaon village in Gafargaon of Mymensingh and Taher Ali, 50, son of Gafur of Tepirbari village in Sripur upazila of Gazipur. Locals said, the owner of Sufia Poultry Farm hired some workers to make a new hole beside an old hole of the poultry farm. As the workers were digging earth, the back-up wall of the old hole along with litter fell on the workers, leaving two workers dead on the spot at about 11:00am. Locals recovered the body of Mansur, but could not recover the body of Taher till filing of this report at 5:00pm on Tuesday. A drive was going on to rescue the body.

Bombs recovered

UNB, Chuadanga

Members of Rapid Action Battalion (Rab) and Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) in separate drives recovered three bombs and 185 bottles of phensidyl in Sadar and Jibonnagar upazilas on Monday and Tuesday. Acting on a tip-off, a Rab team conducted a drive at Doulotdiar village in Sadar upazila and recovered three bombs from a garden beside the house of one Ghamu Mondol at around 9:30 am. The bombs were wrapped with a black colour scotch tape, Rab said. Earlier, the same team launched a drive at Harihornagar village in Jibonnagar upazila and arrested drug peddler Motiar Rahman along with 65 bottles of phensidyl in the morning. Meanwhile, BGB members of Chuadanga-Darshana special camp recovered 120 bottles of phensidyl from a goods-laden wagon at Darshana rail station on Monday evening.

Storm kills one

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Satkhira

A man was killed, over 100 houses were damaged and several hundred trees uprooted when a severe hailstorm lashed different areas in Shyamnagar upazila on March 28 evening. The deceased was identified as Sunil Kumar Mistri, 55, son of Banku Mistri of Chingrikhali village in Shyamnagar upazila. The affected villages are Chingrikhali, Harinagar, Mathurapur and adjoining areas. Shyamnagar police station officer-in-charge (OC) Subhas chandra Majhi said, over 100 kutcha houses were extensively damaged. The victim while returning home, died on the spot as a corrugated iron sheet from a damaged house hit him near his house at Chingrikhali village, he said quoting locals. Soon after the incident Jatiya Party (Ershad) lawmaker HM Golam Reja visited the spot and assured the victims of possible government help.

Girl commits suicide

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Satkhira

A 13-year-old girl committed suicide by taking poison at Paikara village in Kaliganj upazila on March 27. The victim, Sharifa Khatun, 13, was daughter of Abdul Aziz of Paikara village. Quoting locals police said, Sharifa took poison following a family trouble. She died on way to Kaliganj upazila health complex. After taking permission from the district magistrate, the victim's parents buried her without performing post mortem.

Shops gutted

UNB, Savar

At least six shops were gutted in a fire that broke out in Zirani Tenguri area of Ashulia early yesterday. Fire service and local sources said, the fire originated from an electric short circuit at a shop at about 2:30am. Soon the fire engulfed five other adjacent shops. On information, fire service personnel from DEPZ rushed to the spot and doused the flame with the help of locals after two hours of frantic efforts. Affected shop owners claimed that the extent of loss might go up to Tk 50 lakh.

Lightning kills one

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kishoreganj

A fisherman was killed and another one was injured by lightning in Karimganj upazila yesterday. The deceased, Abdus Salam, 55, was son of late Abdul Mazid of Sutarpara village in Karimganj. The injured was identified as Abdul Qadir, 50, of the same area. He was rushed to Karimganj health complex for treatment. Police and locals said, they were struck by lightning while they went to fishing on the Dhanu River.

Jubo League man killed

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Noakhali

A Jubo League activist was stabbed to death by criminals at Char Kakra village under Debiganj upazila early yesterday. The deceased, Saifuddin Khaled Rubel, 27, was son of Joyal Abedin. Quoting victim's family sub-inspector Abu Taher of Companiganj police station said, a gang of criminals numbering 7/8 entered the house of Rubel by breaking open the door around 3:30am and started stabbing him. Hearing scream of Rubel, his father came out of another house. By the time, the criminals fled the scene leaving Rubel dead on the spot. Being informed, police rushed to the spot around 10:00am yesterday and recovered the body. The body was sent to Noakhali General Hospital for post-mortem. Previous enmity might be the cause of the incident, police said.

Youth found dead

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Thakurgaon

Body of a missing youth was recovered from a river at Dabarhat village under Debiganj upazila in Panchagarh district on Sunday. The youth named Majindra remained missing since Saturday night. Debiganj police station officer-in-charge Mominul Islam said. Locals found the body floating in the river on Sunday morning. On information, police went to the spot, recovered the body and sent it to Panchagarh Sadar Hospital for autopsy. The deceased's wife, Chirata Rani filed a murder case with Debiganj police station accusing her father-in-law and her step mother-in-law. In her complaint, she said that the two killed her husband due to enmity over family property. Police detained Majindra's father Sunil Chandra and his step mother Debi Rani in the afternoon for interrogation.

FIRST DAY OF UP POLLS IN COASTAL DISTRICTS

Pro-AL men bag most chairman seats

STAR REPORT

First day's results of the ongoing union parishad polls held in coastal regions of the country showed a clear sweep by pro-Awami League candidates.

Preliminary results of 184 UPs tallied by our correspondents from the districts concerned showed that AL adherents won chairmanships in 114 UPs while pro-BNP candidates won in 55 UPs, Jamaat in seven and independents in 8 others. Results of two other UPs were not announced due to suspension of certain centres over election code violation.

Though the polls were held in a non-political fashion, in all the UPs local leaders of both AL, BNP and other smaller parties as well as non-political individuals took part as chairman and member candidates.

Pro-AL candidates had a clean sweep in Barisal division. There were 88 UPs up for grab under 12 upazilas in different districts of Barisal of which AL adherents secured chairmanships in 63 while candidates supportive to BNP won 22 and independent candidate one. Results of one UP was withheld.

In Khulna, pro-BNP candidates bagged as many as 20 UP chairmanships out of 39 UPs under five upazilas, where elections were held on Tuesday. Pro-AL candidates won in 15 UPs, independent candidates in two and pro-Jamaat one while result of another UP was withheld.

In Satkhira, pro-AL ones bagged the most - 13, followed by pro-BNP - 9, pro-Jamaat - 6 and independent - 2.

In Noakhali's Hatiya AL adherents swept by winning chairmanships in six UPs as pro-BNP candidates

could muster just one. In Cox's Bazar Kutubdia, polls held in six UPs on Tuesday. Pro-AL candidates got 3 while BNP adherents bagged 2 and independent one.

In Bagerhat 16 UPs under Rampal and Mongla were up for polls on Tuesday and AL adherents outwit pro-BNP aspirants by bagging 14 while the later managed win in one and another chairmanship was taken by an independent candidate.

Meanwhile, on the second-day of the elections to the union parishads in the country's coastal regions, voting took place peacefully in 24 union parishads (UP) of four upazilas in four districts yesterday.

The elections were held in 6 UPs in Dashmina of Patuakhali, 5 UPs in Kaokhali of Pirojpur, 7 UPs in Chitolmari of Bagerhat and 6 UPs in Ramgati of Laxipur.



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School children join a human chain organised by Chapainawabganj district anti-corruption committee in front of the deputy commissioner's office yesterday marking anti-corruption week.

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INVITATION FOR TENDER

Sealed tenders are invited for the Goods and related Services and under the terms and conditions outlined below and detailed in the Tender Document:

- Tender Ref. : MBL/HO/IT/2011/701**
- Tender Name :** Tender for the Procurement of Computer Hardware and Accessories, Network Devices, Data Center (DC) Infrastructure Development, Disaster Recovery Site (DRS) Infrastructure Development and Database of Mercantile Bank Limited to implement Core Banking Solution.

Brief description of Goods/services:		
The items shall be internationally renowned brand item. No clone/assembled items will be accepted.		
Lots	Items	Unit
3. Lot-1	i. 64 bit RISC/ITANIUM Server for Core Banking. ii. INTEL/XEON server for Backup software, EMS, TCP/IP Based Access Control and Monitoring System iii. External Disk storage iv. Tape library v. Backup software vi. SAN Switch vii. Printer viii. Rack for Data Center and Disaster Recovery Site	As per Tender Document
Lot-2	Networking Equipments	
Lot-3	DC & DR setup	
Lot-4	ORACLE Database	
4. Time for completion of the project	10 weeks for lot-1, lot-2 and lot-4 from the date of contract signature. 3 months for lot-3 from the date of contract signature.	
5. Name and address of the Office(s) Selling Tender Document	Information Technology Division, Mercantile Bank Limited, Head Office, Level-10, Eunoos Center, 52-53 Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh.	
6. Price of Tender Document	TK. 25,000/= (Twenty Five thousand Taka only) (non refundable) payable in the form of Pay Order favoring "Mercantile Bank Limited" from any scheduled Bank in Bangladesh.	
7. Date and Time for Selling of Tender Document	Starting Date: April 03, 2011 Between 10.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. on all working days. Closing Date: April 07, 2011	
8. Last Date and Time for Submission of Tenders	April 28, 2011 within 3.00 P.M	
9. Name and address of the Office(s) Receiving Tenders	Information Technology Division, Mercantile Bank Limited, Head Office, Level-10, Eunoos Center, 52-53 Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh between 10.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. on all working days	
10. Name and address of the Office Opening Tenders	Information Technology Division, Mercantile Bank Limited, Head Office, Level-10, Eunoos Center, 52-53 Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh at 3.30 pm. on April 28, 2011. Tender's authorized representative(s) are allowed to attend, if any	
11. Special Instruction	The Bank authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all offers, in part or full.	

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পুনঃ দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি

১	মন্ত্রপালয়/ভিভিশন	বিদ্যুৎ, জ্বালানী ও খনিজ সম্পদ মন্ত্রপালয় / জ্বালানী ও খনিজ সম্পদ বিভাগ
২	সংস্থা	বাংলাদেশ তৈল, গ্যাস ও খনিজ সম্পদ কর্পোরেশন(পেট্রোবাংলা)
৩	প্রকিউরিং এনটিটির নাম	জালালাবাদ গ্যাস ট্রান্সমিশন এ্যান্ড ডিস্ট্রিবিউশন সিস্টেম লিমিটেড
৪	দরপত্র নং	১৪২৫০৩/২০১০-১১/দরপত্র/
৫	কাজের নাম	হাতক উপজেলায় খনিজ সম্পদের মতুকনী নামক স্থানে ৬" ও ৮" ব্যাসের (২০০/১০০০ পিএসআইজি চাপ সম্পন্ন) উচ্চচাপ গ্যাস পাইপলাইনে লিকের জরিত কারণে স্রষ্ট্রী প্রতিস্থাপন কাজ।
৬	প্রকিউরিং পদ্ধতি	উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র পদ্ধতি।
৭	অর্থায়নের উৎস	কোম্পানীর নিজস্ব অর্থ।
৮	দরপত্র বিক্রয়ের শেষ তারিখ ও সময়	০৬/০৪/১১ ইং অফিস চলাকালীন সময় পর্যন্ত।
৯	দরপত্র দাখিলের সর্বশেষ তারিখ ও সময়	০৭/০৪/১১ ইং তারিখে দুপুর ১২.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত।
১০	দরপত্র খোলার তারিখ ও সময়	০৭/০৪/১১ইং তারিখ দুপুর ১২.১৫ ঘটিকা উপস্থিত দরদাতা/ প্রতিনিধিদের সম্মুখে (যদি কেউ উপস্থিত থাকেন)।
১১	দরপত্র দাখিল বিক্রয়ের স্থান	১) ক্যাম্প কাউন্টার, অর্থ ডিপার্টমেন্ট, জালালাবাদ গ্যাস, সিলেট। ২) ঢাকা স্মিয়ার্স অফিস, জালালাবাদ গ্যাস, বাড়ী নং ৭৪ (২য় তলা), সড়ক নং ৬, পুরাতন ডিওএইচএস, বনানী, ঢাকা।
১২	দরপত্র গ্রহণ ও খোলার স্থান	কমিটি রুম (৫ম তলা), জালালাবাদ গ্যাস, গ্যাস ভবন, মেদিনাবাগ, সিলেট।
১৩	দরদাতার যোগাযোগ	জালালাবাদ গ্যাসের ২০০৯-১০ অর্থ-বছরের ১.৪ শ্রেণীর ঠিকাদার।
১৪	দরপত্র দাখিলের মূল্য	৳ ২,০০০/- (দুই হাজার টাকা মাত্র; অফেরাযোগ্য)।
১৫	দরপত্রের জামানত	৳ ৭৫,০০০/- (পঁচাত্তর হাজার টাকা মাত্র) জালালাবাদ গ্যাসের অনুকূলে ডিডি/পে-অর্ডার আকারে জমা দিতে হবে।
১৬	কার্য সম্পাদনের সময়সীমা	৪৫ (পঁয়তাল্লিশ) দিন।
১৭	বিশেষ শর্তাবলী	ক) কর্তৃপক্ষ কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকেই সকল দরপত্র বাতিল অথবা গ্রহণ করার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করে। খ) দরপত্র গ্রহণ ও খোলার তারিখে সরকারী ছুটি বা অনিবার্য কারণবশতঃ বন্ধ থাকলে পরবর্তী কার্য দিবসে উপরোক্ত স্থান ও সময়ে দরপত্র গ্রহণ ও খোলা হবে। গ) দরপত্রে অংশগ্রহণকারী ঠিকাদারদের মধ্যে কেউ যদি ইতিমধ্যে অন্য কোম্পানীর অন্য কাজে নিয়োজিত থাকেন তাকে সেক্ষেত্রে আলোচ্য কাজের বিস্তারিত ঘটে না মর্মে অস্বীকারনামা প্রদান করতে হবে এবং উক্ত কাজের জন্য পৃথক পৃথক গাড়ী, মেশিনপত্র ও জনবল নিয়োজিত করবেন। দরপত্রের অন্যান্য শর্তাবলী কোম্পানীর নির্ধারিত দরপত্র তফসিলে অবস্থিত হওয়া বাবে এবং সে অনুযায়ী দরপত্র দাখিল করতে হবে।

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