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Noakhali Govt College closed sine die

From A Correspondent.

NOAKHALI, Sept. 5: Following attack, counter attack and clashes of two groups of students, the authorities of the Noakhali Govt. College have been compelled to suspend classes and close the college for an indefinite period from Saturday.

It is gathered that on several occasions two group of students clashed causing serious panic amongst the students, Guardians as well as the shop-keepers and cross section of people of Maijdee town. The college authorities called a meeting of local elites, Political leaders and Govt. officials few days back and apprised them of the situation and it was resolved to stop any such untoward situation in future. It is known that on last Wednesday evening one student was beaten by some assailants at Lakshminarayanpur and on the following day a Group of students armed with hockey sticks and other weapons attacked their rival group in the college campus at about 11 P.M. and beat some students right and left and damaged some furniture of the college in presence of the teachers but none dared stop such activities. Three students sustained injuries in the incident and were admitted in Nokhali Sadar Hospital for treatment. The college authorities have thus been compelled to close the college sine die.