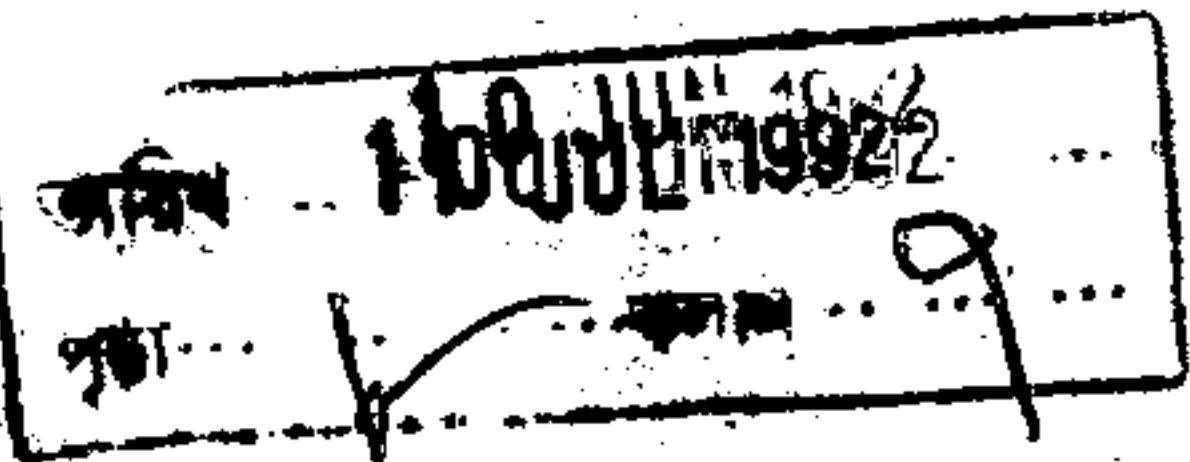


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Bid to nab terrorists, 3 DU halls raided

Police on Tuesday raided three halls of Dhaka University in a hunt for the "terrorists" who injured four children in Sunday's shootout on the campus, reports UNB.

A large number of policemen searched Zahurul Huq, Salimullah and Jagannath Halls, known as strongholds of the pro-Awami League Chhatra League, but failed to net any arms or armed elements in the three-hour drive since 8 am.

The police swoop came following instruction from the higher authorities, police said. Prime Minister Begum Khaleda Zia, while caressing the injured in a hospital bed on Monday, ordered action against the culprits. The children, three of them school students, were injured in gunfire in front of teacher Shamim Sikder's residence close to Jagannath Hall.

Meanwhile, a student of Dhaka Polytechnic Institute came under attack and suffered serious injury at the Arts Faculty building of the university on Tuesday while police were conducting the raids. Tendons of the right wrist of Shafiqul Islam (20) were slit by a

group of youths at about 7 am. He was rushed to the Dhaka Medical College Hospital where he took first aid and then shifted to a private clinic for safety.

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