

'And he never returned'

Family members recall lost ones at inauguration of Police Liberation War Museum

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During the Liberation War, martyred DIG Mamun Mahmud of Rajshahi police had served as a brave leader and a true patriot. Ever since Bangabandhu's March 7 speech, he started training almost 10,000 volunteers.

On the eve of March 25, 1971, a contingent of the Pakistan Army surrounded Mamun's residence. The Pakistani captain visited his residence the next morning.

"Some of your policemen misbehaved with us at the treasury office," the captain told him.

"My men didn't do anything wrong. You aren't supposed to enter the treasury, it belongs to the police," he replied.

Dissatisfied, the captain left the DIG's residence.

In the evening, when Mamun and his wife were observing their marriage anniversary with family members, Pakistan army's Brig Abdullah called him to Rajshahi cantonment for a talk over the radio.

Mamun left home in the night, leaving behind his wife Mosfeka Mahmud, daughter Jeba Mahmud and son Jabeed Mahmud.

"And he never returned," said Jeba Mahmud, while talking about the events that transpired in 1971.

Jeba Mahmud, who is physician now, was speaking at an event held at Rajshahi Police Lines yesterday.

After 50 years of independence, Rajshahi Metropolitan Police (RMP) built a museum to preserve the



memories of the policemen who sacrificed their lives during the war in Rajshahi.

The event was organised on the occasion of the museum's inauguration.

With RMP commissioner Abu Kalam Siddique in the chair, Home Minister Asaduzzaman Khan attended it as the chief guest.

Rajshahi Mayor AHM Khairuzzaman Liton and Senior Secretary Akter Hossain joined as special guests.

Other than DIG Mamun, SP Shah Abdul Mazid and 23 other members of the police force also sacrificed their lives in the war.

Speaking at the event, martyred SP Mazid's daughter Farzana Mazid said her father raised resistance when the Pakistan Army marched towards the police lines on March 28, 1971.

On March 31, the then Rajshahi Deputy Commissioner Rashidul Hasan called SP Mazid at his residence. Pakistan army picked him up from the DC's residence.

His family members never saw him again.

Martyred police inspector Azizur Rahman and the then Central Intelligence Bureau's assistant director Khondoker Abu Akter were also killed by the Pakistani occupation forces after the two denied to surrender to the army on April 14, 1971.

Pakistan Army also killed inspector Azizur's father in their village home in Kustia on May 24, 1971.

Azizur's daughter Laila Parvin Banu said the martyrdom of her father and grandfather led her to join the war. She was a nursing instructor at Sajeda Chowdhury-led camp.

Prof Nurul Alam new VC of JU
JU CORRESPONDENT

Prof Md Nurul Alam was appointed the new vice chancellor of Jahangirnagar University yesterday for the next four years.

According to a notification issued by the Ministry of Education, President Abdul Hamid, also chancellor of the university, appointed him as the new JU VC.

On April 17, Alam, a teacher of the Department of Physics, was appointed as VC temporarily. He was the pro-VC of the university.

1,000 hawkers

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rehabilitate any of them so far.

Moniruzzaman, chief estate officer of DSCC, said they conducted the drive to evict all hawkers and remove illegal structures from roads and footpaths in "red zone".

DSCC Mayor Sheikh Fazle Noor Taposh recently announced marking of roads in three categories -- red, yellow and green.

Tough day for Dhaka dwellers

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(GMP) published a "traffic bulletin" on their official Facebook page in this regard.

"Vehicles were moving on one lane from both directions due to a hole dug for the flyover's pier cap in the Mill Gate area of Dhaka-Mymensingh Highway. The road was further blocked by the tin barricade around the pit and the trenches have not been repaired," it said.

Due to the infrastructural weakness of the BRT project in

Tongi's Mill Gate area, falling inside the holes, he added.

Abu Raihan Mohammad Saleh, joint commissioner (Traffic North) of DMP told this newspaper, "The road condition in Tongi's Cherag Ali area was the reason behind the traffic congestion. The movement of the vehicles was completely stalled in the morning and its impact spread to the other important points of Dhaka."

"Besides, the traffic situation also deteriorated due to the rain," he added.

Arrestee's bail triggers mixed

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business for a long time, said the report.

Judge Md Asaduzzaman of the Metropolitan Sessions Judge's Court granted Liton ad-interim bail upon a bond of Tk 20,000 with two guarantors even though his bail petitions were repeatedly rejected by the same court earlier.

In yesterday's order, the judge said Liton was not accused in the first information report. He was arrested on the basis of confessional statement of another Md Asadullah.

Moreover, several other accused, including two

Police Station over the recovery.

He also dropped names of eight people, including two FIR-named accused, from the charges as their involvement with the recovery was not proved.

The Chief Metropolitan Magistrate's Court of Dhaka that day asked the investigator to appear before it with the case dockets on September 28 to explain why he dropped the names.

On October 16, 2020, DNC recovered the yaba pills at Dhaka airport and arrested Abu Shamim and Firoz Ahmed. Later, a case was filed under the Narcotics Control Act.

Commuters suffer

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since dawn. No transportation were seen operating in the streets.

In many places, transport workers were seen blocking roads and not allowing vehicles to pass. As usual, people had to suffer, dealing with heavy rainfall since the morning on top of the strike. While visiting

Humayun Rashid Chatterjee, this correspondent found 70-year-old Nawab Ali lying on the side of a road. His wife was sitting next to him.

She said they came from Mymensingh on a bus in the morning and upon arrival, they realised that a transport strike is ongoing.

They waited for hours for a transport to go to

Companiganj. Meantime, Nawab fell sick.

Zakaria Ahmed, general secretary of Sylhet Zilla Sarak Paribahan Sramik Somonnoy Parishad, said, "Transport workers took positions in different areas to inform workers of the strike. They are not blocking private vehicles."

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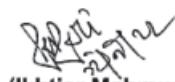
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"Invitation of Quotation for Ferry Ghat Toll Collection (2nd Invitation)"

1.	Lease Quotation Notice No.	02-PRD/2022-2023
2.	Name of Quotation	Lease for Toll Collection of "Boro Machua Ferry Ghat" at 31th km of Barguna (Dakhin Ramna Kheyghat)-Dawatala-Mathbaria-Baromachua (Z-8814) Road under Pirojpur Road Division during the Three financial years.
3.	Lease Implementation Period	3(three) financial years (913-days)
4.	Price of Lease Quotation Schedule	Tk. 5000/- (Five thousand) only per set. (Non-refundable)
5.	Security Money	10% of Quoted Rate. (including VAT and Tax) (In favour of Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Pirojpur in the form of Pay Order or Bank Draft.)
6.	Quotation Last Selling Date	03-10-2022 up to office hour (3:00 PM)
7.	Tender Closing Date and Time	04-10-2022 at 12:30 PM
8.	Eligibility of Lease Quotator	All interested Persons/Firms regardless of whether enlisted or not with the employer may submit Quotation provide that they are otherwise qualified who can fulfill the qualification criteria stipulated in the Quotation's document.
9.	Selling Quotation Document	Divisional Commissioner, Barisal/D.C, Pirojpur EE (RHD), Road Division-Pirojpur/Barisal/Jhalakati/Bhola/Planning Division-1, Sarak Bhaban, Tejgaon, Dhaka/SDE(RHD) Road Sub-Division, Pirojpur/Kawkhali.
10.	Receiving Quotation Document	D.C, Pirojpur SE (RHD), Barisal Road Circle, Barisal. EE (RHD), Road Division, Pirojpur.
11.	Quotation Opening Place, Date & Time	Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Pirojpur. 04-10-2022 at 3:00 PM
12.	a.	The concern authority reserves the right to accept or reject any/all Quotations.
	b.	If it is not possible to receive/open the Quotation the Schedule date for any unavoidable circumstances, the same will be received/opened on the next working date at the same time and same venue.
	c.	The Quotator will quote the rate in figures & words.
	d.	This Quotation Notice will also be seen at RHD website www.rhd.gov.bd .


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Train them first

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Duration of implementing project will start from October and will end in September 2025.

The PM also underscored the need for enhancing agricultural production at the backdrop of economic crisis prevailing globally.

The meeting also approved a fresh Tk 7,188 crore project to build a four-lane highway from Cumilla to Brahmanbaria that would improve connectivity between the port city and Sylhet and also make the transshipment arrangements with India

more practicable. Besides, Ecnec the fourth revision of deadline extension for one more year of Tk 477.8 crore project to construct a dual-gauge rail line from Akhaura to India's Agartala.

It also okayed first revision of project on construction of elevated expressway from Lalkhan Bazar to Shah Amanat Airport in port city. Ecnec also okayed the third revision on the deadline of the same project by granting two more years to complete it by June 2024.

RFP Ref. No.: LRPS-BAN-2022-9177913

Request for Proposal (RFP): For Construction of the proposed extension of UNICEF Cox's Bazar Field Office at Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh.

UNICEF-Bangladesh is inviting interested companies with a strong track record and professional credibility of providing the above-required services under one contract. To receive the detailed scope of work and procedure to submit the bid response, please email to "supplybangladesh@unicef.org"

Site Visit and Pre-bid Meeting date: Please see the schedule mentioned in the RFP.

The deadline to submit the proposal is Thursday, 06 October 2022; Time: 11:00 Hrs.

Please note UNICEF does not charge any fee at any stage of the solicitation process.

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Embassy of Switzerland in Bangladesh

Tender Announcement

The Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC) through the Embassy of Switzerland in Bangladesh seeks the services of a competent single NGO/consultancy with international and/or local subcontractors or a consortium that will be mandated by SDC to implement "G04IMPACT: Governance for Improved Climate Resilient Public Services Provision" programme in Bangladesh. The overall programme is expected to have 3 phases over a 12 years period. The selected organisation will implement the Inception and main phase 1 (2023 - 2027), subject to performance and approval of SDC, in collaboration with its partners.

Interested organisations can access the full tender document issued on 13.09.2022 on the following website: www.simap.ch (Project ID: 243109). The deadline for the submission of tenders is 24.10.2022. The evaluation process is governed by strict tender rules and procedures outlined in the tender document. All potential tenderers should follow these rules and procedures diligently.

Bangladesh Industrial Technical Assistance Center (BITAC)

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Website: <http://www.bitac.gov.bd>

Ref. No: 36.06.2692.026.07.028.22/ Date: 29 Vatra, 1429
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e-Tender Notice (OTM)

Following tenders are invited in the National e-GP system portal (<https://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for the procurement of goods details in the table.

Tender ID No	Package No.	Description of Goods	Last Selling & Time	Closing Date & Time	Opening Date & Time
732747	BITAC.PUR.2022-23 GR-39 Lot-01	Procurement of Power Press Machine	06-10-2022 10:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am
732748	BITAC.PUR.2022-23 GR-39 Lot-02	Procurement of Forklift Machine	06-10-2022 10:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am
732749	BITAC.PUR.2022-23 GR-39 Lot-03	Procurement of EDM Wire Cut and EDM Drill Machine	06-10-2022 10:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am
732750	BITAC.PUR.2022-23 GR-39 Lot-04	Procurement of 3D Scanner Machine	06-10-2022 10:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am
732751	BITAC.PUR.2022-23 GR-17 Lot-01	Procurement of Injection Moulding Machine	06-10-2022 10:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am
732752	BITAC.PUR.2022-23 GR-17 Lot-02	Procurement of 3D Printer Machine.	06-10-2022 10:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am
732753	BITAC.PUR.2022-23 GR-17 Lot-03	Procurement of Digital Earth Clamp Tester Machine.	06-10-2022 10:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am	06-10-2022 11:00 am

This is an online tender where only e-Tender will be accepted in the National e-GP system portal and no offline/hard copies will be accepted. To submit e-Tender, registration in the e-GP system portal (<https://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) is required.

The fees for downloading the e-Tender documents from the National e-GP system portal have to be deposited online through any registered bank branches.