Dialogue

Nine organisations, including Bangladesh Nari Progati Sangha, will arrange a dialogue on elections; Venue: Cirdap Auditorium; Time: 9:30am.

Seminar

Economic Research Group, Dhaka will arrange a seminar on "Development Ideas: Linking Research to Policy"; Venue: Azizur Rahman Conference Hall, The Daily Star Centre; Time: 9:00am.

Dialogue

National Human Rights Commission will hold a national dialogue on the current human rights situation; Venue: Shilpakala Academy; Time: 9:15am.

Discussion

Human Rights Forum Bangladesh will hold a discussion on "Human rights, democracy and leadership: Mandela and current Bangladesh" Venue: CBCB Centre, Mohammadpur; Time: 4:00pm.

Road crashes

FROM PAGE 5 Kandipar in Sadar upazila

yesterday morning. Our Natore correspondent adds, human huller driver Liton Hossain, 26, was killed on the spot as a truck and his vehicle collided head-on in Gunaigati area of Baraigram upazila yesterday noon.

Rab claims

Kismat Hayat.

FROM PAGE 5 Commanding Officer

The remaining two accused, the building's owner Latifunnesa Shamsuddin and manager Faruque Hossain, are on the run.

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RANA PLAZA RUINS More human remains found

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OUR CORRESPONDENT, Savar

At least 20 human bones and a broken skull were found in the Rana Plaza rubble in Savar yesterday, the fourth such recovery in two weeks.

The street boys who came across the remains said they saw many more in the pile of concrete about 10-12 feet high.

Inspector of Savar Model Police Station Dipok Chandra Saha said, "We collected the bones and will take necessary steps after discussion with the higher authority." On December 13, four street boys found some skeletal

remains for the first time. More remains were discovered on Sunday and Monday.

The nine-storey Rana Plaza collapsed on April 24, killing at least 1,134 people and injuring and maiming several hundred. According to the army, which led the rescue, 159 victims

are still unidentified or missing.

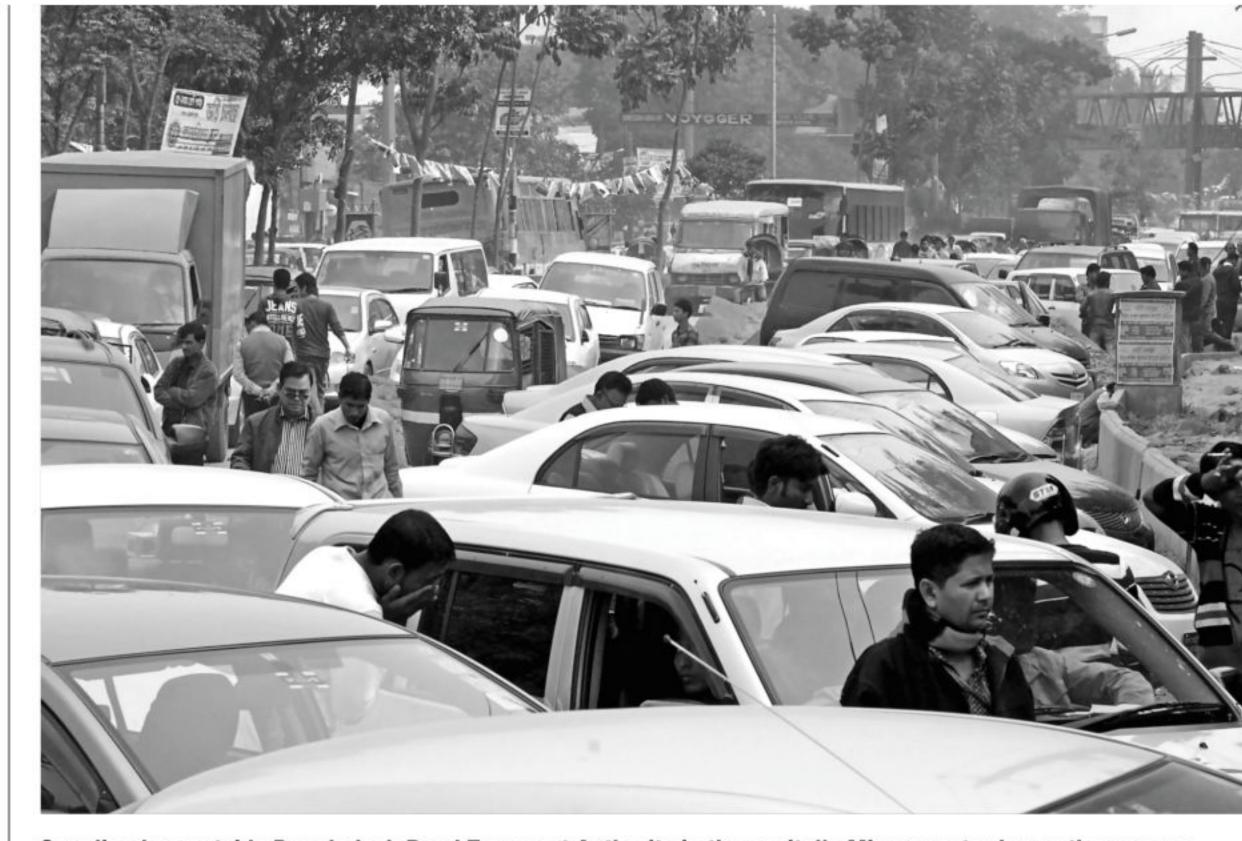
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Bangladesh and Cable

day, leaders of Cable

Operators Association of

Owners Association declared that they would not carry Pakistani television channels.



Cars lined up outside Bangladesh Road Transport Authority in the capital's Mirpur yesterday as the owners scurry to renew their permits seizing the opportunity on a day without political agitation. The BNP-led opposition had enforced five spells of blockades, ending 5:00pm on Tuesday. PHOTO: SK ENAMUL HAQ

FFs vow

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Quader Mollah.

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but not our training," he

said. "If necessary we have to

take arms in hands again to

Bangladesh Muktijodda

Sangsad, Chittagong

District Unit Command,

organised the rally to

denounce Pakistan's parlia-

mentary resolution against

the execution of war crimi-

nal and Jamaat leader Abdul

demanded snapping diplo-

matic ties with Pakistan,

boycotting Pakistani prod-

ucts and executing other war

Jamaat-Shibir, the defeated

forces of 1971, is hatching a

conspiracy to turn Bangladesh

into Pakistan, said freedom

fighter Md Shah Alam. "To save

our motherland as well as the

spirit of independence, we

have to stand united," he urged

The protesters also burnt

Pakistan's flag and brought

The freedom fighters

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Ministers' home grounds got higher

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boycott on 208 days. In the case of the ruling party, attendance of Tangail's lawmakers, all of whom are from the AL, was as low as 42 percent.

Besides, the foremost barrier to a democratic parliament from becoming effective was the concentration of supreme power in the hands of the prime minister, making her wield absolute power, it said.

The neglect women empowerment faced can be exemplified by the 39 districts from where no woman was elected lawmaker in the last four

However, 19 female MPs 17 districts in the 9th parliament. Earlier, the highest number of female representatives in a single parliament was eight, said the report.

Health governance in district hospitals saw, on an average, vacancies in 40 percent posts of doctors and in 58 percent posts of nurses, it added.

Addressing as chief guest, former adviser to a caretaker government Hossain Zillur Rahman said citizens must be vocal to protect their rights otherwise there would be no democracy. On the January 5 10th

were directly elected from parliamentary polls, he said people can protest the "voter-less" election wearing black badges as their franchise was "vanishing". He said the country was

facing a crucial challenge to maintain democratic rule and good governance would not exist without proper rule of law. Bangladesh Political

Science Association President Prof Ataur Rahman and former health secretary Zafar Ullah Khan, among others, discussed these topics.

Joint force launches raids in capital

mentioned.

FROM PAGE 3 police took part in the drives conducted between 12:00 midnight and 8:00am."

Intelligence agencies also helped them provide information about the criminals, he added.

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pared a list of criminals that includes the accused in criminal cases filed with different police stations, drug and arms traders and those involved in arson attacks and vandalism in the capital, the DB official

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will commit and will insti-

AL urges EC action

FROM PAGE 3 that necessary actions will be taken against those who

gate to make someone commit this offence, he added. Asked about this, Chief Election Commissioner (CEC) Kazi Rakibuddin Ahmad said the EC had no jurisdiction over it because

it was not any electoral

campaign or programme. "We have the jurisdiction to give permission and impose an embargo on the programme because it is not an election rally. It is another thing. So, those, who have legal jurisdiction, will take necessary measures," he said at the EC

Secretariat last evening. Alamgir once again said that AL would extend its allout cooperation to the EC for holding a free, fair and peaceful election.

When journalists referred to reports that Alamgir requested the chief election commissioner on Sunday to stop making public the wealth statements of the candidates, the former minister denied the allegation.

"The Election Commission itself will take the decision what information to keep on its website and what to not. We didn't have any formal discussion over this matter."

He also criticised the media, saying, "Only the income tax authority has the jurisdiction to raise question about the wealth statement of any person. Those, who are raising question about the wealth statements of the candidates, should disclose their statements first. Then they should talk about others'."

115 opposition

FROM PAGE 3 society members to unearth the reasons behind the "killings".

To collect information, some of their people have already visited different districts including Noakhali, Laxmipur, Satkhira and Nilphamari where opposition men were killed, he added.

The joint force is conducting drives in different districts to contain the opposition movement, and journalists are being barred from collecting information, he alleged. Mahbub said the "terror-

ists" of Awami League had killed many opposition men under the veil of the joint force's drives. Most of the raids are being conducted in the dark of night, he continued.

Saying that a one-sided election will not be acceptable, he urged the Election Commission to announce a fresh schedule to ensure participation of all parties.

Dhaka University's former vice chancellor Prof Emajuddin Ahamed, SCBA President AJ Mohammad Ali and its Secretary AM Mahbub Uddin Khokon, its former president Zainul Abedin, General Secretary of Jatiya Press Club Syed Abdal Ahmed, BFUJ President Ruhul Amin Gazi, its General Secretary Shawkat Mahmud, DUJ President Abdul Hye Sikder, and its General Secretary Jahangir Alam Prodhan also spoke.

Parliament

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remark at a discussion at CPB office in the capital. The "one-sided" election

will provide Jamaat-Shibir with a pretext and opportunity of inflicting more violence on the people as Jamaat wants to stop war crimes trials at any cost.

CPB President Mujahiudul Islam Selim;

BSD General Secretary Khalequzzaman and CPB General Secretary Abu Zafar Ahmed, among others, spoke at the event.

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