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Newsbrief

Agriculture Adviser Lt Gen (retd.) Md. Jahangir Alam Chowdhury said, the mini cold storage technology will be taken to farmers at grassroots in future to facilitate them to store food grains and vegetables. The Adviser made the remarks while inaugurating the Farmers' Mini Cold Storage at Medulia area under Dhalla Union of Singair Upazila in Manikganj district yesterday.

The interim government instructed the authorities concerned to take immediate action as soon as signs of provocative activities are seen centering the Chandranath Hill in Chattogram. Adviser for Power, Energy and Mineral Resources, Road Transport and Bridges and Railways ministries Muhammad Fouzul Kabir Khan, Primary and Mass Education Adviser Professor Dr Bidhan Ranjan Roy Podder and Religious Affairs Adviser Dr AFM Khalid Hossain issued the instruction following a meeting with leaders of the Chandranath Dham (Kanchannath-Chandranath-Adinath) Shrine Committee at the Railways Ministry yesterday. According to a press release of the Chief Adviser's Press Wing, at the meeting, the Shrine Committee leaders informed that different types of provocative activities have been seen centering the Chandranath Temple for the past five years.

Commerce, Jute and Textiles and Civil Aviation and Tourism Adviser Sheikh Bashir Uddin said, the construction work of Parki Parjaton Complex under Anwara upazila of the district would be completed by December. The Adviser told the reporters while visiting the project in Chattogram yesterday. The implementation of the project has been delayed due to many reasons especially the water problem, the Adviser added.

Water Resources Adviser Syeda Rizwana Hasan said, if sustainable submersible dams are built in haor region, it will increase production in the agricultural sector, ensure the country's food security and improve the quality of life of the people in the project area. The Adviser said this at a meeting held with JICA South Asia wing delegation at the conference room of her Ministry yesterday.

Information and Broadcasting Adviser Md. Mahfuj Alam said, the goal of the interim government formed through the July Mass Uprising is to eliminate inequality and establish a new political arrangement in Bangladesh that will strengthen the democratic system. Despite differences in political ideology, all must work together in unison to build a prosperous and developed Bangladesh. The Adviser said this while addressing a commemorative event marking the first anniversary of the July Mass Uprising at the Bangladesh Embassy in Washington D.C. the day before yesterday, according to a message yesterday.

The Cabinet Division yesterday formed an eight-member high-powered committee to examine the rationality of professional demands of BSc degree and diploma holders in the engineering sector. The committee has been tasked with reviewing the demands and submitting a report with recommendations within one month. A gazette notification issued in this connection stated that it will take effect immediately. Muhammad Fouzul Kabir Khan, Adviser to the Ministry of Power, Energy and Mineral Resources, Ministry of Road Transport and Bridges and Ministry of Railways, has been appointed as the committee Chairman.

Naam Jahangir Alam

Shipping and Labour and Employment Adviser Brigadier General (Retd) Dr M Sakhawat Hussain yesterday sought support of the member states of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) for Bangladesh in upcoming election as the country is contesting in the membership post under category C of the IMO council for 2026-27 term. The Adviser sought this support from the diplomats of different states stationed in Dhaka on the affairs of IMO council elections scheduled to be held on December.

Railway Ministry Adviser Muhammad Fouzul Kabir Khan warned of taking stern actions against those involved in destroying communal harmony in the country. The Adviser made the comments at an event organized for handing over allotment papers of providing lands to two mosques and a temple at a symbolic price in the capital's Joar Sahara Mouza of Khilkhet and Cantonment areas. The event was held at the Railway Bhaban in the capital yesterday. Religious Affairs Adviser Dr AFM Khalid Hossain was also present at the event.

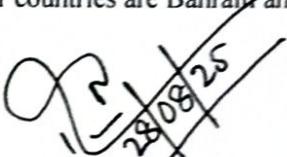
Bangladesh Bank Governor Ahsan H Mansur said, the government has decided to fully privatise Nagad to increase competition in the mobile financial services sector. The governor said this while speaking as the chief guest at the 'Cashless Bangladesh Summit 2025', at Pan Pacific Sonargaon Hotel in the capital yesterday.

The Cabinet Division's probe body yesterday conducted a public hearing in Sylhet city on the stone looting incident of the Sada Pathor tourist area in Bholaganj, Companiganj upazila. After the public hearing at the Sylhet Circuit House, the committee's convener and Cabinet Secretary (Coordination and Reforms) Zaheda Parveen said that the public hearing mainly focused on two issues. One of them was whether the authorities were negligent in their duties or not, and the other was to prevent recurrence of such incidents, she added.

Bangladesh Ambassador to Nepal Md. Shafiqur Rahman held a meeting with Sujeev Shakya, Chair of the Nepal Economic Forum, Nepal's leading policy think tank, in Kathmandu yesterday when they discussed ways to expand bilateral trade and business engagements. The Ambassador stressed Bangladesh's commitment to enhancing regional cooperation and underlined the potential of increased private sector partnerships, particularly in trade, investment and connectivity.

Martyred Abu Sayed emerged as a shining symbol of courage in the July Uprising, standing tall in the face of police bullets, he spread his arms and bared his chest as if to declare, 'This killing of people must stop.' The Chief Prosecutor Muhammad Tajul Islam made the remarks while placing his opening statement in a crime against humanity case over the killing of Begum Rokeya University student during the July Mass Uprising of 2024, at the International Crimes Tribunal-2 yesterday.

The Election Commission (EC) has received approval to launch process of voter registration and issue national identity cards (NIDs) in four more countries, including France and Spain. The two other countries are Bahrain and Singapore, said ASM Humayun Kabir, Director General of the EC's NID Wing, yesterday.

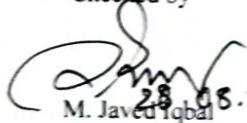

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