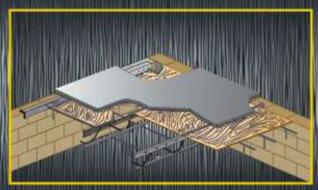


THE NEW FRONTIER OF CONSTRUCTION BSRM INTRODUCES THE HYBRID BUILDING DESIGN CONCEPT IN BANGLADESH



HIGHEST SELLING CEMENT in Bangladesh now for 12 years

JOBS FOR BANGLADESHIS Deal with KL by this month

Malaysia to hire thru' both government, pvt agencies

Dhaka and Kuala Lumpur yesterday finalised the provisions of the proposed G2G Plus agreement that will see recruitment of Bangladeshi workers in Malaysia. Expatriates Welfare Minister Nurul Islam said both the government and private recruitment agencies would send workers to Malaysia under the new system.



Villagers fishing in a drying water body at Birbasinda of Kalihati upazila in Tangail yesterday. As the winter closes in, many low-lying areas are drying up and have become good sources of fish for locals. Inset, villagers sorting their catch.

Reserve 40pc quota for local students

Guidelines issued for govt schools in Dhaka

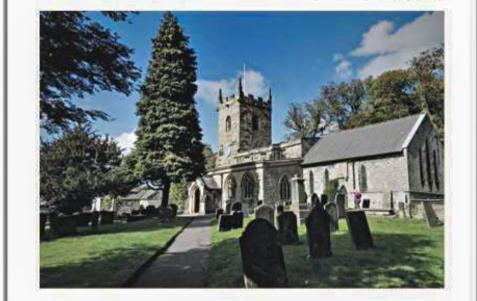
The education ministry yesterday issued its guidelines on admission to government secondary schools, making it mandatory for such institutions in Dhaka to reserve 40 percent quota for local students. Rest of the seats will be open to all.

SECURITY CHECKS Dog squads deployed at int'l airports

Dog squads have been deployed at two international airports in Dhaka and Chittagong and another was scheduled to be deployed at the other international airport by last night to ensure maximum security. A dog squad of Rapid Action Battalion (Rab) has been engaged in security checks at Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport since Monday.

Did this village stop the Black Death?

Over the course of eight days in August 1667, Elizabeth Hancock lost her six children and her husband. Covering her mouth with a handkerchief against the stench of decay, she dragged their bodies to a nearby field and buried them.



Joy says sorry

Deputy Minister for Youth and Sports Arif Khan Joy, who ransacked a joint secretary's room in his ministry three days ago, has apologised to the official. Joy also said sorry to State Minister for Youth and Sports Biren Sikder yesterday for making comments against him in the media and sought support from Secretary Nur Mohammad to help resolve the issue, according to ministry officials.



JMB man confesses killing attempt

Jama'atul Mujahideen Bangladesh (JMB) operatives led the attack on pastor Luke Sarkar in Pabna to kill him, as "he was preaching Christianity among people", police yesterday said, quoting the confessional statement of an arrestee. Arrested JMB regional commander Rakibul Islam gave the confessional statement before a Pabna court on completion of his five-day remand.

Girl hacked to death in city

Three including her mother, sister critically wounded

A 13-year-old girl was hacked dead in an attack that left three people, including her mother and sister, critically injured at the capital's Kadamtoli last evening. The dead is Soheli Akter, a sixth-grader of AK High School at Dholaipar, said police.

SINAI PLANE TRAGEDY Mystery deepens

Black box reveals 'unusual sounds' moments before crash

The mystery deepened yesterday over the weekend crash of a Russian charter plane on the Sinai Peninsula in Egypt that killed all 224 aboard, with company executives ruling out technical or human error and conflicting reports revealing unusual incidents just before the plane lost contact.

Advertisement for National Tax Authority (NTA) regarding the use of fake e-TIN. It features a cartoon detective, a hand holding a pen, and text in Bengali: 'জনকল্যাণে রাজস্ব', 'আপনি জানেন কি?', 'জাল বা ভুয়া (Fake) e-TIN ব্যবহার একটি শাস্তিযোগ্য অপরাধ !!!', 'জাল বা ভুয়া (Fake) e-TIN ব্যবহার একটি শাস্তিযোগ্য অপরাধ !!!'.

Advertisement for SIBL (Social Islami Bank Limited) featuring a mosque icon and prayer times for November 4, 2015.