

Students' coop sought to eradicate anarchy from edn'l arena

COMILLA, Apr 18 -Energy and Mineral Resources Minister Khandaker Mosharraf Hossain called upon the teachers and students to extend all out cooperation to eradicate anarchy and terrorism from the educational arena for restoring a healthy and congenial atmosphere, reports UNB.

The Minister was addressing a student rally of ensuing SSC examinees at Sundalpur High School premises in Daudkandi thana Wednesday.

The meeting was also addressed by local elite K M I Khalil, Obaidul Haque Bhuiyan and Jomeraaj Choudhury Polin.

Dr Mosharraf said the present democratic government of Prime Minister Begum Khaleda Zia had been putting sincere efforts for restoring healthy and congenial atmosphere in all educational institutions and other sectors.

He said, "peace, discipline and harmony are the preconditions for the development of a democratic society. We must ensure it at all costs."

He alleged that some political parties had been hatching conspiracy to create anarchy, chaos, indiscipline and terrorism in the campuses and the society to disrupt the peace, progress and development of the country.

He cautioned the people to remain alert against those who are engaged in anti-development and anti-democratic activities to realise their evil designs.

The rally was followed by a cultural function.

Another report says: A demonstration rally of housewives, aiming at making them aware about the use of soyabean and potato in preparing differ-

ent palatable food items, was held in Laksam thana on Sunday. About 300 housewives took part in the demonstration of different food items made of soyabean and potato.

The rally, organised by the local Agriculture Extension Department, was formally inaugurated by Home Secretary Manzurul Karim. Khanada Mohon Das, Director General of BARD was present as special guest.

Poresh Chandra Dash, Deputy Director of BARD showed the guests and the participants some demonstration plots of soyabean.

The instructors apprised the participants about the food value of soyabean and potato and how to widely use the items as substitutes of staple foods which would surely ease the pressure on rice to a great extent.