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### Adina Fazlul Huq College

Sir,—When the people of the country were living in a hopeless condition of illiteracy, confusion and superstition, Adina Fazlul Huq College was established in 1938 with the active cooperation of Sher-e-Bangla A.K. Fazlul Huq. Situated in a beautiful rural environment aloof from the hue and cry of urban life, the college has been giving light of education to the children of the poor inhabitants for whom it was impossible to educate their wards in big, costly towns.

At present it is a full-fledged degree college with fifty teaching and non-teaching staffs, about one thousand students, a hostel of fifty beds, quarters for the teachers, rich laboratories, a resourceful library with old and new collections. The college has successfully maintained satisfactory records of sports, games and gymnastics. Results of different examinations are always satisfactory and encouraging. The college has an agriculture scheme with a shallow tubewell at the heart of the college land of forty bighas and a large pond for composite fish culture. Now the college is connected with electricity. There is a bank and a post office on the college campus. Shibganj-Manakasha road connects the college with Shibganj upozilla proper and Nawabganj. The college has under its disposal roughly an asset of one crore taka.

In spite of its long tradition of service to the nation the college has rather been neglected up to now. Many colleges newer in respect of age have already been nationalized. It is our fervent prayer that the government kindly take necessary step to nationalize this one of the oldest colleges of the country to help survive its tradition and also to pay homage to the departed soul of the Sher-e-Bangla.—Yours, etc., A TEACHER.

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