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CU teachers bring out mourning procession

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CHITTAGONG, Sept. 9:—The teachers in Chittagong University today took out a mourning procession on the campus to resent what they called unabated terrorism and killing of students by the terrorists in the university.

Several hundred teachers with a huge banner quietly paraded different faculties. Marine Science Institute, Shaheed Minar, Library premises defying the rainfall. The banner that they carried had the inscription "We deeply mourn the martyrs of Faruk, Musa, Bakul, Ayub, Mushfiq, Sanchoy at the hands of terrorists. The processionists finally converged at the teachers lounge at Arts Faculty for an anti-terrorism meeting.

Just before the start of teachers' mourning procession under the sponsorship of the Chittagong University Teachers Association (CUTA), some students covering their faces with black masks suddenly took out a militant procession in the Arts Faculty defying of ban on students' political activities. The group of student reportedly belonging to the Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD), the student wing of the BNP took out the procession to protest the imposition of ban on the political activities of the students. However, the sudden appearance of these masked JCD workers sent a panic wave among the general students in the Arts Faculty. The police finally intervened and drove them away.

The anti-terrorism meeting of the teachers was presided over by CUTA President Professor Hamida Banu.