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Police recovered 252 sacks of rice from a gang of robbers at Mirzapur in Sherpur upazila under Bogra district early yesterday. The robbers had looted the rice from Ashuganj in Brahmanbaria on Monday.

Rice looted from Ashuganj recovered in Bogra

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Bogra

Around 252 sacks of rice, looted from Ashuganj of Brahmanbaria district on Monday night, was recovered from Mirzapur area under Sherpur upazila of Bogra early yesterday.

Police arrested two members of a robber gang, raiding their houses in Sherpur upazila.

The arrestees are Taposh Kumar, 30, son of Shombhu Kumar of Sutrapur village, and Jahangir Alam Jewel, 34, son of Azgar Ali of Dorimukunda village in the upazila.

Police said the arrestees are members of an inter-district robber gang and confessed to looting the rice.

On the basis of their statements, law enforcers

raided a go-down near Mirzapur Filling Station on Bogra-Dhaka highway at around 3:00am and recovered the rice from there.

Contacted, Officer-in-Charge (OC) Mizanur Rahman of Sherpur Police Station said the recovered rice and the arrested robbers were sent to Ashuganj Police Station yesterday noon.

'Robber' killed in 'gunfight' with cops in Cox's Bazar

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Cox's Bazar

An alleged robber was killed and two policemen were injured in a gunfight between robbers and police at Puichhari village in Moheshkhali upazila of the district on Tuesday night.

The deceased, Abdur Rashid, 35, son of late Abul Kalam of the village, was an accused in 13 cases, including three for murder, with Moheshkhali Police Station, police said.

Bullet-hit Bayezid, a

constable of Moheshkhali Police Station, was admitted to Chakaria Upazila Health Complex. He was shifted to Chittagong Medical College Hospital (CMCH) yesterday morning, as his condition deteriorated.

Acting on a tip-off, a police team, led by Sub-Inspector Abul Kalam, raided a place at Puichhari village at around 7:30pm where a gang of 10/12 robbers were taking preparation for committing a robbery in the area, said

Alamgir Hossain, officer-in-charge of Moheshkhali Police Station.

Sensing the presence of the police, the gang opened fire, prompting the law enforcers to retaliate. The gunfight left Rashid dead and Sub-Inspector Kalam and constable Bayezid injured. Kalam took first aid at the local health complex. The other gang members managed to flee. Police seized two guns and five cartridges from the spot.

PROTESTING ASSAULT ON ASSOC LEADER

Druggists observe daylong strike in Gaibandha town

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Gaibandha

Medicine shop owners in Gaibandha town observed daylong strike yesterday, protesting assault on the president of district Chemists and Druggist Association at the civil surgeon's office on Tuesday.

All medicine shops in the municipality area remained closed for 12 hours from 6:00am. The shop owners took out a procession and

held a rally in the town.

Addressing the rally, leaders of the district Chemists and Druggists Association demanded immediate arrest of those who swooped on their leader at the office. They also threatened to go on an indefinite strike if the attackers were not arrested immediately.

Patients, who are undergoing treatment at different hospitals and clinics in the town, suffered for want of

medicines.

Abdur Rashid, president of the district unit of Bangladesh Chemists and Druggists Association, was beaten up by a gang when he went to the civil surgeon's office in the morning to file a complaint against a tender invited by the office for supply of medicines. Soon after the incident, the medicine shop owners in the town brought out a procession, protesting the attack on their leader.



PHOTO: STAR

All medicine stores in Gaibandha town remained shut yesterday as druggists went on a daylong strike, protesting assault on their association leader by a gang at the civil surgeon's office on Tuesday.

Child marriage bid foiled

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Lalmonirhat

A schoolgirl was saved from underage marriage following timely intervention of Aditmari upazila administration yesterday.

Police said Arzina Khatun, daughter of Azgor

Ali of Kharubhaj village and a Class VIII student of Kumrihat High School in the area, was set to be solemnised with Babu Islam, 26, son of Nazmul Miah of Namuri village, at noon.

Being informed, a police team, led by Aditmari

upazila Nirbahi Officer Zahurul Islam, rushed to Kharubhaj village and stopped the marriage.

However, the bridegroom and his relatives and the parents of the girl, managed to flee, sensing the presence of the law enforcers and the UNO.

SNIPPETS

35 injured in clash

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Moulvibazar

At least 35 people were injured in a clash between two rival groups over a piece of disputed land at Prothomrekha village in Baniarchang upazila of Habiganj district on Tuesday. Locals said there was a longstanding conflict between one Selu Miah and Mongal Miah of the village over the land. As a sequel to the conflict, the supporters of the two rivals attacked each other with lethal weapons on Tuesday morning, leaving 35 people from both sides injured. Additional police personnel have been deployed in the area to avert any further trouble, said Liakat Ali, officer-in-charge of Baniarchang Police Station.

4 Myanmar nationals held

UNB, Cox's Bazar

Members of Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) arrested four Myanmar nationals along with 60,000 yaba tablets in Teknaf upazila on Tuesday. The arrestees were identified as Robi Alam, 25, son of Abdul Amin, Jamal Hossain, 24, son of Sultan Ahmed, Mojibullah, 20, son of Hadir Hossain, and Rafiq, 20, son of Mohammad, of Deilpara area under Mongdu upazila in Myanmar. On secret information, a patrol team of BGB conducted a drive in no-3 sluice gate area of the Naf River around 10:00pm and arrested the four along with the yaba. Abu-Zar-Al-Jahid, captain of BGB Battalion-42, confirmed the incident.

Five houses gutted

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pirojpur

At least five houses were burnt to ashes as a gas cylinder exploded at Adarsha Para in Pirojpur municipality early yesterday. Abdus Sattar, an affected house owner, said the fire originated at the house of Raju while food was being cooked over a gas stove and soon engulfed the adjacent houses. On information, firefighters rushed to the spot and engulfed the fire. The affected house owners claimed that the loss caused by the fire could go up to Tk 20 lakh.

Indian girl handed over to BSF

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushtia

Members of Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) yesterday handed over an Indian girl, who entered Bangladesh territory illegally through a border in Meherpur district on Tuesday, to BSF Robiul Islam, officer-in-charge of Mujibnagar Police Station, said Parula Khatun, 17, daughter of Nazrul Islam of Nadia district in Pashchimbanga, entered Bangladesh territory through Bhoberpara border at 7:30pm. Local people then confined the girl to the area. On information, police rushed to the spot and rescued the girl. Yesterday afternoon, BGB handed over the girl to BSF following a flag meeting held at Bhoberpara border point.

Accused of maid murder still at large

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

Police are yet to arrest the killers of a domestic help in Trishal upazila headquarters, nine days into her killing.

Shirina, 18, daughter of day labourer Tofazzal Hossain of Birampur village in the upazila, worked at the house of one Iftekhar Newaz Apu, at Newaz Plaza in the area for 10 years.

On January 7, victim's father filed a case against Apu's wife Sohana Iftekhar Lovely and his mother Jahanara Akhtar for their alleged involvement in the killing, said Trishal police.

The accused took the body of Shirina to her village home from their house in the town on January 6 and told her parents that she committed suicide.

Being informed, police went to Birampur village, recovered the body and sent it to Mymensingh Medical College Hospital morgue for autopsy.

The alleged killers went into hiding, sensing the presence of law enforcers.

Shirina might have been strangled by her employers-Lovely and Jahanara-- as several injury marks were found in the neck and face, said Moniruzzaman, officer-in-charge of Trishal Police Station.

Police are raiding different areas to arrest the accused, said the OC.

25 BNP, Jamaat men arrested

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Jhenaidah

Police in separate drives arrested 25 leaders and activists of BNP and Jamaat-e-Islami from different upazilas of the district early yesterday.

Of them, 12 were detained from Sadar upazila, three from Shailakupa, four from Moheshpur, two from Kaliganj and two others from Harinakundo upazila.

ASSAULT ON FELLOWS BY BCL MEN

Teachers of BAU fisheries faculty on strike

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

The teachers of fisheries faculty of Bangladesh Agricultural University (BAU) continued their strike for the third day yesterday, demanding immediate arrest and punishment of those who attacked some teachers of the faculty on Monday.

A group of Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) activists beat up a student on the campus over political rivalry. They also assaulted some teachers when they tried to save the student.

Victim Ali Reza Noman, a final year stu-

dent of the faculty and president of Shaheed Shamsul Haque Hall, dominated by Shibir activists, was later handed over to police as per demand of BCL men, said campus sources.

Following the incident, the teachers of the faculty went on an indefinite strike, suspending their all academic activities.

Noman was shown arrested in a case filed for assaulting police on BAU campus last week, said Abu Fazul Karim, officer-in-charge of Kotwali Police Station.

He was yesterday produced before a Mymensingh

court that sent him to jail, said police.

Prof Md Idris Miah, dean of the faculty, said the strike would continue until the demand was met.

Yesterday, a three-member probe body, headed by Prof Ali Akbar of animal husbandry faculty, was formed to submit its report within seven working days.


The other two members are Prof Solaiman Ali Fakir of agriculture faculty, and Md Mohir Uddin, assistant proctor of the university, BAU sources said.

Contacted, Shahin Ahmed, organising secretary of BAU BCL unit, refuted the allegation.



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A fair at Baroikandi village in Daudkandi upazila under Comilla district attracts visitors on Tuesday.



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Invitation for International Tender

1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Power, Energy & Mineral Resource / Power Division.		
2	Agency	Dhaka Power Distribution Company Limited (DPDC).		
3	Project Director, Construction of 11 kV Switching Station at Bangabhaban, Ganobhaban & Prime Minister's Office Project, DPDC.			
4	Procuring Entity District	Dhaka		
5	Invitation for	Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 11 kV Switching Station at Bangabhaban, Ganabhaban & Prime Minister's Office on Turnkey Basis.		
6	Invitation Ref. no. & Date	DPDC/SE(DPC)/2015/357, Date : 07/01/2015.		
Key Information:				
7	Procuring Method	ICB Single Stage : Two Envelope Method.		
Funding Information				
8	Budget & source of Funds	GOB Fund.		
Particular Information:				
9	Pre-Bid Meeting	A pre-bid meeting will be held on 03/02/2015, 11.00 AM at the office of the Superintending Engineer, Distribution Planning Circle, DPDC, 11 th Floor, Biddut Bhaban, 1 No, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000.		
10	Tender Name	Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 11 kV Switching Station at Bangabhaban, Ganabhaban & Prime Minister's Office on Turnkey Basis.		
11	Last Selling Date of Tender, with Bid Submission and Bid Opening Date & Time	Last Selling Date 22/02/2015	Bid Submission Deadline with Date & Time 23/02/2015 12:00 noon	Bid Opening Date & Time 23/02/2015 03:00 PM
12	Name & Address of the office for selling, receiving and opening of Tender Document	Selling i) Office of the Superintending Engineer, Distribution Planning Circle, DPDC, Biddut Bhaban (11 th Floor), 1 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka - 1000 ii) Office of the Company Secretary, Dhaka Power Distribution Company Limited (DPDC), Biddut Bhaban (2 nd Floor), 1 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka - 1000	Receiving i) Office of the Superintending Engineer, Distribution Planning Circle, DPDC, Biddut Bhaban (11 th Floor), 1 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka - 1000 ii) Office of the Company Secretary, Dhaka Power Distribution Company Limited (DPDC), Biddut Bhaban (2 nd Floor), 1 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka - 1000	Opening i) Office of the Superintending Engineer, Distribution Planning Circle, DPDC, Biddut Bhaban (11 th Floor), 1 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka - 1000
Information for Tenderer:				
13	Eligibility of Tenderer	a) Average Annual Turnover: Minimum average annual turnover of US\$ 1.5 Million calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last 3 (three) years. b) General Experience: Bidders must have project management experience as prime contractor (experience of partner in charge in case of joint venture) to demonstrate their management capability in at least 1 (one) construction contract (contract amount should not be less than US\$ 1.5 million), within the last 7 (seven) years as on the date of opening of technical proposal. c) Specific Experience: Bidders must have completion of contracts as contractor, management contractor at least three (3) contracts within the last ten (10) years for the design, supply, delivery, installation, testing & commissioning of extension/renovation/new 11 kV or higher voltage Switching Station/Substation on turnkey basis, having a total value of three contracts at least US\$ 2.5 Million and that are similar to the proposed plant and services. The above three contracts shall be in successful operation for minimum of 2 (two) years as on the date of opening of technical bids. d) Other qualification is also required as stated in tender documents.		
14	Price of Tender Document (Taka)	As stated in Serial No. 15. The amount for purchasing tender document shall be payable in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft and the amount for tender security shall be payable in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft/Bank Guarantee whose validity shall be 120 days from the date of submission which is issued from any schedule Bank in Bangladesh in favour of Superintending Engineer, Distribution Planning Circle, DPDC.		
15	Particulars of Tender:	Description of Work	Price of Tender Document	Tender Security Money
		Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 11-kV-Switching Station at Bangabhaban, Ganabhaban & Prime Minister's Office on Turnkey Basis.	Taka 7,500.00 or US\$ 100.00	US\$ 80,000 (United States Dollar Eighty Thousand) Only or an equivalent amount in freely convertible currency.
Time for completion of Works 365 (Three Hundred Sixty Five) Days				
Procuring Entity Details:				
16	Name of official Inviting Tender	Engr. Md. Zahid Hossain		
17	Designation of official Inviting Tender	Project Director, Construction of 11 kV Switching Station at Bangabhaban, Ganobhaban & Prime Minister's Office Project, DPDC.		
18	Address of official Inviting Tender	Biddut Bhaban (11 th Floor), 1 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka - 1000		
19	Contact Details of official Inviting Tender	Telephone: 9583866	Fax: 9566518	E-mail: sedp@dpdc.org.bd
20	The Procuring Entity reserves the right to accept or reject any/all tender(s) without assigning any reason whatsoever.			

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