

Man falls to death from own rooftop in capital

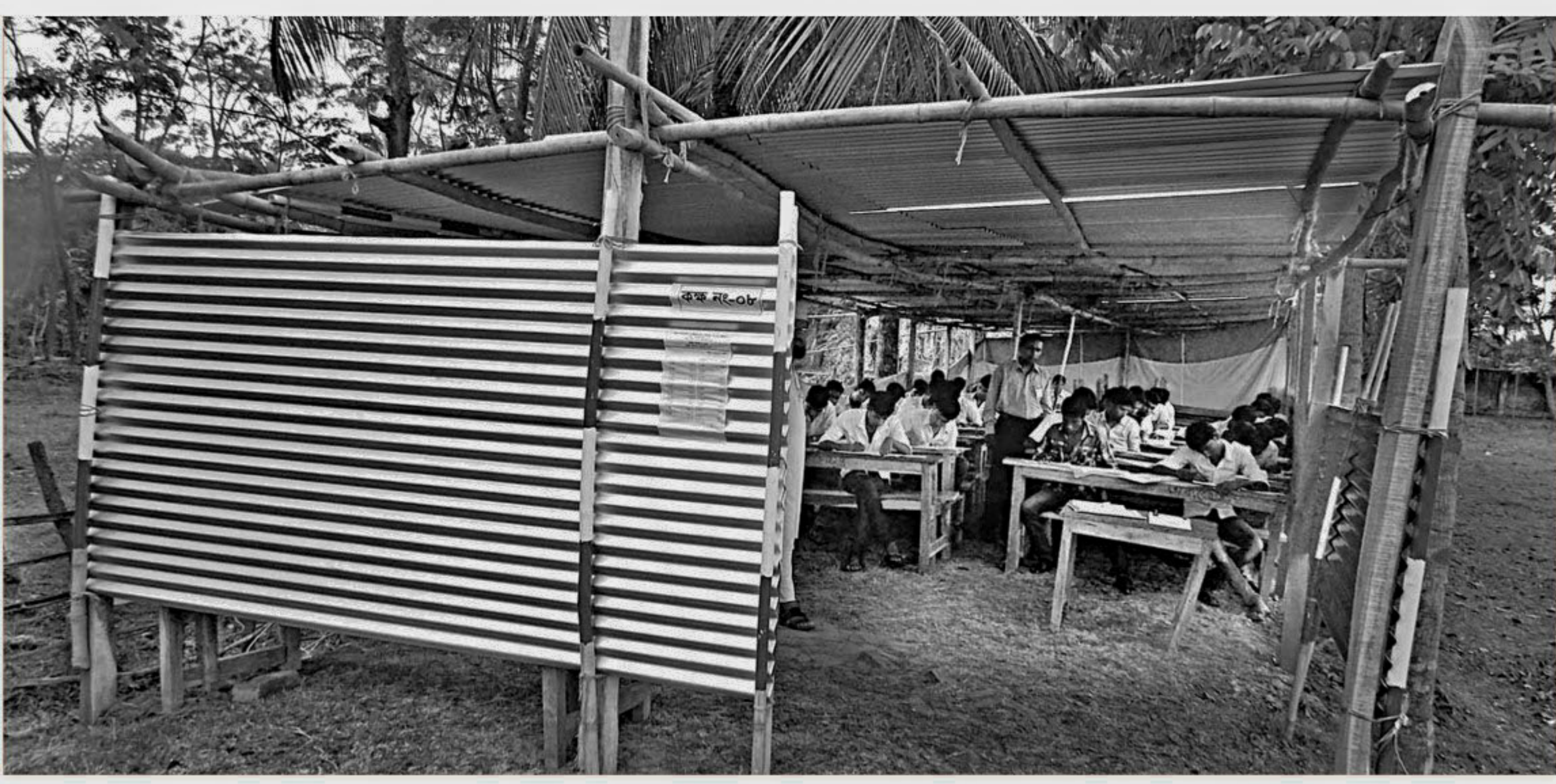
Wife accuses rival relatives of throwing him down

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Another person has been killed on his house premises in the capital's Bhashantek.

Bhashantek police was near the six-storey under-construction building at Dewan Para yesterday when Anwar Hossain Dewan, 45, fell from its second floor where he used to reside with his family.

Police reached there around 7:00am on information that Anwar's group was about to clash with the group of his relative, Ibrahim



With the looming threat of nor'westers in its prime season, candidates take their Higher Secondary Certificate exam in a bamboo and corrugated tin structure serving as a makeshift examination centre of Begum Noorjahan Girls Secondary School in the absence of a building in Taltoli of Barguna yesterday.

PHOTO: BANGLAR CHOKH

TORTURE ON SYLHET BUSINESSMAN Suspended OC sent to jail on surrender

Seven other accused cops still at large

A CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet

Suspended officer-in-charge of Sylhet Kotwali Police Station Ataur Rahman was sent to jail after he surrendered before a court yesterday in a case filed against him and seven other policemen on the charge of torturing a businessman inside the police station last year.



Ataur Rahman

Sylhet Metropolitan Magistrate (first) Shahedul Karim rejected a bail prayer of Ataur and ordered to send him to jail.

A team of police led by the then OC Ataur detained poultry trader Kamal Ahmed Chowdhury on the charge of violating traffic rules on July 17 last year. According to the case statement, police later tortured Kamal in the police station and admitted the victim to Sylhet MAG Osmani Medical College Hospital the following day.

Kamal's younger brother Shamim Ahmed Chowdhury, also former central member of Bangladesh Chhatra League, filed the case on July 27 against eight policemen, including

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Latif's own witness says he admitted to war crimes

Another heard that he had joined Razakar force; IO finds Forkan to be a Razakar, war criminal

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

One of two defence witnesses yesterday testified that Abdul Latif Talukder had admitted to him of committing crimes against humanity while the other heard that Latif had joined the Razakar force during the 1971 Liberation War.



Abdul Latif Forkan Mollik

Meanwhile, Satya Ranjan Roy, the last prosecution witness and investigation officer, testified finding Forkan Mollik to be a Razakar of Patuakhali and being involved in crimes against humanity during the Liberation War.

The defence began cross-examining him and International Crimes Tribunal-2 adjourned proceedings until today.

LATIF'S CASE Formed by the then Jamaat-e-Islami leader AKM Yusuf, the Razakar Bahini collaborated with the Pakistani occupation army as its auxiliary force in the killing of 30 lakh people and rape of two lakh women.

"Many were also involved in crimes against humanity but why the case is filed only against me?" Amjad Sheikh quoted Latif as saying 10 months ago. Both are inhabitants of Sholar Kola village in Bagerhat.

He said Latif also claimed of being implicated by one Hobi Shikder who had cheated his son-in-law of money taken with false promises of sending the latter abroad.

Latif and some others used to provide food to people taking shelter in Rashik Lal High School in a neighbouring village after the Liberation War began, said Amjad.

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CITY CORPORATION ELECTIONS 2015

CAMPAIGN ISSUES IN CHITTAGONG

Manjur's focus integrity, Nasir's waterlogging

AL, BNP leaders tell The Daily Star

ARUN BIKASH DEY, City

With the official electioneering for the Chittagong City Corporation poll starting tomorrow, both Awami League and BNP are busy preparing their campaign strategies by analysing the strength, weakness, opportunity and threat (SWOT) of the candidates they are backing and opposing.

Civil society and the general people are also evaluating the candidates, especially BNP-blessed mayoral hopeful M Manjur Alam and his main challenger AZM Nasir Uddin, Awami League's city unit general secretary.

Talking to The Daily Star, AL leader Ishak Miah, also chairman of the Nagorik Committee that will campaign for Nasir, said they would meet today to fix the focus areas.

The Committee will highlight the problems of waterlogging and waste mismanagement, said Badiul Alam, joint general secretary of Chittagong city unit AL.

These are the main areas of "failure" of incumbent Mayor Manjur, and these will be the decisive factors and a great tool to woo voters, said some AL leaders.

Waterlogging chronically plagues the port city but mayors from both the major parties have failed to address it over the years.

Refuting the claim of Manjur's "failure", Chittagong city BNP President Ameer Khasru Mahmud Chowdhury said it was impossible to solve waterlogging with the limited budget of CCC. "It requires several thousand crore taka."

Moreover, he said, "bypassing the elected representative, the government has executed a lot of development works in

Chittagong city through their politically appointed chairman of CDA, which is a sheer discrimination against an elected public representative."

Manjur's campaigners will also bring to fore the issues of human and political rights, law and order, alongside his positive sides, said Khasru.

"There is no question about Manjur's integrity. He does not face any corruption charge," he said, adding, "Manjur has not politicised the city corporation. Although many BNP activists are aggrieved at him for this, the people by and large are happy."

Khasru claimed, "Manjur has carried out more development works in the city than his successors."

Talking about the strengths of both, Pro-vice Chancellor of Chittagong University Prof Iftekher Uddin Chowdhury said, "Manjur is widely known as a polite person. He was never involved in violent politics. His integrity was never questioned during his mayorship."

On the other hand, Nasir's leadership quality has made all city leaders work together for him, he said. He is also closely associated with the grassroots, the professor added.

Vice Chancellor of East Delta University Prof Sikander Khan said Manjur, an adviser to the BNP chairperson, "failed" to properly lead his subordinates who often neglected their duties. "It's one of his main drawbacks." But he can exploit the anti-AL sentiment, he added.

Some BNP leaders, however, doubt whether the administration and law enforcement agencies will play a neutral role during the April 28 election and how they can take a strong stance in the face of the ruling party men's "authoritarian attitude".

Nasir attends court in attempted killing case

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, City

Awami League-backed Chittagong city mayor candidate AZM Nasir Uddin yesterday appeared before a court in a case filed against him 21 years back, on the charge of attempting to murder a leader of Bangladesh Chhatra League.

The case had been stayed since 1994 after an accused filed a revision petition with the High Court, and the HC vacated the stay order in March 2014.

However, the order reached the Chittagong District and Sessions Judge's court on March 3 this year, and the court later scheduled the proceeding for yesterday, said court sources. The sources added that the delay occurred because of official modalities. On January 24, 1993, then BCL leader Sufian Siddique was attacked at an AL meeting in Chittagong city. Later he sued 18 people including AZM Nasir, also a then BCL leader, for attempted murder.

Public Prosecutor Abul Hasem said the court resumed the cross-examination of the complainant yesterday before adjourning proceedings till May 4. Nasir got bail on April 1.

Water tank explosion injures four

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Four people were injured when an underground water reservoir exploded after coming in contact with candlelight at a residence of the capital's Hazaribagh last night.

Jakir Hossain, 45, the house owner, his son Sabbir Abdullah, 16, tenant Razia Begum, 22, and her one-and-a-half-year-old son Nafis were taken to Dhaka Medical College Hospital.

The explosion occurred when Jakir was checking the water level with a candle during a power outage, said Sentu Das, assistant sub-inspector of Dhaka Medical Police Camp.

Police suspected that trapped gas caused the explosion.

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৬। উপযুক্ত কর্তৃপক্ষ এ নিয়োগ কার্যক্রম যে কোন সময় বাতিল/স্থগিতের ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করে।
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৮। মুক্তিযোদ্ধা কোটার আবেদনকারী ক্ষেত্রে বয়স ৩২ বছর পর্যন্ত শিথিলযোগ্য। বয়সের ক্ষেত্রে একিডেভিট গ্রহণযোগ্য নয়।
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১০। সাক্ষ্য বেতনের সাথে সময়ে সময়ে সরকার কর্তৃক জারীকৃত সার্কুলার অনুযায়ী প্রাপ্য অন্যান্য সুবিধাদি প্রদান করা হবে।
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