

Workers in a recent photo are seen sorting out dried fish at a drying yard in Ningoin shutkipolli area of Natore's Singra upazila.

Chalan Beel shutki prices seeing sharp decline

Our Correspondent, Natore

Dried fish or shutki, made out of fish caught in Chalan Beel region in Natore, is quite popular across the country for its taste and quality. Driven by the demand, its production in the region is also on the

However, dried fish makers are not being able to reap the benefit of the high this year.

Dried fish production reached up to 411 tonnes this season so far, from 320 tonnes in the season of 2019-20; and it might even exceed this year's production target, said Nazim Uddin, district fisheries survey officer.

The production in the season 2018-19 was 280 tonnes, he added.

Abdus Salam, a dried fish producer in Ningoin area of Singra upazila, said they were able to procure fish at low prices, as supply of fish was more than last year at the markets

But after producing a huge amount of dried fish, they are finding it difficult to make profit from sales due to a fall in demand at the market, he also said.

There is only one dried fish market in Syedpur where there are not too many buyers. Their product would sell better if there was an easy way to cater to other markets in the country or overseas, said Nayon Hossain, another dried fish producer from the same area.

Dried fish trader Lutfar Rahman, from Ningoin shutkipolli, said all varieties of

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dried fish are selling for nearly 50 percent lower prices this year than that in the previous year.

However, Lilly Begum, a dried fish consumer, said dried fish from Chalan Beel area are tastier and hygienic, but the prices are high even for a buyer from the middleclass section of the society.

Contacted, Jahangir Alam, district demands due to falling prices at markets fisheries officer in Natore, said, "The

> Abdus Salam, a dried fish producer in Ningoin area of Singra upazila, said they were able to procure fish at low prices, as supply of fish was more than last year at the markets.

government is taking initiatives for export of dried fish to countries in the Middle East. We are providing training to dried fish producers on how to process fish naturally and produce dried fish without using any harmful chemicals.

He also said they urged the ministry to provide solar driers so the producers can continue to dry fish during inclement

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A carpenter's love for Bangabandhu

A carpenter in Melandah upazila of Jamalpur have showed his intimate love for Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, making a chair setting the portrait of the Father of the Nation.

"Marking the birth centenary of the father of the nation, I started making the chair four years ago when I used to work at a furniture workshop but four months ago, I sifted it to my house as I left the job and completed it on January 25 this year", said the 37-year-old furniture maker, Mominul Islam.

"Since my boyhood, I am devoted to Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and had a dream to do something for the great leader according to my ability and finally I finished my dream", said Mominul, a father of two children of Uttar Adipoith area in Melandah municipality.

Mominul said he designed the seven-feet chair himself curving two boats, the party symbol of Bangabandhu's Awami League, national flags and portrait of the Jamalpur's Melandah upazila.



water lily and setting miniature Furniture maker Mominul Islam with the chair at his home in

great leader at the top of the chair.

"The chair made of acacia wood costed Tk 30,000 except my labour and I managed it from my daily savings. I faced financial crisis amid coronavirus pandemic but did not stop my work", said Mominul who studied up to ClassV.

"Now it is my desire to handover the chair to the Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina and I seek support from administration and party leaders in this regard", said Mominul

"My dream will come true if the chair could be handed over to the prime minister," he added.

Mominul's son Ripon Islam, an intermediate first year student, said they are happy as his father did a creative job marking the centenary birth celebration of Bangabandhu 50-year of country's independence.

Mohammad Jony, a neighbour, said Mominul's four-member family is totally depended on his limited income and he has only the homestead but his devotion for Bangabandhu is praiseworthy and PHOTO: **COLLECTED** they are proud of him.



Hundreds of people from different indigenous community stage demonstration at Jalchharta playground in Tangail's Madhupur upazila yesterday, protesting what they term a 'conspiracy' by the forest department to evict local indigenous people from their land by declaring **National Park and** Reserve Forest in the name of recovering forest lands.

Kurigram Land Dispute

Rivals loot mustard from farmer's land

Union land official among 8 sued

Our Correspondent, Lalmonirhat

Criminals took away cultivated mustard from a farmer's land at Jadurchar Purbapara village in Kurigram's Roumari Upazila on Saturday.

Earlier on Thursday night, land owner Abul Kalam filed a written complaint with Roumari Police Station accusing eight people, including Roumari Sadar Union Assistant Land Assistant Shahadat Hossain. Kalam, a farmer of the village, said he has been enjoying

15 decimals of land (RS Khatian No 2249/Holding No 2249), which he inherited from his ancestor, for over 50 Farmer Kalam said he lodged the written complaint as one Abul Fazal, son of late Keramat Ali of the same area,

and his men were threatening him to take away all his mustard, he cultivated on that land. But, despite lodging the complaint on Thursday night, Fazal and his men forcibly took away all the mustard from

his land on Saturday morning, Kalam said. He further alleged that Sadar Union's Assistant Land Officer (Tahashildar) Shahadat Hossain helped Fazal in recording the land in Fazal's name and take possession of

his ancestral land. Seventy-five-year-old Abdul Wahed of the area said the land dispute between Kalam and Fazal arises since Tahashildar Shahadat provided the Xerox copy of DCR (Duplicate Copy of Revenue) to Fazal without conducting

any legal survey. Sub Inspector (SI) of Roumari Police Station Almash Hossain said after receiving the written complaint he visited the disputed land on Friday afternoon and asked both the parties to appear at the police station at 10:00am on Sunday with related documents.

However, Fazal and his did not comply with the police's direction and took away the mustard from the disputed land on Saturday morning, the SI said.

Officer in Charge of Roumari Police Station Mantaser Billah said they seized the looted mustard and kept it under police custody.

Roumari Upazila Niarbahi Officer (UNO) Al-Imran said there are a number of complaints and allegations against Tahashildar Shahadat including providing DCR copies in exchange of money and without visiting and surveying the

Teenager found dead

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

Police recovered the body of a teenage boy from Tarakanda upazila of the district on Saturday.

The victim, Siam Hossain, 13, son of Mokbul Hossain of

Maradeura village in adjacent Phulpur upazila, used drive battery-run auto-rickshaw to support his poor family. Pedestrians spotted Siam's body lying beside the Tarakanda-Phulpur road in Kakni area around 10:00am and

informed local police. On information, a police team went to the spot, recovered the body and sent it to Mymensingh Medical College Hospital for autopsy, Officer in Charge of Tarakanda Police Station Abul Khayer said, adding that the victim's body bore

several injury marks in different parts including the neck. The OC said they suspect that criminals might have killed the boy, dumped his body there and took away his vehicle.

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18.	Name & designation of official inviting tender		Mohammad Abdul Awal, Director (Finance).
19.	Address of official inviting tender		Anti-Corruption Commission, Head Office, Dhaka Bangladesh.
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