

Magnificent Mash levels series

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team a few years ago.
Besides, the way the impressive England team surrendered in the Mirpur pressure-cooker, where every move from the magnificent Mashrafe turned to gold and was wildly cheered, was a sight to behold. There were many heroes in that victory that put Bangladesh in contention to win their seventh home series on the trot. And it all started with the magnificence of Mashrafe.

Criticised for playing a bad shot in the first game, which the Tigers threw away from an advantageous position, player-of-the-match Mashrafe batted the way he knows best -- using his muscle and hitting the ball the distance. His 29-ball 44 that contained three sixes and two fours took Bangladesh's total from a hopeless situation to a fighting 238 for eight.

The Tigger at heart then took the new ball to rattle the vaunted England line-up, claiming three wickets in his first five overs and with Shakib Al Hasan operating from the other end, the visitors were suffocated to 26 for four. England captain Jos Buttler (57) and Jonny Bairstow (35) threw caution to the wind and tried to take the game away from the firm grip of the home side.

But then up popped another hero in the form of Mashrafe's serious understudy Taskin Ahmed, who dismissed both batsmen with two fast and furious deliveries. While Bairstow edged behind, Buttler needed the third umpire's ruling before leaving the ground but not before a verbal exchange with Mahmudullah Riyad. Bairstow was initially given not out but Mashrafe appealed for a review, replays

clearly showed the ball struck him right in front of the wicket.

Shakib might have disappointed with the bat, but the champion all-rounder bowled beautifully while sharing the new ball with Mashrafe. He bowled seven overs on the trot to keep the visitors on a tight leash and bowled Ben Duckett when the left-hander tried to break free from the shackles. But Shakib's most telling contribution of the match was a magnificent diving catch that dismissed Moeen Ali off Nasir's bowling.

Earlier, Bangladesh's innings never got the desired momentum apart from that last eight overs or so when Mashrafe wielded his willow to great effect. It was his enterprising 44 off only 29 balls and an equally impressive run-a-ball unbeaten 27 by Nasir that eventually gave Bangladesh a total to fight.

On a slightly different wicket from the first game where the ball stopped a bit, both openers Tamim Iqbal and Imrul Kayes struggled to time the ball. Imrul appeared to have started from where he had left off after that magnificent century, hitting the fifth ball of the innings for a four square of the wicket. But he was first to go, mistiming an attempted pull against Chris Woakes, who also accounted for a sluggish Tamim with yet another bouncer. Judging by the last two games Tamim was a pale shadow of his brilliant self and struggled to time the ball. With two wickets already down in quick succession, when Sabbir Rahman dragged a beautiful incoming delivery from Ball onto his stumps, the Tigers on 39 for three were left with the seri-

ous job of rebuilding the innings.

And Riyad's 75 off 88 balls -- scored despite wickets falling at the other end at regular intervals -- was the cornerstone of that effort. Mushfiqur Rahim scored 21 before falling victim to another short ball. The right-hander was not in a position to play the shot and ended up ballooning it to deep fine leg, where Rashid took a smart catch. Shakib Al Hasan had the misfortune of being caught down the leg side for three.

But Riyad, who played brilliantly and struck four sweetly-timed boundaries including an eye-pleasing four through the covers off leg-spinner Adil Rashid, stuck to his guns in a desperate attempt to give the score some respectability. Despite playing so well, the right-hander had only himself to blame for missing what could have been his third century and second against England after that famous hundred in the 2015 World Cup down under.

He tried to sweep fine against a Rashid googly but missed the ball and was adjudged leg-before. He made a belated appeal for a review which was overruled by the third umpire. When Riyad got out and young Mosaddek Hossain followed him after the addition of nine runs to the total, Bangladesh were in serious trouble of being bowled out below 200 runs. At 179 for seven, the home side was hugely indebted to their inspirational captain Mashrafe and Nasir, who came in place of left-arm spinner Mosharaf Hossain, to post what ultimately turned out to be a winning total. And that 69-run eighth-wicket partnership eventually proved priceless.

2,000 pillars misplaced

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where land was grabbed and we will start eviction drive soon."

The shipping minister said that in many cases they had failed to conduct continuous drives against the grabbers due to the lack of manpower and equipment.

He said they were going to involve the Navy to reduce pollution and increase navigability of the rivers.

"We have already proposed that the Navy form a coordination committee in this regard, and a proposal is waiting for the Prime Minister Office's approval," he said.

Responding to a question about the Buriganga second channel, the shipping minister said there were many

structures in the channel which were constructed illegally. Mosques were built to protect the illegal structures from demolition.

"We will ask them to remove the structures or we will be compelled to remove those," he said.

Housing and Public Works Minister Mosharraf Hossain accompanied Shajahan yesterday. He is also a member of the taskforce.

Mosharraf recommended the widening of the Turag, which is 180 feet to 200 feet. He said he would recommend that the BIWTA and the taskforce take the initiative and increase the width to 400-500 feet.

About the filling up of flood flow zones and other water bodies under

Detail Area Plan (DAP), the housing minister said they would not allow anybody to fill up wetlands or flood flow zones and would take legal action against them.

"We will evict the housing projects that have been constructed without permission and by filling wetlands on the river foreshore," said Mosharraf.

The taskforce found many spots where land grabbers were filling up the Buriganga and the Turag. Many pillars were seen under the river water.

The taskforce started their visit from Sadarghat and held a press briefing at Ashulia Landing Station.

A glimmer of hope for Khadiza

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regain her consciousness.

"But it's too early to come to a conclusion," he said, adding that Khadiza moved her leg without being given any pain stimulus yesterday.

Shahin has been staying at the Square Hospitals with his sister since he returned to the country on Thursday.

Quoting doctors, he said Khadiza was in a coma when she was brought to the hospital on October 4 and was slowly regaining consciousness.

Khadiza Begum Nargis, a 23-year-old college student from Sylhet, is undergoing treatment at the hospital's Neuro Intensive Care Unit.

On October 3, she was hacked multiple times by Badrul Alam, a fourth-year student of economics at Shahjalal University of Science and Technology (Sust).

Badrul is also the senior assistant secretary of the Sust unit Chhatra League. He attacked Khadiza inside MC College where she had gone to sit for an examination.

BCL, however, says Badrul has nothing to do with the student organisation.

"My mother is still in shock. She is crying every now and then. I am also worried about her," Shahin said.

Badrul used to stay in Khadiza's house in Hausha village of Sylhet

Sadar upazila and gave her tuitions. However, he was asked to leave after he started to harass her some seven to eight years ago.

Shahin said several children from needy families used to lodge at their house.

"We live in a joint family, and Khadiza and I have nine cousins," he said. "My parents and uncles had thought Badrul was a good person and a meritorious student."

After Badrul hacked Khadiza on that day, some students along with locals caught and beat him up before handing him over to the police.

He later confessed to hacking Khadiza with an intention to kill her.

Detectives hit a dead end

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his close associates named Sohel and Milton.

Their last night filed two cases against Abdur Rahman's wife Shanaz Akter, 29, who was detained during the raid.

'SUICIDE ATTACKER' DEAD?
Police suspect that at least one of the seven militants killed during Gazipur's Patartek raid on Saturday was trained for suicide attacks, said an investigator.

The deceased was initially identified as Ibrahim, 19, a resident of Mogholtuli in Old Dhaka. He had gone missing on August 8.

The next day, his family filed a general diary with Bangshal Police Station.

"Based on the documents found at the spot, we are sure that the youth had his trainings done by this time and was prepared for suicide attacks," said an official of Counter Terrorism and Transnational Crime (CTTC) unit of Dhaka Metropolitan Police wishing anonymity.

Apart from Ibrahim and Faridul Islam Akash, the operational commander of Dhaka region's "Neo JMB", police suspect that two more slain militants might be "Neo JMB" members -- Hafez Sanaullah alias Sanwar and the one the organisation calls "the Mechanic".

The official said another two killed during the raid might be two youths who had gone missing from their Mirpur homes in August.

Sanwar Hossain, an additional commissioner of the CTTC, told The Daily Star that they were verifying the information on their identities.

Their identities would be confirmed through the matching of their finger prints with the database of NID cards and DNA cross match with their family members, he added.

The CTTC officials said except Akash, the dead militants were newly recruited and that they were preparing for an attack.

reliable hands of slain JMB coordinator Tamin Ahmed Chowdhury," said a CTTC official.

Tamim had assigned Akash to carry out the attack on the Sholakia Eid congregation and Marjan for the Gulshan café attack.

Akash was using the Patartek hide-out as a training centre for new recruits and a shelter for the already trained.

Asked why they were hiding in areas close to the capital and not in the capital, an official said landlords do not usually take NID card info of tenants or any identification documents, which is mandatory in DMP areas. Their movement and carrying arms and ammunition was also less risky in those areas.

CASES FILED

Two cases were filed with Joydevpur Police Station yesterday in connection with Saturday's raids.

Police filed a case accusing caretaker Osman Gani and the seven deceased in Patartek of attacking policemen, said Officer-in-Charge Khandaker Rezaul Hasan Reza.

Mahiful Islam, company commander of Rab-1 in Gazipur, said Rab filed a separate case with the police station against the two deceased and three to four unnamed people in connection with the Lehubagan raid.

Meanwhile, autopsies of nine bodies were conducted at Shaheed Tajuddin Medical College morgue yesterday, said morgue sources.

Sources at the hospital, where the bodies were sent Saturday evening, said that no one had claimed those.

In its news portal, the Dhaka Metropolitan Police has requested citizens to inform the DMP the actual identities of the seven suspected militants killed at Noagaon Patartek in Gazipur on Saturday. It requested people to inbox the information on the DMP's Facebook page, hello city apps or directly provide it to Gazipur police.

Autopsies on two more bodies of suspected militants, killed in a raid in Tangail on Saturday, were done at the Tangail Medical College Hospital yesterday.

Rab sources said they were readying a case for filing in connection with the Tangail raid.

AKASH HAD FAMILY RADICALISED
Faridul Islam Akash, who hails from West Boraitola of Kazipur upazila of Sirajganj, assigned "Neo JMB" member Abu Talha to radicalise his mother, two sisters and neighbour Rajia Khatun, sources said.

He had joined "Neo JMB" through the man, police claimed.

Sirajganj police arrested Akash's mother Fulera Khatun, 45, his sisters Shakila Khatun, 18, and Salma Khatun, 16, and neighbour Rajia Khatun, 35, on September 5.

Police had then said the four females were waiting for instruction from the organisation high command to take part in suicide attacks, reports our correspondent in Pabna.

Police said Akash, believed to be a top IT expert of the organisation, became a key leader after the killing of Tamim and other "Neo-JMB" leaders.

Akash, who had been missing for a year, was accused in a case filed with Ullapara Police Station for reorganising JMB last year.

Akash completed SSC from Gandhail High School of Kazipur upazila in 2010. Two years ago, he obtained a diploma from the computer science department of Sirajganj Polytechnic Institute, sources said.

"We didn't get [find information about] his involvement in politics when he was the student in the institute. He might have joined the banned Islamist group after completing his studies here." Engineer Abdul Hannan, principal of Sirajganj Polytechnic Institute told The Daily Star over phone.

Insurgents kill

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gunshots and learned that some terrorists attacked their outposts.

"They also requested us [BGB] to take measures to prevent any infiltration from Myanmar," he said, adding that BGB has strengthened its vigilance in Teknaf, Ukhiya, and Naikhangchhari border areas.

The Rohingya Solidarity Organisation (RSO) was a small Rohingya militant group active in the 1980s and 1990s but has not been heard from in nearly two decades.

Rakhine has been effectively split on religious grounds since bouts of

communal violence tore through the state in 2012, killing scores and forcing tens of thousands to flee.

The Muslim Rohingya are largely confined to camps and face restrictions which rights groups have likened to apartheid.

Several complex ethnic conflicts are rumbling across Myanmar's borderlands, hampering efforts to build the economy after the end of junta rule.

But compared to the country's civil war-ravaged eastern and northern border states, Rakhine has not boasted a significant rebel military presence.

In the last few years the Arakan

Army, a small Buddhist militia which wants an independent homeland in the state, has fought sporadic battles with the military.

Despite their plight the Rohingya do not have a known militant faction fighting for them.

In May, attackers stormed a security post at a camp for Rohingya refugees in southern Bangladesh, just across the border from Maungdaw.

A Bangladeshi camp commander was shot dead and the attackers made off with weapons. Police at the time said the Rohingya themselves could be suspects.

Govt eyes big investment

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other countries. "But Bangladesh has good relations with China, India, Russia and the US. This proves the diplomatic farsightedness of our prime minister."

He added the government has decided to set up 100 special economic zones across the country. Work for around 20 such zones has already started. The government plans to award one of those SEZs to China to attract Chinese investment, he said.

He further said China is gradually moving away from garment manufacturing and many Chinese businesspeople believe Chinese manufacturers have the opportunity to relocate their businesses to Bangladesh.

"So, we will give them an SEZ to bring in Chinese investment," he said, adding that both the countries have expressed their willingness to that end.

Currently, China is Bangladesh's largest trading partner, although the trade balance is heavily tilted in favour of the Asian giant.

Bangladesh imports products worth \$10 billion from China and exports products worth \$800 million, said the commerce minister quoting data from the Export Promotion Bureau.

Export to China grew by 25 percent in the first quarter of the current fiscal year, whereas total export went up by

only 4 percent, he added.

He said export to China would soon surpass the \$1 billion mark and Bangladesh's overseas sales would stand at \$2 billion to the world's second-largest country within two to three years as China has offered Bangladesh duty-free benefits for more than 5,000 items.

Talking about trade deficit, the minister said Bangladesh's trade deficit with India is debated more compared to that with China.

Tofail said India has granted Bangladesh duty- and quota-free access to all of its products except alcohol and tobacco. But the Bangladeshi exporters have not yet attained capability to utilise the export opportunity, he observed.

"We have to increase our competitiveness."

He also talked about any free trade agreement with China, saying Bangladesh would be cautious about the issue.

"We have already got duty-free benefit to the Chinese market for our products. Why should we go for the FTA with the country? Already China's export to Bangladesh is more compared to its import. If Bangladesh goes for the FTA, how much we will be benefited?"

Most of the countries in the world

More trouble for Trump

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Asked if he was staying in the race, he responded: "100 percent".

Trump's wife Melania said she was offended by her husband's "unacceptable and offensive" comments, caught on a hot mic just months after the two married.

But she urged voters to support him. "I hope people will accept his apology, as I have, and focus on the important issues facing our nation and the world," she said in a statement.

In the footage, released Friday by The Washington Post, Trump can be heard using vulgar and predatory language as he describes hitting on a married woman and grabbing women's crotches.

It forced a rare apology from a campaign already peppered by controversies over Trump's treatment of women, roiling his Republican Party.

The Republican National Committee appeared to have halted part of its "Victory" program to elect Trump, asking for a mail production to be "put a hold", the Politico news website reported.

CNN said the RNC was considering ending a joint fundraising agreement with the Trump campaign.

But Trump called the disclosure a "distraction", defiantly hitting back at the Clintons over husband Bill's past infidelities, and hinting he would say more during Sunday's debate.

Britain's Nigel Farage, who co-founded the UK Independence Party that led this year's shock campaign to leave the European Union, dismissed Trump's remarks as little more than "alpha male boasting" and "the kind

of thing men do."

Republican reaction to the videotape came fast and furious, with some calling on him to step aside or allow running mate Mike Pence to take over, while others simply withdrew their endorsement.

Pence, the governor of Indiana, said he was "offended" by Trump's remarks.

But Trump's campaign released a schedule showing the bombastic billionaire would be back on the trail for rallies starting today.

House Speaker Paul Ryan, the top Republican officeholder, said he was "sickened" by Trump's comments, and withdrew an invitation for him to attend a political event in Wisconsin.

By Saturday, about a dozen senators, a dozen members of the House of Representatives and three governors -- all Republicans -- had withdrawn their support.

Among them was former secretary of state Condoleezza Rice, who said: "Enough! Donald Trump should not be president. He should withdraw."

Senator John McCain, the 2008 presidential nominee with whom Trump has sparred repeatedly, said "Donald Trump's behavior... make(s) it impossible to continue to offer even conditional support for his candidacy."

Governor John Kasich of Ohio said Trump's comments were "disgusting" and Illinois Senator Mark Kirk called for an "emergency replacement".

Actor-director Robert de Niro also weighed in, saying: "I'd like to punch him in the face."

But top Trump surrogate Rudy

Giuliani, a former New York mayor, insisted that there was "nothing that would cause his dropping out."

"That is wishful thinking of the Clinton campaign and those people who have opposed him for a long time. He is in the race to win," Giuliani added.

With the November 8 elections just a month away and Clinton leading in the polls by nearly five percentage points nationally, the latest uproar has plunged Trump in the deepest crisis of his turbulent campaign.

He had already been seriously hurt by a sloppy performance in his first debate with Clinton on September 26, a damaging Twitter war against a former Miss Universe and reports he may have paid no income taxes for 18 years.

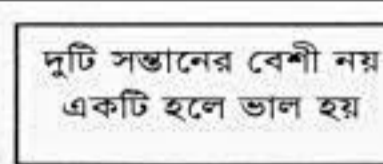
Clinton, who is seeking to become the nation's first female commander-in-chief, is almost certain to call out Trump about the footage during the debate.

"This is horrific," she said on Twitter. "We cannot allow this man to become president".

BNP leader

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Secretary General Mirza Fakhrul Islam Alamgir expressed his concern over sending Sohel to prison.

The incumbent government was filing "false cases" to harass the BNP men. Even though the cases were "false", the party men were appearing before the court to show respect to the law and they were being sent to jail, he said, adding that the government turned it into regular incidents.



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