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Jatiya Adivasi Parishad organises a press conference at Chapainawabganj Town club yesterday, announcing a long march from Nachole to Rajshahi on November 15-16 demanding formation of a separate land commission for the indigenous people living on plain lands.

Abducted boy found murdered, 7 arrested

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

A minor boy, abducted from Kadimnagar village under Ghoraghat municipality on Tuesday, was found murdered at a mango orchard at the village yesterday.

The boy was identified as Parosh Chandra Saha, son of Keshab Chandra Saha. Police arrested seven people of the same village, suspecting their involvement in the abduction and murder of Parosh.

The arrestees are Zillur

Rahman, 20, Mamun, 20, Ibrahim, 18, Firoz, 22, Kamal, 45, Shefali, 35 and Nurbanu, 32. Police said they will produce the arrestees before a Dinajpur court today, seeking remand for them.

Protesting the killing, villagers set fire to the houses of the seven arrestees. Being informed, firefighters from Hakimpur and Phulbari upazila headquarters rushed to the village and doused the flames.

Police said a gang of criminals picked up Parosh from

near their house on Tuesday afternoon. They later demanded Tk5 lakh ransom from his father over cellphone.

Victim's father Keshab Chandra informed the police of the matter and filed a case with Ghoraghat Police Station in this regard.

Locals found the body of Parosh at a mango orchard at the village yesterday morning and informed the police, who recovered the body and sent it to Dinajpur Medical College Hospital morgue for autopsy.

Position Vacancy Announcement

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- Manager, Knowledge Management and Project Development
- Manager, Partnership Management
- Regional Coordinator, UDP
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- Officer, MIS
- Officer, M and E
- Officer, Admin and Logistics and
- Programme Organiser, UDP

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Application deadline : 27 November 2015

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SNIPPETS

Ijtema in Jessore

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Benapole

Regional level Bishwa Ijtema of Tablig Jamaat began at Jessore New Town field yesterday. Devotees have already gathered at the venue to seek spiritual blessings. Shafin Mahmud, assistant superintendent of Jessore police, said around 200 law enforcers have been deployed at the venue. They will perform their duties at 20 points. Around 2,000 volunteers are there to help the devotees, he added. Ten medical teams will provide treatment to the devotees, a source of the organisers said. The Ijtema will end after Zohr prayers tomorrow.

2 youths commit 'suicide'

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Benapole

Two youths allegedly committed suicide in Sharsa and Jhikargachha upazilas of Jessore district on Wednesday. The deceased were identified as Khalilur Rahman, 25, son of Shamsul Haque of Gorpara village in Sharsha upazila, and Abbas Ali, 23, son of Abdur Rahim of Panisara village in Jhikargachha upazila. Police and family members said Khalil took poison at their house on Tuesday night when his father refused to give him money for business. Khalil was taken to Jessore Medical College Hospital where he died the following day. In another incident, Abbas committed suicide by taking poison over a family feud on Tuesday night.

Day labourer electrocuted

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Bogra

A day labourer was electrocuted at Nashratpur village in Dhunat upazila of the district on Tuesday. The deceased is Amir Hossain, 55, of Dheruahati village in the upazila. Police said Amir came in contact with a live electric wire when he was cutting the branches of a tree in the area. He died on the spot.

Human trafficker arrested

UNB, Sirajganj

Criminal Investigation Department (CID) in a drive arrested an alleged human trafficker from Khwaza Yunus Ali Medical College Hospital area in Enayetpur upazila of the district on Wednesday afternoon. The arrestee was identified as Suruzzaman alias Suru Dalal, 40, son of Abul Hossain, a resident of Brahman village in the upazila. He was accused in a human trafficking case filed with Enayetpur Police Station. A team of CID conducted a drive in the area around 4:00pm and arrested Suruzzaman, said Sirajganj CID police.

Listed criminal killed

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Narayanganj

A listed criminal was killed allegedly by an unidentified gang in Gohatta area under Sonargaon upazila of the district on Wednesday. The deceased, Arman Hossain, son of Monjur Kader of Comilla, used to reside at his maternal uncle's house at Gohatta village in the upazila. Quoting locals, police said a gang waylaid Arman in front of 'Afia Filling Station' on Dhaka-Chittagong highway while he was returning to his Sonargaon house from Dhaka by a motorbike. The gang hacked Arman indiscriminately with sharp weapons. They also slit his throat and left the scene, police said, adding that Arman died on the spot.

15 held while going to India illegally

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Benapole

Members of Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) arrested 15 Bangladeshi nationals while they were going to India illegally through Putkhali border on Wednesday night.

Md Jalal uddin, BGB camp commander in Putkhali, said five women and ten men were arrested while they were going to India through the border point without valid documents.

The arrestees hail from different areas of Narail and Faridpur districts, he said.

DRIVES CONTINUE

75 more BNP-Jamaat men held in 5 districts

STAR COUNTRY DESK

At least 75 BNP and Jamaat-Shibir men were held in Nilphamari, Satkhira, Thakurgaon, Jhenidah and Sylhet districts yesterday and the day before.

Police in separate drives arrested 20 activists of Jamaat-e-Islami and its student wing Islami Chhatra Shibir in six upazilas of Nilphamari on Wednesday night, reports our correspondent.

Of the arrestees, six are from Sadar upazila, five from Jaldhaka upazila, one from Dimla upazila, one from Domar upazila, three from Kishoreganj upazila and four others from Saidpur upazila.

They were arrested in different cases, said Superintendent of Police Zakir Hossain.

In Satkhira, a joint force arrested 27 leaders and activists of BNP and Jamaat-Shibir in different places of the district in the last two days, reports UNB.

Enamul Haque, sub-inspector of Satkhira Special Branch, said a team of joint force, comprising police, Rapid Action Battalion and Border Guard Bangladesh, conducted separate drives in eight upazilas of the district and arrested the 27 people.

on sabotage charges.

Away in Thakurgaon, at least 20 BNP-Jamaat men were arrested at different spots in the district early yesterday.

The arrestees include convener of Union Jubo Dal Israfil Azad and Jamaat leader Ziru Mohammad, reports our correspondent.

They were arrested on charge of planning subversive activities in the area, said Superintendent of Police Farhad Ahmed.

According to our Jhenidah correspondent, police in separate drives arrested seven Jamaat-shibir men in four upazilas of the district in the last two days.

Of the arrestees, three are from Sadar upazila, one from Shailakupa upazila, two from Harinakundo upazila and one from

Kaliganj upazila.

They were held on charge of planning subversive activities in the areas, said Assistant Superintendent of Police Ajbahar Ali Sheikh.

The arrestees were sent to jail yesterday, said the ASP.

In Sylhet, police arrested Jamaat-e-Islami district (South) unit General Secretary Maulana Lokman Ahmad on various charges from his house in South Surma upazila early yesterday.

Officer-in-Charge Ataur Rahman of South Surma Police Station said law enforcers, acting on a tip-off, raided the house of Maulana Lokman, also former chairman of the upazila parishad, in the area and arrested him at around 3:00am.

He was wanted in several cases, the OC added.

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A complete set of bid document is available for distribution at WEA office located at **House # 7 (1st Floor), Road # 23/B, Gulshan-1, Dhaka-1212 from November 15 to 19, 2015 between 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.** Interested firms are requested to collect complete bid document from WEA Office. On request bid documents can be sent electronically via email. All terms & conditions are specified in the bid document.

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