

20 injured as garment workers, police clash

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At least 20 workers of a readymade garment factory were injured in a clash with police that took place when the workers tried to blockade Dhaka-Tangail highway in Zirani Bazar of Ashulia yesterday over payment of arrears and festival bonuses. Workers of Liberty Fashion Wear Limited vandalised the factory when they came to work yesterday morning and saw that their salary for the month of September and Eid-ul-Azha bonus would be paid on October 13, according to our Savar correspondent. Earlier, the factory authorities had told the workers that they would get their salaries and bonuses on Thursday (yesterday), workers claimed. At one point, about 1,500 agitating workers tried to blockade Dhaka-Tangail highway. On information, police rushed to the spot and charged baton and fired tear shells to disperse the workers, said Abdus Sattar, deputy assistant director of Ashulia Industrial Police. The factory authorities could not be reached over phone despite repeated attempts. Meanwhile, workers of several garment factories in Tongi and Gazipur demonstrated yesterday over different demands, said our Gazipur correspondent. Workers of Viyellatex Group observed work abstinence after the authorities declared seven-day Eid holiday instead of 10 days. Employees of four other garment factories in Gazipur sadar demonstrated demanding salary increase.

2 DU students stabbed

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DU Acting Proctor Amzad Ali said action will be taken against the offenders after an investigation. Witnesses said the duo were locked into an altercation with Asif, of Fazlul Haque Muslim Hall, inside a university bus, Chhotali. When the bus reached Teacher-Student Centre's main gate, Asif collected a knife from his friends, who were waiting before the gate, and they together stabbed Niloy indiscriminately. Sharif also got stabbed as he intervened to save Niloy. The duo were rushed to Dhaka Medical College Hospital. Asif was expelled from the university six months ago for threatening a teacher in the exam hall, the proctor added.

'Friend' kills

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In primary interrogation, Sumon confessed to killing the victim for money, said the official.

Juta protests

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which left five teachers injured. Two other assistant proctors quit the previous day. The attack led by JU unit BCL President Mahmudur Rahman Jony came when Shadharaon Shikhhak Forum was staging a sit-in in front of the administrative building. The agitators also alleged that Prof Anwar assaulted two other teachers on his way to the administrative building that day, an allegation he refuted. Shadharaon Shikhhak Forum, which has been demonstrating intermittently since April 27 to force the VC to quit, postponed its demonstration till October 20 after a meeting between Juta and the education secretary. The forum said the secretary was given the time to work out a solution.

BNF seeks

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debates. Nothing in the world is above debates." He denied previous newspaper reports that BNF would ask for "sheaf of wheat." "We never expressed such a wish." Election Commissioner Shah Nawaz said, "No political party will get a symbol that looks similar to another party's symbol." BNP urged the EC several times not to register BNF for using the photograph of BNP founder and late president Ziaur Rahman and allegedly wanting "sheaf of wheat". The EC is likely to register BNF soon with the EC officials saying that BNF fulfilled all registration criteria. The EC gave BNF additional time twice to fulfil the criteria.

RPO amendment won't

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He also criticised the prime minister for meeting her party leaders and activists at her official residence. "It's unfair. None speaks out due to lack of courage," he said. CPB President Mujahidul Islam Selim demanded a constitutional amendment so that the national elections could be held under the caretaker government for the next two terms. All discussants opined for introducing Proportional Representation (PR) system in the election wherein the number of parliamentary seats won by a party is proportionate to the number of votes it received. BSD General Secretary Khalequzzaman chaired the function.

Shibir strikes countrywide

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10 people injured, said Ziaur Rahman, officer-in-charge of Boalia Police Station. Police fired nearly 40 rubber bullets and several tear-shell canisters to disperse Shibir men who blasted three crude bombs, and threw brick chips at the law enforcers. In Comilla, at least three policemen were injured in a clash with Shibir activists in Chawkbaraz area around 10:30am. They also blasted crude bombs and vandalised one police van and one minibus.

Cross-examinations

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Lutfuzzaman Babar, on finishing the cross-examination of two PWs. The two are the first investigation officer (IO), Inspector Ahadur Rahman, and constable AKM Mohiuddin. The last PW is Mohammad Moniruzzaman Chowdhury, also the fifth and the last IO. The defence and prosecution lawyers were locked into altercations over whether the court would give the directives first or let Moniruzzaman's cross-examination begin. Ahadur could not be brought to the court despite several attempts as the accused might have threatened him, said Chittagong Metropolitan Public Prosecutor Advocate Kamal Uddin Ahammad. Moreover, yesterday's date was fixed for cross-examining Moniruzzaman only, he said, adding that the absence of PWs would affect only the prosecution, not the defence. The two cases, one for smuggling firearms and the other under the arms act, were filed a day after seven truckloads of arms and ammunition were seized at a jetty of Chittagong Urea Fertiliser Ltd in Chittagong city on April 2, 2004.

Govt conspiring to hold

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Mosharrar was addressing a discussion at Jatiya Press Club on former president of Government Akbar Ali College unit of Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal Naziruddin Jehad who was killed on October 10, 1990 while participating in a rally at Paltan in the capital to oust autocratic HM Ershad. Citing a survey of a Bengali daily, he asked the government not to underestimate opposition BNP as it had become "the best party". Referring to the survey, he said about 50.3 per cent voters were ready to vote for BNP.

Workshop

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https://www.facebook.com/haydhaka. Only writers aged 18 and above are requested to apply. The workshop will provide participants with important tips on how to write a short story and have it critiqued by fellow writers. "This workshop is going to be a tremendous opportunity for aspiring Bangladeshi fiction writers to pick up tips on the art of short story writing directly from the likes of Allah Allfrey," said Sadaf Saaz Siddiqi, co-producer of Hay Festival Dhaka 2013.

Poet Dilwar

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He formed "Samannay Lekhok O Shilpi Sangstha" in Sylhet. He had at least 15 publications. The body was kept at Sylhet Central Shaheed Minar at Chouhatta for an hour for people to pay homage yesterday afternoon. He was buried with full state honour at his family graveyard following his namaz-e-janaza at Bharthokhola Shahi Eidgah after Isha prayers yesterday. Communist Party of Bangladesh and Sommito Samajik Andolon, in separate statements, condoled the death.

Culmination

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of the murder was Meghla. She started having an altercation and the trio arrived, said Biplob. "At one stage, Sunny brought out a machete he was carrying inside his shirt and tried to hit Enamul. It slipped from his hand and Jewel picked it up and hit Enamul," he said. Pervez, the first to be arrested through detective sources, spoke of the others. The four arrestees claimed they did not have any plan to rob the booth.

Political parties must

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"It is a practice of evil culture when the political leaders, especially of the ruling party, use children in their programmes," Lenin added. E n a m A h m e d Chowdhury, adviser to BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia, echoed Lenin and urged the political parties not to use children for their parties' petty interests. Awami League lawmaker and Whip Shagufta Yasmin said the political parties must not use children for electoral purposes. Sultana Kamal, executive director of Ain o Salish Kendra and former adviser to a caretaker government, said, "The state must ensure a congenial environment for children so that they can grow up being liberal and scientific-minded." Workers Party Politburo Member Fazle Hossain Badsha MP, Bangladesh Samajtantrik Dal leader Rajekuzzaman Ratan, among others, also spoke.

5 carjackers held

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On Wednesday, detectives arrested Manzu Mia, 25, and Ahammad Ali, 30, with a private car from Narsingdhi. Following their confessional statement, the law enforcers on the day recovered four cars and arrested Sohel Anwar, 32, from different areas of the capital, said detective officials. On September 29-30, they recovered four cars and arrested Dulal, 46, and Abdus Sattar, 35, in separate drives from the capital. One microbus and three motorcycles were also recovered from the capital in the last two weeks.

Victims' relatives still waiting

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authorities registered their district Dinajpur instead of Manikganj. Mala told The Daily Star yesterday that she had been suffering for around six months due to the wrong information which was not her fault. She said this while visiting the Rana Plaza site. Mala said her village was Purba Vakum in Singair upazila in Manikganj district. She had got only Tk 20,000 to bury her daughter's body. She said, "I'm leading an inhuman life." Like her many relatives of Rana Plaza victims, including Hanufa Begum, wife of Abdul Gani; Shahida Begum, mother of Shanta Akter, are still waiting for compensation.

Faulty Salehpur Bridge

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Thousands of passengers across the bridge on Dhaka-Aricha highway, risking their lives. On October 10, 2010 a Boishakhi Paribahan bus plunged into the river Turag when it tried to get on the bridge. Abu Yusuf Miah, president of Society of Rural and Urban Development, presided over the programme where Md Sagiruzzaman, a local environmentalist was, among others, present as chief guest.

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