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Rajshahi silk industrial estate awaits final approval

The government has not vet given final approval to the stlk industrial estate in Rajshahi under the Bangladesh Small and Cottage Industries Cor-

poration (BSCIC). The estate will be established at Banogram area under ward number 18 in Rajshahi City Corporation.

The decision to set up a silk industrial estate in Rajshahi was taken at a cabinet meeting at Uttara Gono Bhaban in Natore in October 1992. After the decision, the Ministry of

Nazrul Islam new

KCCI president

Islam has been declared elec-

ted as the president of Khulna

Chamber of Commerce and

Industries for the year 1994-

95 following the withdrawal of

three other candidates for the

chamber said that Golam Kib-

ria and Prof Ali Reza Babu we

sident respectively of the

chamber following the with-

drawal of their rival candi-

"China must open

up markets more

to join GATT"

must open up its markets

more if it wants to re-enter

the General Agreement on

Tariffs and Trade (GATT), Eu-

ropean Trade Commissioner

Sir Leon Brittan s - on Tues-

However the gap between

what China is promising and

what it must do to gain re-en-

try can be bridged, he told

Brittan welcomed assur-

ances by China's Trade Minis-

ter. Wu Yi, on Monday that

Beijing would be more flexible

in the final negotiations to re-

the World Trade Organisation

(WTO) on January 1, and China

is fighting hard to gain found-

ing membership before then to

give it influence in setting the

mass of market-opening mea-

sures necessary for member-

ship of WTO to be 'credible;

and we think this has not yet

been attained by what has so

far been offered (by China),"

"We think there is a critical

agenda for the new body.

GATT will be replaced by

Reuters in an interviews.

enter GATT.

Brittan said.

SHANGHAI, Nov 9: China

also declared elected as se

vice-president and vice-

A press release of the

post, reports BSS.

KHULNA, Nov 9: S M Nazrul

By Staff Correspondent

Industries ordered the BSCIC to make a preliminary study for setting up the estate. BSCIC sources said, " We

have completed primary work to establish the estate but the government is yet to approve the project." Now the proposal is under consideration of the . Planning Commission for ap-

The estimated cost of the project is Taka 8 crore 40 lakh... Under it, 75 plots would be made on about 30 acres of

About 2,500 people are likely to get employment in the estate after implementation of the project.

The project, after the appreval of the Planning Ministry, is expected to be completed in four years.

The main objective of the silk estate is to house all the existing silk cottage industries into one area for providing them infrastructural help.

The money estimated will be spent only for providing infrastructural facilities.

Bangladesh and Malaysia signed a memorandum of understanding for bilateral air services agreement at Biman Bhaban on Tuesday. Secretary, Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism, Neoruddin Almasood and Secretary-General, Ministry of Transport of Malaysia, Wan Awang hin Wan Yaacub signed the MOU on behalf of their respective governments. .

Pakistan bans import of gold by individuals

Pakistaní government yester- proved what it called a comday banned the import of gold by individuals in a new policy that allows bullion import only by registered importers against their own foreign exchange resources, reports Reuter.

A government policy since August 1993 had allowed Pakistanis to import any amount of gold as accompanied baggage on payment of a 2 per cent duty but it led to complaints of smuggling.

A government statement said the economic coordination committee (ECC) of the cabinet decided that no import of gold and silver would be allowed outside the new scheme it approved at Monday's meet-

We have banned the import of gold under the accompanied baggage scheme because the government was losing huge taxes." Commerce Minister Ahmad Mukhtar said.

No horeign exchange would be allocated by the government for the import of bullion," a government statement said

ISLAMABAD, Nov 9: The after the ECC meeting apprehensive, scheme to stream line the import of gold and sil-

> The commerce ministry will announce details later, it

Mukhtar said only 10 comparfies would be issued li-

There will also be some income tax which will be de-

The ECC was of the opinion Mukhtar said.

Asian stock markets India re-elected

Tokyo's 225-issue Nikkei Stock Average lost 185.14 points, or 0.94 per cent, closing at 19.423.88, the lowest since a 19,122.22-point close on April 4. The Tokyo Stock Price Index of all issues listed on the first section dropped 16.99 points, or 1.10 per cent,

Players rushed to minimize losses, traders said. The market has suffered from the yen's recent appreciation against the dollar

The dollar closed Wednesday at 97.24 yen, up 0.01 yen from Tuesday's Tokyo close. The dollar moved little "because the market had expected Republican gains," said Toshihiko Tabuchi, an analyst with Sakura Bank.

In the long run, however, Republican gains may push down the dollar because of the US government's fiscal deficit

In Hong Kong, share prices closed slightly lower in quiet trading as investors worried that US interest rates might

The Hang Seng Index, the market's key indicator of blue chips, slipped 10.61 points, or 0.1 per cent, to 9.405.48, giving the index an accumulated loss of 1.3 per cent so far this week.

US election results did not have a significant impact on the market, traders said. But Allen Cheng, a broker from PrimeEast Securities (HK) Ltd. said investors used interest rate fears and the elections to stay out of the market. Elsewhere in Asia:

WELLINGTON: New Zealand share prices 'dropped moderately in quiet trading, mainly due to weakness in a couple of leading forestry-related issues. The NZSE-40 capital index lost 10.46 points to 2,075.17.

TAIPEI: The main index gained 1.6 per cent in moderate trading, boosted by an improving economy and hopes that the ruling Nationalists will support the market ahead of elections in December. The weighted price index rose 101.79 points to 6,449.99.

MANILA: Share prices were almost unchanged in featureless trading as bargain-hunting in the early hours of trading fizzled out: Traders said peso volatility against the dollar kept most investors at bay. The Philippines' unified composite index of 43 selected issues climbed 3.37 points to 3.009.88

SYDNEY: Shares prices climbed, buoyed by strong gains in mining stocks and a recovery in US share prices Tuesday. The All Ordinaries index of share prices rose 15.3 points to 1,982.6.

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INSURANCE (6)

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United Insurance

Janata Insurance

Aftab Automobiles

Atlas Bangladesh

Bangladesh Autocars

Bangladesh Lamps

B. Thai Aluminium

Bengal Carbide

Bengal Steel

Eastern Cables

Howlader PVC

Metalex Corp.

Monno Jutex National Tubes

Panther Steel

Bengal Biscuits

Alpha Tobacco

Amam Sea Food

Quasem Drycells

Renwick Jajneswar

Singer Bangladesh

FOOD & ALLIED (25)

Monno Stafflers

Karim Pipe

Aziz Pipe

ENGINEERING (19)

Sale Price

SEOUL: Shares ended mixed, correcting after four straight days of gains. The Korea Composite Stock Price Index shed 0.36 points to

1,138.39. SINGAPORE: Share prices ended higher on late afternoon buving. But volume was low due to lingering caution about US interest rates. The 30-share Straits Times Industrials Index increased 17.39 points to 2,344.40.

KUALA LUMPUR: Shares on the Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange drifted lower, in thin, uninterested dealings. The KLSE Composite Index, which is biased toward large capitalized companies, fell 6.45 points to 1,051.51.

JAKARTA: The stock exchange's Composite Index slipped 0.680 points, closing at 515.123.

close mixed HONG KONG. Nov 9: Asian party's policy calling for tax stock markets closed generally cuts that would aggravate the

mixed Wednesday, with the Tokyo market's key index falling to a seven-month low. reports AP.

to 1,533.28,

Dhaka Stock Prices

At the close of tridding on November 9, 1994

Losers dominate floor

Star Report

Losers dominated the floor of the Dhaka Stock Exchange (DSE) on Wednesday.

The number of issues traded tell to 80 from 91, in which 26 gained. 43 incurred losses and the share prices of 11 issues remained

Singer Bangladesh incurred a loss of Taka 20.00 per share. leading the losers in terms of value. Apex Foods and Beximco

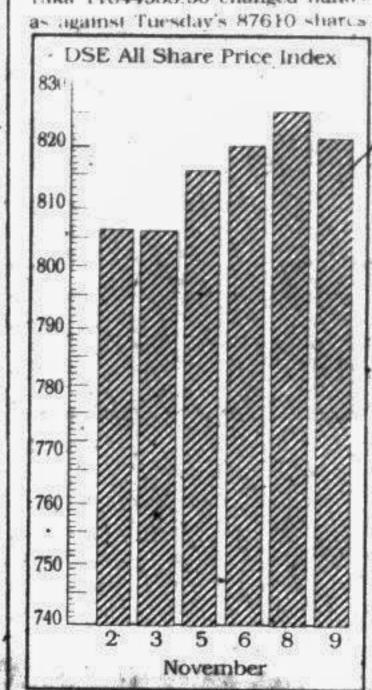
Knitting (Deb) experienced significant gains. Rupon Oil became the top

volume leader. Its 12700 shares were traded. 'Other volume*leaders of the day were: Beximco Ltd (10100).

Quasem Drycells (3350), Dynamic Textile(3520). ACI Ltd (2300) Beximco Synthetic (2500). Bata Shoe (6720) and Eastern Housing (6840) The turnover in volume on the

DSE fell by 8.99 per cent while the turnover in value showed a rise of 6.79 per cent. A total of 79734 shares worth

Taka 11844533.50 changed hands



valued at Taka 11091589.50. The DSE All Share Price Index

dropped to 821.33701 from 825 43223, indicating a decline of 4.10 points.

Trading at a glance

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	Bengal Carbide	0. [[[G]	469
	Karim Pipe	1.67(G)	1267
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	Booton Pisheries	1 26(L)	540
	Baugladesh Oxygen	6 670)	1760
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	Northern Jute Ashraf Textile	0.49(L)	1550
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ř.	Padma Textile Apex Spinning	4.50(L)	80
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	Dynamic Textile Mithur Corporation	0.47(G)	1800
	Mita Textiles Bangla Process	0.00	100
	Beximeo Phaema	2.86[1]	235
	ACI Limited	0.14(G)	2300
	Petro Synthetic Pharmaco	0 30EL)	1250
	Reckitt and Colman	0.00	50
	Therapeutics Pharma Aids	9.426	50
	Kohinoor Chemical Ibn Sina	0.80(G)	1410
	Rahman Chemicals	4.00(L)	100
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	Libra Pharma Mala Chemical	13.87[1]	260
	, Eagle Box	0.00	150
	Monospool Paper Paper Processing	1.46(L)	940
	Apex Tannery Bata Shoe	11.70(1)	2095 6720
	GQ Ball Pen	3.70(L)	175
	Monno Ceramic Usmanja Glass	0.63(G)	105
	Savar Refractories Milon Tanneries	4.00(L)	370
52	Beximco Ltd	3.04(L)	10100
	Chittagong Cement Apex Footwear	5.78(1)	290
	Eastern Housing	0.36(L)	6840
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Bangladesh Hotel

MISCELLANEOUS (20) Apex Footwear

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Apex Food 100/5 1100.00 B.D. Plantation 100/5 Bengal Food 10/50 Ctg. Vegetables 100/10 Dhaka Vegetables 10075 E.L. Camellia Froglegs Export 10/50 Gemini Sea Food 100/5 Hill Plantation Modern Industries 100/52 Rabeya Flour Rupon Oil 10/100 **Tulip Dairy** 100/10 Yousuf Flour 10/50 Zeal Bangla Sugar

BD Oxygen Eastern Lubricant

Quasem Textile Rahim Textile

180 Days

FUEL & POWER (4)

Eagle Star Textile 10/50 GMG Ind. Corp. 10/50 Modern Dyeing 100/5 Padma Textile 100/20 475.00 Quasem Silk 10/100

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190.00 500.00 700.00 178.92 127.70 100/5 1700.00 74.00 300.00 8.19 Shamser Jute Specialised Jute 15.00 Shine Pukur Jute 10/50 8.40

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Note: FV = Face Value ML= Market Lot NT= Not Traded AL = Allotment Letter G=Gain L=Loss

DEBENTURES (7) Beximco (17%) Beximco Infusion (17%) Beximco Pharma Beximeo Synthetic Beximeo Fisheries Beximeo Knitting

Malaysia suffers \$259.3 m trade deficit

KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 9 Malaysia suffered a trade deficit of 648.2 million ringgit (259.3 million dollars) in August from a surplus the previous month, a government agency said yesterday, reports

With the shortfall, Malaysia's cumulative trade deficit in the first eight months of the year totalled 1.3 billion ringgit (520 million dollars) compared with a surplus of four billion ringgit in the same period of last year.

গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার

অধ্যক্ষের কার্যালয় রাজশাহী মেডিক্যাল কলেজ

দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি বাজশাহী মেডিক্যাল কলেজের ১৯৯৪-৯৫ আর্থিক বৎসরের খেলাধুলা

সামণী সরবরাহের নিমিত্তে খেলাধুলা সামগ্রী দোকানদার এবং ীকাদার দেব নিকট হইতে দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাইতেছে। দরপত্র অগ্নামী ২৩-১১-৯৪ইং তারিখ বেলা ১১.০০ টা পর্যন্ত নিম্নস্বাক্ষরকারীর ^{*}মফিসে, সোনালী ব্যাংক, প্রধান শাখা সাহেব বাজার, রাজশাহী, সোনালী ■ বাংক, বাজশাহী মেডিকালে কলেজ হাসপাতাল শাখা, রাজশাহীতে এবং ব্রজিষ্টি ডাক্যোগেও নিম্নস্বাক্ষরকারীর অফিস ঠিকানায় উল্লেখিত তারিখ ও সময়ের মধ্যে গৃহীত হইবে। খেলাধুলা সামগ্রীর এবং দরপত্রের নিয়মাবলী অত্র অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ে ২২-১১-৯৪ইং তারিখ বেলা ১.০০ টা পূর্যন্ত অফেরতযোগ্য ২০০/- (দুইশত) টাকা মূল্যে পাওয়া। যাইবে অধ্যক্ষ

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BCIC **Tender Notice**

রাজশাহী মেডিক্যাল কলেজ

Tender Enquiry No. KNM/Pulp Mill/Green Jute/Temporary Labour/94-95

Khulna Newsprint Mills Ltd, Town Khalishpur, Khulna invites sealed tender for appointing contractor for supplying temporary labours required for green jute pulping project. This tender will be received in the office of the undersigned up to 26-11-94 at 3-30 PM and will be opened on the same date and time in presence of tenderers (if any). Tender documents will be available on payment of Tk 50/= (Fifty) (non-refundable) per set from (1) KNM Ltd, Khulna (2) Accounts Division, BCIC, BCIC Bhaban, 30-31, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka (3) BCIC Branch Office, 6, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong. No tender documents will be sold on the date of opening. .

BCIC 1145-31/10 DFP-9234-3/11 G-1754

Md Shah Alam Addl Chief Operation Manager Pulp Mill for Managing Director

"Nationalised commercial

banks would receive the consignments on behalf of registered importers and release them after collecting the import duty at the rate of 1.4 dollar per tola (11.66 grammes) on gold and 2 dollar per kg in case of silver, the official statement said.

cences to import bullion and that his ministry would soon lay down qualifications for their registration.

ducted at source," he said. that the government was losing earnings in the shape of the gold import by individuals.

to ECOSOC UNITED NATIONS, Nov 9:

India has been re-elected to the 54-member Economic and Social Council (ECQSOC) for another three-year term beginning January one next by the UN General Assembly, reports PTI.

India, which was elected to the Council for the ninth time, polled 129 of the 173 votes

cast. . Also elected from the Asian group were Malaysia which polled the highest votes 148, Thailand (125), and Philippines.

Observer said that India's active role in the council during current term and its emphasis on agenda for development getting precedence over or at least equal stress as the agenda for peace went in favour of New Delhi.

While India, Malaysia and

ECONOMIC COOPERATION

Thailand are elected in the

first ballot, the Philippines and

Fiji fought it out till the third ballot when the former was declared elected. Syria (44). Iran (14), and Bangladesh (13) were defeated

in the election held Tuesday. ASIA PACIFIC

THE FOURTH SENIOR OFFICIALS MEETING



Senior Indonesian diplomat Wisber Loeis (C) opens the fourth senior officials meeting of the Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) at the Jakarta Convention Centre on Tuesday. The meeting is a prelude to next week's leaders meeting in nearby Bogor.

তারিখঃ ০৩-১১-৯৪ইং/১৯-০৭-১৪০১্বা

গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার

পরিকল্পনা কমিশন সাধারণ অর্থনীতি বিভাগ কর্মসংস্থান নীতি পরিকল্পনা ইউনিট

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দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি পরিকল্পনা কমিশনের সাধারণ অর্থনীতি বিভাগের কর্মসংস্থান নীতি পরিকল্পনা ইউনিট প্রকল্পের জন্য একটি মাইক্রো কম্পিউটার ও একটি প্রিন্টারসহ সংশ্লিষ্ট মেশিন সরঞ্জামাদি ক্রয়ের নিমিত্তে প্রকৃত সরবরাহকারী

প্রতিষ্ঠানের নিকট হইতে সীলমোহরকৃত দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাইতেছে। প্রয়োজনীয় শর্তাবলী সম্থলিত সিঙিউল অফিস চলাকালীন সময় সকাল ১০.০০টা হইতে দুপুর ১২.০০ ঘটিকার মধ্যে ১২-১১-৯৪ইং তারিখ হইতে ১৭-১১-৯৪ইং পর্যন্ত যে কোন দিন অত্র কার্যালয় (ব্লক নং-৩, কক্ষ নং-৭) হইতে সংগ্রহ করা যাইবে।

দর্পত্র নিম্নসাক্ষরকারীর অফিসে ২৪-১১-৯৪ইং বৃহস্পতিবার ১২.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত গ্রহণ করা হইবে এবং একই দিন বেলা ১২.৩০ ঘটিকায় দরপত্র দরদাতাদের সম্মুখে (যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন) খোলা হইবে। দর কথায় এবং সংখ্যায় লিখিতে হইবে এবং কোন ঘষা মাজা/কাটাকাটি চলিবেনা। বৈধ টেড লাইসেন, এই ধরনের সরঞ্জামাদি সরবরাহের ক্ষেত্রে সরবরাহকারীর বিশ্বাসযোগ্যতা (Credibility) এর সার্টিফিকেট, ব্যাংক স্বচ্ছলতা সার্টিফিকেট এবং দরপত্রের সঙ্গে মোট উল্লিখিত মূল্যের ২% জামানত (ফেরতযোগ্য) পে-অর্ডার অথবা ব্যাংক ডাফট এর মাধামে "প্রকল্প পরিচালক, কর্মসংস্থান নীতি পরিকল্পনা ইউনিট, পরিকল্পনা কমিশন" এর বরাবরে জমা দিতে হইবে। কার্যাদেশ প্রাপ্তির ১৫ (পনর) দিনের মধ্যে যন্ত্রপাতি সরবরাহ ও সংশ্লিষ্ট কার্যাদি সন্তোষজনকভাবে সম্পন্ন করিতে হইবে।

যন্ত্রপাতি সরবরাহ ও এতদসংক্রান্ত কার্যাদি নির্ধারিত সময়ে সন্তোষজনকভাবে সম্পন্ন করিবার পর এর মৃল্য পরিশোধ বাবদ বিল প্রধান হিসাব রক্ষণ কর্মকর্তা, বেসামরিক সচিবালয়, ঢাকা অফিস হইতে সংগ্রহ করিতে হইবে। কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকে কর্তৃপক্ষ যে কোন দরপত্র আংশিক কিংবা সম্পূর্ণভাবে গ্রহণ অথবা বাতিল করিবার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করেন প্রকল্প পরিচালক

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US dollar up in Tokyo

TOKYO, Nov 9: The US dollar edged higher against the Japanese yen Wednesday as the market assessed results of

The dollar closed at 97.24 ven. up 0.01 yen from Tues-

After opening at 97.91 yen, the dollar ranged between 96.83 yen and 97.37 yen.

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day's Tokyo close and also above its overnight New York close of 97.13 yen.

Currency	Selling			Buying		
	TT & OD	ВС	TT Clean	OD	OI. Transfe	
US Dollar	40.3825	40.4145	40.1000	40.0355	39.8720	
GBP	65.7914	65.8435	64.3362	64.2327	63.9704	
DM	27.0718	27.0932	26.3413	26.2989	26.1915	

B) Usance Rate:

38.3295 C) US Dollar sight bill 3 months forward purchase: Tk. 40.0355 D) US Dollar sight bill 3 months forward sale: Tk. 40.6145 **Indicative Rates** Selling Currency T.T. & O.D.

S Riyal 10.7672 10.6297 10.8554 UAE Dirham 10.9959 133.5298 Kuwaiti Dinar 135.5800 D Guilders 23.9091 23.5999 5.5493 5.4735 S Krona 15.7985 15.5957 Malaysian Ringgit 27.5743 27.2071 Singapore Dollar

Exchange Rates

Following are the Sonali Bank's dealing rates to public for some selected foreign currencies effective as on November 9. (Figures in Taka)

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	TT & OD	BC	TT Clean	OD Sight	Transi
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F Franc	7.8829	7.8892	7.6698	7.6575	7.62
C Dollar	30.0784	30.1022	29.2550	29.2079	29.08
S Franc	32.3829	32.4086	31.4946	31.4440	31.31
Jap Yen	0.4230	0.4233	0.4072	0.4065	0.40
Indian Rupee	1.2919	1.3016	1.2701	1.2510	20042903080
Pak Rupee	1.3210	1.3309	1.2988	1.2793	
Iranian Riyal	0.0233	0.0235,	0.0229	0.0226	

120 Days 30 Days 90 Days 39.4656 39.1816

Buying O. D. Transfer