

'Rich nations don't adopt structural adjustment'

Saifur blasts aid conditionalities

Finance Minister M Saifur Rahman Sunday said that effective governance and better utilisation of resources could only help deliver the expected result of the current structural adjustment programme...

It is out of the present state of moroseness. The Finance Minister said the structural adjustment policies were being implemented with the expectation that economic activities would be conducted in a competitive manner...

ever, resented the imposition of conditionalities by donors and multilateral agencies on the plea of structural adjustment. 'Too many conditions are to be fulfilled before any loan or grant is sanctioned'...

Bangladesh Institute of Bank Management (BIBM). Eminent economists, planners and senior officials will present papers on structural adjustment and its various aspects at the business sessions of the seminar.

Businesses moving billions of dollar out of China?

HONG KONG, Dec 15: Chinese companies and individuals, worried about the stability of the last great communist regime, are moving billions of dollar out of China...

economist at Business International, a Hong Kong consulting firm. Ways to move money have ranged from speaking it out in suitcases across the porous border with Hong Kong...

Green Revolution helped poor too: Study

Star Economic Report

Contradicting the contention of critics a recent study concluded that 'Green Revolution' had benefited both large and small farmers, including the landless poor. Earlier, critics blamed the 'Green Revolution' for widening the rich-poor inequality...

impact of the Revolution Hazell, who led the two-member team, said. 'It is imperative that the lessons from the Green Revolution be understood by agricultural researchers and policy makers.'

supply of workers declined faster and real wages increased 10-20 per cent. As a result, annual wage earnings almost doubled for small-scale farmers and landless farm labourers, he added.

'It makes sense that, if you don't have proper investment opportunities in China, of course you'd want to put your money in a high-yield account abroad,' said Anthony Chan, an



Mr Jamiruddin Sircar, Minister for Education delivering inaugural address, as chief guest, at a week-long international workshop titled Techno-Economic Feasibility of Food Irradiation in Dhaka December 8. Mr Salman F Rahman, Director, Gammatech Ltd and Deputy Chairman of Beximco, was present who delivered the address of welcome.

IBM may lose triple-A credit rating on bonds

NEW YORK, Dec 15: International Business Machines Corp (IBM), which plans to remake itself in a dramatic bid to regain profitability, is in danger of losing its coveted triple-A credit rating on its bonds.

Kremlin bank almost bankrupt

MOSCOW, Dec 15: The Kremlin bank that pays the Soviet foreign debt and holds the hard currency accounts of most Soviet companies is nearly bankrupt, Russian Economic Minister Yegor Gaidar said Saturday, reports AP.

foreign currency reserves and suspended withdrawals for several days. Since then, account holders have been limited to withdrawals of 5,000 dollar per week.

the earnings. The new Commonwealth of Independent States has pledged to coordinate the republics' economic policies and presumably would make the debt payments.

Bangladesh gets \$ 7 lakh export orders in fair

Bangladesh received export orders worth over 700,000 US dollar in Helsinki Trade Fair. Twelve Bangladesh manufacturers participated in the four-day trade fair held from December 2 in the capital of Finland.



Mr Abdul Awal Minto addressing at the fourth annual general meeting of Dulamia Cotton Spinning Mills. Present were (from left) M A Ali, Habibulla, Mafizul Haq, M A Awal and M A Hashem.

AGM of Dulamia Cotton Mills held

The fourth annual general meeting of Dulamia Cotton Spinning Mills Limited located at Dagonbhuiyan, Feni was held on Thursday at Chartered Accounts Bhawan, Kawran Bazar, Dhaka.

Exchange Rates table showing rates for various currencies like US Dollar, UK Pound, etc.

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Source: Aquamarine Limited.

Price Index and DSE Prices tables showing market data for December 15, 1991.

Hides & Skin table listing prices for various types of hides and skins.

Gold & Silver table listing prices for gold and silver.

Raw Jute table listing prices for various grades of raw jute.

Pharmaceuticals table listing prices for various pharmaceutical products.

Paper & Printing table listing prices for various paper and printing products.

Textile table listing prices for various textile products.

Miscellaneous table listing prices for various miscellaneous goods.

Debitures table listing prices for various debitures.

Note: PV = Face Value, ML = Market Lot, NT = Not Traded, AL = Allotment Letter