

# Re-excavation of canals begins

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From Our Correspondent

**SRIMANGAL**, Dec. 5: Re-excavation of Aliacherra canal a self-help project in Srimangal thana was formally inaugurated recently.

Mr. Abdul Latif, SDO, Moulovibazar inaugurated the earth work.

When completed the project will bring 4,000 acres of land under cultivation through the irrigation system during the dry season.

## JESSORE

Our Correspondent from Jessore adds: Re-excavation of thirty six canals has been taken up in Jessore district during the session of 1981-82 under self help basis, it is learnt.

The total earth work would be 10,87,53,460 cft. When completed it would facilitate irrigation of water in 23,750 acres and there would be an additional production of 3,51,575 maunds of IRRI and 1,78,1000 maunds of wheat in the district.

## NARSINGDI

BSS adds: Re-excavation work on the Maranadi Khal, a self-help project in Raipura thana was formally inaugurated at Paratoli on Friday.

Mr. Shirazul Rahman, Circle

officer (DEV) Raipura inaugurated the earthwork.

When completed, a 26,400 foot long project which runs over shreenagar, Paratoli and Bashogari Union Parishads under Raipura police station, will bring 5,000 acres of land in the char area under cultivation through the irrigation system during the dry seasons. The project will also improve navigation facilities in the area.

## B' BARIA

Another report says: Re-excavation of the C and B canal and its embankment from Anderson canal to Mohiuddinagar in Brahmanbaria under special canal digging programme started on Friday.

Mr. Harun-al-Rashid, MP and whip in the Jatiya Sangsad inaugurated the programme. The SDO, Mr. A. M. M. Reza Rabbi and officials and local elite were present on the occasion.

Re-excavation of this canal will facilitate irrigation facilities to about 6 thousands acres of land in three union parishads—Ramrail, Machihata and Sultanpur. It will help produce 3 thousand maunds of additional crops.