

3 of a family stabbed over debt in Dhaka

UNB, Dhaka

Three members of a family were allegedly stabbed by their rivals over the payment of debt money in Dhaka's Banani early yesterday.

The victims were Sumon Mia, 45, his wife Sonia, 38, and Sonia's brother Rasel, 40.

Quoting locals, relatives of the injured and police sources, Banani Police Station Sub-Inspector Jane Alam said Sumon had arranged to meet a man named Arif near Mohakhali Wireless Sishu Mela School around 4:30am.

Sumon, a resident of Mohakhali T&T Colony, went there with his wife and brother-in-law Rasel, while Arif arrived with seven to eight others, he said.

An altercation ensued between Arif and Sumon over the payment of debt money, the SI said, adding that at one stage, they allegedly beat Sumon, Sonia and Rasel and stabbed them indiscriminately.

Hearing their screams, locals rushed to the scene and took them to Dhaka Medical College Hospital. Police are trying to arrest the attackers, the SI added.

Man held over rape of 15-yr-old girl

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

Police arrested a man early on Friday over the rape of a madrasa girl in Mymensingh.

A Mymensingh court sent Mohammad Abdullah, 22, to jail when he was produced before it, said Muktagachha Police Station OC Kamrul Islam.

On June 5, the victim's father filed a case against him, saying that the 15-year-old madrasa girl was raped and is currently seven months pregnant. Abdullah was arrested from a village in Muktagachha, police said.

Quoting the case, the OC said Abdullah used to stay as a lodging teacher at the victim's grandmother's house in Muktagachha, where he served as an imam at a local mosque. Since the girl's parents work in a garment factory in Dhaka, she lives with her grandmother.

Abdullah entered the girl's study room on the night of November 22 last year and raped her. Observing the girl's physical changes, her grandmother took her to a doctor, who confirmed her pregnancy.

The OC said an application was submitted to the court for a DNA test.

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AZAN 4-05 12-45 5-00 6-54 8-17

JAMAAT 4-40 1-15 5-15 6-57 8-45

SOURCE: ISLAMIC FOUNDATION



Shaheed Hawlader, 75, cuts grass from a low-lying wetland in Raypasha of Barishal Sadar upazila yesterday to feed his cattle at home. With grazing land submerged during the monsoon, many livestock owners in the area collect grass from waterlogged fields.

NOAKHALI WOMEN'S COLLEGE Unsafe buildings endanger lives of 7,000 students

ANWARUL HAIDAR, Noakhali

Noakhali Government Women's College has long been running academic activities in dilapidated buildings that are crumbling due to years of wear and a lack of renovation.

As a result, more than 7,000 female students of the college are attending classes at grave risk.

Established in 1970 and nationalised in 1981, the college, located on around five acres of land east of the Noakhali Circuit House, offers higher secondary, degree (pass), and honours courses in seven subjects.

Currently, there are over 3,000 students at the HSC level and more than 4,000 enrolled in degree (pass) and



honours courses.

Even five decades after its inception, the institution lacks adequate administrative and academic buildings, manpower, teachers, furniture, transport facilities, housing, a modern library, and a secure campus with a proper learning environment.

Of the three multi-storey buildings and one semi-permanent structure on the campus, three have been identified as risky by the Education Engineering Department. Yet, teachers and students are forced to continue classes in these buildings in constant fear.

They demanded that the college authorities take steps to demolish the vulnerable structures and construct new academic buildings.

Khadija Afrin Riya, a first-year HSC

student, said plaster regularly falls from the ceiling of their classroom.

"We attend classes in fear of the ceiling collapsing at any time," she said.

Prof Samsur Rahman Mohan, head of the management department, said almost all the buildings are hazardous.

Students at the lone female dormitory said although there are two residential buildings, one was declared abandoned years ago due to extreme risk. Students from both dormitories are now crammed into a single building, severely affecting their accommodation and studies.

Umme Salma Rumaisa, a residential student, said, "Six of us share one room with only two beds and no study tables. Often, the ceiling fans malfunction, and we cannot concentrate due to the



sweltering heat. Plaster often falls off the ceiling, exposing iron rods. We can't sleep at night in fear of a possible disaster."

Prof Abdul Matin Khandaker, acting principal of the college, said they have repeatedly sent letters to the relevant authorities to resolve the issues, but there has been no progress.

Khandaker Nazmul Islam, executive engineer of the Education Engineering Department in Noakhali, said a new six-storey building has recently been constructed and will be handed over to the college authorities by next month.

"We have written to the higher authorities regarding demolition of the remaining buildings and necessary repairs. Work will begin once the budget is allocated," he said.

Endangered slow loris rescued

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Chattogram

An endangered Bengal slow loris was rescued after it strayed into a residential area in Aman Bazar of Hathazari upazila in Chattogram yesterday morning.

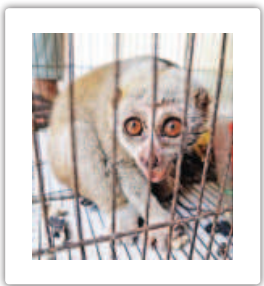
The rescue was confirmed by ANM Yasin Nawaz, divisional forest officer of the Chattogram Wildlife Management and Nature Conservation Division.

According to the Forest Department, a local resident, Saurav, spotted the slow loris beside a road and rescued it before placing it in a cage.

He later shared the incident in a Facebook post, prompting forest officials to recover the animal.

"The slow loris likely wandered into the locality from the forested area of Chattogram Cantonment," said Dipanwita Bhattacharjee, biodiversity officer of Chattogram wildlife management.

According to the IUCN Red List, the Bengal slow loris is classified as endangered, meaning it faces a very high risk of extinction in the wild.



COLLEAGUE'S DEATH RMG workers resume protests in Gazipur

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Gazipur

Fresh tensions erupted in Gazipur's Sreepur upazila yesterday as garment workers resumed protests over a colleague's death, demanding trial of the accused and compensation for the victim's family.

Workers blocked a regional road, alleging that Liza Begum died early on Thursday after being denied leave despite falling ill.

Around 9:00am yesterday, a prayer gathering was organised for Liza at Color and Company Limited in Tepirbari. Several hundred workers from Blue Planet Knit Wear Limited, another factory under the same company group, then gathered there and began protesting.

Sreepur Police Station Inspector (Operations) Sanjoy Saha said around 400 to 500 workers took part. Industrial police later dispersed them.

Meanwhile, three cases were filed over Thursday's road blockade, demonstrations and vandalism at four garment factories following Liza's death.



Police said 1,100 unidentified people were named as accused in the cases filed by officials of Triple Apparels Limited, MHC Apparel Private Limited, and Yasmin Textile Mills Limited. Two people have already been arrested.

According to the case statements, a group allegedly incited workers before vandalising four factories in Mawna Chowrasta.

Liza, 35, was a sewing operator at Color and Company Limited. Her colleagues alleged that she was denied leave and forced to work despite feeling unwell.

She reportedly fell critically ill around 3:00am on Thursday and was taken to a hospital, where doctors declared her dead at about 5:00am.

However, Sreepur Upazila Health and Family Planning Officer Dr Shafiqul Islam said preliminary findings suggested that she died from complications related to high blood pressure.

Attempts to contact the owner of Color and Company Limited, Abdus Salam, for comment were unsuccessful.

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e-Tender Notice

Tender is invited in the National e-GP system portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for the procurement of package mentioned below which is available in tender notice under e-GP system portal. This is an online tender, where only Tender will be accepted in the national e-GP Portal and no offline/hard copies will be accepted. For details visit www.eprocure.gov.bd.

Sl. No.	Tender ID	Packages No	Places of dry and other food supply	e-GP Published Date and Time	Closing/ Opening Date and Time
01.	1302418	DDM-Relief-DF-2025-2026-Dhaka-01	CSD Relief Godown Tejgaon, Dhaka	28.06.2026 12.00 hours	13.07.2026 12.00 hours
02	1302419	DDM-Relief-DF-2025-2026-Dhaka-02	CSD Relief Godown Tejgaon, Dhaka		
03	1302537	DDM-Relief-DF-2025-2026-Chattogram-03	Regional Relief Godown, Chattogram		

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01	1256759	Open Tender (International)	Procurement of Emergency Pipe Repair Materials for CDPL Facility of Petroleum Transmission Company PLC	28-06-2026, 09:30 BST	25-08-2026, 14:30 BST

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