

DHL Manager
due in city
Sept 14

Alec Ang, Area Manager, South Asia and Indo-China of DHL Worldwide Express will arrive Dhaka on September 14 for a four day visit to Bangladesh to handover a Ambulance to the Prime Minister's relief fund and also to oversee DHL operations in Bangladesh. He will be accompanied by Charles Chia, Regional Sales Development Manager of DHL Worldwide Express.

Moderate rise in share trading

Star Economic Report

The week began at Dhaka Stock Exchange (DSE) with a moderate rise in trading Saturday.

In all 12,147 shares and debentures changed hands compared with Thursday's 8,963. Traded issues valued Taka 5,47,645.50 against Thursday's Taka 2,75,600.50.

Advancers were more in number. But decliners involved more transactions. As a result DSE All Share Price Index declined to 299.0070 points from Thursday's 299.1961. Index is the broad indicator of price movements of all the listed stocks.

Transactions involved twenty-nine stocks. Of them seven lost thirteen gained and nine remained unchanged at their previous quoted prices.

Bengal Food and Pharma Aids declined Taka 4.74 and Taka 3.33 to Taka 140.26 and Taka 161.67 respectively.

Howlader PVC, Karim Pipe, Oxygen, Petro Synthetic and Bata Shoe lost within the range between Taka 0.10 and Taka 1.00.

Beximco Pharma, the lone traded debenture advanced Taka 0.75 to Taka 1600.00.

Usmania Glass gained Taka 5.31 to Taka 149.68.

Progressive Plastic and 2nd ICB Mutual Fund moved up Taka 5.00 each to Taka 45.00 and Taka 155.00.

National Bank and G9 ball pen gained Taka 3.87 and Taka 2.50 to Taka 115.91 and Taka 55.00.

BGIC Insurance, Eastern Cables, Rahman Chemicals, Eagle Box, Satham Textile, Taliu Spinning and Savar Refractories advanced within the range between Taka 0.09 and Taka 2.00.

Iraq needs \$1.7b to avert catastrophe

NEW YORK (United Nations) Sept 7: Iraq needs 1.7 billion Dollars quickly to avert a nutritional and public health catastrophe for its war-ravaged population, according to a UN report leaked Thursday, says AFP.

The report supports the idea of increasing the amount of oil Iraq is to be allowed to sell in order to buy food, medicines and other essential goods.

UN Security Council resolution 706, passed August 15, authorizes Baghdad to sell up to 1.6 billion Dollars worth of petroleum over six months.

UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar reportedly favours boosting that figure to 2.4 billion Dollars because a sizeable chunk of Iraq's remuneration would be siphoned away for Gulf War reparations and other purposes.

The present food, health and nutrition situation in Iraq is critical says the report by Prince Saddruddin Aga Khan, the UN Envoy for Humanitarian Relief Efforts in Iraq and Kuwait.

The report, dated August 28, echoes the dire tone of a study the Prince presented in early summer on the situation in Iraq in the wake of the Gulf War.

Dhaka Stock Exchange

Market Profile

September — 7

135 Listed Stocks

13 Gains
7 losers
115 Unchanged

115 Unchanged stocks include nine traded on the day at its previous quoted prices.

DSE All Share Price Index = 299.0070
Issued Capital=Taka 5,439,680,590
Market Capitalisation = 8,544,203,407
Turnover = Taka 5,47,645.50 (Value) 12,147 (Volume).

Market Prices of Listed Shares and Debentures with Dhaka Stock Exchange

At the close of trading on September 7, 1991.

Company	EV/ML	Closing Rate	Gawaria Jute	10/50	NT
AL Baraka Bank	1000/1	800.00	Islam Jute	100/5	70.00
AB Bank	100/5	180.00	Jute Spinner	100/5	100.00
City Bank	100/5	290.00	Northern Jute	100/5	NT
IFC.I.C	100/5	177.00	Shamer Jute	100/5	100.00
Islamit Bank	1000/1	1190.00	Specialised Jute	10/50	NT
National Bank	100/5	115.91	Shine Pukur Jute	100/5	100.00
Pubali Bank	100/5	90.00	Sonali Aman	100/5	96.00
Rupali Bank	100/10	79.00	Amber Pharma	10/50	14.70
U.C.B.L	100/5	121.00	Bangla Process	100/5	57.00
Uttara Bank	100/5	195.00	Beximco Pharma	100/5	177.00
ICB	100/5	90.00	Glaxo	10/50	166.30
1st ICB M.Fund	100/5	390.00	I C I	10/50	10.00
2nd ICB Fund	100/5	155.00	Kohinoor Chemical	100/5	80.55
3rd ICB M. Fund	100/5	132.00	Petro Synthetic	10/50	16.00
4th ICB M. Fund	100/10	127.75	Pfizer	100/5	110.00
5th ICB M. Fund	100/10	104.00	Pharma Aids	100/5	161.67
6th ICB M. Fund	100/10	73.00	Pharmaco	100/5	53.00
ICB Unit Cert.	100/10	115.00	Progressive Plastic	10/5	45.00
Sales Price			Reckitt & Colman	10/50	240.00
Re-purchase			Rahman Chemicals	100/10	49.00AL
INSURANCE (Four)			Therapeutics	100/5	40.00
BCIC	100/10	109.00XD	The Ibratina	100/10	90.00
Green Delta	100/10	116.00	Eagle Box	10/50	15.00
Peoples	100/10	127.50AL	Monospool	100/5	105.00
United	100/10	123.50	Paper Converting	100/5	113.00
ENGINEERING (Nineteen)			Paper Processing	100/10	106.00
Alfab Automobiles	100/5	208.00	Padma Printers	10/50	50.00
Atlas Bangladesh	10/50	41.40	Sonali Paper	10/50	54.00
Atta Pipes	100/5	250.00	SERVICE (Two)		
Bangladesh Autocars	100/5	102.00	Bangladesh Hotel	10/50	12.00
Bangladesh Lamps	105/5	265.00	Bd. Service	10/50	NT
B.Thai Alumilum	100/10	92.50	TEXTILE (Eighteen)		
Bengal Carbide	100/5	250.00	Alhaj Textile	10/50	NT
Bengal Steel	100/5	18.00	Arbee Textile	100/10	NT
Eastern Cables	100/5	83.00	Ashraf Textile	10/50	30.00
Karim Pipe	100/10	103.25	Chand Textile	10/50	NT
Metalex Corp.	100/5	125.50	Chand Spinning	10/50	NT
Monno Stalffers	100/5	109.67	Desh Garments	100/10	65.00
Monno Jute	100/5	200.00	Dulamia Cotton	100/10	100.10
National Tubes	100/10	109.00	Eagle Star	10/50	37.50
Panther Steel	10/50	6.00	GMG Ind. Corp.	10/50	13.00
Quasem Drycells	10/50	8.10	Modern Dying	100/5	38.00
Renwick Jute	100/5	71.00	Quasem Silk	10/50	6.10
Singer Bangladesh	100/5	1000.00	Quasem Textile	10/50	8.00
FOOD & ALLIED (Twenty one)			Rahim Textile	100/5	52.00
A.B Biscuit	100/5	190.00	Satham Textile	100/10	78.50
Alpha Tobacco	10/50	48.00	S.T.M. (ORD)	100/5	17.00
Aman Sea Food	100/5	36.00	Stylecraft	100/5	100.00
ApeX Food	100/5	340.00	Swan Textile	100/5	60.00
Aroma Tea	100/5	85.00	Talui Spinning	100/10	117.00
Banges	100/5	305.00	MISSCELLANEOUS (Fourteen)		
Bengal Food	100/5	140.26	ApeX Tannery	100/5	162.00
B.L.T.C.	100/5	600.00	Aramit	10/50	NT
B.T.C.	100/5	42.00	Bata Shoe	10/100	38.00
Cig. Vegetable	100/10	100.00	Bextinco	10/100	9.30
Dhaka Vegetable	100/5	143.00	BSC	100/5	45.00
E.L. Camellia	100/5	700.00	Chittagong Cement	100/5	172.00
Frogleg Export	10/50	4.50	G. G. Ball Pen	10/50	55.00
Gemini Sea Food	100/15	100.00	Himadri Ltd.	10/100	NT
Modern Industries	100/5	160.00	Milon Tannery	100/5	31.00
N.T.C.	100/5	280.00	Monno Ceramic	100/5	146.00
Rubya Flour	10/100	NT	Pheonix Leather	100/5	90.00
Rugen Oil	10/100	6.15	Savar Refractories	100/5	132.00
Tulip Deter.	100/10	94.00	The Engineers	100/5	100.00
Yousef Flour	10/50	NT	Ummara Glass	100/5	149.68
Zeal Bangla Sugar	10/50	8.25	DEBENTURES (Four)		
FUEL & POWER (Three)			ApeX Tannery	1000/1	1020.50
Padma Oil Co.	10/50	40.00	Tejabil	(17% 1992)	900.00
Eastern Lubricant	10/50	14.00	Bengal Food	(18.5% 1992)	2500/1
Oxygen	10/50	54.00	Bextinco		2600.00
JUTE (Twelve)			Bextinco		1571/1
Ahad Jute	100/10	NT	Bextinco		1599.25
Adnara Jute	10/50	NT			
Delta Jute	10/50	8.50			

★ ★ FV = Face Value ML= Market Lot NT= Not Traded, AL=Allotment Letter

Source: Department of Agricultural Marketing

Hides & Skin

(Wet/Salted)

September — 7

(Taka per 100 pieces)

Cow	11,000.00	—	27,000.00
Calf	47,000.00	—	52,000.00
Medium	57,000.00	—	62,000.00
Heavy	67,000.00	—	72,000.00
Very heavy	77,000.00	—	82,000.00
Rejected	22,000.00	—	25,000.00
Goat			
Big & heavy	8,400.00	—	9,800.00
Light &			
Medium	6,000.00	—	7,300.00
Rejected	3,000.00	—	3,500.00
Sheep	7,800.00	—	8,200.00
Buffalo	55,000.00		