#### DNCC to operate mobile courts in Ramadan

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Dhaka North City Corporation (DNCC) will run mobile courts in all its zones during Ramadan to tackle food adulteration.

DNCC Mayor Md Atiqul Islam announced the initiative at a workshop at Nagar Bhaban yesterday.

Bangladesh Safe Food Authority, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations, and DNCC jointly organised the workshop.

"Mobile courts of DNCC will conduct drives in all 10 zones to take legal action," said Atiqul.

"We not only have to ensure safe food at hotels and restaurants but also in the streets," he added.

The DNCC mayor said they have decided to provide 100 licences for food carts.



With no safety gear in sight, a man stands precariously on a flimsy metal beam to weld construction material of a building. Such sights are not a rarity, as these workers regularly put their lives on the line while authorities turn a blind eye. The photo was taken yesterday in port city's Prabartak area. PHOTO: RAJIB RAIHAN

### Police Liberation War museum opens in Ctg

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Home Minister Asaduzzaman Khan inaugurated Police Liberation War museum in Chattogram yesterday.

CMP set up the museum "Police Mukhtijuddho Jadughar" at Dampara Police Lines in the old building of British army, which was attacked by Surya Sen and his associates in 1930.

The museum depicts the role of police officers who sacrificed their lives in 1971.

# His writings as relevant as ever

#### Speakers tell seminar on Abul Mansur Ahmad

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Ctq

The characters in the writings of litterateur Abul Mansur Ahmad can be seen in the society even today, proving that what he left behind is still relevant to understand contemporary Bangladesh, speakers said in a seminar yesterday.

They were addressing the event, titled "Abul Mansur Ahmad er Hujur Kebla o Prasongik Bhabna", at Chittagong University's Bangla department, which organised the event.

Even in the current period, characters like "Hujur Kebla" are found "wearing different attires", trying to dominate the society, while people follow them. They are present in all classes, professions and levels of the society, said speakers.

Ahmed Mowla, professor of Cumilla University's Bangla department, in his speech said the British colonial process has detached Bangalees from kinship, while everyone wants to exercise power

"Power no longer remains at the hands of 'hujurs', but their [hujur kebla] presence is noticeable in every era. They [hujur] make the common people think SEE PAGE 4 COL 4

### Former PUST proctor files defamation case against ex-VC

**OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pabna** 

Former proctor of Pabna University of Science and Technology (PUST) Awal Kabir Joy yesterday filed a defamation case of Tk 50 crore against its immediate past vice chancellor Prof Rostom Ali.

In the case filed with a Pabna court, Awal Kabir alleged that Prof Rostom, then VC of PUST, did not allow him to take part in a regent board meeting in 2019.

Advocate Sultana Rajia Tultuli, lawyer of Awal Kabir Joy, said the court of additional chief judicial magistrate accepted the case and ordered the accused to appear before it on September 1.

Citing the case, the plaintiff said the former VC did not grant him and Prof Abdul Alim to join a regent board meeting of the university on December 23, 2019, although they were its members.

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## 'We are not convinced'

#### BERC chief says suppliers' arguments behind hiking gas price not solid

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Bangladesh Energy Regulatory Commission (BERC) chairperson Abdul Jalil vesterday said they are not convinced with the suppliers' proposals to increase gas prices.

"They have been unable to present firm logic behind their proposals. If we find any other option, we will take it," said Jalil during the conclusion of the four-day public hearing held at BIAM auditorium in Dhaka.

He said they will discuss the matters with stakeholders at post-hearing meetings and reexamine the proposals. "We have the next 90 days to decide on the matter. Our decision will be in the consumers' favour."

Jalalabad Gas Transmission and Distribution System Ltd and Karnaphuli Gas Distribution Company Ltd -- who distribute gas at Sylhet and Chattogram -- presented their proposals on the last day. Both companies demanded a 117 percent price hike, while the Technical Evaluation Committee [TEC] recommended a 20 percent hike on average.

#### TK 2,500CR LOAN SCAM

## **ACC summons** two former **BB** officials

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Anti-Corruption Commission has summoned Bangladesh Bank's former deputy governor SK Sur and executive director Shah Alam for quizzing over embezzlement of Tk 2,500-crore from International Leasing and Financial Services Ltd (ILFSL).

According to notices served by ACC Deputy Director Gulshan Anowar Prodhan, they will have to appear on March 29 at ACC headquarters in Segunbagicha.

So far, 22 cases were filed over the embezzlement. Another 13 cases were filed for misappropriating money from another nonbanking financial institution -- FAS Finance.

The two came to the limelight when two close aides of Proshanto Kumar Halder alias PK Halder confessed before court about Sur and Shah Alam's involvement in the ILFSL's loan scam.

Director Engineering & Material Management

Following the revelation, Bangladesh Financial

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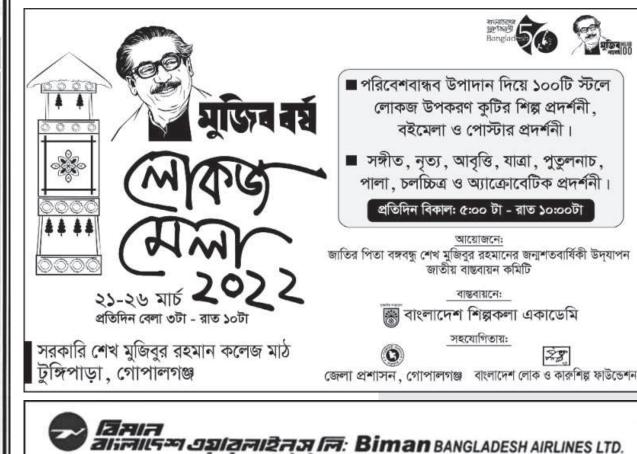
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