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Students of different educational institutions and rights activists join a human chain at Nirala intersection in Tangail town yesterday demanding death sentence to the culprits who gang-raped a schoolgirl, keeping confined at a house in Madhupur of the district for four days from December 6 last year.

3 'robbers' beaten to death in 2 districts

STAR NATIONAL DESK

Two alleged robbers were beaten to death by a mob at Arpara village in Sadar upazila of Kushtia early yesterday, reports our correspondent.

The deceased were identified Arif Hossain, 25, son of Alam Hossain of Shankardia village of the upazila, and Ashraful Islam, 35, son of Atiqul Islam of Dhambalpur village in Alamdanga upazila in Chuadanga district.

Another member of the gang, Hasibul, 15, caught by the mob, was handed over to the police. Police recovered one pistol, three bullets, a Chinese axe from the spot.

Joydul Abedin, additional superintendent of police in Kushtia, said a gang of 7-8 robbers stormed into the house of one Idris Ali at

Arpara village around 1:30am.

Hearing screams of the family members, neighbours rushed to the spot and surrounded the house, the ASP said.

At one stage, they entered the house and caught three of the gang while others fled the scene, he said.

The villagers beat up two of them indiscriminately, leaving the duo dead on the spot, he added.

Police recovered the bodies and sent those to Kushtia General Hospital. Injured Hasibul, also of Shakardia village, was arrested by police.

Away in Narayanganj, another alleged robber was killed in a mob beating at Uta village under Sonargaon upazila early yesterday, reports our corre-

spondent.

The deceased was identified as Faysur Rahman, 38, of Khizirpur area in the upazila.

Acting officer in-charge (OC) Harun-ur-Rashid of Sonargaon PS said, a gang numbering 15-16 were preparing to commit a robbery.

Sensing the presence of the robbers, locals announced it through the loud speaker of the local mosque.

The villagers chased the robbers, caught two of them and gave them a good beating, leaving Faysur dead on the spot while Musa, 40, seriously injured, the OC said.

Faysur was a charge-sheeted accused in three cases, including for robbery, with the police station, the OC said.

SNIPPETS

JCD forms human chain

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Bogra

District committee of Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) formed a human chain at Satmatha in the district town yesterday demanding withdrawal of police cases filed against pro-BNP organisations. Sources said, a clash took place between Jubo League and Chhatra and Jubo Dal activists during the 18-party called hartal at Khokon Park of Shatmatha area in the town on Dec 21, 2012. JCD activists threw cocktails and petrol bombs on the police, leaving Additional Superintendent of Police Kaosar Sikdar seriously injured. Sadar police later filed a case against 79 pro-BNP activists.

Doctors protest attack

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Khulna

Doctors here yesterday brought out a silent procession in the city, demanding their security and safety in the hospitals. Swadhinata Chikitsok Parishad Khulna unit organised the procession which started from BMA building at around 10.00am and ended at City's Shahid Hadis Park after parading Khanjahan Ali Road and Khulna Press Club area. Later, a rally was held with BMA vice president Dr. Sheikh Baharul Alam in the chair. The speakers at the rally demanded arrest and punishment of the culprits who attacked doctors at Chuadanga hospital.

12 hurt in clash over land

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Moulvibazar

At least 12 people were injured in a clash between two rival groups over a piece of disputed land at Kathaltoli Bazaar in Borolekha upazila on Wednesday. Of the injured, two were admitted to Osmani Medical College Hospital and others taken to the upazila health complex while the rest given first aid. Police and locals said, there was a longstanding conflict between UP member Mokbul Ali and Nisat Hotel owner Selim Uddin of the bazaar over the land. When Selim went to the land, Mokbul along with his supporters rushed to the spot and resisted the rival group, triggering a clash. Sub Inspector Mahbub Ahmed of Borolekha PS said they arrested 4 people in connection with the clash.

15 shops gutted

UNB, Patuakhali

At least 15 shops were gutted in a devastating fire at Pakhimara Bazar in Kolapara upazila early yesterday. Abdul Malek, local union parishad chairman, said that the fire originated from an unknown source at around 4.00am. Fire fighters from Barguna district headquarters reached the spot one hour later but by that time locals managed to douse the flame. The loss in the fire was estimated at Tk 40 lakh.



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Chapainawabganj townspeople form a human chain in front of the deputy commissioner's office yesterday demanding immediate steps to stop gambling and obscene dances at a fair in Rajarampur area of the town in the name of jatra (open air drama).

CHAPAINAWABGANJ

Townspeople protest gambling, obscene dances at fair

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Chapainawabganj

People of the district town yesterday formed a human chain, demanding steps to stop gambling and obscene dances at a fair in Rajarampur area.

Under the banner of a committee to resist boozing, gambling and unsocial activities, they also held a rally in front of the deputy commissioner's office in the town to realise the demand.

Addressing the rally, the speakers said that obscene dance and gambling are being held in the name of jatra (open air drama) and variety show at the fair arranged by a section of people.

Besides, different drugs were being sold there openly, alleged the speakers. The area has become a

heaven for drug peddlers as heroin, opium, phensidyl and other items are easily found, they said.

They also urged the authorities to take stern action against the drug peddlers in the area.

Later, they submitted a memorandum to the DC in favour of their demand.

Among others, Abdul Matin, mayor of the municipality and convener of the committee, Principal Abdul Jalil of Namoshankarwati Degree College and Abdus Samad, president of Sector Commanders' Forum, spoke.

DC Shah Alam said necessary measures would be taken against those responsible for the offence after investigating the matter.

The fair began on Tuesday, said the organisers.

Drug peddlers attack houses of protesters

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

A gang of drug peddlers damaged at least 11 houses, two of them belonging to freedom fighters, in Baluadanga area of the district town on Wednesday night.

The affected house owners are Md Alauddin Mia and Mobarak Ali, both freedom fighters, Aktar Hossain, Sahiruddin, Younus Ali, Ratan Mia, Alal Bapari, Rubel, Chanmia, Abdur Razzak and Muslim Uddin.

Police said the freedom fighters and others recently opposed a drug network of the gang in the area.

Angered, the drug peddlers ransacked the houses at around 9:00pm and looted valuables worth Tk 3 lakh from there, said the victims.

A case was filed with Dinajpur police station accusing a few notorious drug peddlers of the area in connection with the incident.

Invitation of Tender

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Education.
2	Agency	Bangladesh Bureau of Educational Information & Statistics (BANBEIS).
3	Procuring entity name	Bangladesh Bureau of Educational Information & Statistics (BANBEIS).
4	Procuring entity code	Not used at present.
5	Procuring entity district	Dhaka.
6	Invitation for	Computer (PC), Laptop, Printer & Computer Accessories.
7	Invitation Ref No.	No. BANBEIS/compi-45/12/17
8	Date	02-02-2013.

KEY INFORMATION

9	Procurement method	Open Tendering Method (OTM).
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FUNDING INFORMATION

10	Budget and source of funds	GOB.
11	Development partners (if applicable)	Not applicable.

PARTICULAR INFORMATION

12	Project/programme code (if applicable)	Not applicable.
13	Project/programme name (if applicable)	Not applicable.
14	Tender package No.	01
15	Tender package name	Procurement of Computer (PC), Laptop, Printer & Computer Accessories.
16	Tender publication date	03/01/2013.
17	Tender last selling date	20/01/2013.
18	Tender closing date and time	Date: 21/01/2013 Time: 2.00pm
19	Tender opening date and time	21/01/2013 3.00pm
20	Name & address of the office(s)	Address
	-Selling tender document (principal)	BANBEIS, Room No. 217(1 st Floor), 1, Sonargaon, Road, Palashi, Dhaka-1205.
	-Receiving tender document	BANBEIS, Room No. 214 (1 st Floor), 1, Sonargaon, Road, Palashi, Dhaka-1205.
	-Opening tender document	BANBEIS, Conference Room (2 nd Floor), 1, Sonargaon, Road, Palashi, Dhaka-1205.
21	Place/date/time pre-tender meeting	Not applicable.

INFORMATION FOR TENDERER

22	Eligibility of tenderer	(a) Up-to-date trade license (2) TIN certificate (3) VAT registration certificate (4) Up-to-date Income Tax clearance certificate & (5) Other documents described in tender documents.			
23	Brief description of goods or works	Computer (PC), Laptop, Printer & Computer Accessories.			
24	Price of tender document (Tk)	Tk. 750/- (seven hundred fifty) only.			
25	SI No.	Identification of lot	Location	Tender security amount (Tk)	Completion time in weeks/months
25	01	Computer (PC), Laptop, Printer & Computer Accessories	BANBEIS, Dhaka	Tk. 30,000/-	21 working days
26	Name of official inviting tender	Md. Mosharraf Hossain.			
27	Designation of official inviting tender	Administrative Officer.			
28	Address of official inviting tender	1, Sonargaon Road, Palashi, Dhaka-1205.			
29	Contact details of official inviting tender	8631125	9675211-2		
30	The procuring entity reserves the right to increase or decrease number of any item or accept/reject all tenders.				

All to grab land of her father

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Patuakhali

A girl has stopped attending college as a few locals harassed her on the way to the institution in Rangabali upazila.

Victim's father Alamgir Hossain of Phulkhali village submitted a written complaint to Bangladesh Ain Sohayota Kendra in Dhaka in this regard on Tuesday after failing to get support from the local people.

According to the complaint, the girl, a first year student at Rangabali College, could not attend classes because of the teasing.

Villagers said it was done in a planned way by a local following a dispute over a piece of land.

One Abdur Razzak allegedly occupied the land of the girl's father recently. When Razzak was asked to return the land, he filed a false case with Rangabali police station against the plaintiff to harass him.

Mahbubur Rahman, officer in-charge of the PS, however said Alamgir is a charge sheeted accused in a murder case.

Regarding the stalking issue, the OC said nobody came to him to file any complaint in this regard.

Girl rescued

UNB, Laxmipur

Police rescued a girl from Jhumur Movie House area in the town on Monday, 18 days after she was abducted by criminals.

Police said that the teenage girl, a class IX student of Tumchar Dakhil Madrasa, was kidnapped by a gang, led by Tauhidul Islam, son of Hafiz Ullah of Bainchanagar village of local municipality, from Shimultala when she was returning to her Tumchar home from the madrasa on December 13.

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The Paramount family expresses deep grief and sorrow over the sad demise of **Mohammed Nurul Islam** (Inna.....Raziun) Chairman of Flora Group, the father of **Mr. Mustafa Rafiqul Islam (Duke)**, Managing Director of Flora Telecom Limited. Late **Mohammed Nurul Islam** was the true inspiration and motivator for us.

We, the Paramount family convey our deepest condolences to the members of the bereaved family and pray to the Almighty Allah to give them the strength and resilience to bear and overcome this irreplaceable loss. May Almighty with His infinite mercy bless the departed soul.

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