

# Shitalakkhya: River of the floating

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found on Wednesday, three days after they were kidnapped from the Narayanganj District Judge's Court area.

On Thursday morning, police recovered the seventh body from the area.

Nazrul, who has been working at the trawler ghat since 2004, said more bodies are found in the one kilometre stretch of the river banks from Madanganj to Shantinagar than the other parts of the banks.

"In most cases, bodies of middle aged men were found. Also, there were children and women victims," he added.

Most of the bodies were found with hands and legs tied. At times, bodies were dumped in sacks tied to bags full of bricks or stones.

According to an estimate by Toki Mancha, an anti-terrorism platform in Narayanganj, over 30 bodies were found in the Shitalakkhyasince February 15 this year.

Rafiur Rabbi, convener of the platform, said about 50 bodies were found in the district in the last two and a half months. The rest of the corpses were recovered from the Balu river, some other small water bodies and the ground.

Rabbi's 17-year-old son Tanvir Mohammad Toki was found dead on the bank of the Shitalakkhya on March 8 last

year, two days after he went missing.

Since the brutal killing of Toki, as many as 20 children have been killed in the district, mentioned Rabbi.

The overall law and order in the district has deteriorated alarmingly after the January 5 parliamentary polls, he added.

Visiting the Fatullah Police Station on Thursday, this correspondent saw the parents of an adolescent crying their hearts out.

The body of their 17-year-old son Nur Alam was found floating in a water body in Shashangaon area on Wednesday, said victim's father Abdus Sattar.

A garment worker, Nur had been missing since Sunday evening when he went out of home.

Seven people, aged around that of Nur, abducted and later strangled him to death as he owed Tk 15 to one of them, said Akhtar Hossain, officer-in-charge of Fatullah Police Station, quoting an arrestee.

Police arrested two people in this connection. Meanwhile, one Mohsin claimed that his nephew Al Amin, 16, has been missing since April 1. He repeatedly asked for police assistance in rescuing the child, but in vein.

Al Amin went out of home at Ishdai under the police station after receiving a

# Kidnap reported frequently

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brother Liton, who sent the money through bkash, a mobile phone-based financial transaction service.

On information from the trio, police rescued Mahidul on Thursday, Sanjay Kumar Kundu, Kurigram police superintendent, said.

Shah Alam, another police constable allegedly involved in the abduction, was still at large.

All the three policemen were temporarily suspended, said the Kurigram SP.

In Noakhali, a local businessman was allegedly kidnapped from Begumganj yesterday.

Victim's brother Abul Hossen said two men riding on a motorbike picked up Abul Bashar from Alaiyapur area around 12:30pm and sped away.

About two hours later, Bashar's wife received a phone call and heard her husband from the other end. Bashar told his wife that he had been kidnapped and asked her to send Tk 5 lakh to the abductors through bkash.

Ehsanul Kabir, assistant superintendent of Begumganj circle police, said they have received the complaints and were trying to rescue Bashar.

Meanwhile in Tangail, three people were rescued and nine people were arrested in connection with the abductions in the last three days.

Police rescued Ekramul Alam Dipu, 25, of Gazipur's Joydevpur and Arif Mia, 24, of Tangail's Kalihati after they raided a house in Pikora village of Kalihati upazila on Thursday night. After kidnapping them from Ashulia and Bypile areas of Gazipur on Wednesday night, the abductors had asked the victims' families to come to the village with Tk 2 lakh ransom for each. A microbus used in the kidnapping was seized from there.

Earlier on Wednesday night, the DB police of Tangail rescued a garment worker three days into his abduction and arrested five people in this connection.

Mobarak Hossain, 25, was kidnapped while he was returning from his workplace to his rented house at Konabari in Gazipur on Monday.

Police rescued him from the Baby Stand area of Kalihati after tracking the location of the calls made by the abductors to demand ransom from the victim's wife.

Meanwhile, an abducted school boy was found near his home in Gazipur on Thursday night seven days after his abduction.

Mobarak Hossain Rakib, 14, was allegedly abducted on April 24 when he was returning after his school, said his father Rafiqul Islam, who runs a cooperative at Barmi Bus Stand area in Sreepur upazila.

Earlier on April 9, the same group of kidnappers abducted Rakib's younger brother Mehedi Hasan. The 11-year-old was found dead near his home a day later.

Rafiqul suspects the same people, who killed Mehedi, were behind Rakib's abduction as well.

"After the kidnapped Rakib, I got numerous calls from the abductors. They said they had orders to kill all the members of my family ... They didn't tell me who or where they got the orders from," Rafiqul told The Daily Star.

In Naogaon, locals caught 11 people who were trying to kidnap a businessman in Manda upazila on Thursday.

They rescued Bazlur Rashid, 35, a cloth store owner at Mithapukur Bazar, and seized a microbus used by the culprits, reports Bangla daily the Prothom Alo.

After a mob-beating, the abductors were handed over to police.

## Bangladesh

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bolster economic growth and foster sustainable development.

Following the presentations, international investors had the opportunity to discuss the potential of Bangladesh as an investment destination directly with the government delegation.

On the regulatory side, the IPR called for setting out in a clear and transparent manner the conditions for investment, enlarging the scope of the Foreign Private Investment Promotion and Protection Act of 1980 (FPIPPA), and reconsidering the regulatory functions of the Board of Investment.

The IPR also presented an in-depth strategy for upgrading public infrastructure, with action-oriented policy recommendations on areas such as the institutional framework for public-private partnerships, transportation plans.

The industries minister appreciated and took note of the findings of the IPR of Bangladesh, mentioning that "this review has paved the way to underscore important viewpoints in promoting investment in Bangladesh, including foreign direct investment and joint ventures, in line with our national growth and development objectives."

## Global press freedom slips

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were not immediately available.

Last year, the country's press freedom was lambasted on several grounds, including the death of reporters Sarwar Sagar and Meherun Runi, as well as the fact that no one could be convicted following the incident, according to the report.

About overall global trends, Karin Karlekar, project director of the report, said they are definitely negative.

Karlekar said press freedom is under attack in many regions of the world.

"We saw a real focus on 'attacking the messenger,'" she told a news conference, including "deliberate targeting of foreign journalists" in many countries.

"In every region of the world last year, we found both governments and private actors attacking reporters, blocking their physical access to newsworthy events, censoring content, and ordering politically motivated firings of journalists," she said.

Of the 197 countries and territories evaluated in 2013, Freedom House found 63 rated "free," 68 "partly free" and 66 "not free."

The top-ranked were the Netherlands, Norway and Sweden, and the lowest North Korea, which ranked just behind Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan.

The report expressed concern on use of new technologies by authoritarian governments to filter online content and to monitor the activities of reporters.

"Governments have become more sophisticated in their efforts to crack down, even in the online space," said Karlekar.

The report ranked countries on a scale of zero to 100, with the lowest numbers representing the best score, and also compiled an aggregate global number to measure press freedom.

The average global score was at its worst since 2004, and the percentage of people living with a free news media fell to its lowest since 1996, the report said.

The population figures are due in part to the impact of China, rated "not free," and India, "partly free." Those two countries account for more than a third of the world's population.

The US remained in the ranks of countries with a "free" press, but fell in global rankings to 30th best, tied with Australia.

The report cited a "limited willingness of high-level (US) government officials to provide access and information to

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At one stage, Mukit asked the SI to wait outside the restaurant after having his meal, a waiter told The Daily Star.

He then called three other BCL activists -- Nowshad of political science department, Bipul of English department and Shohag of Bangla department -- over the phone and asked them to show up.

As soon as the SI came out of the restaurant, an altercation took place between him and the BCL activists. On information, some on-duty police officials rushed to the spot and took the four to the police station.

As the news spread, around a hundred activists of the hall unit rushed to the police station and pelted the law enforcers with brick chips. The unruly students also smashed window panes of the police station and damaged a motorbike there.

SI Saifullah and Sobuj, an Ansar member, sustained injuries in the incident, said Yasir Arafat, acting OC of the New Market police.

They were rushed to Rajarbagh Police Lines Hospital, he said, adding that they were preparing to take legal steps against the persons responsible for the attack.

Contacted, DU Acting Proctor Amzad Ali, said, "We are working to identify the students who were involved in the

## Law and order worries

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The NHRC boss urged all to play their roles in protecting people's rights.

According to legal aid and civil rights organisation Ain O Salih Kendra, at least 39 people have disappeared in the first quarter of this year and there have been allegations that law enforcers were involved in abductions.

Mizanur made the remarks while addressing the inauguration of a two-day workshop on human rights at Kuakata of Patuakhali. The NHRC and Faria Lara Foundation jointly organised the programme.

Salina Hossain, member of NHRC, Anwar Hossain Khan, vice-president of Faria Lara Foundation, Banshree Mitra, coordinator of Manusher Jonno Foundation, and AHM Azimul Haque, additional superintendent of police in Patuakhali, also spoke at the workshop.

Around 70 participants, including human rights workers, government officials, journalists and development workers took part in the first day of the workshop.

## BNP might have links

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a clandestine movement. We are investigating to see who are behind this all," he told a discussion organised by Bangladesh United Islami Party yesterday.

He was referring to BNP Vice-chairman Sadeque Hossain Khoka's call for ouster of the government through a clandestine movement if people's democratic right to wage a "logical" movement is trampled.

At a May Day rally in Gazipur, Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina had also drawn a reference to Khoka's statement. She alleged there was no doubt the BNP was behind the recent disappearances.

The rally was organised by Jatiya Sramik League at Bhawal Badare Alam College ground in Gazipur.

The premier also urged the BNP to return to the "path of normal movement", reports the UNB.

Referring to the BNP, she said, "Those who grab power through killings, coups and conspiracy believe in the politics of clandestine attacks."

The state minister for home, meanwhile, has summed up all the steps taken for investigation into the abductions.

"The law enforcers are conducting raids to find the criminals. They are tracking the cellphones of potential suspects. In addition, a red alert has been issued in the border areas to ensure the criminals don't flee the country. In the city itself, microbuses with black-tinted windows are not being allowed," he said.

One was arrested in connection with Thursday night's abduction of businessman Saiful Islam, he informed.

Meanwhile, during a visit to Narayanganj, Additional Deputy Inspector General of Police (Dhaka Range) Khandaker Golam said the government would consider replacing every law enforcer of the district whose "failure" was responsible for the abduction and murder of the councillor and six others.

"If the police lack sincerity in the investigation, appropriate steps will be taken against them," he added.

Seven officials of Narayanganj, including the deputy commissioner, the superintendent of police and the commanding officer of Rab-11, have already been replaced.

## Pak minister attacks Modi

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from Pakistan if he comes to power.

Khan said that the "provocative and condemnable statement of expected prime minister of India and leader of major political party is touching last limit of enmity towards Pakistan," state-run APP news agency reported on Wednesday.

# Social hurdles stand

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nearly seven lakh against around 4.5 lakh in 2003. Their pass rate in last year's SSC exams was also spectacular; about 88 percent, around 5.6 lakh, came out successful.

According to the University Grants Commission, the number of students pursuing higher education in public universities and colleges, and in private universities doubled to around 20 lakh in the last 10 years. Of them, more than eight lakh are female.

But their representation in civil service is not much satisfying.

The highest number of female candidates accepted in the last 10 years was in the 33rd BCS examination where 38 percent female candidates out of a total of 8,378 candidates were recruited in different posts.

However, around 55 percent female candidates were recruited in the 32nd (Special) BCS, but that was only for freedom fighters' dependents, and female and indigenous candidates.

"Women lag behind in competitive exams like BCS as they get less chance to prepare than a man usually gets," said Prof Mahbuba Nasreen of sociology department at Dhaka University.

Even after completing graduation or post graduation, a man can stay at dormitory to prepare for BCS, she said, adding, "Women on the contrary don't get the opportunity after a certain stage."

She said settling down in life was more important to women than pursuing a professional career in many families.

Noted educationist Rasheda K Choudhury agrees with the view.

She said, "In our country, most girls are married off during their education life. After marriage, a girl has to face challenges like managing the family, bringing up children and so on. Eventually, many such girls give up studies."

Ayesha (not her real name), a homemaker of Mohammadpur, passed the preliminary test of 32nd (Special) BCS exams, but she could not sit for the written tests as she had to give priority to the family over her career.

"My husband was in favour of taking the exams, but I had to give up as I could not prepare after managing the family and my two children," she said.

AT Ahmedul Huq, former chairman of Public Service Commission, said it becomes

BCS	MALE (%)	FEMALE (%)
24th	72.89	27.1
25th	74.54	25.46
26th	66.13	31.87
27th	74.62	25.38
28th	69.41	30.59
29th	71.54	28.46
30th	68.57	31.54
31st	70.42	29.58
32nd	44.90	55.10
(Special)		
33rd	61.78	38.22

SOURCE: PSC

difficult for women to go for BCS examinations after marriage.

"BCS exam demands a lot of study and women who pursue this after their marriage cannot give much time for studies," he said, adding that that was why there was a 10 percent quota for female candidates.

Besides, civil service jobs involve transfer and posting. Most women hence avoid these jobs considering it a big challenge, observe the experts.

"Since a government employee can be transferred, many families do not want their daughters to work in distant places fearing for their safety," said Rasheda, also executive director of Campaign for Popular Education.

Tania Haque, chairperson of women and gender studies department at DU, said many women go through a tough time even in flexible jobs like teaching due to family responsibilities. They simply can't think of civil service.

"Where to stay when recruited, what happens after the transfer, or will the family agree to it -- these questions hover around a woman's mind before going for any civil job," said Tania.

According to her, guardians want their daughters to study, but many of them, even the girls, are not focused on developing their own social identities.

Prof Mahbuba said women have lesser exposure in public domain and so their studies hardly go beyond the books prescribed at educational institutions.

The experts said the society still believes

# 2 Hindu leaders

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media on Thursday, adding those who divide people to come to power should be exposed.

Modi is pitted against Aam Aadmi Party leader Arvind Kejriwal and Congress candidate Ajai Rai in Varanasi. Polling in the constituency will be held later this month.

Swami Adhokshjanand said he would not campaign for any particular party but just wanted that secular parties should win.

Aides of Swami Swaroopanand said the octogenarian pontiff would not be able to personally campaign against Modi due to his poor health and age but his close associate Swami Avi Mukteswaranand would do so on his behalf.

He had protested with the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh or RSS, the BJP's ideological mentor, against 'Har Har Modi' slogan inspired by a Hindu religious incantation, saying it amounted to "worship" of a man and "God will stop Modi" if it was not stopped.

Sensing a religious controversy, Modi had immediately asked his supporters to refrain from raising such slogans.

The Puri Shankaracharya said Modi has committed "sins" and no justice-loving person can ever "like" him.

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<b>শর্তাবলীঃ</b> আবেদনকারী প্রার্থীকে নিম্নস্বাক্ষরকারী বরাবরে লিখিত আবেদনপত্র নিম্নোক্ত বিবরণসহ আগামী ৮ মে ২০১৪ইং তারিখে অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ের মধ্যে দাখিল করতে হবে। আবেদনপত্রে প্রার্থীর- (ক) নাম, (খ) পিতার নাম, (গ) মাতার নাম, (ঘ) স্থায়ী ঠিকানা, (ঙ) বর্তমান ঠিকানা, (চ) জন্ম তারিখ, (ছ) জাতীয়তা, (জ) শিক্ষাপত্র যোগ্যতা, শিক্ষা প্রতিষ্ঠানের নাম, শিক্ষাবর্ষ, পাসের তারিখ ও বিভাগ/শ্রেণী ও (ঝ) আবেদনকারীর পূর্ণাঙ্গ জীবন-বৃত্তান্তসহ আবেদন দাখিল করতে হবে। ১. আবেদনপত্রের সাথে পাসপোর্ট সাইজের দুই কপি ছবি এবং সাদাপত্রের সত্যায়িত কপি জমা দিতে হবে। ২. আগামী ১০ মে সকাল ১০:৩০ ঘটিকায় কোয়ালিটি কন্ট্রোল অফিসার পদের প্রার্থীদের এবং বেলা ১:০০ ঘটিকায় রিপোর্ট ক্যালেব্রার, Abstract Compiler, এডিটর ও রিপোর্ট রিভিউয়ার/এডিটর পদের প্রার্থীদের সাাক্ষরকার নিপোট ভবনে অনুষ্ঠিত হবে। সাাক্ষরকারের সময় শিক্ষাপত্র যোগ্যতার মূল সনদ এবং আবেদনপত্রে উল্লিখিত অভিজ্ঞতার মূল সনদ দেখাতে হবে। ৩. সাক্ষরকারের উপস্থিতি হওয়ার জন্য কোন টি/এ, ডি/এ প্রদান করা হবে না। ৪. মুক্তিযোদ্ধা/মুক্তিযোদ্ধা সন্তান ও উপরজাতীয় প্রার্থীদের ক্ষেত্রে বিদ্যমান সরকারি বিধি বিধান প্রযোজ্য হবে। ৫. ক্রটিপূর্ণ বা অসম্পূর্ণ দরবাঞ্ছ কোন কারণে বাতিলের ব্যতিক্রম বাতিল করা হবে। ৬. দরবাঞ্ছের বামের উপর সংশ্লিষ্ট পদের নাম উল্লেখ করতে হবে।	
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## VACANCY ADVERTISEMENT

<b>Title</b>	<b>EPI Divisional Coordinator</b>					
<b>Reference</b>	SO-1 (IVD-24)/SSA	<b>Level</b>	SSA 8			
<b>Date of issue</b>	02 May 2014	<b>Closing date</b>	23 May 2014			
<b>Duration</b>	Up to 31 December 2014 (may be extendable)					
<b>Duty Stations</b>	Chittagong and Sylhet					
<b>Monthly Salary</b>	BDT 117,866/=plus admissible allowances and yearly increments upto 13 years					
<b>Objective of the programme</b>						
To provide technical assistance to the government of Bangladesh in building capacity for routine immunization activities and surveillance for vaccine preventable diseases, aiming to increase access for safe immunization for all eligible age group, introduce new cost effective vaccines, respond public health emergencies, expand vaccine preventable diseases surveillance and sustain polio free status.						
<b>Qualifications :</b>						
<b>Educational</b>	<b>Essential</b> : MBBS and Master of Public Health or equivalent Post Graduate Degree in Public Health / Community and Social Medicine / Child Health					
	<b>Desirable</b> : Training in Epidemiology and diseases control					
<b>Experience</b>	<b>Essential</b> : 10 years working experience in Public Health or Preventive Medicine					
	<b>Desirable</b> : 4 years experience in EPI					
<b>Computer Literacy :</b>	Proficient in using computer software applications (MS-Office) to produce reports, prepare correspondences, composing e-mails and create multi-media software presentations.					

### Note:

Applicants should submit a brief **resume** of their relevant experience and other qualifications together with 2 sets of completed **Personal History Form (PHF)**, **Verification Form** and give reasons for being suitable of the post. A Personal History Form and detailed vacancy notice can be downloaded from <http://ban.searo.who.int>. Applicants are advised to send their applications by courier/registered mail to: **The WHO Representative, House No. CWN (A) 16, Road No.48, Gulshan # 2, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh. A written test using computer will be held only for the short listed candidates and only qualifying candidates in written test will be requested to attend the interview. "WHO is committed to workforce diversity"**. We regret that due to large volume of applications normally received, applications cannot be acknowledged individually. "Any attempt to unduly influence on WHO's selection process will lead to automatic disqualification of the applicant."

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