

## Need for spreading education in rural areas stressed

BHAIRAB, Apr 12: State Minister for LGRD and Co-operatives, Alhaj Syed Abul Hossain today stressed the need for spread of education in rural areas for alleviating poverty and development of human resources, reports BSS.

Mr. Hossain said no nation

can prosper and achieve the target of economic goals without development of human resources.

The State Minister was addressing as chief guest at the prize giving ceremony of the annual sports competition of Haji Asmat College here.

Syed Abul Hossain said the present government of Sheikh Hasina was pledged bound to wipe out terrorism from the educational institutions to build up the new generation as worthy citizens to enable them to lead the nation in future.

Principal of the college Muazzem Hossain presided over the function. Among others, Deputy Commissioner of Kishoregonj M A Farhad, leaders of local Awami League and its front organizations also spoke on the occasion.

Earlier, the State Minister, while reviewing the progress of the implementation of various development projects under Bhairab and Kuliarchar thanas, said the government had given highest priority to development of the villages with necessary financial allocation.