

Maheshber-Sheerpur canal excavation going on

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Over half the work on the Maheshber-Sheerpur canal excavation project in Raipura police station was completed till January 10, reports BSS.

The Subdivisional Officer of Narsingdi Al-haj Md Masudur Rahman Khan who visited the excavation work on Thursday said that the 26,400 feet long canal is being excavated by people from all walks of life on voluntary basis with a view to growing more food in the western side of Raipura thana.

The SDO said that the work on the project would be completed within February 15, when completed, the SDO added, the new canal from the Meghna River to the Ariol Khan River would help produce 1,50,000 maunds of additional foodgrains in the area where about 40 thousand people would be benefitted, and river communication would also improve.