Rajapur health complex without water for 4 days

Patients leaving the hospital in Jhalakathi as resumption of supply remains uncertain

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Treatment at Rajapur Upazila Health Complex under the district is badly hampered as water supply has remained suspended since the pump machine there went inoperative on Monday.

Eight to ten surgical operations are daily performed at the health complex meant for two lakh people of the upazila, said Abul Khayer Mahmud Russell, resident medical officer (RMO) of the treatment centre.

"Now around 50 patients, including several pregnant

women, are staying here but treatment is badly hampered due to water crisis. We are still unsure about when the water supply will resume," he said.

brought by their attendants from outside. "Carrying water from

Many patients get water

outside is very tiresome. The amount of water I can bring is hardly enough to meet the patient's need," said Rafique, attendant of a patient. Those who have no atten-

dants are facing a horrible situation.

"I am suffering a lot for want of water as I have no attendant here. Now I am thinking of leaving the

hospital without treatment," said Nargis Akter, an admitted patient.

Several other patients are also in the same boat.

"We have sent the water pump to Dhaka for repair. We sent a request to the Public Health Engineering Department for arranging water supply on an urgent basis but to no effect. The medical service here will stop if the situation continues," said RMO Mahmud Russell.

Dr Abdur Rahim, the civil surgeon of Jhalakathi, expressed hope that the problem will be solved



A boy brings water from outside for a patient at Rajapur Upazila Health Complex in Jhalakathi district yesterday as water supply to the 50-bed hospital remained suspended after the pump machine of the establishment went out of order on Monday.

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SNIPPETS

11 Indian cattle seized

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Chapainawabganj

Members of Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) seized 11 Indian cattle from Kalupur field in Sadar upazila of the district yesterday. On secret information, the border guards raided the field and seized the Indian bullocks around 11:00am. However, none was arrested in this connection, said Lt Col Ahmed Junaed Alam Khan, commanding officer of BGB-9 Battalion.

Drug peddler held with heroin

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Benapole

Detective Branch (DB) of police arrested a drug peddler with 300 grams of heroin at Shahin Supar Market in Chanchra check post area on Benapole-Jessore road on Wednesday. The arrestee is Anjuara Begum, wife of late Abdul Mannan of Sadipur village under Benapole Port Police Station. Acting on a tip-off, the law enforcers raided the area and arrested Anjuara with the heroin around 9:00pm. A case was filed in this connection.

Man murdered

A CORRESPONDENT, Bagerhat

A man was stabbed to death allegedly by his former sonin-law in Dakkhin Jamirtala area under Morelganj upazila of the district on Wednesday night. The deceased, Hamid Durani, 50, of Guwatala village in the upazila, was a night guard of a local madrasa. Quoting victim's son Liton, police said Abu Hawladar of Jamirtala village divorced Hamid's daughter about seven months ago. Over the issue, Abu Hawladar and his two associates stabbed Hamid indiscriminately, leaving him critically injured, while he was returning home from Fulhata Bazar in the area around 8:30pm. Villagers rescued Hamid and took him to the upazila health complex where on-duty doctors declared him dead, said Officer-in-Charge Rashedul Alam of Morelganj Police Station. Hamid might have been killed over previous enmity, the OC added.

Child marriage bid foiled

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

A madrasa girl was saved from underage marriage following timely intervention of Phulbari upazila administration in the district yesterday. The victim is Sharmin Akter, 15, a Class X student of Darussunnah O Siddiquia Fazil Madrasa, and daughter of Mahbur Rahman of Masuapara village in the upazila. Moksed Ali, officer-in-charge of Phulbari Police Station, said being informed that the marriage of the girl was arranged, Upazila Nirbahi Officer Md Ehtesam Reza rushed to the spot and foiled the marriage, said the OC.

Dense fog disrupts ferry service

UNB, Munshiganj

Ferry services on Shimulia-Kawrakandi route in the Padma River resumed after four hours of disruption caused by dense fog yesterday morning. Shekhar Chandra Roy, assistant manager of Bangladesh Inland Water Transport Corporation at Shimulia ghat, said they kept suspended ferry services and plying of the water vessels from 5:00am to 9:15am due to blurred visibility for dense fog. Five ferries stayed motionless in the mid-river, as thick fog enveloped the area. Several hundred vehicles were kept waiting on both sides of the river for crossing. However, ferry services resumed around 9:15am as fog disappeared with the sunlight getting brighter.

Two bodies recovered

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Munshigani

Police recovered the body of an unidentified man, aged about 55, from a pond in Tongibari upazila of the district yesterday. Police and locals said the victim was mentally challenged and used to rove through different alleys of the upazila headquarters. Officer-in-Charge Alamgir Hossain of Tongibari Police Station said local people spotted the body floating on the pond at local Betka Primary School and informed the police around 9:00am. The body was sent to Munshiganj General Hospital morgue for autopsy. Away in Sadar upazila, a rickshaw puller allegedly committed suicide by hanging himself from a mango tree in Joginighat area of the district town the same day. The deceased is Nayan Mia, 18, son of Siraj Mia of Dakkhin Islampur village in the upazila.

Abducted college boy rescued, 2 arrested

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Benapole

Police rescued an abducted college student from Birampur-Kalitala area in Jessore Sadar upazila on Wednesday night.

They also arrested two abductors from there. They are Raja Hossain, 25, son of Mohammad Ali of new town area, and Fazar ALi, 26, son of Bablu Mia of Kismat Noapara area in the town.

The victim, Abu Syed, is a student of Jessore MM College, and son of Khalilur Rahman of Rajapur village

in Jhikargachha upazila of the district.

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Syed was picked up by the two while he was going to Daratana area of the town at around 9:30am. They later demanded Tk 2 lakh ransom from his family over mobile phone.

The victim's father filed a case with Jessore Kotwali Police Station in this connection.

Acting on a tip-off, police raided Birampur--Kalitala area at around 9:00pm, rescued Syed and arrested the two abductors.



PHOTO: BANGLAR CHOKH Coastguard seizes 60 maunds of jatka from a trawler the Kalabadar River in Barisal district yesterday.



A sculptor passes busy time, giving finishing touches to idols of Swaraswati, Hindu deity of wisdom, at Deogaon village in Thakurgaon Sadar upazila yesterday, as preparations are on to observe Swaraswati Puja tomorrow.

UNO ASSAULT CASE

24 ruling party men land in Dinajpur jail

OUR CORRESPONDENT,

A Dinajpur court yesterday sent 24 ruling party men to jail in a case for assaulting the upazila nirbahi officer (UNO) of Nawabganj upazila in Dinajpur in October, 2014. Court Sources said the

accused are members of the upazila units of Awami League, Swechchhasebak League and Chhatra League (BCL).

They appeared before the Senior Judicial Magistrate's Court in the afternoon and sought bail. Judge Gopal Chandra rejected their bail prayers and sent them to jail. Four other accused in the case were granted bail.

A group of the ruling party men attacked the then UNO Md Syed Farhad Hossain on October 1 because he suspended Alam Mia in connection recruitment of night guards with the case. for 36 primary schools in the upazila following allegaalso vandalised three rooms, including the chamber of the UNO.

The UNO sustained injuries in the attack and took treatment at Rangpur Combined Military Hospital (CMC).

superintendent at the UNO office, filed a case with Nawabganj Police Station on October 2, 2014, accus-

ing 50/60 people.

On October 2, police arrested upazila AL activists Md Abdul Mannan and Md

On October 4, police arrested Md Ashraful Islam, tion of irregularities. They 36, president of upazila Swechchhasebak League, Moazzem Hossain, activist of Swechchhasebak League and Ruhul Amin, BCL activist.

Syed Farhad Hossain filed a first information report with the police station on October 4, accusing Abdur Rahman, office 29 AL, BCL and Swechchhasebak League leaders and activists of attacking him and vandalising his office on October 1.

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