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A NOVEL WAY TO WOO VOTERS: Fazal Mia, a candidate for the member post of ward No 2 in Prithimpasha union of Kulaura upazila under Moulvibazar district conducts door to door campaign with his pet elephant yesterday, ahead of the union parishad election slated for May 7.

Clash over stalking leaves 30 hurt in Habiganj

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Moulvibazar

At least 30 people were injured in a clash between two groups of people over stalking of a housewife in Baniarchang upazila of Habiganj district on Monday night.

Of the injured, 15 were admitted to Habiganj Sadar Hospital in a critical condition while the rest treated at a local health complex.

Police and witnesses said Nazrul Islam, son of Sirish Ali of Ikram village, had been stalking a housewife of the village for three months.

Locals said Nazrul entered the woman's house on Sunday night while her husband was visiting a relative's house in a nearby

village around 8:00pm. When the housewife started screaming neighbours rushed to her house, but Nazrul managed to flee.

Following an altercation between two groups of villagers over the issue, they, equipped with sharp weapons, then locked in a clash that lasted for about an hour, leaving at least 30 people from both sides injured.

On information, police went to the village and fired rubber bullets and teargas shells to bring the situation under control.

A m u l l a y K u m a r Chowdhury, officer-in-charge of Baniarchang Police Station, said police have been deployed in the area to avert further unto-

ward incident.

Away in Dinajpur, a mobile court on Tuesday jailed a youth for 15 days for stalking a housewife in Khansama upazila, reports our correspondent.

The convict is Monwar Hossain, 22, son of late Balia Rahman of Haldipara village under the upazila.

Locals of Haldipara village caught the youth red-handed while he was stalking the housewife there at around 11:30am. Later, he was handed over to the police, who produced him before the court.

The court, led by Executive Magistrate Sajebur Rahman, found Monwar guilty and sentenced him to 15 days imprisonment.

SNIPPETS

MP Mujibur laid to rest

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

Capt (ret'd) Mujibur Rahman Fakir, ruling Awami League (AL) MP from Mymensingh-3 (Gouripur) and a freedom fighter, was laid to rest with state honour at his village home Kaltapara in Gouripur upazila of the district yesterday morning. Two separate namaj-e-janazas were held in Gouripur including one at local stadium around 10:00am, said Ali Ahmed Khan Silvi, a local AL leader. He was buried on the premises of Sebalaya, a charitable dispensary founded by the lawmaker at Kaltapara in the upazila. Earlier around 8:00am, his body was kept at Bangabandhu Chatter in Gouripur and people from all walks of life paid tribute to the lawmaker. On Monday morning, Mujibur died of a cardiac arrest at a Mymensingh hospital, aged 69. He left his wife and three daughters. Born in 1947, Mujibur served as the state minister for health during the previous tenure of AL.

Man held with bombs

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Benapole

Police arrested an alleged criminal with 10 bombs from Bejpara area of Jessore district town on Monday night. The arrestee is Tikli Babu, 32, son of Ayub Ali, a resident of Mathpara area of the town. Soheb Ali, sub-inspector of Jessore Kotwali Police Station, said on secret information, a police team raided the area and arrested Tikli Babu with the bombs. A case was filed in this connection.

99 Yaba tablets seized

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Jamalpur

Members of Rapid Action Battalion (Rab) arrested a drug peddler with 99 Yaba tablets from Benuarchar Bazar in Islampur upazila of the district yesterday. The arrestee is Mos Bepari, 26, of Benuarchar village. On information, the elite force raided the shop around 3:00pm and arrested him, said Abu Syyed, company commander (in-charge) of Rab-14.

Foxes fairytale

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The Foxes' dream run was given a Shakespearean touch by the Guardian, who declared the side "Kings of England" with a picture of Richard III, whose bones are buried in Leicester.

The Times feted a "fairytale finish for champions Leicester", while the Daily Express claimed that the Foxes have "pulled off greatest fairytale in football history". The Daily Telegraph meanwhile hailed "Leicester's miracle men crowned Premier League champions".

Bear in mind however that this is a team which costs less to assemble at a total of 54.4 million pounds sterling, than signing one Kevin De Bruyne who was purchased at 55 million pounds, Luis

Suarez at 65 million pounds or Gareth Bale at 93.1 million pounds.

Accolades were also heaped on manager Claudio Ranieri, who has never won the top-flight title before in his 30-year managerial career.

He was "King Claudio" in his home country Italy's La Gazzetta dello Sport, which portrayed him as a Romanesque statue, while Tuttosport hailed him the "King of England". Corriere dello Sport joined in by hailing the monumental achievement.

Catalan-based sport daily Marca featured Ranieri alongside the headline 'Ole Leicester!' The 64-year-old manager spent four years working in Spain with spells at Atletico Madrid and Valencia.

Abducted UP chairman aspirant rescued, 3 held

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

Members of Rapid Action Battalion (Rab) rescued a ruling party leader three hours after his abduction on Monday in Kalai upazila of Joypurhat.

The victim is Monwar Hossain, vice president of Matrai union unit of Awami League, and a rebel aspirant for the post of chairman of the union.

According to witnesses, Monwar was going to Joypurhat town on an easy-bike on Monday for filing his nomination papers for the post of chairman of Matrai union as he faced hindrance in filing his

papers in Kalai upazila. Some criminals waylaid the vehicle carrying him when it reached Baniyapara village near Joypurhat-Bogra road at around 1:30pm and abducted him.

Three hours later, members of Rab rescued him from the house of one Abdur Razzak in Matrai village.

Razzak managed to flee but Rab men detained his wife Nuri Akhter, 42. They also arrested two others from the spot suspecting their involvement in the abduction.

They are Ismail Hossain, 28, son of Abdul Zabbar of Shailgun, and Mahbubur Rahman Masud, 32, son of

Md Shamsuddin of Kusumshara village under the upazila, said Major Hasan Arafat, commander of Joypurhat Rab-5.

Locals said a gang abducted Monwar Hossain to prevent him from filing his nomination papers as he decided to contest the race as an independent candidate.

Yesterday was the last date for filing nomination papers.

ANM Shawkat Habib Logic, member of Kalai upazila AL and also present chairman of Matrai union, is contesting the election for same the post with boat symbol.

Man to die for killing wife in Tangail

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Tangail

A Tangail court yesterday sentenced a man to death for killing his wife for dowry in Madhupur upazila of the district in 2012.

The death penalty awardee is Mohammad Nasir Uddin, son of Meser Ali of Kaitkai village in the upazila.

According to the prosecution, Nasir married Noorjahan Begum, daughter of Ziaul Haque of Poddarbari village in the upazila in March 2012. After the marriage, he demanded Tk 20,000 as dowry from his father-in-law.

On the night of September 2, 2012, Nasir picked up a quarrel with Noorjahan over the issue. At one stage, he strangled her.

On the following day, victim's father Ziaul Haque filed a murder case with Madhupur Police Station, accusing Nasir.

Police arrested Nasir and produced him before the court where he gave a confessional statement under Section 164.

After examining case record, Judge Mohammad Shorfuiddin Ahmed of Women and Children Repression Prevention Tribunal in Tangail handed down the verdict.

Two murdered in Sirajganj

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pabna

A handloom worker and an auto-rickshaw driver were killed in Belkuchi and Raiganj upazilas of Sirajganj district on Monday.

The deceased are weaver Md Rahel Hossain, 28, son of Shukur Ali of Chandanaganti Pashchimpara village in Belkuchi, and auto-rickshaw driver Ronju Hossain, 35, son of Ishhaque Hossain of Nijhuri area in Raiganj upazila.

The weaver went out of his house on Sunday

night and did not return home since then.

The following day, he was found dead at a paddy field near the house.

Criminals hacked him to death and dumped the body in the area, said police.

Meanwhile, police recovered the body of Ronju from Nijhuri area in Raiganj upazila on Monday morning.

A gang strangled Ronju and dumped the body in the area, said OC Md Rashedul Islam of Raiganj Police Station, adding that a case was filed in this connection.



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A large number of school children join a human chain at Dariyapur Bazar on Gaibandha-Sundarganj road yesterday demanding punishment of the driver of the truck that crushed to death four-year-old Saumik on April 22.



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Un-audited Consolidated Financial Statements for the period from 1 January 2016 to 31 March 2016

Consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 March 2016		
	31 Mar 2016 Taka	31 Dec 2015 Taka
Assets		
Property, plant and equipment	2,241,532,842	2,311,590,599
Intangible assets	16,426,442	6,683,955
Capital work-in-progress	1,815,037,735	1,545,379,710
Trade and other receivables	111,037,500	148,050,000
Total non-current assets	4,184,034,519	4,011,704,264
Inventories	2,257,266,539	2,239,844,230
Trade and other receivables	646,089,236	638,387,373
Loan to disposed subsidiary	201,898,000	201,898,000
Advances, deposits and prepayments	471,937,665	340,158,392
Advance income tax	2,244,372,861	2,219,806,786
Cash and cash equivalents	1,052,453,218	1,101,566,520
Total current assets	6,874,017,519	6,741,661,301
Total assets	11,058,052,038	10,753,365,565
Equity		
Share capital	3,368,506,110	3,368,506,110
Share premium	1,473,647,979	1,473,647,979
Retained earnings	1,432,085,697	1,196,443,022
Equity attributable to equity holders of the company	6,274,239,786	6,038,597,111
Non-controlling interests	1,664	1,529
Total equity	6,274,241,450	6,038,598,640
Liabilities		
Borrowings	794,149,680	420,624,802
Deferred tax liability	71,365,672	75,811,194
Total non-current liabilities	865,515,352	496,435,996
Employees benefits payable	10,557,261	26,224,135
Borrowings	509,656,803	771,119,369
Trade and other payables	497,891,199	640,626,199
Accrued expenses	227,444,127	196,618,285
Provision for income tax	2,672,745,846	2,583,742,941
Total current liabilities	3,918,295,236	4,218,330,929
Total liabilities	4,783,810,588	4,714,766,925
Total equity and liabilities	11,058,052,038	10,753,365,565

Consolidated profit or loss and other comprehensive income for the period from 1 January 2016 to 31 March 2016					
	31 Mar 2016 Taka	31 Mar 2015 Taka			
Sales	1,311,182,196	1,226,405,680			
Cost of sales	(745,724,126)	(697,354,547)			
Gross profit	565,458,070	529,051,133			
Other income	600,000	621,403,060			
Administrative expenses	(76,808,057)	(641,981,560)			
Marketing and selling expenses	(160,962,034)	(195,001,639)			
	(237,770,091)	(215,580,139)			
Profit from operating activities	328,287,979	313,470,994			
Finance income	12,372,140	62,608,037			
Finance expenses	(6,581,890)	(1,635,541)			
Net finance income	5,790,250	60,972,496			
Share of profit/(loss) of equity-accounted investees	-	(3,492,211)			
Profit before contribution to worker's profit participation and welfare fund	334,078,229	370,951,279			
Contribution to worker's profit participation and welfare fund	(13,878,036)	(6,981,838)			
Profit before income tax	320,200,193	363,969,441			
Income tax expense					
Current tax	(89,002,905)	(123,751,245)			
Deferred tax	4,445,522	4,430,652			
	(84,557,383)	(119,320,593)			
Profit for the period	235,642,810	244,648,848			
Other comprehensive income	-	-			
Total comprehensive income for the period	235,642,810	244,648,848			
Profit attributable to:					
Equity holders of the company	235,642,675	233,158,996			
Non-controlling interests	135	11,489,852			
Profit after tax for the period	235,642,810	244,648,848			
Basic earnings per share (Par value TK 10)	0.70	0.69			
Sd/-	Sd/-	Sd/-	Sd/-	Sd/-	
Chairman	Managing Director	Director	Chief Financial Officer	Company Secretary	
Dhaka, Bangladesh Dated, 03 May 2016					
Consolidated statement of changes in equity for the period from 1 January 2016 to 31 March 2016					
	Attributable to owners of the Company			Non-controlling interests	Total equity
	Share capital	Share Premium	Retained earnings	Taka	Taka
	Taka	Taka	Taka	Taka	Taka
Balance as at 01 January 2015	3,368,506,110	1,473,647,979	1,077,275,395	5,919,429,484	(58,949,789)
Total comprehensive income for 2015	-	-	235,158,996	235,158,996	11,489,852
Profit/(loss) for the period	-	-	(275)	(275)	(499,725)
Prior year adjustment	-	-	(275)	(275)	(900,000)
Elimination on disposal of subsidiary	-	-	-	-	195,261,930
Balance as at 31 March 2015	3,368,506,110	1,473,647,979	1,310,434,116	6,152,588,205	147,302,248
Balance as at 01 January 2016	3,368,506,110	1,473,647,979	1,196,443,022	6,038,597,111	1,529
Total comprehensive income for 2016	-	-	235,642,675	235,642,675	135
Profit/(loss) for the period	-	-	235,642,675	235,642,675	235,642,810
Balance as at 31 March 2016	3,368,506,110	1,473,647,979	1,432,085,697	6,274,239,786	1,664

Consolidated statement of cash flows for the period from 1 January 2016 to 31 March 2016		
	31 Mar 2016 Taka	31 Mar 2015 Taka
Cash flows from operating activities		
Cash receipts from customers	1,209,594,140	1,023,011,199
Cash payments to suppliers and employees	(1,064,229,590)	(991,976,458)
Cash generated from operating activities	145,364,550	31,034,741
Interest received from bank deposit	995,109	1,016,451
Income tax paid	(24,566,075)	(59,983,051)
Net cash (used in)/from operating activities	121,793,584	(27,931,859)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	(271,354,485)	(156,969,852)
Sale of property, plant and equipment	129,500	-
Disposal proceeds of subsidiary and associate	-	361,914,560
Interest received from FDR	10,020,603	22,388,691
Income from rented depot	600,000	600,000
Intangible assets	(12,346,418)	-
Net cash (used in)/from investing activities	(272,950,800)	227,933,399
Cash flows from financing activities		
Finance charges	(9,121,930)	(1,758,035)
Avail/(repayment) of term loan	373,524,878	-
Avail/(repayment) of short-term loan	(261,462,566)	180,310,206
Dividend paid	(550,868)	(113,575)
Unclaimed share application refund	(345,600)	(134,400)
Loan realized from associate	-	9,836,846
Net cash (used in)/from financing activities	102,043,914	188,141,042
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(49,113,302)	388,142,582
Cash and cash equivalents as at 01 January	1,101,566,520	1,475,522,002
Cash and cash equivalents as at 31 March	1,052,453,218	1,863,664,584

The details of the published un-audited Consolidated Financial Statements is available in website of the Company. The address of the website is www.rakcerambd.com