

# 3-month-old

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At one stage, the woman asked Nasima how many children she had. When Nasima said she had three daughters, the woman said she had four sons but no daughter. "The woman then asked me where the gynaecology ward was and when I said I didn't know she went away," Nasima said. About one and a half hours later, Shorna was walking on the balcony of the hospital. The woman approached her and offered her a drink, she said. Shorna said, "I went outside the hospital building with the woman. She bought a can of juice for me and asked me to bring my little sister to her so that she could buy her some baby clothes."

The nine-year-old girl then went back to her mother and took the baby who was sleeping on her mother's lap.

"I didn't ask anything as Shorna often took the baby outside [the hospital building] in the afternoon," said Nasima.

When Shorna brought the baby outside the building, the woman took both of them to the entrance to the hospital adjacent to its emergency unit and bought the baby a set of baby clothes, she said, quoting Shorna as saying.

The woman then asked Shorna to go back and bring her mother after keeping the baby with her, saying she would buy another set of baby clothes in the meantime.

"When I went to the spot with Shorna, I found the woman had disappeared with the baby," said Nasima.

She said their village home is in Madaripur, and her husband Bahadur is a day labourer.

Abu Bakar Siddiq, officer-in-charge of Shahbagh Police Station, said a case was filed in this connection.

All bus and launch terminals in Dhaka were notified of the incident, the police official added.

On August 21, 2014, a newborn boy was stolen from the same hospital, just a day after his birth. The baby was rescued from Gazipur a week later.

In another incident, a newborn baby was stolen from the hospital on April 24, 2012, only 20 minutes after his birth.



A relative showing a photo of Saiful on her mobile phone. Inset, the body identified as Saiful's.

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## Five militants

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Police (DMP).

The five militants -- Nibras Islam, Rohan Imtiaz, Meer Saameh Mubasheer, Khairul Islam Payel and Shafiqul Islam Uzzal -- were killed in the commando operation on July 2 morning, ending over an 11-hour siege to the upscale eatery.

Apart from them, Saiful Islam, a chef of the café, was also killed at that time. Police suspect that Saiful was an associate of the killers but his family claims he was innocent.

The family came to know about Saiful's burial through television yesterday.

Talking to The Daily Star, his younger sister Moyna Begum said they had repeatedly requested police to hand-over the body to them.

"They [police] used to tell us that they would give us the body on completion of some tests. We had demanded the body even when my mother went to Dhaka recently for matching her DNA with Saiful's."

"We just wanted to see his [Saiful's] face for once. But they did not even let us do that. They have buried my brother secretly," she said while crying.

Moyna said her mother and Saiful's wife and their two daughters kept lamenting the fact that they could not see Saiful for the last time.

During the siege at the Gulshan café, the terrorists killed 20 hostages, including 17 foreigners, while two policemen who tried to enter the bakery lost their lives too.

An injured assistant chef also died later.

The authorities handed over the bodies of the victims to their families immediately after the incident.

Police collected DNA samples from the bodies of the five attackers and the chef and later matched them with their respective parents' to confirm their identity.

On Monday, Monirul Islam, chief of counter terrorism unit of the DMP, told reporters that they were yet to specifically find the two chefs' involvement with the militants and said the investigation was underway.

### BODIES OF OTHER MILITANTS AT DMC

The bodies of 14 other militants killed in separate police raids at Kalyanpur, Narayanganj, Mirpur and Azimpur are kept at the Dhaka Medical College (DMC) Morgue following autopsies.

Recently, the DMC urged the DMP to take necessary steps to take back the bodies of 13 militants from its mortuary as the morgue's normal activities were being hampered due to a dearth of space in it.

Of the 14 bodies, nine are of militants who were killed in the Kalyanpur operation on July 26.

Contacted, a DMP official said it will take more time to decide on the hand-over of the bodies.

Meanwhile, Piyara Begum, mother of militant Khairul, told our Bogra correspondent that they had been claiming his body since the incident.

"Local police told us that they will inform us about the way for getting the body but they did not," she said.

Bodiuzzaman, father of Shafiqul, said they did not even apply to get the militant's body back "feared something bad".

## 6 Bangladeshis

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Bangladesh ambassador to Saudi Arabia, told The Daily Star over phone.

The dead are Shahidul Islam and his brother Babul, of Ujirpur upazila in Barisal, Rafiqul Islam, of Patuakhali, Sirajul Islam, Rana and Sharif, of Bhola, said Sarwar Alam, counsellor (Labour) at the embassy.

Injured Saiful was admitted to a local hospital, he added.

The embassy officials visited the accident spot and the hospital. It has already informed the victims' families.

"We will continue our efforts to send back the victims' bodies to Bangladesh as soon as possible. We will also try our best so that the victims' families get compensation," counsellor Sarwar added.

## Dead baby

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The hospital authorities refused to admit her, saying there was no bed left unoccupied, alleged Kalam, an employee at Faridpur Ansar Camp.

When he requested doctor Rejia Alam to examine Naznin, who was due in January, the doctor refused, saying she would "attend her later".

"She [the doctor] then went to the operation theatre," he added.

Meantime around 12:00am, Naznin gave birth to the girl normally in the doctor's room, where she had been waiting all the while.

After some time, Rejia came out of the operation theatre and declared the infant dead.

The kid was then kept in a carton on the hospital floor, he alleged.

A dejected Kalam took the kid to Faridpur Municipality Graveyard for burial around 3:00am. As it was still dark, an employee asked him to wait till morning. Kalam obliged, keeping the carton beside a concrete grave.

In the morning, imam Abdur Rob while reciting from the Quran asked Kalam to open the carton.

"As I opened the carton, the kid cried out. I then untied its hands and legs," Kalam said.

He then took her to the same hospital for treatment.

Contacted, Rejia said the kid was born premature and that she did not find its pulse and heartbeat during examination. That's why she declared her dead.

"It's a miracle that the kid is alive." Jahangir Chowdhury, general secretary of the hospital's management committee, said he heard about the incident.

The hospital formed a committee to probe it and that the authorities would take action in line with the report, he added.

## Home ministry

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State Minister for Rural Development & Co-operatives Division Moshuir Rahman Ranga, top officials of law enforcement agencies, deputy commissioners and police superintendents of several districts as well as representatives of bus owners' associations were also present.

One DC spoke of immense tension in the district because of the extortionists.

Shajahan Khan told the meeting that he was involved in the transport sector for the last 45 years, and extortion was a commonplace in the sector, which was "embarrassing" the government.

The meeting also discussed the involvement of some reporters in extortion.

"Some reporters write against extortion while some others get involved in it," a source quoted a police official as telling the meeting.

A section of the extortionists creates an artificial traffic jam on highways and ferry terminals. Then some vehicles on the queue are allowed to go past the others in exchange for money.

The home minister told reporters that the government identified several spots across the country where extortionists were very active and some of the spots were brought under CCTV surveillance system.

According to meeting sources, a common way of extortion is gambling on the ferries. Ruling party men arrange gambling between their cronies and passengers, making huge money out of it.

Various municipalities and city corporations also collect extra toll

from vehicles by stopping them on highways, a major reason behind traffic congestion.

The meeting decided that from now on, measures would be in place to ensure that tolls were collected at the rates fixed by the government and only at designated places. No labour organisations would be able to collect money beyond the rates fixed by the ministries concerned.

If police members are found involved in extortion, they would face the music.

Moshuir Rahman Ranga, also president of Bangladesh Road Transport Owners Association, admitted that extortion was widespread on highways.

Intelligence agencies made a long list of extortionists, which includes politicians from all parties, he said.

## PM awarded

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pledge to implement the SDGs, with gender equality at the core," Hasina said.

UN Women Executive Director Phumzile Lambo-Ngucua and Global Partnerships Forum President and CEO Amir Dossal gave the closing remarks.

Local Government Minister Khandaker Mosharraf Hossain, Foreign Minister AH Mahmood Ali, Expatriates Welfare and Overseas Employment Minister Nurul Islam, PM's Energy Adviser Tafiq-e-Elahi Chowdhury, State Minister for Labour and Employment Mujiburul Haque and State Minister for Foreign Affairs M Shahriar Alam were present, among others.

## KL deports Bangladeshi

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placed in Interpol's Red Notice. "He was deported on Sept 2," Khalid said in a statement today, the report said.

He was among three foreign nationals in Malaysia deported over terrorist link.

The second suspect - a 38-year-old Nepalese businessman - was also arrested on Aug 19 and deported on September 2.

"We discovered that he ran entertainment outlets and a hotel. We believe he was responsible for falsifying documents to facilitate the travels of terrorists," Khalid said.

The other suspects - a 26-year-old Moroccan man, who worked as a

welder, and a 34-year-old local man - were IS operatives in Malaysia with ties to Mohamad Wannady Mohamad Jedi.

Turkish authorities arrested the Moroccan previously for trying to enter Syria.

"After his release, he managed to find his way into Malaysia in May," Khalid said. The Moroccan was arrested on Aug 2 and deported on Sept 21.

Another local man held during August 2 and September 17 is suspected of promoting IS propaganda and ideologies through his Facebook account. He worked as a driver for a businessman.

## IS launches 'gas attack'

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US troops involved in the incident went through decontamination showers as a precaution. No troops have shown any symptoms of exposure, such as skin blistering. CNN has reported on previous instances where IS has fired rounds with mustard agents in Iraq and Syria.

"I don't know of a case like this where it was proximate to US forces like this before," said one military official, noting that "potentially" the rocket round was "within hundreds of yards" of the US forces and "within the security perimeter" of the base.

The US officials said they "had expected" that IS might try use chemical weapons as US and Iraqi forces push towards Mosul in an effort to take the

city back from IS. Several hundred US troops are using the base as a staging area for supporting Iraqi forces.

All of this has led the Pentagon to assess on a preliminary basis that it was IS that fired at the base, since the terror group has been making mustard agent for some time.

In the course of its air campaign against IS, US airstrikes have hit several locations the US believes are production sites for mustard agent.

US officials emphasised that mustard agent is relatively easy to produce, and they continue to hit suspected manufacturing sites when they find them. US troops are routinely outfitted with protective gear in the event of a chemical weapons attack.

## Graft accused Khoka's

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A court on October 20, 2015, awarded 13 years imprisonment to Khoka for acquiring wealth illegally.

The court in its verdict ordered confiscation of Khoka's moveable and immovable properties worth Tk 10.05 crore.

Khoka was in New York during the verdict delivery.

Diagnosed with a tumour in one of his ribs in early 2014, Khoka, vice-chairman of BNP, went to New York in June of that year and since then he has been receiving treatment at Manhattan's Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Centre.

His wife and daughter have been with him there, Khoka told a correspondent over the phone yesterday. He said the case was nothing but political vengeance.

"I was not even given the opportunity to

appoint a lawyer," Khoka said claiming that he had gone to the US with court permission.

Khoka also added that after consultation with his lawyer, he will decide the next course of legal action.

A correspondent in Narayanganj said on August 22, the local administration installed a signboard on Khoka's land mentioning the court order and hoisted red flags there. On September 15, it issued an order to mark it as khas land.

Earlier, the deputy commission of Dhaka had confiscated Khoka's six-storey building in Gulshan on five katha of land following a court order. The court had mentioned Tk 2.46 crore as the price of the building.

Sources said the Gazipur administration has also taken moves to confiscate Khoka's 50 acres of land there.

## Boy killed in live shell

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inside the firing range in Charia, which is a hilly area.

The shell exploded and Sumon died on the spot, he added.

The other two boys, Yusuf and Sujon, each aged around 13, were injured and sent to a local hospital.

Contacted, Rashidul Hasan, director of the Inter Service Public Relations Directorate (ISPR), told The Daily Star over

the phone that the incident took place in the firing range area which is completely restricted and fenced with barb wires because live shells are fired there.

Before yesterday's firing, warnings were given, asking locals to have the area cleared from dawn to dusk, he said, adding, those who went there must have trespassed.

The local government representatives said the army was not responsible for the incident, added the director.

## No question of mid-term

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council is held every three years."

The premier said the council of the party could not be held during the emergency and martial law regimes. "But other time, we tried to hold party council regularly and we're making that preparation."

Responding to a question about the opposition of BNP and some other parties about the government's stance against militancy and terrorism, Hasina said the opposition party which tends to oppose every step would oppose everything and there is nothing to be worried about it.

"The opposition party in parliament is performing their due role properly, but you [journalists] can't expect anything, especially from those who are not in parliament and don't believe in democracy, who killed and burnt people to death to foil the last general election, burnt the polling centres and killed an assistant presiding officer, torched buses, trains, launches and trucks," she added.

The prime minister alleged that the BNP-Jamaat clique committed all such crimes to thwart the last election but failed to involve the common people in their attempt to foil the polls.

She said the issues of countering terrorism and militancy came up at various programmes of the 71st Session of the UN General Assembly, adding that the terrorist acts are now taking place across the globe, and not only in Bangladesh.

In this connection, she said some incidents of bombing and terrorist acts happened in the USA just before the

current UN General Assembly.

Hasina said everyone should have to resist those culprits who are killing people in the name of Islam and maligning this holy religion.

"Those who believe in killings always become happy to such killings ... It's better not to talk about them," she added.

About the visit of John Kerry to Bangladesh, the PM said the US secretary of state came here as Bangladesh maintains good relations with the United States.

Besides, she said Kerry had close relations with Senator Ted Kennedy who visited Bangladesh during the Liberation War, visited refugee camps and extended support to Bangladesh.

Hasina said though John Kerry's visit was brief, it was an excellent visit and through the visit, the bilateral relations have been strengthened further.

While talking about her participation in the 71st Session of the UN General Assembly, Hasina said Bangladesh was able to highlight its agendas strongly at this session.

"It's my belief that our active and fruitful participation in various forums has brightened the image of Bangladesh in the international arena," she said.

Foreign Minister AH Mahmood Ali and Bangladesh Ambassador and Permanent Representative to the UN Masud Bin Momen were present there. PM's Press Secretary Ihsanul Karim moderated the conference.

**রাজধানী উন্নয়ন কর্তৃপক্ষ**

রাজউক ভবন, ঢাকা

**বিষয়ঃ উত্তরা এপার্টমেন্ট প্রকল্পে ফ্ল্যাট বরাদ্দ (১ম পর্যায়ে মার্চ, ২০১৩ সালে) প্রাপকগণকে ৪র্থ কিস্তির অর্থ এবং (২য় পর্যায়ে মার্চ, ২০১৪ সালে) বরাদ্দ প্রাপকগণকে ৩য় কিস্তির অর্থ জমা দেয়া সংক্রান্ত বিজ্ঞপ্তি।**

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**দ্বিতীয় কারণ দর্শানোর নোটিশ**

যেহেতু, আপনি ডাঃ তামান্না জাহান মনি, ভেটেরিনারি সার্জন, উপজেলা প্রাণিসম্পদ দপ্তর, বান্দরবান সদর, বান্দরবান, দক্ষিণ কোরিয়াতে পি.এইচ.ডি কোর্সে অধ্যয়নের জন্য ০১/০৩/২০১৪ তারিখ হতে ২৮/০২/২০১৫ তারিখ পর্যন্ত ০১ (এক) বছরের অসাধারণ ছুটি নিয়ে কর্মস্থল ত্যাগ করে অদ্যাবধি কর্মস্থলে অনুপস্থিত থাকায় আপনার বিরুদ্ধে মৎস্য ও প্রাণিসম্পদ মন্ত্রণালয়ের ২৫/০৪/২০১৬ তারিখের ৩৮২ নং স্মারকে বিভাগীয় মামলা রুজু করে ১০ (দশ) কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে কারণ দর্শানোর নির্দেশ প্রদান করা হয়;

যেহেতু, আপনার বিরুদ্ধে রুজুকৃত বিভাগীয় মামলার প্রেক্ষিতে জারিকৃত কারণ দর্শানো নোটিশের জবাব না পাওয়ায় আপনার বিরুদ্ধে আনীত অভিযোগসমূহ বিধি মোতাবেক তদন্তের জন্য কে.এফ.এম জেসমীন আখতার, উপসচিব (প্রাণিসম্পদ-৩) অধিশাখা, মৎস্য ও প্রাণিসম্পদ মন্ত্রণালয়কে তদন্তকারী কর্মকর্তা নিয়োগ করা হয়;

যেহেতু, তদন্তকারী কর্মকর্তা কর্তৃক দাখিলকৃত তদন্ত প্রতিবেদনে আপনার বিরুদ্ধে আনীত "ডিজারশনের" অভিযোগ সন্দেহাতীতভাবে প্রমাণিত হয়েছে;

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