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Daffodil University student Uzzal Bairagi in a wheelchair chanting slogans at a demonstration calling for safer roads on Dhanmondi 27 in the capital around noon yesterday. Similar protests have been taking place at different places in the city since a university student was run over and killed near Bashundhara area on Tuesday.

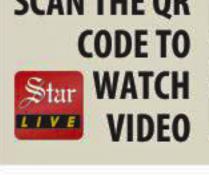
Daylong protest over unsafe road

Students take to street again in the capital; demo called off until March 28 after talks with DNCC mayor

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Under pressure from road safety protesters, the authorities yesterday suspended the operation of two bus services, but a section of demonstrators vowed to remain on the streets until all their demands are met.

"We will continue our movement until we see visible steps to meet our demands," said Faisal Kabir, a private





meeting with Mayor Atiqul Islam and Dhaka Metropolitan Police Commissioner Asaduzzaman Mia at the mayor's office.

However, Tawhiduzzaman, a student of BUP, warned that they would take to the streets again after March 28 SEE PAGE 2 COL 2

Commuters suffer as traffic goes haywire STAFF CORRESPONDENT

City commuters suffered · long delays as hundreds of students blocked different streets yesterday, demand-· ing safe roads and justice for the death of a fellow student in a road crash.

Patients, women, chil-· dren and elderly people suffered the most as traffic on many streets remained · almost stuck for hours. Students blocked Pragati

Sarani in Nodda, Science

Laboratory, Shahbagh and

tions and Dhaka-Mymensingh road in Uttara House Building bus stop area in the morning

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Mr. Be-Nazir Chowdhury Nishan

(Director, Golden Containers Ltd.)

Mr. Anis Ahmed

(Director, Portlink

The same old promise again

Transport owners, workers vow to make up for broken pledge of not running buses on daily contracts

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

· In the face of student protests for road safety, transport owners and workers yesterday came up with the same old: promises of not operating buses on daily contracts, and : scrutinising licences before appointing drivers.

"We swear by God that we will not run our vehicles on : Shahjadpur area, said : contract basis. We will properly examine drivers' licences : police. and their experience before their appointment," more than · a thousand transport owners and workers chorused at a . Ahmed Chowdhury, was a : programme yesterday.

With hands raised, they took the oath, administered by ; of international relations · Dhaka Road Transport Owners Association (DRTOA) · department at Bangladesh General Secretary Khondaker Enayet Ullah, at Mohanagar . U n i v e r s i t y o f . Natya Mancha in the capital's Gulistan.

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Mr. Yasser Haider Rizvi

(Additional Managing Director,

Syed Md. Fazlul Hoque

(Managing Director,

Shafi Motors Ltd.)

Culprit driver hit pedestrian before killing Abrar: police

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The bus driver of Suprobhat · Paribahan, which killed a · university student near the : capital's Bashundhara Residential Area on Tuesday, was driving recklessly to flee the spot after hitting another pedestrian in

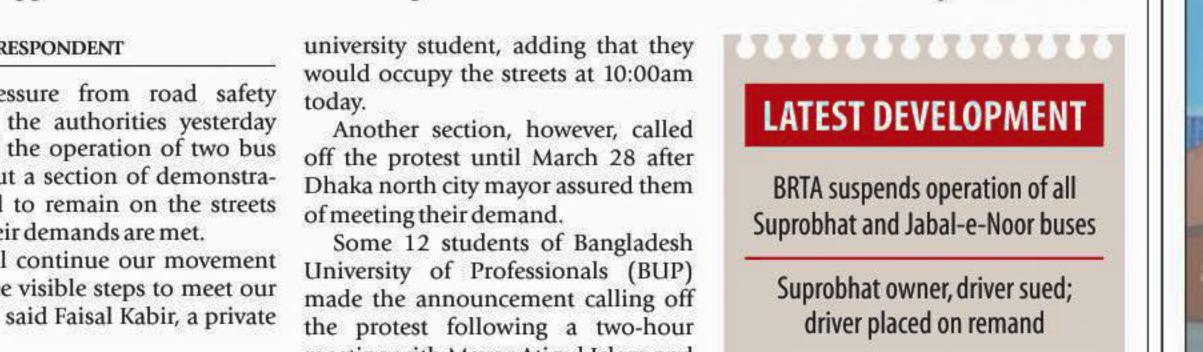
The deceased, Abrar : first-year honours student

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Mr. Omar Faroque Chowdhury (Sabuj)

(Director, Chittagong Container



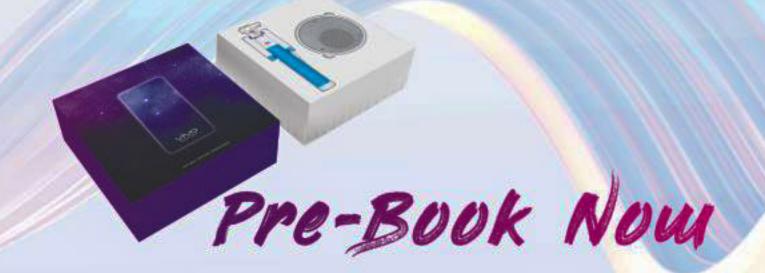
HC orders Tk 10 lakh compensation for Abrar's family

> Discipline on road at any cost: DMP chief



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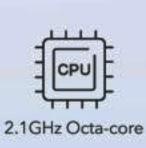




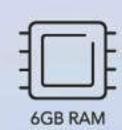


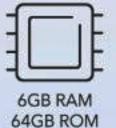


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