



## THE ROAD-DIGGING MENACE

**T**HE residents of Mohammadpur, Lalmatia and Mirpur are suffering and they are risking their lives travelling on roads as the Water Supply and Sewerage Authority (Wasa) started digging to install storm-water/sewerage lines during the rainy season. The work is surely very necessary for the areas concerned but if it was done during the dry season, it would have been more safe and it would

have caused less trouble. The work near Shia Mosque is an example how the Wasa caused unnecessary suffering to locals. The contractors dug 13-25 feet deep trench from the mosque to Ramchadpur Khal apparently making surrounding buildings on both sides of the road vulnerable.

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