

College nationalised in '81 yet to be developed

From Our Correspondent

JOYPURHAT, June 28:—Mohipur Hajee Mohsin Govt College is beset with manifold problems affecting normal academic atmosphere.

This college was established by late Maolana Abdul Hamid Khan Bhashani in 1969 with the aim of converting it into a nucleus of agricultural education. Alema Bhashani, wife of Bhashani donated 15 acres of land with magnificent orchard to the college. At a distance of 1.5 km in the east of the Panchbibi thana Parishad.

The college was nationalized in 1981, but no significant development and extension have been taken as yet.

The college has no residential quarters for the teachers and the principal.

Out of 49 posts of teachers in the college, 26 posts have been lying vacant. Only one teacher is working in English, Physics, Mathematics, Botany and Agriculture departments.

Out of 26 vacant posts of teachers 3 posts of Associate Professors, 5 posts of Assistant Professors, 12 posts of lecturers and 2 posts of demonstrators have been lying vacant for a long time.

There is no Vice-Principal in the college. The shortage of third and fourth class employees is another problem.

The classrooms are inadequate in comparison with the number of students. There is no auditorium in the college. There is no hostel for the students of the college.

There is a bus of the college to carry the teachers and students from Panchbibi to Mohipur which is kept under open sky inside the college premises. The bus has gone out of order a few months back.

The demand to open B.Sc. course in the college, has not yet been met. The guardians informed this correspondent that they are not in a position to bear the educational expenditure of their sons at the Rajshahi or in Dhaka. They demanded introduction of B.Sc. course in the College.