

SNIPPETS

15 hurt in clash

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet

At least 15 people were injured in a clash between two rival groups at Mitrimahol village in Gowainghat upazila yesterday. Of the injured, four were admitted to Sylhet MAG Osmani Medical College Hospital while the rest given first aid. Police and locals said Mokbul Ali and his neighbour Akram Ali locked in an altercation over the boundary of their houses. At one stage, the men of the two rivals attacked each other with lethal weapons, leaving 15 people from both sides injured. On information, police rushed to the spot and fired 27 gunshots to bring the situation under control.

Smuggled oranges seized

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Lalmonirhat

Members of Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) seized 5,160 kilograms of smuggled oranges worth Tk 4,12,800 from bordering Khenpara village in Patgram upazila yesterday. Lalmonirhat 15 BGB Battalion's Patgram Company camp Commander Subedar Maqbul Hossain said, acting on a tip-off, they raided Burimari land port area in the morning and seized the fruits. None was arrested in this connection.

32 bombs recovered

UNB, Dhaka

Members of Rapid Action Battalion (Rab) recovered 32 crude bombs and 10 sharp weapons from Kharkhari bypass road area under Boalia upazila in Rajshahi district on Monday night. Police Superintendent Khaleda Begum said a team of Rab-5, acting on a tip-off, launched a drive in the area at 11:45 pm and recovered the bombs and sharp weapons. Sensing the presence of the elite force, the criminals managed to flee the scene. The bombs were kept in the area to carry out subversive activities, said Khaleda Begum.

Ferry services resume

UNB, Manikganj

Ferry services on the Daulatdia-Paturia route in the Padma resumed yesterday morning. Ferry services on the route came to a halt at 3:00am due to dense fog and resumed after seven and a half hours. Bidyut Kumar Saha, manager of Bangladesh Inland Water Transport Corporation (BIWTC) at Aricha, said three ferries- Barkat, Keramat Ali and Madhobilata-with a large number of vehicles and passengers got stranded in the middle of the river. Passengers suffered as a good number of vehicles were kept waiting on both sides of the river for crossing. Ferry services on the important route resumed around 10:30 am as fog started disappearing after the sunrise, he added..

35 tonnes of coal seized

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Moulvibazar

Members of Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) seized 35 tonnes of coal from Baniagaon village in Tahirpur upazila of Sunamganj district yesterday. On secret information, a team of BGB-8 raided the area in the afternoon and seized the coal worth about Tk five lakh, said Md Sahid Ullah, officer-in-charge of Tahirpur Police Station.

Body found in manhole

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

Police recovered the body of a minor schoolgirl in Sadar upazila yesterday. Tania Akhtar, 5, daughter of Taijul Islam of Kalikapur village, was found dead in a manhole in the area. The deceased was a nursery student of a local kindergarten. She went missing from their house on January 3. Locals found her body in the manhole near their house in the afternoon and informed the police who recovered the body and sent it to Mymensingh Medical College Hospital.



A seller of combs and clips display artistic hairstyle of a doll to woo customers at Jasim Palli Mela, a fair held in memory of poet Jasimuddin in Faridpur town.

ATTACK ON HINDU FAMILY IN PATGRAM
Charges pressed against six Jamaat men

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Lalmonirhat

Charges have been pressed against six Jamaat men in the case for assaulting four members of a Hindu family and looting bamboos from their bamboo cluster at Shafirhat village in Patgram upazila in September last year.

The accused are Abul Hossain, Aminur Rahman, Shovon Islam, Akash Mia, Nurnabi Hossain and Samiul Islam of the village. Nazrul Islam, a sub-

inspector of Patgram Police Station and also the investigation officer (IO) of the case, submitted the charge sheet to the Judicial Magistrate Court yesterday.

According to the case statement, the Jamaat men led by Abul Hossain looted bamboos from a bamboo cluster owned by a Hindu family on September 28 in 2014.

The gang also beat up Pushpa Rani Sen, her two sons Shyamol Chandra Sen and Kamol Chandra Sen,

and Shyamol's wife Dipali Rani Sen when they tried to resist them.

Kamol Chandra Sen filed a case with Patgram Police Station, accusing six Jamaat men, sincluding Abul Hossain the same day.

On July 13 the same year, the six attacked the four Hindus, torched their house and grabbed a cropland of the family.

Later, police submitted a charge sheet in this connection on October in 2014 and freed the cropland from the grabbers.

Youth held on rape charge

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Rangpur

Police on Monday night arrested a youth on charge of raping a mentally challenged girl at Bahagili village under Kaunia upazila of the district.

The arrestee was identified as Jahangir Alam, 32, son of Abul Hossain of the village. Police arrested him following a rape case filed by victim's mother with Kaunia Police Station on Sunday night.

Quoting the victim's family members, Sub-Inspector Md Reajul Islam, also investigation officer of the case, said Jahangir raped the mentally challenged girl at there house in absence of her mother on December 24 last year.

Hearing victim's scream, neighbours went to the house, rescued the girl and took her to a private clinic in Rangpur city. The rapist, however, managed to flee the spot.

Fire kills 13,000 poultry birds in Chuadanga

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushthia

Two poultry farms were gutted in a fire, killing at least 13,000 chickens at Chandpur village in Damurhuda upazila of Chuadanga early yesterday.

Police and fire service sources said the fire originated from an electric short circuit at the farm owned by Dewar Hossain at around 3:00am and soon engulfed the adjacent farm of Tofazzal Hossain.

On information, a fire fighting unit from Chuadanga district fire service station rushed to the spot and extinguished the blaze with the help of locals at around 4:30pm.

Zakir Hossain, in-charge of the fire service station, told this correspondent over cellphone that at least 13,000 chickens of the two poultry farms were burnt to death and two sheds and other valuables were completely destroyed.

Our Bogra correspondent adds: Seven shops were gutted in a fire at Mahasthangarh Mazar area under Shibganj upazila of the district on Monday night.

Fire service source said the fire originated from an electric short circuit at a shop at around 10:00pm and soon spread to six other shops.

Being informed, fire fighters from Bogra Fire service station reached the spot and doused the flames.

25 held while going to India illegally

BSF returns 2 others in Sunamganj

STAR COUNTRY DESK

Members of Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) detained 25 people while they were going to Indian illegally through Boro Anchra border under Benapole Port Police Station on Monday night, reports our correspondent.

Lt Col Jahangir Hossain, commanding officer (CO) of BGB 26 Battalion, said a patrol team to Benapole guards arrested six men, 12 women and seven children while they were crossing the border without valid documents. They all are from Gopalganj, Narail and Faridpur districts, he added.

The arrestees were handed over to Benapole Port Police Station and a case was filed against them in this connection.

According to our Moulvibazar correspondent, members of Indian Border Security Force (BSF) on Monday night returned two Bangladeshis, who entered the Indian territory through Chargaon border in Tahirpur upazila of Sunamganj on the day.

The returnees are Ashan Ali, 35, son of Jabor Ali of Lalghat village, and Amir Hosain, 42, son of Khurshid Mia of Mongalkata village of the upazila.

A team of the Indian border guards from Shillong in Meghalaya picked up the two when they along with 10/12 others went to Koari hills to bring coal on Monday morning, said Subedar Golam Rouf, camp commander of Tekerghat BGB 8 Battalion. The others, however, managed to escape arrest. Following a flag meeting, the BSF members handed over the two to BGB at Tahirpur border at around 9:00pm, the BGB official said.

Wild elephants damage farmlands, orchards

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Jamalpur

A herd of wild elephants from Meghalaya state of India damaged croplands and three orchards at Makhonerchar village in Dewanganj upazila on Monday and the day before.

Locals said about 40 to 50

elephants stormed the village at around 7:30pm on Sunday and damaged wheat and mustard fields, seedbeds, mango and plum orchards in a couple of hours.

The affected orchard owners are Nuruzzaman of Makhonerchar village, Shatil and Swapan Mia of Bagharchar village in the upazila.

Villagers managed to drive away the animals around 1:00am by setting fire, beating drums and tins, said Lutfar Rahman, a member of Dangdhora Union Parishad.

Swapan Mia of neighbouring Bagharchar village said the wild elephants damaged his plum orchard on four big has of land.

Upazila Nirbahi Officer (UNO) Saiful Islam said some solar panels would be supplied to some villagers of the border area soon as a preventive measure.

To find a way out for permanent solution to the problem, a delegate of the district administration, headed by Deputy Commissioner Shahabuddin Khan, yesterday went to Tura district of Meghalaya for holding a meeting with the district magistrate there, said the UNO.

Last month, people of the

area faced similar attack by elephants for at least 11 times, said Abdur Rashid Mondol, chairman of the union parishad.



Fishermen bring out a procession in Sharonkhola upazila of Bagerhat district yesterday to press for their nine-point demand including special identity cards, increase of subsistence allowance during the ban on fishing, and action against robbers in the coastal areas.

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Tender Notice

1. Sealed tenders in prescribed form are invited from bona-fide manufacturers/local agents/importers/ suppliers for supplying of the following items:

Serial	Nomenclature & Qty	Last Date of Selling Tender Form	Date of Dropping & Opening Tender	Currency	Price of Tender Form	Tender No. & Date
1	Self Starter, De-Ionizer Cartridge with 08 items	9 February 2015 1300 hrs	10 February 2015 Dropping 1200 hrs Opening 1205 hrs	Local	Tk. 750/- Non refundable	23.04.0000.166.149.4856.14.15 dt. 10-01-2015
2	Insert Holder for CNC Lathe Machine-06 Nos & Turning Insert for CNC Lathe Machine-500 Nos	9 February 2015 1300 hrs	10 February 2015 Dropping 1200 hrs Opening 1205 hrs	Local	Tk. 300/- Non refundable	23.04.0000.166.147.4856.14.15 dt. 10-1-2015

2. Supplier enlisted at BOF, DGDP and any other defence organization, who have security clearance will only be eligible to participate in the above tenders.

3. Tender forms with detail specifications, terms & conditions will be available in the auditorium of BOF on all working days between 9 AM to 1 PM.

4. Commandant BOF reserves the right to reject any or all the tenders without any reason thereof.

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INVITATION FOR TENDERS

1	Ministry / Division	Power Division, Ministry of Power, Energy & Mineral Resources.			
2	Agency	Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd.			
3	Procuring Entity name	Haripur 412 MW Combined Cycle Power Plant.			
4	Procuring Entity Code	N/A			
5	Procuring Entity District	Narayanganj			
6	Invitation for	Procurement of Goods (Single Lot)			
7	Invitation Ref. No.	EGCB/CE/Haripur/412.08/2014/853			
8	Date	30/12/2014			
9	Procurement Method	NCT (Open Tendering Method.)			
10	Budget and Source of Funds	Revenue Budget (Own fund of Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd.)			
11	Development Partners (if applicable)	N/A			
12	Project/ Programme Code (if applicable)	N/A			
13	Project/ Programme Name (if applicable)	N/A			
14	Tender Package No	N/A			
15	Tender Package Name	Procurement of Desktop Computer, Laser Printer, Scanner for Haripur 412 MW CCPP.			
16	Tender Publication Date	14/1/2015			
17	Tender Last Selling Date	3/2/2015 up to 15:00 Hr (BST)			
18	Tender Submission Date & Time	4/2/2015 up to 12:00 Hr (BST)			
19	Tender Opening Date & Time	4/2/2015 on 12:30 Hrs (BST) (Tenderers or their authorized representatives, if any, are allowed to attend).			
20	Name and Address of the office(s) - Selling Tender Document	Corporate Office, Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd., BTMC Bhaban (Level-8), 7-9 Kawran Bazar, Dhaka-1215, Bangladesh.			
	- Receiving Tender Document	Corporate Office, Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd., BTMC Bhaban (Level-8), 7-9 Kawran Bazar, Dhaka-1215, Bangladesh.			
	- Opening Tender Document	Corporate Office, Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd., BTMC Bhaban (Level-8), 7-9 Kawran Bazar, Dhaka-1215, Bangladesh.			
21	Place/Date/Time of Pre Tender Meeting	N/A.			
22	Eligibility of Tenderer	a) The Tenderer/Manufacturer shall have a minimum of five (5) years of overall experience in the supply of goods and related services. b) The Tenderer/Manufacturer shall have successfully completed supply of similar goods of minimum Tk. Five lac (5, 00,000/-) under a single contract in the last three (3) years. i.e. years counting backward from the date of publication of IFT in the news paper. c) The Tenderer/Manufacturer should have valid Trade License, should be financially solvent, Income Tax payee, should have the legal capacity to enter in to the contract, and shouldn't have a conflict of interest pursuant to Rule 55 of the Public Procurement Rules-2008.			
23	Brief Description of Goods	Procurement of Desktop Computer, Laser Printer, Scanner for Haripur 412 MW CCPP.			
24	Brief Description of Related services	NA			
25	Price of Tender Document	BDT 500/= (Taka Five Hundred) to be paid in the form of Bank Draft/Pay order in favor of Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd.			
26	Lot No.	Identification of Lot	Location	Tender Security Amount	Completion Time
	N/A	Procurement of Desktop Computer, Laser Printer, Scanner for Haripur 412 MW CCPP.	Haripur 412 MW Combined Cycle Power Plant, EGCB Ltd. Haripur, Bandar, Narayanganj, Bangladesh.	Tk. 24,000/-	Four (4) weeks from the date of signing of Contract.
27	Name of Official Inviting the Tender	Md. Fazur Rahman			
28	Designation of Official Inviting Tender	Superintending Engineer (Maintenance)			
29	Address of Official Inviting the Tender	Haripur 412 MW Combined Cycle Power Plant, EGCB Ltd. Haripur, Bandar, Narayanganj, Bangladesh.			
30	Contact details of Official Inviting the Tender.	Tel: 01730-331349 Ext..... Fax:..... E-mail: fazurdgm360@yahoo.com			
31	a) The Full Tender Document will be available in PDF format in the EGCB website b) The tenderers are requested to read the tender document carefully before submission their offer.				
32	The Procuring entity reserves the right to reject all tenders.				

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