Jagannath Hall Alumni Association of Canada

Jagannath Hall

The tragic accident of October 15, 1985

On October 15, 1985 twenty six JNH students and thirteen guests lost their lives when the roof of the Assembly Hall (South house) suddenly collapsed. These students and their guests were watching the television in the hall when all of a sudden the roof of the building caved in and took the lives of 39 promising young men and injured more than 400. The whole country of Bangladesh was in mourning at this tragedy. One Dhaka Bengali newspaper headline said- "Weep, our countrymen, weep for the loss of your kin".

In the October Memorial Building (South house), the following names have been inscribed on the wall:

STUDENTS

Ashim Kumar Sarkar Ashish Kumar Halder Santi Priya Chakma Gobinda Kumar Bhowmik Gopal Chandra Karmakar Ranjit Kumar Mridha Ranjit Kumar Roy Kartik Chandra Bala Shib Narayan Das Rashmni Kumar Barman **Bidhan Chandra Biswas** Mrinal Kanti Joydhar **Shyamal Sarkar** Protap Chandra Saha **Babul Kumar Ghosh** Niranjan Paul **Paritosh Kumar Mistry** Thakurdas Das Tapan Kumar Mondal **Tushar Kanti Das Atual Chandra Paul**

Anupam Saha

Uttam Kumar Roy Alok Kumar Karmakar Ashoke Kumar Saha Rabindra Nath Baroi, and

GUESTS

Gopal Chandra Sarkar
Gobinda Chandra Biswas
Tapan Paul
Tapan Sarkar
Niranjan Bhowmik
Nirmal Chandra Das
Pulin Roy
Binod Biswas
Md.A.Jobhas
Ratan Mali
Sukhdeb Sarkar
Shaishab Roy and
Sudhangshu Sil

The Jagannath Hall Alumni Association of Canada will continue to remember these departed souls with great affection and respect for ever.