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## Shibir-BCL clash at RU: 25 injured

From RU Correspondent
RAJSHAHI, Nov 17: At least
25 people were injured, 14 of
them seriously, when the activists of BCL and Chhatra
Shibir clashed at Rajshahi
University last night.

According to witnesses, a BCL activist had on altercation with Shibir leader Mizan at around 11.30 pm over occupying a room at Shaheed Ziaur Rahman Hall.

At one stage, the BCL activist assaulted the Shibir leader in Room No 208 of the hall.

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When the news spread on the campus, the Shibir activists closed main gate of Shaheed Ziaur Rahman and Sher-e-Bangla halls and swooped in See Page 11 Col 7

## Shibir-BCL

From page 1 the BCL activists with lethal

weapons.
The BCL activists also retaliated, but had to leave the halls in the face of violent Shibir at

tack.
The Shibir activists torched two rooms and ransacked 40 others of the two halls.

Later, police raided the two halls and arrested 14 Shibir ac-

The University Syndicate today held a meeting with Protocolor Vice Chancellor Professor Wazed Ali in the chair.

Wazed All in the characters of the The meeting discussed the latest campus situation and deletest campus situation and decided to maintain a peaceful cided to maintain a peaceful academic atmosphere at the

varsity.

Additional police forces
were deployed on the campus to
avert further clash.