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A huge quantity of rice remains piled up at a husking mill at Atahar in Chapainawabganj Sadar upazila as transport is badly hampered due to the indefinite countrywide blockade enforced by BNP-led 20-party alliance.

# Rice millers in C'nawabganj incur huge loss

Many workers have become jobless as blockade disrupts supply chain, production

RABIUL HASAN, Chapainawabganj

Rice millers in the district are incurring huge losses due to non-stop countrywide blockade enforced by BNP-led 20-party alliance.

Thousands of labourers of different rice mills have also become temporarily jobless as many rice millers have stopped or lessened production due to problem in sending the food grain to Dhaka, Chittagong, Sylhet and other places.

"I have suspended operation of four of the seven boiling units of my rice mill due to transport prob-

lem amid countrywide blockade," said Akbar Hossain, owner of Nabab Auto Rice and Feed Mills Pvt Ltd at Atahar in Sadar upazila.

"I usually collect paddy from Chapainawabganj, Naogaon and Dinajpur. After husking it in my mill, I supply the rice to the capital and other places but both procurement and supply works are now badly disturbed," said the owner of the large rice mill.

Monsur Rahman, owner of Sagor Auto Rice Mill in the town, Mozammel Haque, owner of Haque Auto Rice Mill, and Mofizuddin, owner

of Mafiz Auto Rice Mill in Atahar area of Sadar upazila, said they now produce much smaller amounts of rice that is supplied to markets within short distances only.

They are incurring losses as they have to continue paying labourers' wages, electricity bills and interests on bank loans, said the rice mill owners.

Several rice mill workers including Torikul, Atikur, Anarul Islam and Habibur Rahman said they are passing hard days with their families as they have become jobless due to decreased production in rice mills.

Some 15,000 labourers work in around 250 rice mills in the district and nearly 100 truckloads of rice is usually sent to the capital and different districts daily from Chapainawabganj, said Erfan Ali, owner of Erfan Agro Food Ltd and Raju Rice Mill.

But now only 10 to 20 trucks carry rice outside the district as truckers feel insecure to rent out their vehicles fearing vandalism and arson attacks by blockaders and the fair has increased by 100 to 150 percent, said Erfan, also president of rice mill owners' association in the district.

## Auto-rickshaw driver, 12-yr-old boy murdered

STAR COUNTRY DESK

Two people, including a 12-year-old boy, were found murdered in two upazilas of Tangail and Bogra districts yesterday.

Police recovered the throat-slit body of a 12-year-old boy in Ghtail upazila yesterday, reports our Tangail correspondent.

The deceased is Anwar Hossain, son of Abdur Rahim, a resident of Kusharia village in the upazila.

Police said Anwar went to watch a cultural programme at a school in neighbouring Panjerbaid village on Friday evening and remained missing since then.

A local woman spotted his throat-slit body at a turmeric field near the school in the morning and informed Sandhanpur Union Parishad Chairman Shahidul Islam.

Being informed by the UP chairman, police went to the spot, recovered the body and sent it to Tangail Medical College Hospital for autopsy around 12:00noon. Victim's father, a day labourer, filed a murder case with Ghtail Police Station.

In Bogra, unidentified criminals strangled a CNG-run auto-rickshaw driver and took away the vehicle at Betgari village in Shibganj upazila on Friday night, reports our correspondent.

Police recovered the body of Amir Ali Mondol, 30, son of Jalal Mondol of Ovirampur village in the upazila, yesterday morning.

Police said Amir went out of his house along with his auto-rickshaw on Friday afternoon and did not return since then.

Locals found his body around 7:00am and informed police. Police went to the spot, recovered the body and sent it to the hospital morgue for an autopsy.

# Land disputes leave two killed in Rangpur, Bogra

STAR COUNTRY DESK

Two people were killed over land disputes in Pirganj upazila of Rangpur and Sonatala municipality area in Bogra on Friday night.

The dead were identified as Mozammel Haque, 45, son of late Kina Mamud of Rawshanpur village in Pirganj upazila; and Abdul Mannan, 40, son of Torab Ali of Ganakpara village in Sariakandi upazila of Bogra.

Our Rangpur correspondent reported that there had been a long-standing dispute between Mozammel and his maternal uncle Badsha Mia over a piece of land at Abdullahpur village in the upazila.

On January 16, Mozammel and his brothers Entaj Ali, Abu Taleb and Sada Mia went to the village to plant Boro seedlings on the land. Hearing the news, Badsha and his men came to

the spot and swooped on Mozammel and his brothers with lethal weapons, leaving Mozammel and Abu Taleb injured.

Villagers rescued the two brothers and took them to Pirganj Upazial Health complex. Later, Mozammel was shifted to a clinic in Rangpur city as his condition deteriorated. He died at the clinic at around 8:00pm on Friday.

Md Israil Hossain, officer-in-charge of Pirganj Police Station, said Badsha Mia and his men had gone into hiding soon after filing of a case by Mozammel's younger brother Abu Taled with the police station on January 26.

"We are trying our best to arrest the accused," the OC added.

In Sonatala upazila of Bogra, farmer Abdul Mannan was hacked to death over a land dispute

allegedly by his rivals in Sonatala municipality area at around 8:00pm on Friday, reports our correspondent.

Police quoted relatives as saying that Mannan came under attack while he was returning home from his father-in-law's house in the municipality area.

Mannan was admitted to Zairur Rahman Medical College Hospital where he succumbed to injuries at around 11:00pm.

Contacted, Officer-in-Charge (OC) Selim Uddin of Sonatala Police Station said Mannan was killed by his rivals as a sequel to a dispute over the ownership of a piece of land in Sariakandi area.

A case was filed with Sonatala Police Station yesterday afternoon. No one was arrested as of filing of this report at 6:00pm yesterday.



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A large number of students and their guardians join a human chain on Abdul Hamid Road in Pabna town yesterday demanding immediate end to political agitations like hartal and blockade, especially in view of the Secondary School Certificate (SSC) examinations starting across the country tomorrow.

# Fish trader hurt in gun attack in Kuakata

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Barisal

A fish trader of the city was seriously injured in a gun attack in Kuakata of Patuakhali district on Friday.

The injured, Nirob Hossain Tutul, 38, son of Harunur Rashid of Beni Singher Havely in Nazirpol area of the city, is joint secretary of Barisal Matsya Aratdar (wholesalers') Samity.

He is also close friend of central Jubo League leader Sadik Abdullah, said locals.

Tutul along with his 30 to 40 associates, including Sadik, went to Kuakata at around 3:00pm and boarded in Hotel Sea View

there. "Suddenly, I heard a sound inside a room on the first floor of the hotel in the evening and found Tutul lying in a pool of blood," said Solaiman Islam, manager of the hotel.

The injured was sent to Patuakhali General Hospital and then shifted to Fair Health Clinic in Barisal.

He was later referred to Dhaka for better treatment as his condition deteriorated, said Dr Zahirul Islam Manik of the clinic.

Tutul's left leg might have to be amputated to save his life, said the doctor but refused to say anything about the cause of the injury.

Dr Dilruba Akhtar of Patuakhali General Hospital also refused to give details on the injuries for some unknown reasons.

However, Shoyeb Ahmed, deputy commissioner of Barisal Metropolitan Police (BMP), said Tutul sustained bullet injuries but could not say anything about the reason of the attack.

Despite repeated attempts, this correspondent could not reach Sadik Abdullah and family members of Tutul for their comments on the issue as their cellphones remained switched off.

## SNIPPETS

### SSC examinee raped

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Niphamari

An SSC examinee was raped at Purbo Chhatnai village in Dimla upazila on Thursday. Family sources said the girl was returning home after receiving admit card from her school at noon. On the way, her private tutor Abdur Rahman took her to the house of one Tayeb Ali of the village. He later handed over the victim to one Golam Rasul, 25, son of Ekramul of the area and fled the scene. Rasul then violated the girl with the help of Maya Begum, wife of the house owner. A case was filed with Dimla Police Station against Abdur Rahman, Rasul and Maya. Police later arrested the accused.

### Two kids drown

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pabna

Police recovered the bodies of two missing kids from a canal at Zatrapur village in Atghoria upazila yesterday. The deceased are Zakia Khatun, 5, daughter of Jamrul Islam and Md Salahuddin, 4, son of Bachchu Miah of the village. They went missing on January 6. Locals found the bodies floating in the canal and informed the police who sent them to a hospital morgue for autopsy. The kids might have fell into the canal accidentally while playing on its bank and drowned, said Md Faizur Rahman, officer-in-charge of Ataikula Police Station.

### 50,000 Yaba tablets seized

UNB, Cox's Bazar

Police arrested a man along with 50,000 Yaba tablets in SK Khal area of the River Naf in Teknaf upazila on Friday night. The arrestee is Rahmat Ullah, 40, son of Kala Miah of the area. Ataur Rahman Khandakar, officer-in-charge of Teknaf Police Station, said on secret information, a team of police conducted a drive in the area and arrested Rahmat along with the Yaba tablets. A case was filed in this connection.

### Jatka seized in Barisal

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Barisal

Law enforcers in separate drives seized 35 maunds of jatka (hilsa less than 10 inches) from different spots in Sadar and Mehendiganj upazila of the district yesterday. Maksudul Ahsan, spokesman of Coastguard Zonal office, said coastguard members recovered the jatkas, which were netted by a section of fishermen, defying an eight-month ban on catching the fish, from Saheber Haat in Sadar upazila and Kaliganj launch Ghat in Mehendiganj in the morning.

### Youth held with pistol

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Tangail

Police yesterday arrested a youth with a foreign made pistol in Mirzapur upazila early yesterday. Noor Alam Siddique, 35, son of Hafizur Rahman of Tentulia village in Bagmara upazila of Rajshahi, was arrested from a passenger bus. Law enforcers searched a Dhaka-bound passenger bus from Rajshahi and arrested Alam along with the gun around 2:30am.



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Pitha Mela in Kaliganj upazila under Jhenidah district attracts visitors on the opening day of the fair, meant for display and sale of varieties of pitha, traditional delicacies of rural Bangladesh, on Friday. The upazila administration and Japan-based NGO Hunger Free World organised the two-day fair.

# তিতাস গ্যাস ট্রান্সমিসন এণ্ড ডিস্ট্রিবিউশন কোম্পানি লিমিটেড

(পেট্রোলিয়ামের একটি কোম্পানি)

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## সীমিত দরপত্র আহ্বান বিজ্ঞপ্তি

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| ১।  | মন্ত্রণালয়/ডিভিশন  | বিদ্যুৎ, জ্বালানি ও খনিজ সম্পদ মন্ত্রণালয়/জ্বালানি ও খনিজ সম্পদ বিভাগ।   |
| ২।  | সংস্থা  | বাংলাদেশ তৈল, গ্যাস ও খনিজ সম্পদ কর্পোরেশন (পেট্রোবাংলা)।   |
| ৩।  | প্রকিরউৎ একটির নাম  | তিতাস গ্যাস ট্রান্সমিসন এন্ড ডিস্ট্রিবিউশন কোম্পানি লিমিটেড।  |
| ৪।  | মালামালের বিবরণ   | আবাসিক গ্যাস সংযোগ সামগ্রীঃ<br>ক) ৩/৪" x ১৮০" আকৃতির আবাসিক গ্যাস রেগুলেটরঃ ৯০,০০০টি<br>খ) ৩/৪" x ৩/৪" আকৃতির ইনসুলেটেড লক উইং ককঃ ৭০,০০০টি<br>গ) ৩/৪" x ৩/৪" আকৃতির কোর্ডেজ কার্বন স্টীল সার্ভিস ট্যাঃ ৪০,০০০টি<br>ঘ) ৩/৪" x ৯০" আকৃতির কাঠ আয়রণ ক্লড এলবোঃ ১,৪০,০০০টি<br>ঙ) ৩/৪" x ৪" আকৃতির এম, এস, নিপলঃ ৮৪,০০০টি<br>চ) ৩/৪" x ৬" আকৃতির এম, এস নিপলঃ ৫৬,০০০টি<br>ক্রয়ঃ ২০১৬/১-বিসিক তারিখ ২৯-০১-২০১৫।<br>"এক স্তর এক খাম" পদ্ধতিতে গুপেন টেন্ডারিং মেথড।<br>কোম্পানির নিজস্ব অর্থায়ন। |
| ৫।  | দরপত্র সূত্র নং ও তার   | ক্রয়ঃ ২০১৬/১-বিসিক তারিখ ২৯-০১-২০১৫।   |
| ৬।  | প্রকিউরমেন্ট মেথড   | "এক স্তর এক খাম" পদ্ধতিতে গুপেন টেন্ডারিং মেথড।   |
| ৭।  | অর্থায়নের উৎস  | কোম্পানির নিজস্ব অর্থায়ন।  |
| ৮।  | দরপত্র দলিল বিতরণের তারিখ ও সময়  | ০২-০২-২০১৫ হতে ১৫-০২-২০১৫ তারিখ পর্যন্ত সকল কার্যদিবসে বেলা ১০ঃ০০টা হতে ২০ঃ০০ টা পর্যন্ত।   |
| ৯।  | দরপত্র দাখিলের সর্বশেষ তারিখ ও সময়   | ক) রেগুলেটর, লক উইং কক ও সার্ভিস ট্যা ১৬-০২-২০১৫ তারিখ বেলা ১১.০০টা পর্যন্ত।<br>খ) এলবো ও নিপল ১৭-০২-২০১৫ তারিখ বেলা ১১.০০ টা পর্যন্ত।  |
| ১০। | দরপত্র খোলার তারিখ ও সময়   | ক) রেগুলেটর, লক উইং কক ও সার্ভিস ট্যা ১৬-০২-২০১৫ তারিখ বেলা ১২.০০টা পর্যন্ত।<br>খ) এলবো ও নিপল ১৭-০২-২০১৫ তারিখ বেলা ১২.০০ টায় উপস্থিত দরদাতা/প্রতিদ্বন্দ্বিতাদের সম্মুখে (যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন)।   |
| ১১। | ক) দরপত্র দলিল বিতরণের স্থান  | ক্রয় বিভাগ (১২তম তলা), তিতাস গ্যাস টিএন্ডডি কোং লিঃ, ১০৫, কাজী নজরুল ইসলাম এভিনিউ, কাওরান বাজার বা/এ, ঢাকা-১২১৫।   |
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|     | গ) দরপত্র খোলার স্থান   | কোম্পানির কনফারেন্স রুম, ১০৫, কাজী নজরুল ইসলাম এভিনিউ, কাওরান বাজার, ঢাকা।  |
| ১২। | দরদাতার যোগ্যতা   | বিসিক প্রকল্পের তালিকায় প্রকল্প-১ ভুক্ত ঠিকাদারগণ।   |
| ১৩। | দরপত্র দলিলের মূল্য   | বিসিক প্রকল্পের তালিকায় প্রকল্প-১ ভুক্ত ঠিকাদারগণকে বিনামূল্যে বিতরণ।  |
| ১৪। | দরপত্র জামানত   | প্রযোজ্য নহে।   |
| ১৫। | দরপত্র গ্রহণ ও খোলার নির্ধারিত তারিখে সরকারি ছুটি বা অনিবার্য কারণবশতঃ অফিস বন্ধ থাকলে পরবর্তী কার্যদিবসে উপস্থিত থাকবে স্থান ও সময়ে উপস্থিত দরদাতা/প্রতিদ্বন্দ্বিতাদের সম্মুখে (যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন) দরপত্র গ্রহণ ও খোলা হবে। |   |
| ১৬। | কর্তৃপক্ষ কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকেই সকল দরপত্র অথবা যে কোন দরপত্র গ্রহণ এবং বাতিল করবার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করে।   |   |

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