

Bablu killed,3 others hurt n Mohsin Hall bombblast

By A Staff Reporter

Mahabubul Haq. Bablu (28), General Secretary of Bangladesh Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal and a final year M. A. student of Dhaka University was killed in an explosion in a room on the third floor of Mohsin Hall on Monday afternoon.

Three other youngmen inclu ding a central leader of the organisation and two admission. seekers were also injured and admitted to Dhaka Medical College Hospital in critical conditions.

The powerful explosion took place in room number 426 at about 2.45 p.m. making a deep hole on the floor and blowing away one of the side walls.

Foilowing the explosion alh the victims were rushed to hospitals. Bablu succumbed to his injuries at P.G. Hospital at 6.10 p.m.

There others, admitted to Dhaka Medical College Hospit. al, were identified as Mainuddin (30), a Central leader of Chhatra Dal and a student of M. Com at Dhaka University: Noor Mohammad (30), an admission-sceker and Yusuf (28), another admission seeker.

Our Dhaka Medical College correspondent quoting duty? doctors informed that all the three admitted victims underwent operations. Mainuddin might lose his eye sight while Noor Mohammad and Yusuf

were in critical conditions, according to doctors.

Meanwhile, BNP chief Begum Khaleda Zla visited the hospital on Monday evening.

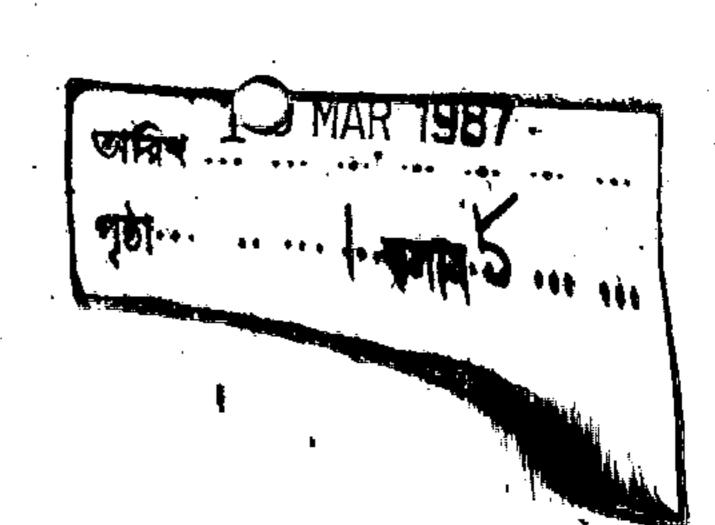
Earlier in a similar explosion at Jagannath Hall one outsider was killed on October 11, 1986. The explosion took place in a room on the ground floor of the east house of Jagannath Hall damaging 15 rooms on three floors.

Dhaka University Vice-Chancellor Prof M.A. Mannan and senior teachers of the university visited Mohsin Hall following the explosion on Monday, t

High officials of Dhaka Metropolitan Police also visited the place of occurrance at about 7

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took place when the victims were manufacturing bomps inside the room.

Bangladesh Nationalist Party and different student organisa. tions including Jatiyatahadi Chhatra Dal in separate statements, however, termed it a



Mahbubul Huq Bablu.

pressing student movement, ra League.

Standing Committee of Bang. ladesh Nationalist Party held under the chairmanship of the party chief Begum Khaleda Bablu"

powerful bomb was thrown p.m. on Monday. from the adjacent AF Rahman

The meeting observed that p.m. Police said the explosion "the attack on BNP meeting at Adamjeenagar on March 6 and the bomb attack on Mahsin Hall were the manifestations of the autocratic character of its perpetrators."

The meeting decided to hold "Gaebana Janaza" all over the country today Tues. day. The meeting also decided to observe, weeklong country. wide protest rallies and demonstrations from today (Tuesday) in protest against tha "killing". A number of political parties and student organi. sations also condemned incident.

Those who issued statements; in this regard included Six. Party Alliance, Jatiya Gana-Party, Bangladesh tantrik Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal, Central Students Action Councii, Sangrami Chhatra Bangladesh Biplobl Chhaira Moitry, Bangladesh Islami Chhatra Shibir (both factions), Pre-planned act by "those in Bangladesh Chhatra League authority" with a view to sup- (Jalil) and Ganatantrik Chhat,

An emergency meeting of the TWO HURT AT MIRPUR

Meanwhile two persons were injured when a bomb exploded at Lalkuti, under Mirpur police station on Monday afternoon. Zia condemned what it called (30) and Khaleque (29) were , The victims - Kabir Hossain "the killing of Mahbubul Huq brought from Mirpur and admitted to the Dhaka Medical The meeting alleged that a College Hospital at about 4-30

Hall when Bablu and others that they had heard about an were staying in room number, incident but were not aware of the details,