

## Preface

In the Bargiraj Dynasty, Garhbeta was a small hamlet. As found in the history, this place became popular in the art and culture since 16th century. The river Silabati was a silent viewer of many ups and downs happened in Garhbeta. There are many evidences that occurred in British Rule of oppression and its strong opposition from the people of Garhbeta. To take a frontier role in the development of the nation, the people of Garhbeta established Garhbeta High School in 1888. It was a milestone on the way to spread education in the jangal area. The famous and well known leader in 'Quit India' movement Late Gobinda Kumar Singha envisaged to establish one higher educational institution at Garhbeta and he successfully did this noble work with the full support of the villagers as well as the Jamindar of this area. The auspicious day in which the 'Rarah Bangla' got the door to higher study was 13th August 1948. Garhbeta has a rich cultural heritage in its past. The bank of the holy river Silabati was the mother of many great sons like freedom fighter, educationist, big corporate owner etc.