

# Road crashes kill 13, injure 15

CITY DESK

Countrywide road accidents killed 13 people and injured 15 others yesterday and Friday.

Our Mymensingh correspondent reports, three people were killed and five injured when a bus collided head-on with a CNG-run auto-rickshaw on Mymensingh-Haluaghat road in Dhali Bazar area in Phulpur upazila yesterday. The deceased were passengers of the auto-rickshaw and could not be identified immediately.

In Bhaluka upazila, Khorshed Alam, 26, of Chamiadi died when a bus rammed his motorcycle on Bhaluka-Ghtail road at Meduari yesterday.

Our Chapainawabganj correspondent reports, two people died and 10 others were injured when a bus fell into a roadside ditch on Naogaon-Porsha road at Dayahar more in Porsha upazila of Naogaon yesterday.

The deceased were Torikul Islam, 30, of Arji area of Naogaon municipal and Seratul Islam, 20, of Sagrail village.

Our Dinajpur correspondent reports, Rina Roy, 30, of Baisa village died when a pickup-van ran her over in Old Bhusirbandar area of Chiribandar upazila on Friday.

A correspondent from Chittagong reports, Wahab Ali, 50, of Shariatpur died as a lorry hit him from behind while he was crossing the road in Sitakunda of Chittagong yesterday.

Our Moulvibazar correspondent reports, Kutub Uddin, 30, of Bajkasra village died when a truck hit a CNG-run auto-Rickshaw on Dhaka-Sylhet highway in Janata Bazar area under Nabiganj upazila of Habiganj.

In Sunamganj Sadar, Farhana Begum, 7, daughter of Sundor Ali of Haluargaoon village died when a truck hit her while she was crossing Sunamganj-Sylhet road in Haluargaoon area on Friday.

Our Thakurgaon correspondent reports, Shamim Hossain, 18, of Sangaon village died when a truck hit his bicycle on Thakurgaon-Baliadangi road in Kalmeg Vatapara village of Baliadangi upazila on Friday.

Our Gaibandha correspondent reports, Shafiqul Islam, 30, of Masta village died when a truck hit him at Fasitola on Bogra-Rangpur highway in Gobindaganj on Friday.

Our Feni correspondent adds, Ismail Hossain, 27, of Uttar Fajilpur village died as a truck ran him over when he fell off a CNG-run auto rickshaw on Dhaka-Chittagong highway in Feni Bypass area yesterday.



Kuakata beach swarming with tourists yesterday, despite the ongoing cold snap.

PHOTO: BANGLAR CHOKH

## CU BCL faction

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said, "A section of students were spreading false stories which will spoil the environment of education."

Najmul Haque, an executive member of the recently dissolved committee of CU BCL; and Abdullah Al Mamun and Kaiser Ferdous Fowad, assistant secretaries, among others, spoke at the news conference.

Meanwhile, police foiled a procession brought out by another BCL group, Varsity Xpress (VX), outside the campus when it tried to enter the premises demanding withdrawal of the case filed against its leaders and activists over the murder.

Hafizul Islam, an activist of CFC group, filed the case accusing 42 BCL men of VX faction. At least 28 activists were arrested since the incident.

On December 14, Tapos Chandra Sarker, a first year student of Sangskrit, was shot dead as the two shuttle train based BCL groups clashed at CU.

## Intolerant democracy prevailing

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one ruling party with another, he pointed out that in the country's electoral system, a party which got only 40 percent of votes can have 60 percent of the seats in parliament.

"153 persons got seats in parliament without any votes being cast in their favour...After assuming power through elections, political parties think they can do whatever they want," he said.

Hartals would become redundant if the country had a system of holding referendums on issues of national interest, he told the Fifth National Conference of Shushashoner Jannoy Nagorik (SHUIAN) in the capital's Institute of Diploma Engineers.

For example, whether voters want a caretaker government during elections could be ascertained through holding a referendum, he said, adding that whether a caretaker government was needed was an issue of the voters, not

the political parties.

The country is witnessing an elected autocracy in the guise of democracy, said former chief election commissioner ATM Shamsul Huda, adding that the kind of electoral democracy practiced in the country was a reflection of regressive and limited conceptualisation of democracy.

As a result not even the limited scope of practicing democracy in the existing electoral system is utilised. Not even the benefits of electoral democracy are achieved in the country as the opposition frequently boycotts the parliament, he said.

"The 2014 election saw goals scored in an empty field...no party ever benefitted from boycotting elections," said Shamsul.

Corruption prevails in every facet of the public sector. "Services for everything starting from birth certificates to death certificates and anything in between require bribes," he said, add-

ing that for this poor and low-income people suffered the most.

SHUIAN Secretary Badiul Alam Majumdar said political parties should immediately reach a consensus about a poll-time government to ensure that future elections were fair, competitive and participatory.

"Judged by what we know from Bangladesh's history, it cannot be said with certainty that future elections will be free of rigging and the administration, law enforcement agencies and the election commission will be free of partisanship," he said.

Discussants lauded SHUIAN and stated that establishing democracy required more civil society organisations like it.

With SHUIAN President M Hafizuddin Khan in the chair, former Dhaka University (DU) vice-chancellor Emajuddin Ahmed, Barrister Jyotirmoy Barua and DU teacher Robaet Ferdous also spoke.

## Bangladesh needs

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India wants to emerge as a regional power and gets upset and feels insecure when Bangladesh purchases submarines from China and when China shows interest in building a deep-sea port in Sonadia, said Dr Dilara Chowdhury, a retired professor of Jahangirnagar University.

"Suspicion has made Indo-Bangla relations complex," she said, adding that India would benefit in all respects with a vibrant democracy in Bangladesh but it had taken a wrong path by choosing one political party over the other.

Barrister M Amir-ul Islam and ex-state minister for foreign affairs Reaz Rahman, among others, spoke at the discussion moderated by Bangladesh Bank's ex-governor Dr Salehuddin

## Goons foil literary

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Two panels, one pro-Awami League, and the other pro-BNP and Jamaat-e-Islami, were contesting.

However, Shabbir Jalalabadi, a candidate for the general secretary post, accused Islami Chhatra Shibir of the attack.

Several voters said the attackers were Bangladesh Chhatra League activists of the city's Darshan Deuri area, but Sylhet city BCL general secretary Emrul Hasan denied the allegation. Police rushed in and recovered three crackers from the scene, said police. The election was postponed.

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