Passengers suffer as four launch ghats in awful state

SOHRAB HOSSAIN, Patuakhali

Thousands of passengers are suffering a lot as two launch ghats (terminals) in Galachipa upazila under the district are virtually unusable while two others are lying without any approach road for long.

Over a thousand passengers move through Galachipa launch terminal to different destinations but there is no approach road or jetty there.

"We use this ghat to go the different places including Dhaka. During high tide we have to get on launches by country boat or trawler and during low

launch ghat said, "The government earned Tk about 21 lakh this year from government."

Galachipa-Charmontaz and Rangabali-Moudubi routes, a new pontoon was set up about two months but in vain. ago but passengers cannot use it smoothly due to lack of approach

The only pontoon in Panpatti launch ghat became unusable as it got stuck on the ground during cyclone

trip although there is no service at all. Over 80,000 people of all five unions

gers as we paid lease money to the Galachipa upazila parishad chairman, said we requested the authority con-In Pakkhia launch ghat on cerned to take immediate steps to build approach roads in these launch ghats to mitigate passengers' sufferings

Collecting toll from passengers at these ghats is unethical as there is no service, he added.

Contacted, AZM Shah Newaz Kabir, executive engineer of BIWTA (Bangladesh Inland Water Transport Authority), said they are setting up a "We have to pay toll of Tk 5 for each new launch ghat in Galachipa town.

> Md Rafiqul Islam, deputy director of conservancy and piloting departwould be set up very soon at Badnatali

> "Local UP chairman earlier assured us of building an approach road at

> The UP chairman, Md Hadi Khalifa said the approach road will be built



Passengers have to take the help of boats to get on Galachipa launch terminal in Patuakhali district as the important station remains without any approach road for long. During ebb tide, plight of the passengers worsens as they have to walk through muddy path to get to the jetty.

Two stabbed to death

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushtia

A youth, who was stabbed allegedly by one of his friends in Kushtia town on Monday night, died at Rajshahi Medical College Hospital (RMCH) yesterday morning.

The deceased, Yasin Arafat Laltu, 22, son of Alamgir Hossain, was a resident of Chairman Road in the

Deceased's family members said one Liton of the same area stabbed Laltu allegedly over a previous feud on

Monday night. Locals took him to Kushtia General

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আইনগত বিজ্ঞপ্তি

এই মর্মে সর্বসাধারণের অবগতির জন্য জানানো যাচ্ছে যে, মুয়নামতি টেক্সটাইল মিলস্ লিমিটেড

কুমিল্লা এর পক্ষে ব্যবস্থাপনা পরিচালক জনাব হাসান জামিল এর নিমু তফসিল বর্ণিত স্থাবর সম্পত্তির যোল আনা মালিক ও ভোগ-দখলকার থাকাবস্থায় সিটি ব্যাংক, কুমিল্লা শাখায় বন্ধক

রাখিয়া ঋণ গ্রহন করেন। অতপর আমার মোয়াক্সেল রূপায়ন ল্যান্ড ডেভেলপমেন্ট লিঃ এর পক্ষে কোম্পানীর চেয়ারম্যান জনাব মোঃ লিয়াকত আলী খান মুকুল, যাহার ঠিকানা- রূপায়ন সেন্টার, ৫ম তলা, ৭২ মহাখালী বা/এ, ঢাকা-১২১২, এর নিকট নিমু তফসিল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তি শীঘ্রই বিক্রি করুতে যাচ্ছেন। নিমু তফসিল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তিতে কোন ব্যক্তি বা প্রতিষ্ঠানের কোন প্রকার আইনগত

দাবী-দাওয়া থাকিলে অত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশিত হওয়ার ৭ (সাত) দিনের মধ্যে সংশ্লিষ্ট ব্যক্তি বা প্রতিষ্ঠানকে নিমু ঠিকানায় যোগাযোগ করার জন্য অনুরোধ করা হইল। উক্ত সময়সীমার মধ্যে কোন প্রকার আইনানুগ দাবী-দাওয়া বা আপৃত্তি লিখিতভাবে নিমু স্বাক্ষরকারীর নিকট উত্থাপিত না

হইলে অত্র সম্পত্তি সম্পূর্ণ নিস্কন্টক ও নির্দায় বলিয়া গণ্য হইবে এবং পরবর্তীতে কোন প্রকার দাবী-দাওয়া বা আপত্তি গ্রহণযোগ্য হইবেনা বরং উক্ত দাবী-দাওয়া সর্ব আদালতে অগ্রাহ্য বলিয়া

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নাজমূল হাসান খান

এডভোকেট ১০/এ. (১০ম তলা)

আজহার কমফোর্ট কমপ্লেক্স,

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Hospital, from where he was later the village. shifted to Rajshahi Medical College around 6:30am.

Officer-in-Charge Sahabuddin village. Chowdhury of Kushtia Model Police Station said none had lodged any complaints in this regards till filing this report as of 6:00pm yesterday.

Away in Daulatpur upazila, a youth was stabbed to death allegedly by one of his relatives at Daripara village in the upazila early yesterday.

The deceased is Janarul Islam, 32, of said.

Quoting witnesses police said few Hospital. He died at the hospital days ago Janarul borrowed some money from one Rafiqul Islam of the

The duo locked in an altercation over repaying the money around 1:00am. At one stage, Rafiqul stabbed Janarul with a knife, leaving him criti-

cally injured. Family member took him to Daulatpur Upazila Health Complex, where the doctors declared him dead, Officer-in-Charge Shahidul Islam of Daulatpur Police Station

Mother, son missing for month; Abduction case filed at last

OUR CORRESPONDENT,

A man filed a case on Tuesday over abduction of his daughter and grandson, more than a month after the incident took place in Manda upazila of Naogaon district.

The abducted are Shahina Bibi, 26, wife of Saudi Arabia expatriate Abdul Jalil, and her 4-yearold son Abdullah of Pajardanga village under Manda upazila.

Ashraful Islam, father of the abducted housewife, filed a case, accusing eight people, with the Judicial Magistrate's Court in Naogaon on Monday. The court ordered the Manda police to record the case with the police station.

Ashraful Islam said he filed the case with the court as Manda Upazila Police Station declined to record his case. However, the offi-

was abducted while she was

cer-in-charge of the police station rejected the claim. alleged that his daughter

going to Naogaon on May 18 with Tk 2.5 lakh to buy materials for her newly constructed house. Her son Abdullah was with her.

Ashraful said Ujjal Hossain, 32, his father Sekandar Ali, 55, and Aynal Haque, 36, of Chawksideshwari village under Manda upazila, along with five unidentified criminals wearing masks, allegedly picked up the housewife with her son on a microbus from Pajardanga hat area.

His daughter and grandson have remained traceless since then.

Three of the abductors were construction workers at her house, Ashraful added.

The court ordered the police to submit the investigation report on June 30, court sources said.

Contacted, Mozaffar Hossain, officer-in-chargez of Manda Upazila Police Station, said he was yet to get a letter from the court In the case statement, he regarding the issue. Once they get the papers they will start their work, he added.

Youth hacked to death

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet

A youth was hacked to death allegedly by his rivals over a disputed land at Alinagar village in Beanibazar upazila of the district yesterday.

The deceased was Mahtab Uddin, 22, son of late Mokhon Ali of the village.

Police said a gang attacked Mahtab with sharp weapons, leaving him seriously injured when he was returning home in the morning.

Mahtab was rushed to a hospital where he died, said Juber Ahmed, OC of Beanibazar Police Station.

Police arrested Rubel Talukder, Sumon Talukder, Rajon Talukder and some others in this connection, he said.

Lightning kills two

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

Two people were killed by lightning at Dakkhin Betgari village in Gangachhara upazila of Rangpur district.

The deceased are Mominul Islam, 23, son of Bachchan Mia, and Hasibul Islam, 18, son of Monabbar Hossain of the village.

Locals said a thunderbolt struck the duo when they were returning home around 9:30pm on Tuesday.

The victims were rushed to Rangpur Medical College Hospital where they died yesterday morning.

Elderly woman burnt to death

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pirojpur

A 60-year-old woman was burned to death as a fire broke out at her house in Pirojpur town yesterday. The deceased, Farida

Begum, 60, was daughter of late Hemayet Uddin of Baiddyapara area in the town. Deceased's younger

brother Ziaul Ahsan said Farida had been suffering from serious mental depression since long and remained single throughout the life.

Neighbours found her thatched room burning and doused the blaze from outside by throwing water around 12:00noon.

Later, they entered her room by breaking open the door and found Farida dead inside.

Sub-inspector Mohammad Asaduzzaman of Sadar Police Station said the fire might have originated from the kerosene stove which Farida used for cooking her food.

Man killed by elephant

UNB, Sherpur

An elderly man was killed and his son injured as a herd of marauding elephants attacked their house at Gurucharan Dudnai village in Jhenaigati upazila of the district early yesterday.

The deceased is Haji Rustam Ali, 70, of the village. UNO M Selim Reza said a herd of 20/25 wild elephants came to the village

looking for food.

They swooped on Rustam's house at 2:30am and attacked them. Rustam died on the spot and his son Niamat was hospitalised.



PLAYFUL CHILDHOOD: Children pass a happy time jumping, bathing and frolicking in the pond of Government Azizul Haque College in Bogra yesterday. Although children living in congested city areas hardly get any such opportunity, rural areas and places with natural surroundings still offer the kids carefree pastime.

Basket seller makes home for myna couple

ANWAR ALI with ANDREW EAGLE

Any resident of Dhaka knows how difficult it can be to find suitable accommodation. Elsewhere in the country the situation might not be quite as unfavourable but locating a home is never easy, and not only for humans.

Mohammad Liton, a basket seller from Baneswar Bazar of Rajshahi unwittingly witnessed one such accommodation crisis faced by a couple of common myna birds, and he decided to do something about it. Every day Liton takes up his spot in the

bazaar surrounded by the cane baskets he sells. Since late April from his spot in the market, Liton observed the myna couple desperately trying to build a nest under the open shutters of nearby Latif Electronics. But every night as shutters came down their nest was destroyed.

"The myna couple were crying," recalls Liton, "During the day they were noisy and busily rebuilding the nest that had been damaged the night before. I was shocked to watch them and wondered what to do."

Fortunately, Biswanath Sarker, a homeopath in the market, had an idea.

Biswanath donated a Tk 20 pitcher, suggesting it could be used as a nest for the mynas. But Liton thought they could use something a little roomier, so he bought another pitcher for Tk 30 and in the first week of May he spent a further Tk 20 to have a day labourer hang it under the eaves of a nearby building.

Fortunately, the myna couple found the new accommodation option to their liking.

The female myna has since laid eggs and now they are raising three chicks at the pitcher-home. Local traders commended Liton on his initiative and enjoy watching as the mother bird feeds the chicks after collecting different food items, while the male keeps a vigilant watch from nearby.

"It's breeding season for the common myna," says Professor Aminuzzaman M Saleh Reza of Rajshahi University's zoology department. "Like many birds it's their habit to maintain a healthy family life while chicks are raised."



PHOTO: STAR

A myna family sheltered at the pitcher-home arranged by Mohammad Liton at Baneshwar Bazar in Rajshahi district.

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