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UK BAR ON DIRECT CARGO Fallout worries exporters

REFAYET ULLAH MIRDHA

SM Jahangir Hossain exports five to 10 tonnes of perishable goods to different countries every week, particularly the UK. All was well for him until the recent UK ban on direct cargo from Dhaka to London. The UK Department of Transport says, "Recent security assessments of Dhaka International Airport found that some international security requirements were not being met."

As part of a set of interim measures, it adds, cargo will not be allowed on direct flights

from Dhaka to the UK until further notice. "Airlines carrying cargo between Bangladesh and the UK on indirect routes are being asked to ensure it is re-screened before its final leg into the UK."

Jahangir, managing director of Jinnah Enterprise that exports fruits and vegetables, is a regular customer of Biman Bangladesh Airlines. He is now deeply worried as the UK decision means longer time for transportation of perishable goods and additional freight charges.

Bangladesh exports fruits and vegetables

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Dashing Bangladesh opener Tamim Iqbal was in sublime form, hitting a 26-ball 47 in the ICC World Twenty20 first-round match against Ireland in Dharamsala yesterday, which was eventually abandoned because of rain. With the match reduced to 12 overs a side even before the start, Bangladesh had reached 94 for two before the match was called off.

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Cybercriminals stole billions last year

Bangladesh tops list of countries under mobile malware and offline attacks, says Kaspersky

SHARIEF KHAN

Leading international software security group Kaspersky in its recent reports on worldwide cyber crime has placed Bangladesh in the world's number one position in both mobile malware attacks and offline attacks and 19th position on online attack target.

This means the country's mobile phone users and offline computer users are among the world's most vulnerable ones. Hackers can steal individuals' banking and other personal information from their infected devices and use it for criminal purpose.

Off line infections are spread by removable media connected to the computers, such as flash drives, memory cards, telephones, external hard drives and network drives.

Bangladesh had a rude awakening to the criminal power of hackers with the recently revealed reports on how Chinese hackers stole \$100 million from Bangladesh Bank's account in the New York Federal Reserve Bank. The hackers

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had also attempted to siphon off nearly \$1 billion—which was foiled when an American bank recalled the transfer order.

In February last year, Kaspersky was quoted by Reuters that a multinational gang of cyber criminals has stolen \$1 billion from 100 financial institutions around the world in about two years. The global scale crime hit banks in Japan, China, the United States, and throughout Europe.

Kaspersky's annual report published in December 2015 reveals some alarming information about cybercrime around the world including Bangladesh. Their information is based on users having Kaspersky Lab's products.

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It says that one third of the computers in the world were

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Star website faces rising cyber attacks

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Several hacking attempts to deface The Daily Star's website have been tracked and blocked since early February.

Statistics show that attacks on the website have increased by 50 per cent since that time.

Most of the attacks are originating in the USA and China, sources say.

"Hackers are trying to breach security walls to post garbage contents or modify stories on the website," said The Daily Star's website security team.

The Daily Star website has been under constant attack following the newspaper's coverage of Ganajagarman Mancha, which was formed to demand highest punishment for all war criminals in 2013.

The website was hacked and defaced once during that time.

BB CYBER HEIST \$46m flew into Manila casinos

Silicon Valley-based FireEye helping to probe the heist

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

More than half of the \$81 million Bangladesh Bank's money, which ended up in the Philippines through hacking, went to local casinos in the Southeast Asian country and was used to bet at the tables and buy chips.

"For 20 days, the funds were just there, being used for betting. Everything seemed normal. There was nothing out of the ordinary," said a senior official of the state-run Philippine Amusement Gaming Corporation (Pagcor).

Pagcor is in charge of regulating gaming activities in the

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Tamim shines in washout

AL-AMIN from Dharamsala

Bangladesh's abandoned ICC World Twenty20 qualifier against Ireland at Dharamsala last night will be remembered for one fine knock from dashing opener Tamim Iqbal. Why does it have to be mentioned when it had little or no bearing in a washed-out game? Better ask the weather gods. And didn't they watch in awe when Tamim was in full cry after Bangladesh were asked to bat in a curtailed 12-over-a-side game.

The dashing opener actually started from where he had left off against the Netherlands, where he scored a sublime unbeaten 83. He showed his aggressive intent in the second over, shuffling across and

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Policeman shoots cable TV staff

Victim demanded due bills

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

In a demonstration of sheer arrogance, an assistant sub-inspector of Dhaka Metropolitan Police yesterday shot an employee of a cable TV operator in the city's Khilgaon area over payment of monthly service charges.

Al Amin, 26, an employee of Dhaka East Cable Vision, was hit by a bullet when ASI Shamim Reza of Bangshal Police Station opened fire on him.

Following the incident, police arrested the cop from Bangshal area and seized a pistol and a bullet in his possession. The DMP suspended him.

Al Amin said he went to Shamim's Nandipara home on

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SEVEN RINGS CEMENT

AL-AMIN from Dharamsala



A portion of Road-55 in the city's Gulshan-2 caved into Gulshan Lake yesterday afternoon, putting the buildings on the road in danger. This happened as Rajdhani Unnayan Kartripakkha is implementing a lake beautification project there without ensuring proper safety measures, locals alleged.

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এতদ্বারা সর্বসাধারণের অবগতির জন্য জানানো যাইতেছে যে, যদি বাংলাদেশ মেডিক্যাল এন্ড ডেন্টাল কাউন্সিলে (বিএমএন্ডডিসি) নিবন্ধনকৃত কোন চিকিৎসক/দস্ত চিকিৎসক/চিকিৎসা সহকারী চিকিৎসার ক্ষেত্রে কোন অনিয়ম, প্রতারণা বা গাফিলতি করিয়াছেন বলিয়া কাহারও নিকট প্রতীয়মান হয় সে ক্ষেত্রে অভিযোগকারী তাহার সঠিক পরিচিতি এবং অভিযোগ প্রমাণের স্বপক্ষে সুনির্দিষ্ট তথ্যাদি সহ কাউন্সিলে অভিযোগ করিতে পারিবেন। বিএমএন্ডডিসি উক্ত বিষয়ে তদন্ত সাপেক্ষে প্রয়োজনীয় আইনানুগ ব্যবস্থা গ্রহণ করিবে।

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