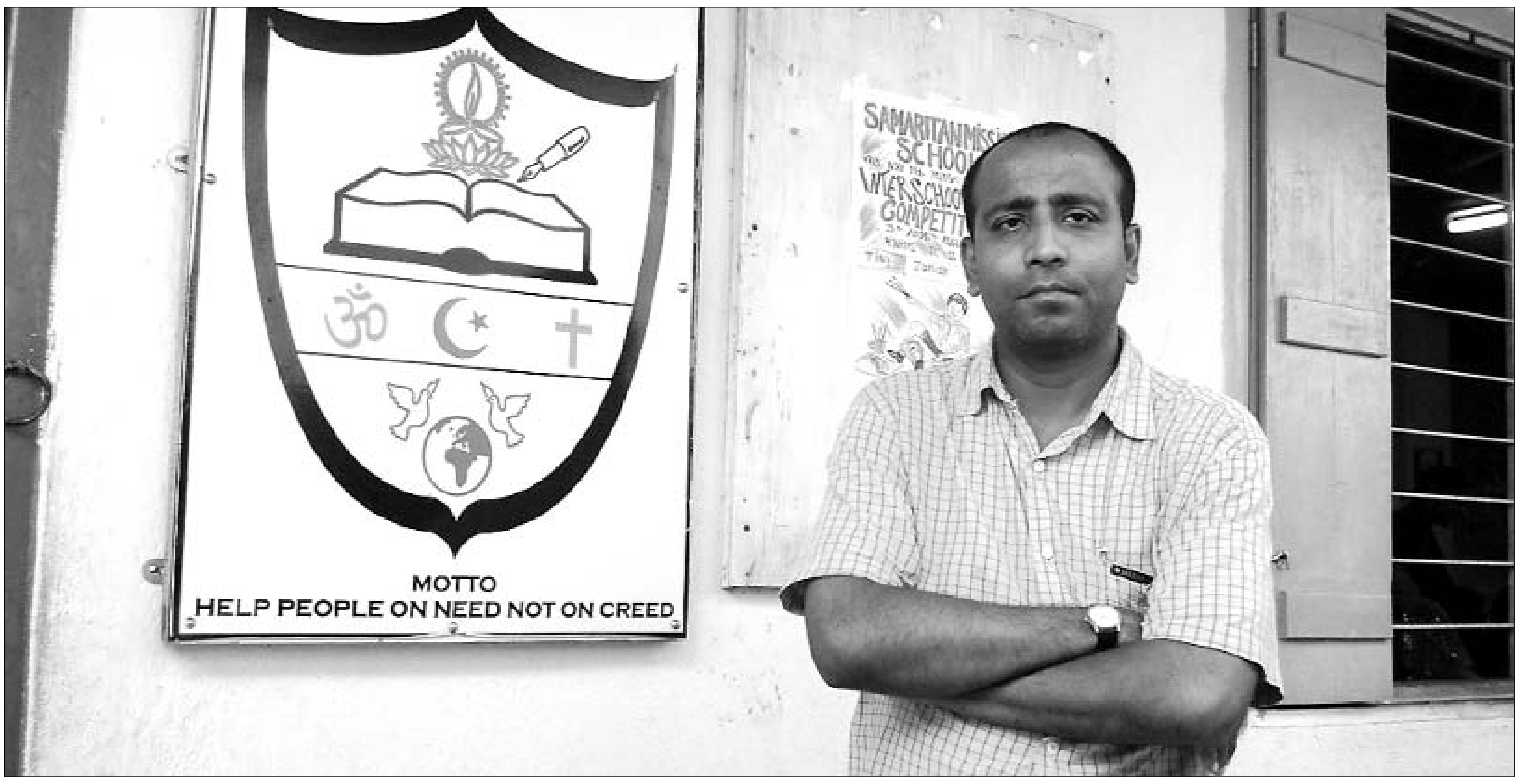
Back to School



Denied school education, Mamoon Akhtar has set up a school for the underprivileged children. *Shiv Sahay Singh* finds out more

MAMOON AKHTAR was a student of a reputed English-medium school in Howrah. When he was in Class IX his parents could no longer pay his school fees and as a result he had to drop out of school. Now, decades after the incident, Mammon has not forgotten the pains of being forced to quit school. At present he runs a school in Tikiapara in Howrah with about 2,000 students who just pay Rs 5 per month. Mamoon, who used to work as a librarian and give private tuition, started the Samaritan Health Mission (SHM) from his own savings and donations.

In the beginning, the financial condition of SHM was precarious and the annual budget was as low as Rs 38,000 per annum. Out of this, Mamoon and his friends contributed Rs10,000 and the rest Rs 28,000 was collected out of door-to-door collection from houses in the locality and from some small offices. It was an uphill task and required persistent and tireless efforts. He also motivated the local college-going poor girls of the locality to offer their services by teaching these children on the payment of a nominal honorarium of Rs 100 per month.

The noble mission of Mamoon at 127, Noor Md Munshi Lane in Howrah created quite a ripple among the right thinking people of Tikiapara. They realised the importance of education and wanted their children to be well educated. SHM believes that anything given free of cost will lose its value and importance. Therefore, for all its programmes, it charges a nominal fees and this has ensured the involvement of guardians, especially mothers. All of them are happy to be a part of the system. SHM, within a span of six years, has brought about an educational revolution as it were in the neighbourhood. The story of these eventful six years is that 3,000 children are back to school —- they are continuing their education and are marching from strength to strenght. The children of SHM are being trained in such a way that they develop a feeling of compassion for their fellow human beings and uphold secular views and love for their Motherland. SHM believes that children will serve the nation better, they will be part of its progress, and will break the barriers of caste, creed and religion.

Mamoon charges a nominal fees of Rs 5 from the children per month. He says that children should learn that nothing is free in the world and everything comes at a price. Mamoon, after dropping out in Class IX, so far has managed to pass his Higher Secondary examination only.

The organisation is involved in a number of projects. It has ventured into almost every domain that can help people access some form of education and employment. The projects include vocational training for poor girls and widows, literacy programme of formal school from Class I-IV for the underprivileged children, Samaritan Kindergarten, Computer Literacy Programme for poor meritorious girls who do not have access to computer education, sponsorship programme for orphan boys and girls for education from the primary level till Class X and further studies.

The help for Mamoon comes as people know about his work. Organisations and caring friends have come to his aid. Even the American Consulate has been attracted to his work. In March the Consul General, Beth Payne, will inaugurate a project of SHM in Howrah. As the efforts by Mamoon grow from strength to strength, he says that there are many responsibilities and a large number of underprivileged masses to be taken care of. His quest only goes on with only one aim that no child should be deprived of schooling even if he has limited resources.

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SALE NOTICE*
(A) Rule 8 (5) and (6) for Immovable property & (B) Rule 6 (1) and (2) for movable property under Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.*

To
Borrower/s :
M/s. Shri Sai Sales
Prop. Anindita Das
8D, Puspa Batika Apartment
87 & 88 Nazrul Park, Kestopur
Kolkata - 700 101

Surety/ies :
Sri Sandieep Das, S/o. Chittaranjan Das
8D, Puspa Batika Apartment
87 & 88 Nazrul Park, Kestopur
Kolkata - 700 101

Sub : Your dues under Loan No. 9771/125/304

We have served on you our possession notice dated 01.04.2010 and published it in AAJKAL and THE INDIAN EXPRESS newspapers on 08.04.2010 and taken possession of your property.

We call upon you to pay the liabilities within 30 days failing which the said property will be sold by us to realize the dues in the following manner on any day after 30 days without any further individual notice to you.

If we decide to sell the property (1) either by private treaty or by obtaining quotations, we shall be soliciting your consent afterwards by giving you the details of the deal; (2) By inviting tenders and public auction, we would publish a public notice with necessary details in one English and one local vernacular newspaper; (3) You are also invited to arrange for purchaser / bidder.

The Bank may also participate in the bid / sale process to purchase the property for its own use.

Place : Kolkata
Date : 08.04.2010
Authorised Officer

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NOTICE
Date : 11.04.2010

To
Sri Tulsi Aich
S/o. Late Sakha Nath Aich
Prop. M/s. Bandhu Furniture & Timber
DVC More, G. T. Road (North)
Malanchapara P.O. Sripalli
P.S. & Dist. Burdwan 713103

Dear Sir,
In terms of order No. 19 (dc) dt. 15.12.09 delivered by Hon'ble High Court Calcutta on your Writ Petition no. 21374 (W) of 2009 Filed by you, we had sent our letter no. 133/ROK/REC/10 dt. 29.1.10, to you requesting you to be present at our office on 8.2.10 for personal hearing but you have refused to accept the said letter. We had given another opportunity to you for personal hearing on 12.2.10 but you again refused to accept the said letter. Hence as per the above order of Hon'ble High Court Calcutta we had passed reasoned order vide our Ref. no. 421/ROK/REC/10 dt. 19.3.10 in which we have rejected your representation. The said letter was sent to you which has been returned undelivered with the following remarks.
"Long days absent so returned to sender".
Now you are advised to collect the original cover addressed to you and returned by postal authorities from the Chief Manager, Syndicate Bank, Asset Recovery Management Branch, 6 N. S. Road, Kolkata-700001 for more and complete details within seven days from the date of this notice. This notice is without prejudice to Bank's right to proceed further under SARFAESI Act as well as under any other Law in force.
Yours faithfully,
CHIEF MANAGER / AUTHORISED OFFICER

How to get your job done!

Sabyasachi Bandopadhyay finds out how Netai Maity pleases people with goodies and gets his work done

IN HIS jhola he carries a big jar that contains goodies like toffes and morabba. And he distributes them generously among the people in the court to get his job done.

But Netai Maity, enquiring officer and Government representative to Calcutta High Court and Supreme Court, does not do this for his personal aggrandisement. Rather he keeps the people in the court in good humour so that government jobs are done without hassles.

At a time when finding out land for setting up industries has become an uphill task for the government it is because of the relentless work of this officer that the government has been able to retrieve 700 acres of land which were occupied by various people.

"Apart from that I have been able to trace 5000 acres of land and to retrieve them from illegal settlers I am fighting court battles," Maity, 59, who stays at Dum Dum, says. He also claims that he has been able to save Rs 33 crore for the government by retrieving government land.

An MA and LLB from Calcutta University, Maity joined the land and land reforms department in 1980 and gradually rose to the post of an enquiring officer.

"I have hardly taken any leave in the last 13 years when I am liasing on behalf of the state government with government pleaders and other advocates in the High Court and the Supreme Court," the officer who stays with his wife and son, an engineer, says.

It was Maity who retrieved land for the implementation of the Ganga Action Plan. "The government needed land for the plan but it was not getting it. I found out from the records that there was land vested with the government but it had encroachers on them. So I moved court and got the people removed," the officer said.

And the way he pleases people with goodies is appreciated by all. "It is a very simple method. He will go to a clerk and will give him Cadbury or some other toffe. The job is done fast," a colleague of Maity said.

And his job is lauded by all in his department. "In Writers' Buildings, notorious for bad work culture, Maity is an exception. Had he been a dishonest person he would have hit pay dirt. But he is honest to the core and strict. For him saving government money is a mantra and he maintains it meticulously," an official said.

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Notice U/S 13(2) of the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (SARFAESI ACT.)

All the borrowers/guarantors/co-obligates mentioned herein below are notified that loan availed by them as per detail given below have already become NPAs. The demand notices U/S 13(2) of the SARFAESI Act,2002 were sent to them through courier/registered post have been received / returned undelivered in the under noted case. We have indicated our intention to taking possession of securities owned by the title holders with brief details mentioned against the account as per section 13(4) of the Act, in case of their failure to pay the amount mentioned against their account within 60 days together with interest at the contracted rate of interest and any other incidental expenses/cost/charges incurred by the Bank.

Sl. No.	Name of A/c. Borrower & Guarantor	Description of the Property Mortgaged	(1) Date of Demand U/S 13(2) (2) Amount(s) as per demand notice
1.	M/s. Horticon Sales Corporation, 28/C, Pratapaditya Road, Kolkata - 700 026, Borrowers : Mr. Manabendra Ganguly, 15E, Khanpur Road, P. O. Naktala, Kolkata - 700 047 & Mrs. Chandrani Bhowmick, 380/1, P. A. Shah Road, Kolkata - 700 068. Guarantors : Mr. Sachindra Nath Roy, S/o. Late Khirod Chandra Roy, 21/6C, Gariahat Road, Ballygunge, Kolkata - 700 019, 24/8/1, Haridevpur Road, P.O. Haridevpur, Kolkata 700 082, & Mr. Dilpal Pande, 4/6, Chandilala Lane, Gokul Kunj, Kolkata - 700 040, 400, Pamasree Pally, Pamasree, P. O. - Behala, Kolkata - 700 060. Finance by our Camac Street Branch.	(a) Plot No. 82A, Gokul Kunj Scheme with premises belonging to Mr. Deepak Pande, Municipal Holding No. 4, Chandilala Lane, Comprised in Touzi No. 151, JL No. 42, Khatian No. 187, 151 and 155 with 158 Dag No. 280, 266, 279 under Mouza - Shilpur, P. S. Tollygunge. (b) 3 Cottah of Land with premises located at JL No. 18, Khatian No. 108, Dag No. 110, 724, Behala 24/6/6 Banamali Banerjee Road, Kolkata - 700 082 belonging to Shri Sachindra Nath Roy.	(1) 09.03.2010 (2) Rs. 31,46,295.00
2.	M/s. Shivam Export, Borrower : Smt. Kabita Rani Saha, Jessore Road, Udayrajpur (Oppo. Bengal Rubber Industries), P.O. - Madhyamgram, 24 Pargana (North), Kolkata - 700 129. Guarantor : Shri Nikhil Kanta Saha, Jessore Road, Udayrajpur (Oppo. Bengal Rubber Industries), P.O. - Madhyamgram, 24 Pargana (North), Kolkata - 700 129. Finance by our Camac Street Branch.	Equitable Mortgage of landed properties measuring 48 Cottahs 12 Chittaks 28 Sq.ft. in the name of Smt. Kabita Rani Saha and Shri Nikhil Kanta Saha, located over R. S. Dag No. 00 & 205, Khatian No. 132 & 239 L. R. Khatian No. 66 & 38, Nadi Bhag Holding No. 3 & 4, Mouza Nadi Bhag, Ward No. 11, Madhyamgram Municipality, P. S. - Barasat, Dist. - 24 Pargana (N), Kolkata 700 129, W.B.	(1) 18.01.2010 (2) Rs. 45,74,754.00
3.	M/s. Zeny Biotech Pvt. Ltd., 11, Esplanade East Row (1st Floor), Kolkata - 700 069, Borrowers : Shri Sanjay Kumar Jain, & Shri Pankaj Kumar Jain of 11, Esplanade East Row (1st Floor), Kolkata - 700 069. Guarantor : Shri Rajendra Kumar Jain & Smt. Sheela Devi Jain of 23, Jadu Nath Mitra Lane, Kolkata - 700 004. Finance by our Camac Street Branch.	(a) Equitable Mortgage of the properties comprising land measuring 37.58 Cottah at Dag No. 394, Mouza - Bantra, Domjur (W. B.). (b) Equitable Mortgage of building with land measuring 3 Cottah [illegible] at 23, Jadunath Mitra Lane, Kolkata - 700 004. (c) Factory of Zeny Biotech Pvt. Ltd. Adjacent to S. A. R. F. Sahabganj Road, Dinhata, Coochbehar.	(1) 30.06.2009 (2) Rs. 3,77,65,323.85
4.	M/s. Laxmi Tin Industries, Borrower : Shri Madhusudan Goel, 184, Mukta Ram Babu Street, Kolkata - 700 007. Guarantor : Shri Mukesh Kumar Goel, 189, Mukta Ram Babu Street, Kolkata 700 007. Finance by our Camac Street Branch.	1. Flat No. 1B/189 Mukta Ram Babu Street, 1st Floor, Kolkata - 700 007. [illegible] in the name of Madhusudan Goel 2. Flat No. 1A/189 Mukta Ram Babu Street, 1st Floor, Kolkata 700 007, measuring 356 sq ft. in the name of Madhusudan Goel 3. Land situated at Rajarhat, P.S. Rajarhat, Dist. 24 Pargana (North), J.L. No. 32, Touzi No. 173, Khatian No. 68, in the name of Madhusudan Goel. Area 3 Cottah 1 Chittak 4. Flat at Shivam Tower, Flat No. 31, measuring 821 sq.ft. Mouza Krishnapur, P. S. - Rajarhat, 24 Parganas (North) W. B. in the name of Mukhesh Kumar Goel	(1) 18.01.2010 (2) Rs. 85,257.00
5.	M/s. Swastik Engineering Co., 18, Canning Street, Kolkata - 700 001, Borrowers : Huzefa Mohammedi, S/o Mohammedi Khoeamwala & Smt. Zaitoonb Mohammed Ali, W/o. Md. Ali Ghonbon Ali of 66, Syed Amir Ali Avenue, Kolkata - 700 017. Guarantors : Smt. Jamuna Khoeamwala & Smt. Millka Siraj Bhai of 66, Syed Amir Ali Avenue, Kolkata - 700 017. Finance by our Camac Street Branch.	Plot No. 43 (28/8 sq ft.) Mouza Jagatpata, J. L. No. 3, R. S. No. 185, Touzi No. 1131, R. S. Khatian No. 10, R. S. Dag No. 9/85, P.S. - Sonarpur belonging to Mr. Huzefa Mohammedi Khoamwala Deed No. 4201. Plot No. 44 (2079 sq.ft.) Mouza Jagatpata, J. L. No. 3, R. S. No. 185, Touzi No. 1131, R. S. Khatian No. 10 of R. S. Dag No. 9/05, P. s. Sonarpur, Dist. - 24 Pargana (South) Deed No. 4245.	(1) 18.1.2010 (2) Rs. 21,89,649.00
6.	M/s. Amit Cycle Co., Prop & Borrower : Mr. Amit Kumar Dey, 537, M. G. Road, Budge Budge Chowrasta, Kolkata - 700 037. Guarantor : Mr. Suman Dey, S/o. Mr. Amit Kumar Dey, 537, M. G. Road, Budge Budge, Kolkata - 700 037. Finance by our Camac Street Branch.	1. Equitable Mortgage of the properties comprising Bastu Land measuring 2 Cottah 2 Chittak 11 Sq.ft. situated at Holding No. 537A, M. G. Road, Kolkata - 37, in Ward No. 2 of Budge Budge Municipality, R. S. Dag No. 850, R. S. Khatian No. 492, L. R. Khatian No. 1273 at Mouza Garbhakta Nandanpur, J.L. No. 8, R. S. No. 33, Touzi No. 350, Pargana Balia, P. S. & S.R.O. Budge Budge, Dist. 24 Pargana (South). 2. Equitable Mortgage Bastu land measuring 1 Cottah 6 Chittak equivalent 2.27 decimal in Budge Budge Municipality, Ward No. 2 Holding No. 103/0, [illegible] for proportionate share of common passage on the Western side running from South to North ultimately connected with the Netaji Subhas Road in total 1 Cottah 8 chittak 42 sq.ft. [illegible] at R. S. Dag No. 850 under R. S. Khatian No. 1372 at Mouza - Garbhakta Nandanpur, J.L. No. 8, R. S. No. 33, Touzi No. 353 Pargana Balia under P. S. & S. R. O. Budge Budge, Dist. -24 Pargana (South).	(1) 18.01.2010 (2) Rs. 50,26,000.00
7.	M/s. P. G. Enterprise, Borrower : Gautam Saha, Guarantor : Adhir Chandra Mondal. Finance by our Chetla Branch.	1. Mouza - Madhabpur, JL No. 75, Khatian No. 1035, 1036, Dag No. 1034, 1701, 1703, 1964, 1969, 1979. Area 144 Chatak, Title Deed No. I-3825 dt. 22.11.2005, Owner : Adhir Chandra Mondal, S/o. Lt. Panchanan Mondal, P. S. - Bhangore, Vill / PO - Madhabpur, Dist. - 24 Parganas (South). 2. Mouza - Madhabpur, JL No. 75, Khatian No. 234, Dag No. 1182, 1640, 1641, 1709, 1711, 1713, 1721, 1723 & 1829, Area 332 Chatak, Title Deed No. I 3660 dt. 06.12.1982 Owner - Adhir Chandra Mondal, S/o. Lt. Panchanan Mondal.	(1) 05.02.2010 (2) Rs. 8,73,648.00

Date : 11.04.2010, Place : Kolkata
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