

## Rehana meets Indian envoy

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina's younger sister Sheikh Rehana yesterday had a lengthy meeting with Indian High Commissioner to Bangladesh Pankaj Saran.

Reliable sources told The Daily Star that during the two-hour-long meeting starting at 6:00pm, the duo discussed various issues, especially Bangladesh's ongoing political situation and the upcoming parliamentary election.

Further details could not be known.

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The investigators are also taking into account the findings of other inquiries by government and non-government bodies including the district magistrate, home, labour, and LGRD ministries, and Bangladesh Garment Manufacturers and Exporters Association (BGMEA), he said.

Investigation of a normal murder takes two or three months, so it is unfair to expect that the investigation of an incident which killed so many people at a time will be completed in such a short period of time, Kar added.

Meanwhile, charge sheets in two other cases filed by Dhamrai police against Soheli Rana for possession of arms and drugs were submitted earlier and are currently under trial.

## Road crashes

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Our Chapainawabganj correspondent reports, driver of a locally made three wheeler died when a bus hit the vehicle at Moharajpur in Sadar upazila in Chapainawabganj yesterday.

The deceased was Tutu Mondal, 40, of the upazila.

Our Bogra correspondent adds, Nur Alam, 30, of Chokjora village, died when a truck ran him over at Silimpur on Rangpur-Dhaka highway in Bogra town yesterday.



Local onions on sale at Tk 50 per kilogramme from a Trading Corporation of Bangladesh (TCB) truck in the capital's Topkhana Road yesterday. As per TCB, the onions were selling for up to Tk 80 in the capital's kitchen markets.

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## Subhan's indictment

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date after Abdur Razzaq, the chief of defence counsels of Jamaat leaders, completed his submission on the indictment hearing yesterday.

Moving a discharge petition, Razzaq said the documents, submitted by the prosecution in support of the charges, "did not fulfill the condition of law."

Although the prosecution said Subhan was a leader of the Peace Committee and collaborated with Pakistani army in 1971, they "failed" to specify his crimes, he said.

Razzaq claimed that the charges were brought against Subhan for "political reasons" and prayed for his client's acquittal from the charges.

On September 15, the

prosecution pressed nine charges against the Jamaat Naye-e-Ameer and said the role of Subhan was similar to that of war crimes convict and former Jamaat chief Ghulam Azam during the war.

According to the charges, Subhan, as vice-president of the Pabna Peace Committee, was involved in at least nine

incidents of crimes against humanity and genocide.

Son of Sheikh Naimuddin and Nurani Begum of Tailakundi village in Sujanagar upazila of Pabna, Subhan was the founder ameer of Jamaat in Pabna and a Majlish-e-Sura member of the party's central unit in undivided Pakistan, said the prosecution.

## Condition of artist Murtaja Baseer 'critical'

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Ailing artist Murtaja Baseer has been undergoing treatment at the capital's United Hospital since Friday.

The condition of the 82-year-old painter suffering from cardiac and lung related ailments, was critical, his elder daughter Munira Baseer told The Daily Star quoting doctors.

Earlier he had been admitted to Central Hospital.

"The Wings" and "Epitaph for the Martyrs" series are among the finest works of Murtaja who is considered one of the foremost artists of Bangladesh.

He is one of the nine offspring of scholar and linguist Dr Muhammad Shahidullah.

Khaleda Zia. The government would not be able to materialise its dream in the face of people's wrath, he said.

The government is trying to stage a drama in the name of holding election and it will not be acceptable either to the country's people and the international community, he added.

Bar Council member Golam Mostafa Khan, among others, were present.

## PM should suspend her

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press conference organised by the Bar Council, the highest statutory body to give licence to lawyers of the country to practice in courts, at its conference room.

The present government has amended the constitution to hold a unilateral election excluding the main opposition, BNP, to clinch the power forever, said Hossain, also an adviser to BNP Chairperson

## Writ filed

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were made respondents to the petition, filed by Supreme Court lawyer Eunus Ali Akond.

The HC bench of Justice Mirza Hussain Haider and

Justice Muhammad Khurshid Alam Khan adjourned the petition's hearing till the schedule is announced, Eunus told The Daily Star.

## 27 Bangladeshis

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provided their wages.

"We will be out of hell if we can return home. Please pray for us," he said, adding that their health was deteriorating for not being provided adequate food and being kept in a place resembling a prison.

Yesterday's sit-in by some 20 relatives was staged following another hearing where they were again provided no assurance.

They left only after BMET Additional Director General (employment) Javed Ahmed assured of meeting their demand in seven days.

"We really feel that the relatives and migrants are suffering a lot. It is our failure that we could not address it," Javed told The Daily Star.

## 'TALKS OF ARMY INTERVENTION' It's a section of civil society's attempt to come to power

### Joy tells Kolkata's The Telegraph

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina's son Sajeeb Wazed Joy said a section of the civil society was talking about army intervention in the country's ongoing political crisis as it was the only way for that section to come to power.

In an interview with the Kolkata daily The Telegraph published yesterday, Joy said, "A section of our civil society wants power, but they can never win an election. As the only way they can come to power is through the backing of the military, they are talking about army intervention."

"But I can tell you that the people of this country will not tolerate this. The successes of our government have been so overwhelming that the population will not support any intervention against a legitimate government that is trying to hold a credible election," he added.

"Right now, there is no general or officer who has the appetite for a coup attempt," he affirmed.

Joy said as any coup attempt would be very bloody, "I don't think there is any group of officers inclined to take that risk. I can tell you that Sheikh Hasina will not hand over power. It can only happen over our dead bodies."

"To have a successful coup, you will have to physically get Sheikh Hasina to hand over power. The guards guarding this house (Gono Bhaban, the prime minister's official residence) are faithful to Sheikh Hasina. There is no way the guards will allow anybody to step in, Joy added.

On his future plan, he said, "Right now, I am working on the elections and am travelling back and forth as my family is in the US. After the election, I don't know... But I think these elections are going to be critical for Bangladesh as they will determine the future of leadership in this country."

He went on to add, "If the BNP somehow manages, through a miracle, to come to power, there is going to be a transition in the leadership to her (BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia's) son (Tarique Rahman)."

## Man dies as train hits him

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

An unidentified sexagenarian died after a train hit him in the capital's Kamalapur yesterday.

The accident occurred underneath the Kamalapur overbridge when the man was crossing the rail tracks around 2:45pm, said police.

He died at Dhaka Medical College Hospital.

He was wearing a checked shirt and a lungi, and had badge with "freedom fighters are the best sons of time" written on it, said police.

## Atlanta city to host

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At the pre-announcement ceremony, a highlight was the vocal performance by

Monica Yunus, the daughter of Muhammad Yunus, who is co-founding director of Sing for Hope.

## Employment Opportunity

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2/1, Block-D, Lalmatia, Dhaka-1207  
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Application with CV, two recent photographs, copy of educational and job experience certificates and details of two referees should be addressed to:

**Head of Finance & Administration, Institute of Microfinance (InM), 2/1, Block-D, Lalmatia, Dhaka-1207**

Qualification and age may be relaxed for deserving candidates.

Please write the name of the post applied for on the top of an A4 size envelope.

**Last date of submission:** 07 December, 2013.

InM is an Equal Employment opportunity provider. Any unsolicited recommendation for any candidate is strongly discouraged.

Only short-listed candidates will be called for interview.

## Vehicles

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The activist, Jashim Uddin, of Shayerkhali union in Chittagong's Mirsarai upazila succumbed to his injuries on November 23, five hours after being beaten with sticks by unidentified miscreants in Shayerkhali's Samiti Bazar around 10:00pm.

Aminul Islam, general secretary of Sitakunda's Barabkunda union unit, was found dead with bullet wounds in the head by the road in Sitakunda's Ponthichila on November 20 after allegedly being picked up by detectives three days ago.

## SQ Chy lawyer

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against humanity and genocide during the 1971 Liberation War.

Detectives arrested Fakhrul in the capital on November 20. The next day, he was sent to jail in the case filed under the Information Communication Technology Act 2006.

In connection with the leak, police arrested two tribunal employees--cleaner Nayan Ali, and office assistant Faruk Hossain--early last month.

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