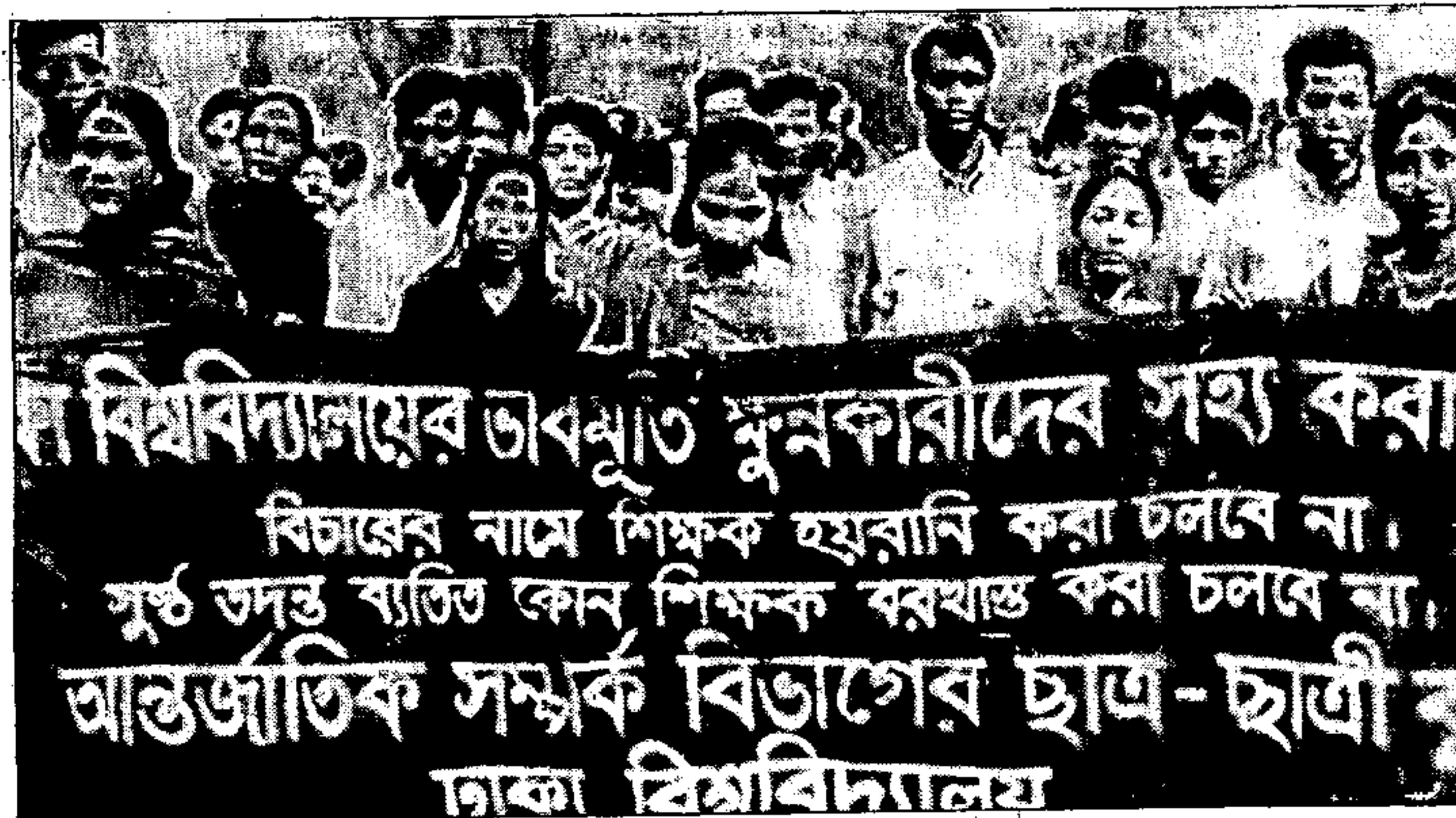




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A section of 'general students' demonstrating against the sex-scandal of a teacher brought out a procession on Dhaka University campus on Monday protesting attack on them on Sunday.

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Students of the International Relations Department brought out a procession on the Dhaka University campus on Monday condemning those who are tarnishing the image of the university.

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Alleged sex abuse in DU Protesting students attacked again

Varsity Correspondent

The students demonstrating under the banner of 'students protesting sexual harassment', were attacked by the rowdy members of the 'conscious students' group for the second consecutive day on Monday when they brought out a procession in protest against the Sunday's attack.

The procession of the students started from Rokeya Hall and marched through the road in front of the Central Library and Madhu's Canteen in a tense situation. The procession, being obstructed by police, returned back from the Lecture Theatre and came under attack just after crossing the Madhu's canteen. A number of unruly students

joined the procession brought out by the students of International Relations Department and hurled brickbats and stones at the general students' procession.

Four members of the 'general students' group were injured.

Police chased the attackers and immediately surrounded the 'general students' mostly females to protect them from further attacks.

The 'conscious students' brought out a procession without any banner and again threw stones at the general students in front of DUCSU building. This time police played the role of silent spectators.

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Protesting students

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The 'general students' went back to Rokeya Hall under police escort.

Bangladesh Chhatra Federation instantly brought out a procession from the DUCSU building to protest the attack but it was foiled by the same group which attacked the general students.

Witnesses said that the attack was made from the Madhu's canteen premises.

The federation leaders at a Press briefing blamed the student front of the ruling party for the attack.

The 'general students', under strong police protection also held a press conference at the seminar room of the Teachers, Students Centre (TSC) on Monday afternoon.

They condemned the attacks on them both on Sunday and Monday.

The leaders, at the conference, also said that their movement would continue even in this situation.

Pro-Awami Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL), at a Press release condemned the attack on the students on Monday.

Samajtantrik Chhatra Front, Bangladesh Chhatra Union and Ganatantrik Chhatra Oikya held three separate rallies in front of the DUCSU building to protest the attack on the general students.

The students of the International Relations Department of Dhaka University also on Monday brought out a procession and held a rally on the campus to protest against those who are tarnishing the university.

Speakers at the rally Aparajeyo Bangla proper hara

They condemned the interference of NGOs, private universities and outsiders in the matter.

The rally was presided over by Sheikh Rezaul Islam of MSS last part of the International Relations Department.

Students of Dhaka University demonstrating under the banner of 'students protesting sexual harassment' will hold a 'sanghati samabesh' (solidarity meeting) on the Dhaka University campus today (Tuesday).

The meeting is scheduled to be held in front of the arts building at 11 a.m.

Meanwhile, Chhatra League (BCL) also declared to hold a rally today (Tuesday) at the same time at Aparajeyo Bangla to protest the unrest created on the campus by some quarters.

Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) will also bring out a procession and hold a rally on the campus today.