

More than 60pc polling centres vulnerable

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Barisal
 A staggering 89 of the 139 polling centres in Gournadi and Bakerganj upazilas under the district have been marked as vulnerable ahead of the upazila parishad elections to be held on February 19, said sources at district election office and police.
 Forty-five centres with 276 polling booths for 1,25,286 voters of Gournadi and 94 centres with 647 polling booths for 2,13,968 voters of Bakerganj upazila

Both AL, BNP in trouble with 'rebel' aspirants

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet
 Both Awami League and Bangladesh Nationalist Party (BNP) have failed to field single candidate for the posts of chairman in four out of six upazilas of the district in the upcoming upazila parishad elections.
 AL central Organising Secretary (Sylhet division) Misbah Uddin Siraj said they expelled seven party men on Saturday for not quitting the election race on the last day of withdrawal of nomination papers.
 District BNP Organising Secretary Ali Ahmed yesterday told this correspondent that the party would take a decision about the rebel candidates very soon.
 In Golapganj upazila, AL-backed candidate Iqbal Ahmed Chowdhury is contesting the election while rebels Humayun Islam Kamal and Akbar Ali Fokhor are also in the race.

Sylhet, Bogra AL expel 'rebel' candidates

STAR COUNTRY DESK
 Sylhet district AL at an emergency meeting on Saturday night expelled eight for contesting upazila elections violating party decisions, reports our staff correspondent.
 They are 'rebel' upazila chairman contestants -- district AL organising secretary Humayun Islam Kamal, also the sitting vice chairman of Golapganj upazila parishad, office secretary of the same upazila AL Ali Akbar Fokhor and Zakiganj upazila AL member Younus Ali.
 The 'rebel' vice chairman candidates, who were also expelled during the same meeting are Jaintapur upazila AL law affairs secretary Altaf Hossain, Osmaninagar thana AL assistant publicity secretary

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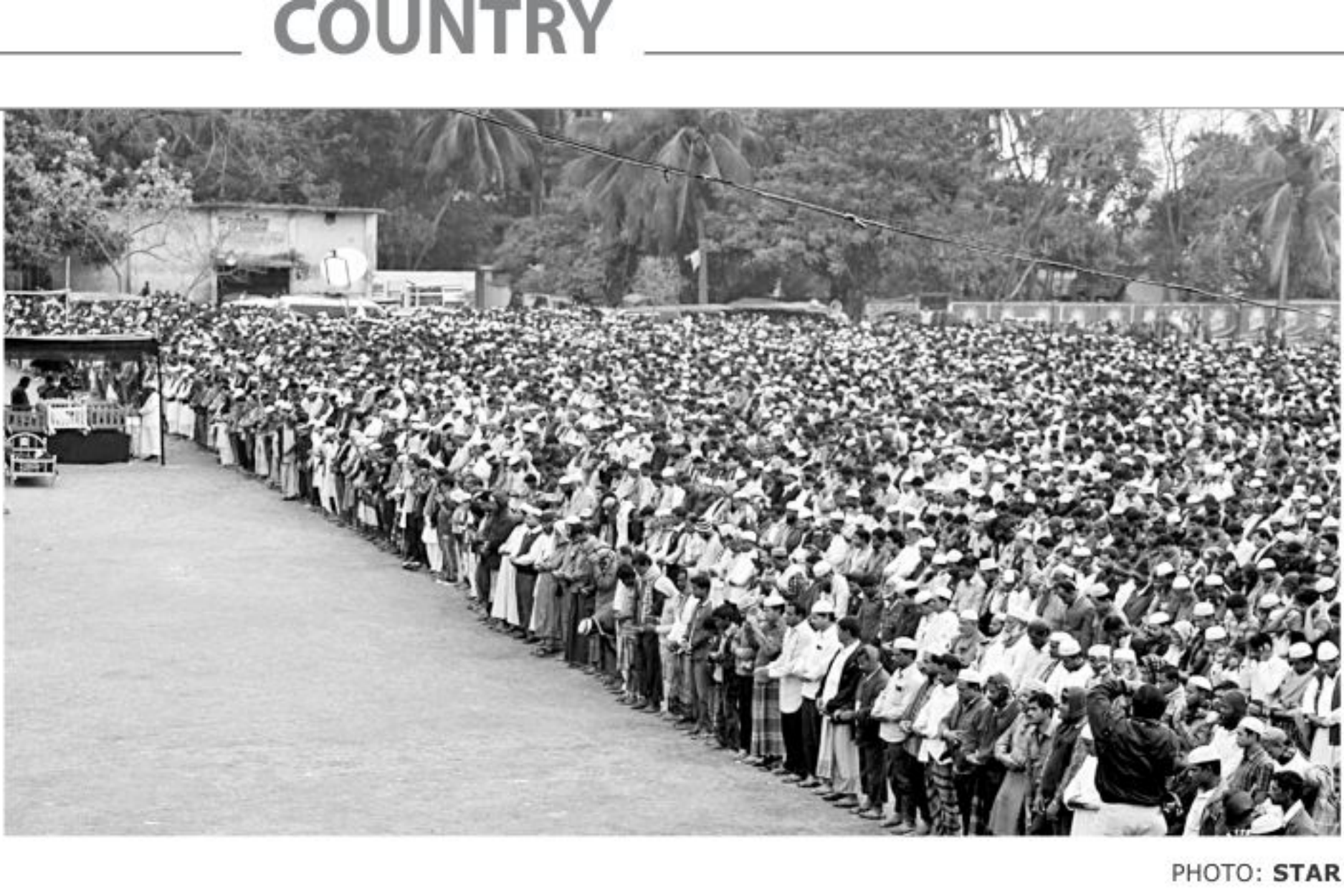
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Namaz-e-Janaza for seven school kids, killed in a road accident on Saturday night, was held at Benapole Ball Field in Sharsha upazila of Jessore yesterday.

Benapole mourns death of school kids

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Benapole (Jessore)
 A pall of gloom descended on Benapole area on arrival of the bodies of seven school kids from Jessore Sadar Hospital yesterday afternoon.
 A three-day mourning, declared by Benapole municipality Mayor Ashrafur Islam, began in the municipality yesterday.
 Namaj-e-Janaza for the school kids was held at Benapole field at 2:00pm. Several thousand people attended the janaza.
 Later, the school kids--Shanto, Mithila, Sabbir, Suraiya, Akil, Shahana, and Akhi--were buried at their respective villages in Sharsha upazila.
 Seven children of Belapur Government Primary School in Benapole were killed and when a bus carrying them veered off the road during a downpour and fell into a pond in Chougacha upazila of Jessore on Saturday night.
 At least 47 others, including teachers and students of the school, were injured in the accident.
 Police suspect that the slippery road in the rain could be one of the reasons for the accident. The children had gone to Mujibnagar in Meherpur for the picnic.
 All educational institutions in Shahsa upazila remained closed yesterday to mourn the death of seven school children.
 Jessore district administration yesterday formed a four-member committee headed by Additional Deputy Commissioner Sabina Yasmin to probe the bus accident. The committee has been asked to submit its report within three days.
 A special *doa*, seeking salvation of the departed souls and early recovery of the injured school kids will be held at all government primary schools across the country today (Monday).

Four outlaws to die for murder in Bagerhat

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Bagerhat
 A court here yesterday sentenced four members of an outlawed party to death for killing a 'gram' (village) police in 2004.
 The convicts are Shamim Sheikh, son of Abul Sheikh, Anwar Sheikh, son of Osman Sheikh of Mulghar village, Rony Sardar, son of Abdul Ali Sardar of Kakdanga village and Habi Molla, son of Harun Molla of Sonakhali village in Fakirhat upazila. All of them were active members of the outlawed Purb Banglar Communist Party (PBCP-ML).
 They were tried in absentia.
 One of the accused, Ibrahim Sheikh *alias* Ibra, son of Imruj Sheikh of Mulghar, died during the trial.
 According to the prosecution, Harun-or-



Students of primary schools in Shailkupa upazila form a human chain on a road at Sheikhpara Bazar in the upazila yesterday, demanding immediate arrest of the culprits who killed four-year-old Laxmi Rani of the area after abduction on February 10.

BSF hands over 12 Bangladeshis

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Thakurgaon
 The returnees a Provat Barman, 30, son of Amulya Barman, Radha Barman, 25, wife of Provat Barman, Rup Rani Barman, 15, daughter of Provat Barman, Ajit Kumar Barman, 30, son of Shoshi Mohon Barman, Awusti Mohon Barman, 23, wife of Ajit Kumar Barman, Ritu Rani Barman, 12, daughter of Ajit Kumar Barman, Animesh Barman, 14, son of Ajit Kumar Barman of Gouripur village, Premananda Barman, 30, son of Chinta Mohon Barman of Lashkarpara village, Sudhir Barman, 28, son of Sottayendranath Barman of Begubari village, Nipun Barman, 26, son of Fanibhusan Barman, Nishita Rani, 08, daughter of Nipun Barman, Mita Rani, 25, wife of Suvash Chandra Barman of Sondalganj village in

AL man's cadres torch 13 houses of party rivals

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh
 A group of people, allegedly belonging to ruling Awami League (AL), torched at least 13 houses of their rivals at Swalpo Paschimpara village in Gouripur upazila on Saturday night.
 Police said, Shahed Ali, an AL supporter was attacked by a gang on Friday night on his way back home. Injured Shahed was admitted to Gouripur upazila health complex.
 As Shahed had a long-standing rivalry with Mustakim Member, also an AL supporter, over establishing supremacy in the area, Shahed's men blamed Mustakim and his men for the attack, said police.
 Following the attack on Shahed, his sons -- Swapon and Nayan -- along with their men attacked the houses of Mustakim Member and his relatives around 9.00pm and ransacked the houses. At one stage they torched 13 houses, said Hamidur Rahman, officer in-charge of Gouripur police station.
 Laxmipur clash
 In Laxmipur district, local Awami League men clashed with the activists of Jamaat-e-Islami and its student body Islami Chhatra Shibir at Charalrance Bazar in Kamalnagar upazila on Saturday, leaving three people injured.
 Police and witnesses said the clash ensued following the arrest of Kamalnaga upazila unit Jamaat Nayebe-Ameer Shihab Uddin at noon, reports UNB.
 As a sequel to the arrest, some Shibir men beat up three people, including upazila unit AL leader Shahjahan and Chhatra League (BCL) leader Fahad Hossain Tipu, at Charalrance Bazar around 7.00pm.
 At one stage, AL and BCL men attacked the Shibir activists, triggering a chase and counter chase between them.
 At least five shops and two party offices of BNP were vandalized during the melee.

Jubo League leader killed in Cox's Bazar

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Cox's Bazar
 A local leader of Jubo League was brutally killed by unidentified criminals at Kalarmarchhara in Maheshkhali upazila yesterday.
 The deceased was identified as Mujib Ullah, 24, convener of Kalarmarchhara union unit of the ruling party's youth wing and son of AL leader Abul Hashem of Andhar Ghona village.
 Mujib's brother Syedul Quader said that a gang of 20-25 swooped on their house in the early hours and stabbed Mujib indiscriminately.
 They also hacked Hashem as he came to the rescue of his son, leaving both of them seriously injured.
 The two were first rushed to Cox's Bazar General Hospital where the on duty doctors referred Mujib to Chittagong Medical College Hospital.
 However, the Jubo League leader succumbed to his injuries on the way to the hospital around 1:00pm.
 Syedul alleged that Mujib was killed as he joined a committee formed recently to resist the local robbers. He used to help the administration to locate and arrest the criminals.

HWF RALLY IN KHAGRACHHARI 'Punish culprits who raped, killed Sabita'

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Khagrachhari
 Leaders of Hill Women's Federation, a front organisation of United Peoples Democratic Front, yesterday demanded immediate arrest and punishment of the criminals who killed Sabita Chakma.
 They were holding a protest rally in Mukta Mancha area in the district town.
 They also said Sabita was killed after rape and blamed three settler Banglees for it.
 The accused are Nasir, driver of a sand carrying tractor, its helper Nazrul and Labour Nasir.
 The speakers at the rally said that violence against the indigenous women were rising gradually in the district as most of criminals did not get punishment, while the police played a mysterious role.
 They urged the government to take immediate initiative to ensure justice in all cases of violence against the indigenous women of CHT region.
 Earlier, on Saturday evening, police recovered the body of Sabita Chakma from a bush in Kamalchhar area of Sadar upazila.
 Her husband Dev Ratan Chakma said, Sabita went missing from noon on Saturday after she went out to collect grass for cattle. Later locals found her body in a bush about 30 yards from their house.

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| CDMP Phase II, Ministry of Disaster Management & Relief Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh 92-93, Mohakhali Commercial Area, Dhaka-1212 Ph: 9890937; 8821255 | | | |
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