

Sirajganj sees six deaths in three accidents

Father, two sons among 14 killed in eight districts CITY DESK

Fourteen people including a father and his two sons were killed and 44 others injured in road accidents in eight districts yesterday and on Friday.

In Sirajganj alone, three accidents claimed six lives.

At Hatikumrul intersection near the district town, Rawasan Ali, 40, and his sons Siam, 7, and Tanim, 3, were run over by a truck last night. In Kazipur upazila, bus helper Mrinal Chandra Roy, 35, and an unidentified person were killed as the bus fell into a ditch yesterday. In the sadar upazila, Amirul Islam, 40, was chairman of Naogaon Union Parishad in Tarash upazila, died after a bus hit his motorbike yesterday.

Moreover, two persons were killed in Lamonirhat and one each in Bogra, Gazipur, Copalganj, Dinajpur, Jessore and Faridpur.

Landslide kills DU student

STAR REPORT

A marketing student of Dhaka University was killed in a landslide near Himchhari Waterfall in Cox's Bazar yesterday.

Sabbir Alam Ridwan was travelling the waterfall with his friends, two of whom were also injured in the incident.

Witnesses said a big chunk of hill fell on them while they were bathing at Rangdhanu Waterfall.

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Education

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54 primary schools in Rangpur region were devoured by Teesta, Dhara, Brahmaputra rivers in the last 10 years.

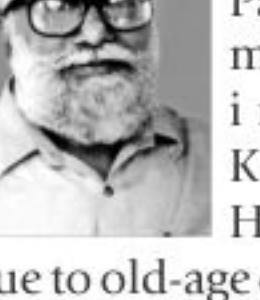
Meanwhile, Azahar Ali, inspector of secondary and higher secondary education in Rangpur region, said classes of 61 high schools in the region, have been suspended due to the flood and threat of river erosion.

Of the schools, 37 are in Kurigram, three in Lalmonirhat, 20 in Gaibandha, and one in Gangachara upazila of Rangpur.

These schools will be opened as soon as the situation gets normal, he added.

Dr Bishnupada passes away

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Tangail



Dr Bishnupada Pati, a former medical superintendent of Kumudini Hospital, died due to old-age complications at Barnet Hospital in London on Friday. He was 90.

He is the younger son-in-law of Ranada Prasad Shaha, founder of Kumudini Welfare Trust.

Born in Medinipur in West Bengal of India, Dr Pati retired in 2000 and was staying in London. His wife Jaya Pati, former managing director of Kumudini Welfare Trust, died in London on December 9 last year.

The Kumudini family, including members of all the health and educational institutions under the trust, mourned his death.

Sheikh Nazrul Islam
CITY DESK

Sheikh Nazrul Islam, former superintendent engineer of the Bangladesh Council of Science and Industrial Research (BCSIR), died due to old-age complications on Tuesday, at age 78, says a press release.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters and two sons.

After graduating from the Bangladesh University of Science and Technology (Buet) in 1963, Nazrul joined BCSIR in 1977 as an executive engineer. He retired in 1996.

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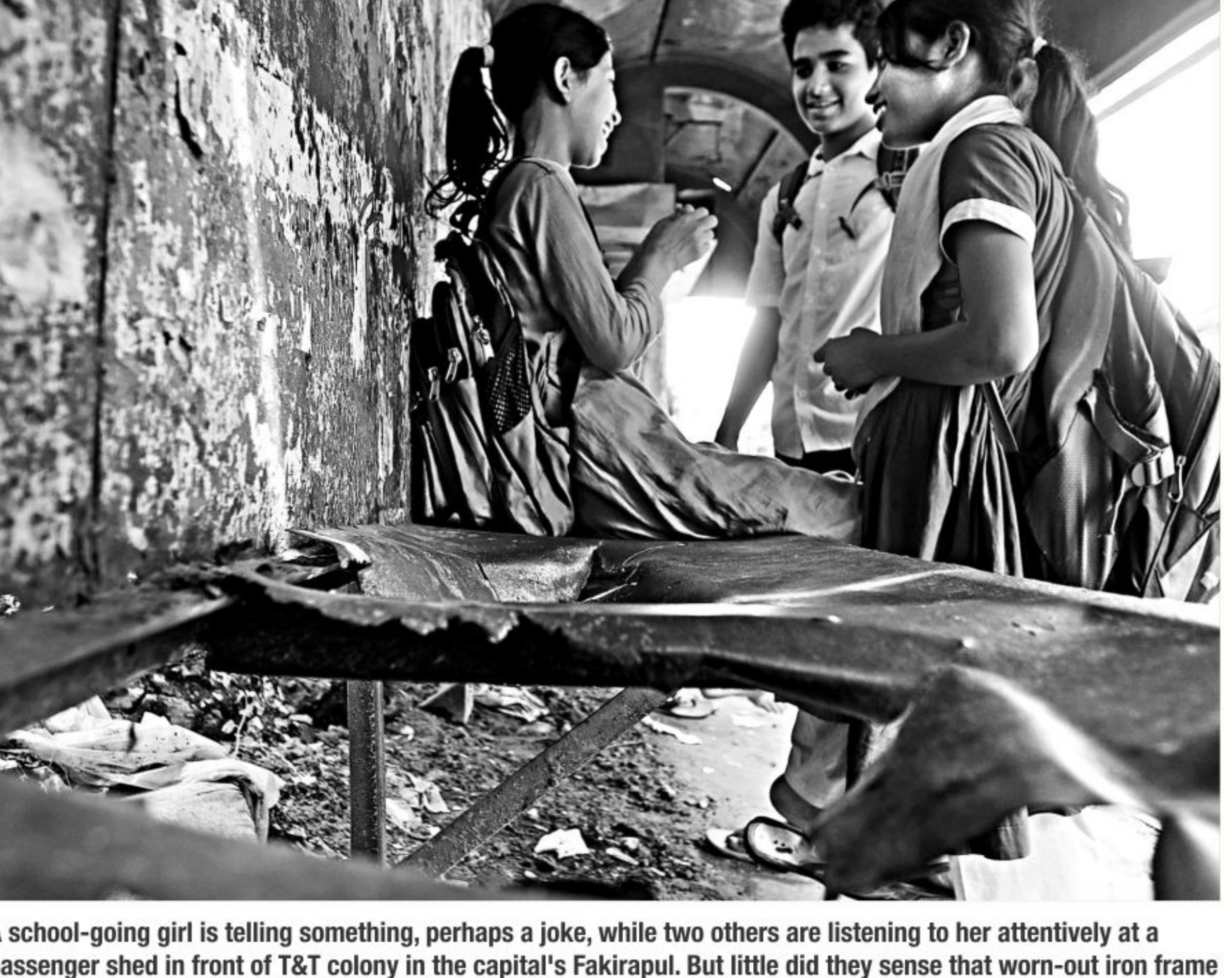
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A school-going girl is telling something, perhaps a joke, while two others are listening to her attentively at a passenger shed in front of T&T colony in the capital's Fakirapul. But little did they sense that worn-out iron frame can cause injuries in a matter of seconds, if oblivious to the sharp edges sticking out. The photo was taken yesterday.

PHOTO: PALASH KHAN

OPPOSING 16TH AMENDMENT Not all of us are crazy: Dr Kamal

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Gonoforum President Dr Kamal Hossain yesterday said he was not the one who opposed the 16th amendment to the constitution; eight other lawyers [amici curiae] had also opined the same.

"It was not my opinion only. Eight more senior lawyers had the same opinion. Seven judges reached an agreement before delivering the verdict. Not all of us have gone crazy," he said while talking to reporters after the party's extended meeting in the capital's Institution of Engineers, Bangladesh.

Over a hundred leaders from 40 districts participated in the meeting.

On July 9, senior ministers and MPs from the treasury and opposition benches criticised the High Court and the Supreme Court for judgements against the Jatiya Sangsad's power to remove judges for incapacity or misconduct.

They also criticised the amici curiae, especially Dr Kamal and Barrister M Amirul Islam.

Kamal yesterday reiterated that the parliament should not have the power to impeach judges.

"The parliament can impeach the president and prime minister. In that case, the balance of constitution is not affected. We will have to understand the reasons for independence of judiciary. Judiciary is the guardian of the constitution..."

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HSC results today

UNB, Dhaka

The results of this year's Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC) and its equivalent examinations will be published today.

Education Minister Nurul Islam Nahid will hand over the results to the prime minister in the morning.

Later, the minister will formally announce the results at 1:00pm at a press briefing.

Tapan Kumar Sarker, examination controller at Dhaka Education Board, said the results will be published simultaneously from respective centres or colleges and online at 1:30pm.

Institution-based result sheet has to be downloaded through entry of EIIN of respective educational institutions from www.dhakaeducationboard.gov.bd.

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