



Educational facilities in rural areas stressed

By A Staff Reporter

Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka University Prof Abdul Mannan on Tuesday stressed the need for expansion of educational facilities in the rural areas of the country.

He said that concentration on urban areas alone could not lead the country towards progress. He called for establishing more schools, colleges and madrasahs in the villages.

Inaugurating a degree (pass) examination centre at Dohar-Nababganj College at Nababganj upazila headquarters and the newly constructed common-room of the college, the Vice-Chancellor said that during his tenure as the Vice-Chancellor he would do every thing possible.

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sible for expansion of education in the rural areas.

Presided over by the Chairman of the college governing body and Upazila Nirbahi Officer Abdur Rahman the function was addressed, among others, by local MP Borhanuddin Khan, founder of the college Ataudin Khan, and Principal of the college Shafiuddin Khan.

The Vice-Chancellor said that there were 30-40 degree examination centres under Dhaka University when he assumed the office of the Vice-Chancellor several years ago. He said that the number of degree (pass) examination centres now stood at 110 as he was aware at the problems faced by the rural students in appearing at examinations in some selected city centres far away from their homes.

Responding to the demand by the students of Dohar-Nababganj College the Vice-Chancellor permitted pending of the bachelor of science (B.Sc) courses in the college from the next academic session. He also assured of opening M.Sc courses in the college in course of time.

The Vice-Chancellor called upon the college authority, the local administration and the students and guardians to ensure that the examinations are held smoothly and examiners did not resort to unfair means.

The Vice-Chancellor also said that he would approve a proposal to open degree classes in Joypara College in Dohar upazila.