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Metropolitan Magistrate's Court of Dhaka saying that the three accused illegally carried the yaba.
Both informants had previously been charged in another narcotics case.
The victim, Khalil, could not be contacted for the investigation, it also said.
The IO said ASI Mahbub provided false information to SI Kamrul Islam and fabricated the incident of recovering yaba from Khalil to establish the seizure list, based on which, SI Kamrul filed a case against Khalil over possession of 100 yaba pills.
Khalil was sent to jail on September 7 and later in the month, cleared from charges after police found him innocent.

Biometric registration underway

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two years, said concerned officials.
"Through this system, the authorities can easily verify the legality of a firearm online. Firearms users can also easily renew their licences," the DC said.
Those seeking to register their firearms licence under the biometric system can now do so at two booths, one set up at the office

of the district administration and another inside Dhaka cantonment, he added.
"The smart licence cards, which will act as a digital information store, will be provided after biometric registration is completed," added the top boss of the district administration.
Excluding Dhaka, biometric registration for firearm licences is

now going on in 27 more districts in the country.
The authorities of Chattogram district took up this initiative first in December 2018.
Following this, the home ministry on July 29, 2019, sent a letter to all deputy commissioners to implement the biometric system for firearm licences.

Dr Samad's 'green heaven'

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or chilly winter mornings. Now the garden stands on over 30 acres of land with all its glory.
"I have seen people in the area planting various fruit trees but they do not know how to properly plant the trees or how to take care of them. So I developed this garden as a

model," Dr Samad said.
"If we can nurture greenery and inspire others to do the same, our world might just survive against all odds. I want to dedicate my Green Heaven to all the climate activists around the world," he added.
A guide to local farmers
Dr Samad has also established a

library called "Khoka Miah Krishi Samachar", with more than 500 books for practical training on modern agricultural education and research, fruit cultivation, forestry, fisheries and animal husbandry.
He also distributes fruit seedlings of different varieties free of cost to the people of his area, said Shafiqul, a local.

Ruplal House: heritage held hostage

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the beautiful river.
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Now, left uncared for, the Ruplal House has lost its beauty. Commercial structures have come up defying the Antiquities Act's condition of a 250-metre buffer zone for an archaeological site. New structures have been built just beside Ruplal House, which is now surrounded by many shops. There are even wholesale shops inside this building.
During a recent visit, this correspondent found a banner hanging in a central area of the building, that read: "Ruplal House Residential Area".
The five major pillars were in critical state, with the plasters falling off due to lack of maintenance. The installation of water pipes caused major damage to the whole structure.
The balcony, weighed

down by numerous air conditioner units installed by residents, is also on the verge of collapse. The roof railings are broken, leaving large holes at different points.
This correspondent made an attempt to talk to the older residents living in the house. However, they refused.
Suman Hossain, a betel leaf shopkeeper at the building, said, "I've built a shop and been running a business here for 30 years, no one has ever attempted to evict anyone. We did not damage this place in any way."
Mokbul Hossain, an elderly man who has been working as a guard for 35 years at Ruplal House, said the house might collapse at any time.
"The authorities do not do anything to preserve the house and it continues to sustain damage," he said.
In 1989, the Department

of Archaeology (DoA) marked Ruplal House as a protected monument. However, this significant structure has lost its previous charms. Around a hundred years back, no other structure -- except Ahsan Manzil -- could compete with Ruplal House in terms of architecture, said an archaeologist who wished not to be named.
Even after 33 years, the DoA has failed to resurrect the structure and identify the illegal occupants.
Ashish Das, a resident of Ruplal Das Lane, said the structure remains hidden behind shops and other big buildings.
"This site became a source of income for many. It is difficult to evict them from this place," he added.
Mohammad Fazle Reza Sumon, president of Bangladesh Institute of Planners (BIP), said shops and other buildings were built around Ruplal House

without following the rules.
"Illegal shops are not being evicted for unknown reasons. They need to be removed as quickly as possible. The government should take a clear stance to protect the heritage house and restore those," he added.
Architect Taimur Islam, chief executive of Urban Study Group, said one of the pillars in the balcony of the house is damaged, while three out of the five pillars have been in the same shape for years.
"The government should take steps to acquire Ruplal House by compensating the businessmen who claim ownership of the place. This problem should be fixed as soon as possible so that the renovation can begin," he said.
Arif Hossain, councillor of ward-43 under Dhaka South City Corporation (DSCC), said the DoA is working to bring Rupal

The demolition of a Mughal-era

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structure is heart-breaking."
Md Mahmudul Hasan, upazila engineer of LGED,

said, "The road underneath the bridge will be expanded to 24 feet from its current 10 feet width.

"The bridge might cause a serious accident. So, we decided to construct a new one," he said.



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1	769462, 07.00.0000.000.07.201.22-468	Goods, Procurement of Desktop, Laptop and SSD hard disk for IBAS+++Scheme	NCT, OTM	28-Dec-2022 10:00:00, 12-Jan-2023 15:30:00
2	770098, 07.00.0000.000.07.200.22-469	Goods, Procurement of Office Furniture (Conference Chair, Executive Chair and Visitor Chair)	NCT, OTM	28-Dec-2022 10:00:00, 12-Jan-2023 15:00:00

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770514, E&P/GDL/Revenue/ F-22/P-129/22-23	Painting of all Storage Tanks, Filling points, Bound wall, Lube Godown, Pump House, Office Building etc and related surface area of Padma Oil Company Limited, Godanail Depot, Narayangangai.	26-Dec-2022 at 09:01 hrs	09-Jan-2023 at 13:01 hrs	10-Jan-2023 at 11:01 hrs	10-Jan-2023 at 14:01 hrs

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2	ER/L/LT/e-Gp-95/2022	768427	Supply Installation & Commissioning of Manual Abel Flash Point Apparatus as per IP 170 with all necessary ancillaries	04-01-2023 16:00 hrs	05-01-2023 12:30 hrs
3	ER/L/LT/e-Gp-96/2022	771198	Supply of Various Klinger Oilet, Red & 1000R Black Gasket	15-01-2023 16:00 hrs	16-01-2023 12:30 hrs

Procuring entity details: **Md. Tariq Hossain**, Manager (Purchase) Phone: 880-02 3333 01261-70 (382) Email: managerip@erl.com.bd

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1	758195	Supply of Raw Materials and Spare Parts ET & Ent Technology	28000	08-Dec-2022 23:40	03-Jan-2023 10:00

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Will it finally be


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as the lanes seem a bit narrow."
Asked if it is possible to pull a rickshaw through the lanes, he said each of the lanes is around 6 feet wide, which should be enough.
But how will this initiative solve the illegal-parking issue?
Acknowledging the problem, pick-up driver Khalil Hossain said the parked vehicles obstruct both pedestrian and traffic movement. "But we don't have any other space to park."
Around a dozen vehicle owners and drivers echoed the same.
Contacted, Abdul Motalab, general secretary of Bangladesh Truck Covered Van Transport Agency Owners Association, said, "We park our vehicles here because we don't have any space to park."
"Rickshaw lanes are commendable, but the authorities should arrange for a parking space," he said.
Contacted, Adil Mohammad Khan, former general secretary of Bangladesh Institute of Planners, said, "It seems

to be a good initiative, but the result will not be that fruitful until they evict trucks or other vehicles."
While the new lanes will facilitate rickshaws, they will make the whole road narrower if the authorities do not evict the trucks, ultimately restricting overall traffic movement, he said.
"The stand there cannot house the overwhelming number of trucks. So, it is an urban planning failure, as the city corporation could not introduce alternative parking space after all this time," Adil said.
He suggested building multi-storey parking spaces to house all the vehicles.
Contacted, DNCC spokesperson Mokbul Hossain said the authorities usually free the roads of illegally parked vehicles through drives. But these vehicles occupy the spots again once the drive ends.
Once the rickshaw lanes are in place, other vehicles won't be able to park there, he added. However, when asked where the trucks will go or park, he could not provide a direct answer.

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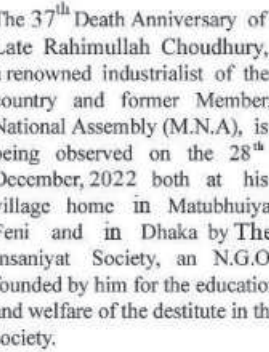



37th Death Anniversary

The 37th Death Anniversary of Late Rahimullah Choudhury, a renowned industrialist of the country and former Member, National Assembly (M.N.A.), is being observed on the 28th December, 2022 both at his village home in Matubhuiya, Feni and in Dhaka by The Insaniyat Society, an N.G.O. founded by him for the education and welfare of the destitute in the society.

We request all his relatives, friends and well wishers to pray for his departed soul.

**Family Members of
Late Rahimullah Choudhury**





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01	761659	OSTETM	Construction of 2-Storeyed Rural Market Building (With 04-Storeyed Foundation) at Mazra Hat under Kasiani Upazila, District: Gopalganj. Package No. CRMIDP/GPLW-308/2022-23	04.00 PM on 25/01/2023
02	769907	OTM	Construction of 90.00m Long PSC Girder Bridge on with (2x20+40m) RCC Viaduct on Baraitola-Muksudpur (UZR) Malta Bridge to Batikarni H/O Nazmul Sheikh via Boro Bonogram-Modhaya Bonogram Road at Ch. 1050m under Muksudpur Upazila, District: Gopalganj (Road ID No: 335584126), Package No. GDRIIP/Muk/22-23/VR-SR/233	04.00 PM on 25/01/2023
03	769908	OTM	Construction of 39.00m Long RCC Variable Depth Girder Bridge on Ujani Rahuthor(UZR)-Ujani Dopakandi GPS via H/O Pana Mollah House at Ch. 270m under Muksudpur Upazila, District: Gopalganj (Road ID No: 335584141), Package No. GDRIIP/Muk/22-23/VR-SR/234	04.00 PM on 25/01/2023
04	769909	OTM	Improvement of Paikida Molla Bari Mosque-Nowhata (UZR) Road by BC from Ch. 00m-600m under Muksudpur Upazila, District: Gopalganj (Road ID No: 335585117) (Salvage Materials Cost Tk. 37,521.00) Package No. GDRIIP/Muk/22-23/VR-BC/229	04.00 PM on 11/01/2023
05	769910	OTM	Maintenance of Rural Road on Gopalpur UP-Guadhana Silna GC Road (Link Road of Gopalpur UP) from Ch. 00-260m Under Gopalpur UP of Tungipara Upazila, District: Gopalganj (Road ID No: 335913002), Package No. e-GP/CRIP/Gopal/Maint/02/2022-23	04.00 PM on 11/01/2023
06	769911	OTM	Part-A: Construction of Boat Landing Station Ghatla at Singpara Khaya Ghat (Sreeramkandi Side) with connecting road under Kushi UP; Part-B: Construction of Boat Landing Station Ghatla at Singpara Khaya Ghat (South Basuria Side) under Kushi & Part-C: Construction of 11.10m long 4.00m width and 3.30m height 01 No RCC Ghatla for South Basuria Boor with connecting road Under Tungipara Upazila, District: Gopalganj. Package No. e-GP/CRIP/Gopal/Ghatla/04/2022-23	04.00 PM on 11/01/2023
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08	769914	OTM	Improvement of Road by BC on Ghaghor-Suagram Road to Suagram Ranolji Madhu House Sarbojonin Durgamondir at Ch. 00-113m under Suagram UP of Kotwalpara Upazila, District: Gopalganj (Road ID No: 335512011) (Link Road), Package No. e-GP/CRIP/Gopal/Road/05/2022-23	04.00 PM on 11/01/2023

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