

## Govt plans to educate people for progress

SRINAGAR (Munshiganj), Dec 30. Education Minister Jamiruddin Sircar said the government has undertaken a programme for educating the people of the country to achieve progress and prosperity, reports UNB.

He was speaking as the chief guest at the silver jubilee of Majidpur Dhayhata Kafiluddin Chowdhury Institution here on Friday.

Barrister Sircar said the government has allocated maximum fund for education sector in the national budget and taken pragmatic steps towards eradicating illiteracy from the country by the year 2000. He also pointed out that the government will nationalise one school and one college every year in every thana by phases.

Presided over by chairman of the managing committee of the institution AKM Shamsudoha Chowdhury, it was also addressed by Commerce Minister Shamsul Islam, Deputy Minister for LGRD and Cooperatives Abdul Haye and Prof Abdul Momin Chowdhury.

Deputy Leader of the House Prof AQM Badruddoza Chowdhury gave vote of thanks on behalf of the managing committee.

Education Minister Barrister Jamiruddin Sircar paid

glowing tribute to the memory of former minister late Kafiluddin Chowdhury and said he made great contribution in the field of education, politics and law.

Speaking as the special guest Commerce Minister Shamsul Islam said late Kafiluddin Chowdhury had fought for the cause of the people against the feudal lords and colonial rules.

Deputy Minister for LGRD and Cooperatives Abdul Hye said late Kafiluddin Chowdhury will be remembered forever for his outstanding contribution in politics and education.

Prof Badruddoza Chowdhury said education is an imperative for building a happy and prosperous country. He also called upon the people to maintain peaceful atmosphere in the campus for making the students worthy citizens of the country.

He also paid rich tribute to the memory of the late Kafiluddin Chowdhury and prayed for the salvation of his departed soul.

The function was followed by a grand cultural function.