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Bangla Interventional Therapeutics and Asgar Ali Hospital jointly completed a virtual masterclass on the basics of PCI on Monday. It was directly broadcast to the world from the hospital's cath lab. Dr Khondoker Asaduzzaman, conducted the class.

HC may

FROM PAGE 3 save the innocent woman from being gang raped. The bench also formed a three-member committee headed by Sylhet's District and Sessions Judge Md Bazlur Rahman to conduct an inquiry into the incident of rape on the campus. The committee submitted its 179-page probe report to the HC bench on October 20 last year, saying that there was negligence

of two hostel superintendents, three day-guards, two night-guards. Principal Prof Mohammad Saleh Ahmed, the head of the institution, also cannot avert his responsibilities, the committee said in its inquiry report, adding that some former and current students of the college had occupied seats in the hostel and Saifur Rahman, a former student, managed to occupy the residence of the hostel superintendent.

DSA CASE AGAINST ENGINEER S Alam Group, police given contempt notice

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Six rights organisations yesterday served a contempt of court notice on S Alam Group and Chattogram's Banskhalhi police for filing a case under the Digital Security Act against a local engineer in violation of a High Court directive. The organisations sent the notice to S Aalm Group's Managing Director Mohammad Saiful Alam and officer-in-charge of Banskhalhi Police Station Md Shafiqul Kabir, requesting them to withdraw the case against Shahenwaz Chowdhury by June 3. They said a contempt of court petition will be moved against the two if the case is not withdrawn. The litigants are: Bangladesh Environmental Lawyers Association (Bela); BLAST; Nijera Kori; Safety and Rights Society; ALRD and Ain O Salish Kendra. On April 17, seven workers of SS Power I Plant, a joint venture involving S Alam Group, in Banskhalhi were killed and at least 19 were injured after police opened fire during a demonstration by workers. Bela's lawyer Sayeed Ahmed Kabir told The Daily Star that chief coordinator of S Alam Group Faruk Ahmed filed a "false" case against Shahenwaz under DSA for posting a Facebook status on the situation of the area. The organisations in the notice said following a petition filed by them, the HC on May 4 directed the government and S Alam Group to ensure no labour or person in that area was harassed. But defying the HC directive, the case was filed with the police station on May 27.

Budget session

FROM PAGE 3 secretariat, who will be tested negative for Covid-19, will be allowed to attend the session, sources at the parliament secretariat said. The question-answer session for ministers and the prime minister in the session will be tabled, Zafar Ahmed added. Parliament has taken various health safety measures during the budget session. Apart from the budget related officials and employees of the parliament secretariat, others will be discouraged to come to the parliament. Senior members of parliament will be advised not to take part in the session considering their age. The parliament will run every day with 80-90 lawmakers, so that they can sit maintaining distance in compliance with the health guidelines. As per the rules of parliament procedure, the presence of 60 out of 350 members of parliament is mandatory for ensuring a quorum to start the sitting of a parliamentary session. Presence of respective ministers and MPs would be ensured in the session on particular day when the session will have business related to them. The constitution has an obligation to pass the budget before June 30. The rules of procedure also instruct the members of parliament to discuss the proposed budget. Sources at the parliament secretariat said media will be requested to cover the budget session through live telecast of Sangsad Television instead of coming to parliament. No pass will be issued to journalists to cover the session this time due to Covid-19 situation. However, one reporter from each media outlet will be able to collect budgetary documents.



DU Prof Imdadul new JnU VC

JNU CORRESPONDENT

Prof Md Imdadul Hoque of the Botany department at Dhaka University has been appointed as the new vice-chancellor (VC) of Jagannath University (JnU). The education ministry issued a notification in this regard yesterday, said JnU Registrar Md Ohiduzzaman. President Abdul Hamid, also chancellor of the university, appointed Imdadul as VC of JnU for a four-year term, the registrar added.

SC scraps HC

FROM PAGE 3 ACC filed the case with Gulshan Police Station in April, 2018 against Rashedul, his father Mahbulul Haque Chisty, mother Rozi Chisty, and sister Rimi Chisty and few others on charges of laundering Tk 159 crore. Mahbulul and Rashedul are now in jail while Rozi and Rimi on bail in the case.

85mm rain

FROM PAGE 3 waterlogging problem of Dhaka.

Habib said both city corporations are still in a planning stage but rainy season in here. The city corporations are emphasising on cleaning the canals and drains to increase water carrying capacity, for which water is receding in two to three hours, he said. "Water flow through the drainage network including canals will have to be uninterrupted up to rivers to get its proper benefit," said Habib. Initially, the city corporations will have to clear all obstacles to ensure uninterrupted water flow of canals. Then they will have to recover all the canal land based on CS map. Afterwards, they will have to recover all the retention areas and ensure a complete network to get better results, he mentioned. Adil Mohammad Khan, general secretary of Bangladesh Institute of Planners, said there is no scope to solve waterlogging as the city was not developed properly. He said as per the planning standards, 10 to 15 percent water reservoir and 20 to 25 percent green area are required in a city but in the central area of Dhaka, more than 80 percent area is filled with concrete structures. "Normally 30 to 40 percent water goes underground through the reservoirs and green areas but we have blocked that with concrete structures," he said. Dhaka is also overpopulated and overburdened with structures; this is the reason for the waterlogging, he said. "If we can create more water retention and green areas and ensure interconnectivity among waterbodies under a long-term plan then it is possible to solve the waterlogging problem," he said. Contacted, DSCC Mayor Sheikh Fazle Noor Taposh said they have so far removed more than 1.35 lakh tonnes of solid waste and 6.79 thousand tonnes of silt from canals and box culverts after taking over from Wasa. He said they also succeeded in repairing three pumps of two pumping stations and are trying their best to repair three more. Though during yesterday's rainfall many areas witnessed waterlogging, he said water receded much sooner compared to previous years. The mayor also said there was less number of areas that saw waterlogging this time around. "We will give priority to the areas that were waterlogged today [yesterday], and we believe we will be able to bring the waterlogging problem to a tolerable level by the next two years," the mayor said. Contacted, DNCC Mayor Md Atiul Islam said this waterlogging issue has remained a problem for the last 36 years, which needs time to solve and they are working on it. He said the number of green spaces has been reduced drastically and replaced with concrete, for which water cannot go underground and has to pass through drains and canals. "We are working on freeing the canals and excavating those," he said. At the same time, he said, they are observing the situation, learning from it and taking actions accordingly. The DNCC mayor said two quick response teams are going to be formed to support city dwellers during waterlogging, and people can inform them about their problems through the "Shobar Dhaka" app. TWO FOUND DEAD IN UTTARA Meanwhile, bodies of two persons -- owner of a rickshaw garage and a tea vendor, were found in Uttara Sector 10, in what is thought to be electrocution and drowning. Battery-operated rickshaws were being recharged at the garage that was found to be submerged under waist-high water, said Newaz Sharif, sub-inspector of Uttara Pdhchim Police Station. Police are suspecting that the two were asleep in the garage, and were electrocuted to death when water filled up the garage.

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Wife of FROM PAGE 3 to his school bus stop at the port city's GEC intersection. After the murder, Mitu's husband Babul filed a case against three unidentified men with Panchlaish Police Station. Musa went into hiding and since then he is on the run, said investigators. On May 11 this year, Chattogram PBI summoned Babul to its office for questioning over the murder. He failed to give satisfactory answers to the detectives and was taken to PBI custody. The following day, Mitu's father filed a murder case against Babul and seven others.

RMCH running FROM PAGE 3 The hospital officials said they sought from the health department at least 30 doctors from upazila level hospitals to deal with the situation. "We don't see any solution other than imposing strict lockdown to improve the situation," Shamim Yazdani said. However, district administrations have been dragging their feet on imposing a lockdown, on plea of mango business in the region. Rajshahi's deputy commissioner Abdul Jalil while told journalists yesterday the district's committee on Covid-19 situation is likely to sit today for deciding on lockdown. In the last 24 hours, at least seven persons -- five Covid-19 positive and two other suspects -- died in the hospital, raising the death toll in seven days to 50. In eight districts of Rajshahi division, six persons died while 382 were detected with Covid-19 positive in the last 24 hours yesterday.

Awal, wife FROM PAGE 3 On December 30, 2019, ACC filed another three cases against Awal and one against Laila for occupying a piece of government land behind the land office in Pirojpur Sadar upazila and building a two-storey building on it. Awal rented the building to Pally Bidyut Samity and the rent agreement was signed by Laila. The couple received bail from the HC in all the cases. Awal was elected MP from Pirojpur-1 in 2008 and 2014 elections.

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