

## NEGLIGENCE IN SURGERY Court clears 2 Ctg doctors of criminality

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Ctg

A Chittagong court yesterday acquitted two doctors of a criminal charge over negligence during a surgery of a boy.

The acquitted--Shurman Ali and GM Zakir Hossain--are the doctors of Chittagong Medical College Hospital and a city private hospital respectively.

On January 28, 2013, Delwara Begum filed a criminal case with a Chittagong court against them saying they had left a needle in the body of her son Amirul Islam after a colon surgery in the private hospital on May 30, 2012.

Later, Amirul underwent two surgeries, but to no avail. On June 30, 2012, the needle could be brought out in an Indian hospital, said court sources.

Defence lawyer Mahmudul Haque Mahmud told The Daily Star that as the doctors had no any previous enmity with the plaintiff, an intention to kill the patient or defrauding the plaintiff did not arise.

Considering the matters the judge of the court discharged them, he said.

The court, however, said a civil compensation case can be lodged in this regard, said court sources.

Rana Dasgupta, the plaintiff's lawyer, said they had a plan to lodge such case.

On May 30, 2013 police submitted the charge sheet against the duo.

## Rashidpur gas

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Hossain said.

Presently, four wells of Rashidpur Gas Field are adding 47 MMCFD gas to the national grid, he added.

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Participating students and organisers at the finale of "Environmental School Campaign-2014" organised by the Earth Club of North South University at the university in the capital recently. The campaign aimed to promote environment friendly behaviour among the young generation.

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## Two DMCH doctors

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The court also rejected the bail petitions of four former DMCH officials and sent them to jail in the corruption case filed for misappropriating Tk 2.31 crore in drug purchase.

The four are DMCH's ex-director Bazle Qader, its ex-deputy director Foyzullah, and two ex-accounts officers, both named Nazrul Islam.

Their bail prayers were cancelled considering the depth of the charges, said court sources.

The Anti-Corruption Commission filed the case on November 16, 2011.

## ULab school

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The alumni includes poetry reciter Shimul Mostafa and Hafizul Haque, both of whom are also Russell's classmates.

Presided over by ULESA President Naim Ahmed Khan, the programme was also attended by Dhaka University Vice-Chancellor AAMS Arefin Siddique, Housing and Public Works Minister Mosharrar Hossain, and artists Mustafa Monwar and Hashem Khan and conducted by ULESA General Secretary Anisur Rahman Litu.

## Foreign workers torch

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Nepalese protester, adding that they were also not properly paid for working on Sundays or for doing overtime.

None of 300 Bangladeshis working in the factory along with the Nepalese and Myanmar were involved in the incident, Mantu Kumar Biswas, counsellor (labour) at the Bangladesh High Commission in Kuala Lumpur, told The Daily Star by phone yesterday.

Police yesterday arrested 39 Nepalese protesters in this connection.

## IRI workshop on

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opinion polls while formulating policies.

Supported by USAID and UKAID, the workshop is being facilitated by Rob Varsalone, a consultant of Global Strategic Partner in the US.

## One killed, 3 hurt in Ctg road crash

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Ctg

A person died and three others were injured in a head-on collision between a lorry and a covered van on Dhaka-Chittagong highway in Sitakunda upazila of Chittagong yesterday.

The deceased was Mosharaf Hossain Sohag, 22, son of Abu Taher of Kabirhat in Noakhali. He was the helper of the lorry.

## Man's body recovered

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet

Police recovered the body of a man hanging from the ceiling of a house in Pathantola area of Sylhet city yesterday.

Syed Amzadul Haque, 25, of Noakhali, was an electrician and used to stay at the house on the first floor of a building, family sources said.

Quoting family, police said he might have committed suicide as last year he attempted suicide twice over family feuds.

## Do your jobs

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"Police are pledge-bound to protect victims and witnesses' rights in human trafficking cases. If a police official doesn't play a due role, the higher authorities should take punitive action against him/her," he added.

His remarks came in response to a witness's complaint against negligence of police in recording a case against an alleged trafficker in Satkhira recently.

Jamadar also expressed dissatisfaction at the absence of representatives from the ministries of home, social welfare, and expatriates' welfare at the programme.

"If the government's relevant bodies don't play their respective roles in the fight against human trafficking, there will be no use of laws," he added.

Sarah Stephens, chief of party for the Actions to Combat Trafficking-in-Persons (ACT) programme at Winrock, said the traffickers destroyed the lives of victims.

"Especially children and women usually fall victim to trafficking. The criminals lure them with jobs," she added.

AKM Masud Ali, executive director at INCIDIN Bangladesh, an NGO, also spoke.

## Govt embarks on

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flooding, drought, sea level rise, salt water intrusion, water safety, coastal polders, land management, river system management, agriculture, and food security. Technical experts of Bangladesh and the Netherlands will conduct a baseline study on 19 such issues in order to prepare the plan.

Addressing the function as chief guest, Planning Minister AHM Mustafa Kamal said coordination among all ministries must be ensured to implement the mega plan.

Bangladesh and the Netherlands signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) in May 2012 to undertake the gigantic task.

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## Death anniversary STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Today is the 2nd death anniversary of Akhlakul Hossain Ahmed, a Liberation War organiser, a member of Bangladesh Constituent Assembly of 1972, and a member of the erstwhile East Pakistan Provincial Assembly, says a press release.

A doa mahfil will be held at his Mohanganj residence in Netrakona today. Akhlakul Hossain Ahmed Smriti Parishad will also hold a discussion and a doa mahfil.



## HC clears

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inland container depots in Dhaka and Chittagong causing a loss of over Tk 1,000 crore to the state exchequer.

After Lutful filed the petition, the HC on August 13, 2008 stayed the case proceedings against him and issued a rule upon the ACC and the government to explain why the proceedings against Lutful should not be quashed.

After hearing on the rule yesterday, the HC rejected Lutful's petition.

The court, however, said Lutful will remain on bail in the case.

ACC lawyer Khurshid Alam Khan told The Daily Star that the court on different dates stayed the trial proceedings of the case against Khaleda Zia and former ministers MK Anwar, Matiar Rahman Nizami and Khandaker Mosharrar Hossain and some others accused.

All the accused of the case are now on bail, he added.

## NEWSIN brief

### Gang impersonating police snatches money from trader in capital

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Muggers impersonating police snatched Tk 6.5 lakh from a businessman in the capital's Banani area yesterday.

Mamun Mollah, a garment waste trader, was heading towards Gulshan-2 on a rickshaw after withdrawing the money from a bank around 3:30pm.

Around four to five muggers picked him up in their microbus saying that he was a wanted accused in a murder case. They shortly dropped him after taking away his money, said police quoting the victim. Police are verifying the matter as Mamun was giving confusing statements.

### Kidnapped girl rescued after 3 months

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Gazipur

A 13-year old girl, abducted from Gazipur three months earlier, was rescued from Panchagarh yesterday.

Police arrested the alleged abductor, Abdul Hamid, 20, of Matiapara village under Panchagarh Sadar upazila. He is a technician of a workshop in Kaliganj upazila of Gazipur.

Police said the girl, of Kaliganj upazila, was abducted on her way to school in May.

Following a case filed by the girl's father police rescued her using modern technology to trace the abductor's location.

### Man arrested with 1.3kg gold at Shahjalal airport

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Customs officials detained a man with 1.3kg gold worth Tk 65 lakh from Shahjalal International Airport in the capital yesterday.

Ziaur Rahman, 40, of Munshiganj, was a passenger of a Malaysian Airlines' flight that landed around 12:15am, the officials said.

Searching his handbag the officials found two gold bars weighing 1.27 grams and jewellery of 100 grams.



#### Seminar

Oxfam has arranged a seminar on "Sharing of Updated Bangladesh National Building Code"; Venue: Hotel Ruposhi Bangla; Time: 9:30am.

#### Launching Ceremony

Institute of Microfinance has organised the launching ceremony of Diploma/Certificate Courses on Microfinance; Venue: PKSF Auditorium, Agargaon; Time: 10:00am.

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