

Dhaka Stock Prices

At the close of trading on Mar 9, '98

Unabated fall in index continues

Unabated downfall in the price index of Dhaka Stock Exchange continued as the key indicator marked a further fall today, reports UNB.

The All Share Price Index dropped by 10.54 points or 1.64 per cent to 630.47 points from Sunday's 641.01 points.

Some 490,769 shares and debentures worth Tk 5.15 crore were traded as against 372,289 shares valued at Tk 3.75 crore on Sunday.

Shares of some 138 listed securities were transacted, of which 34 gained, 101 incurred loss and three remained unchanged.

Prime Textile (100,650), Beximco Pharma (57,925), Quasem Drycells (50,100), Rose Heaven Ball Pen (43,000) and Chic Tex Ltd (31,500) were among the volume leaders.

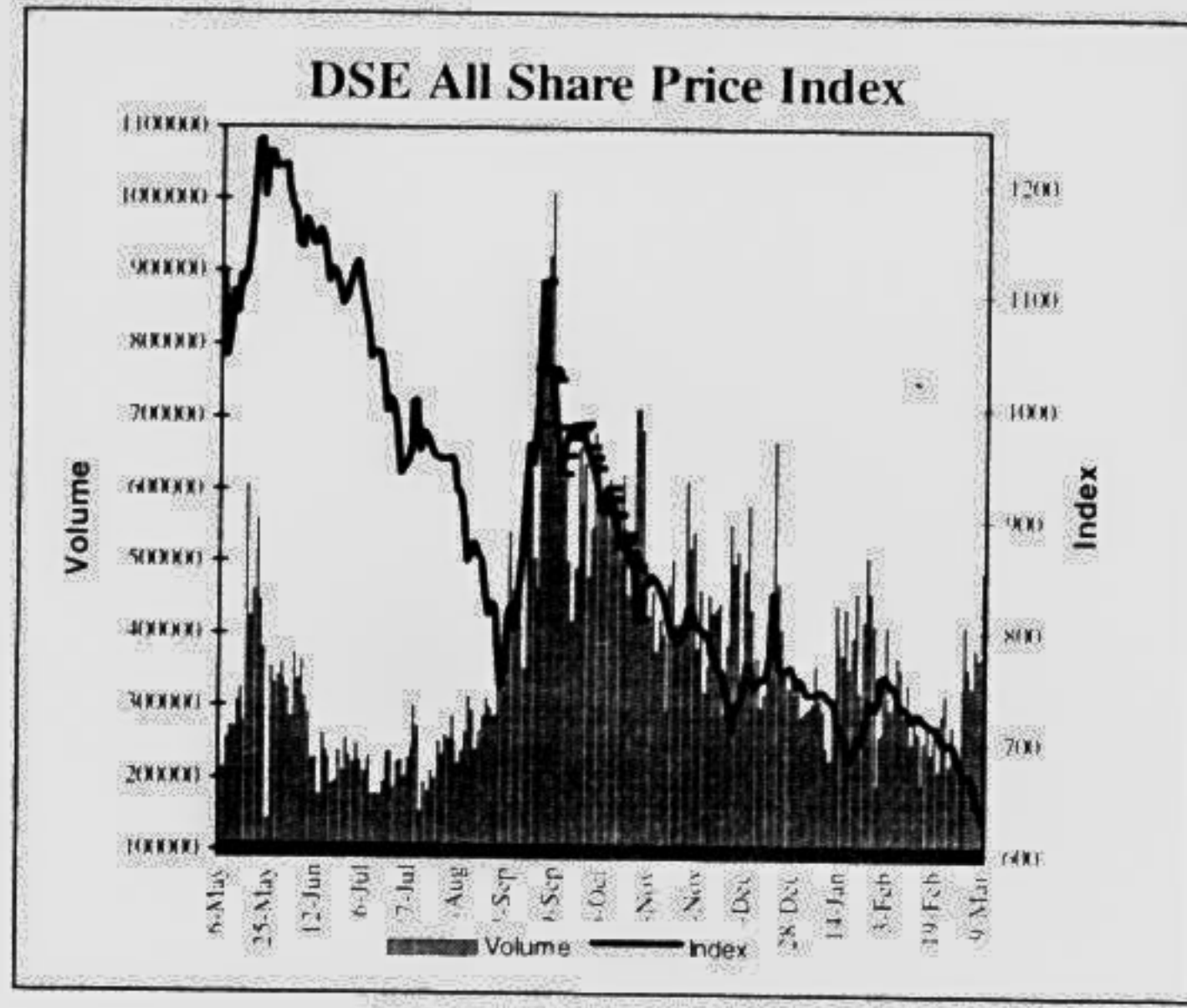
There was no significant gainers of the day.

Singer Bangladesh (-Tk 91.53), Monno Jute Industries (-Tk 90), United Lexing (-Tk 85.00), Green Delta Insurance (-Tk 60.00) and First ICB Mutual Fund (-Tk 38.00) were among the major losers.

Market capitalisation stood at Tk 56.42 billion equivalent to 1.21 billion US dollars as against 57.36 billion equivalent to 1.24 billion US dollar on Sunday.

DSE at a glance

DSE Price Index	630.48 (-1.64%)
Market Capital Tk	5642.24cr
Transaction in Volume	490769
Transaction in Value Tk	5.16cr
Total Issues Traded	138
Issues Gained	34
Issues Incurred Loss	101
Issues Unchanged	3



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Monday's trading performance

Company Name	Avg Rate	Prv Rate	Change	Shares Traded
8th ICB MF	159.50	170.00	-10.50	50
Quasem Drycells	18.28	18.68	-0.40	34100
Aftab Auto	192.56	198.50	-5.94	125
Olympic Industries	204.86	203.30	+1.56	1040
Bengal Biscuit	87.74	92.70	-4.96	620
Cig Vegetable	76.50	81.20	-4.70	140
BOC (BD) Ltd	108.89	106.98	+1.91	700
Apex Weaving	50.57	54.33	-4.26	2550
Beximco Denims	235.00	239.50	-4.50	100
Chic Tex Ltd	7.80	8.01	-0.21	30500
Monno Fabrics	88.66	88.34	+0.32	2150
Eagle Star	8.69	9.10	-0.41	4150
Ashraf Ind	16.30	16.25	+0.37	1900
Square Pharma	785.87	16.87	-0.57	1200
Beximco Infusion	315.00	325.00	+10.00	760
Beximco Pharma	54.45	54.72	-0.27	64000
Maq Enterprises*	60.00	81.50	-21.50	50
Shine Pukur	83.26	85.97	-2.71	23600
Eastern Housing	121.19	122.63	-1.44	2380
Confidence Cement	258.31	262.01	-3.70	3900
Cig Cement	635.45	644.22	-8.76	4005
Meghna Cement	218.91	225.18	-6.27	2300
Niloy Cement Indus	191.91	195.04	-3.13	1350
Apex Tannery	320.89	322.41	-1.53	750
Apex Footwear	245.00	245.00	0.00	40
Mark Bangladesh	150.00	145.50	+4.50	50

Company Name	Rate	Prv Rate	Change	Shares Traded
Excelsior Shoes	58.00	57.17	+0.83	50
Paragon Leather	92.75	92.50	+0.25	300
Aramit	47.20	47.50	-0.30	250
Beximco	62.07	63.33	-1.26	90
Monno Ceramic	582.50	585.33	-2.83	20
Gg Ball Pen	185.00	190.00	-5.00	200
RH Ball Pen Ltd	23.79	23.75	+0.04	17500
Rupali Insurance	225.00	220.50	+4.50	20
Janata Insurance	104.00	103.95	+0.05	100
Federal Insurance	206.00	215.00	-9.00	150

CSE All Securities Price Index		295.27
Day's Change in Points		-1.33
Day's Change in Percent(%)		-0.4484
Turnover in Value (Taka)		15,945,735.00
Turnover in Volume		210,450
Total Issued Capital (Taka)		22,797,262,890.40
Total Market Capital (Taka)		49,677,754,818.04
Total Market Capital (US\$)		1,068,338,813.29
Total Number of Contracts		856
Total Issues Traded		37
Issues Gained		11
Issues Declined		25
Issues Unchanged		1
Total Listed Securities		142
Listed Companies		129
Listed Mutual Funds		9
Listed Debentures		4

Latest position & performance of DSE-listed issues

Company	FV/ML	1997-98	Average Closing	Change (+/-)	No. of Shares	Day's highest bid	Day's lowest bid	Reserve & Surplus	Earning (loss) per share	Net Profit (Loss)	Last AGM	Total Div. %	Bonus/Right		
		High Taka	Low Taka	Rate (Taka)	(Taka)	Number of shares	Highest Price	Lowest Price	(Taka in crore)	After Tax (Taka in crore)	Date				
BANK (14)															
AB Bank	100/5	236.93	100.21	101.50	-2.30	45	101.50	101.50	36.59	10.33	11/09/97	-	5:1B		
City Bank	100/5	271.00	95.00	101.00	+1.72	25	101.00	101.00	(33)	-86.50	(13.84)	14.12.97	-		
I.F.I.C	100/5	297.92	90.00	98.00	-2.00	5	98.00	98.00	22.89	16.55	4.20	11.11.96	1B:10		
Islamic Bank	1000/1	6300.00	2353.33	2424.20	+29.41	44	2435.00	2435.00	53.50	927.90	14.84	28.08.97	20 1:1R		
National Bank	100/5	474.60	74.07	74.07	-1.56	696	75.00	74.00	25.75	46.18	16.52	04.12.97	1R:2		
Rupali Bank	100/5	99.97	71.00	113.25	-	15	75.00	74.00	70.51	61.32	(9.81)	30.12.97	-		
U.C.B.L	100/5	187.19	75.00	90.00	0.00	5	90.00	90.00	(329.89)	31.29	39.11	02.03.97	-		
Uttara Bank	100/5	140.00	80.00	90.50	-	5	90.00	90.00	14.30	31.87	7.13	27.08.97	15B:100		
Al Baraka Bank	1000/1	1450.00	730.00	892.94	-	600	810.00	798.00	12.77	53.27	7.99	13.04.97	35 1B:1		
IDLC	100/20	1150.00	771.25	807.48	-3.67	600	810.00	798.00	(208.58)	22.89	13.73	20.11.97	-		
Eastern Bank	100/20	-	-	100.00	-	20	1225.00	1200.00	88.22	6.17	29.04.97	22	-		
U.C	100/20	7000.00	1215.00	1215.00	-85.00	60	2225.00	2000.00	2	88.22	6.17	29.04.97	22		
UF & Invst. Ltd.	100/50	-	-	269.75	-3.09	4250	50	272.75	100	265.00	445.00	-	-		
INVESTMENT (10)															
ICB	100/5	382.02	151.10	186.25	-	5	1650.00	1650.00	13.86	23.76	4.75	30.10.97	11		
1st ICB M Fund	100/5	2884.98	1532.94	1650.00	+38.00	5	1650.00	1650.00	69.79	35	-	-	70		
2nd ICB M Fund	100/5	1331.00	383.50	421.00	-29.00	20	422.00	420.00	0.6	12.89	35	-	45		
3rd ICB M Fund	100/5	716.12	360.00	368.56	-7.44	90	372.00	365.00	0.4	21.34	21	-	38		
4th ICB M Fund	100/10	887.12	350.00	376.00	-	10	372.00	365.00	0.04	36.42	36	-	45		
5th ICB M Fund	100/10	810.00	281.95	291.84	-1.96	370	10	293.00	300	291.75	12	32.28	48	35	
6th ICB M Fund	100/10	499.20	180.00	193.42	-39.12	120	194.00	190.00	20.37	1.02	-	-	21		
7th ICB M Fund	100/50	550.00	175.00	180.39	-1.36	172	100	182.00	22	170.00	16	23.40	70	24	
8th ICB M Fund	100/50	549.72	159.00	166.20	-2.01	250	50	167.00	50	166.00	NA	-	18		
1st BSRS Fund	100/50	281.00	98.00	100.00	+1.36	250	50	101.00	50	99.00	-	-	-		
ENGINEERING (21)															
Aftab Auto	100/5	3155.00	200.00	202.99	-81	925	5	204.00	10	202.00	47	28.12.97	12 1B:5:2R:1		
Azic Pipes	100/5	7802.19	634.86	676.64	+2.92	1505	10	684.00	10	670.00	61.53	1.19	20.07.97	- 1:R:1B:2	
Olympic Indus.	100/5	5392.79	203.27	203.47	+2.20	3560	25	205.00	10	198.00	8.62	2.13	22.12.97	20 2:1B:2:3R	
BD Lamps	100/5	14879.64	1196.16	1299.93	-11.03	810	5	1310.00	5	1290.00	98.89	3.56	22.09.97	15 1B:1	
Bengal Steel	10/50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-12.04	(1.88)	27.09.97	-	
Eastern Cables	100/5	2130.00	130.70	130.70	-1.85	3325	80	132.00	5	120.00	24.48	4.89	29.03.97	10 1B:5	
Karim Pipe	100/5	1287.00	89.71	90.00	-	10	90.00	90.00	10.36	27	24.12.97	-	-		
Monno Jute	100/5	9055.00	399.00	1760.00	-90.00	10	5	1760.00	5	1760.00	125.80	75	10.12.97	75	
Monno Staffer	100/5	9032.36	391.67	417.00	-8.00	3	5	417.00	5	417.00	11.97	04	03.12.97	1250	
Singer BD	100/5	24222.85	2764.08	2764.08	-91.53	1070	10	2820.00	3	2700.00	94.78	10.50	16.04.97	75 1:2B	
Atlas BD	100/5	1281.19	178.00	237.09	-2.52	750	250	237.00	13.18	1.97	28.12.97	150 1B:4			
BD Autocars	100/5	695.58	55.15	57.42	+2.27	245	36	60.00	4.34	1.30	7.09.97	15			
Quasem Dry	100/5	415.00	18.64	18.79	+1.15	50100	100	19.10	-24.61	(4.1)	28.12.97	-			
Renwick	100/5	400.00	66.00	79.25	-	-	-	-	-562.54	(2.81)	24.04.96	-			
Metalex Corp	100/5	1200.00	130.50	138.00	+6.03	200	10	690.00	10	680.00	132.88	3.23	25.03.97	15 1B:2	
National Tubes	100/10	3000.00	637.45	685.25	+4.80	200	10	690.00	10	680.00	1.32	30.01	1.52	18.09.97	18
B Thai AI	100/5	2037.91	367.75	402.60	-2.12	250	10	409.00	30	400.00	(7.05)	-20.48	(7.4)	21.12.95	-
BD Electricity	100/10	687.00	38.00	38.00	-	-	-	-	67	14.87	57	28.09.97	1250		
Anwar Gal	100/50	950.00	125.00	146.40	+4.36	2650	50	152.00	50	143.50	NA	27.03.97	-		
Key & Que	100/50	2810.00	250.40	250.40	-7.54	250	50	253.00	50	248.00	67	14.87	57	28.09.97	1250
Wonderland Toy	100/50	1459.00	69.18	69.18	-5.68	1950	200	72.00	50	67.50	24	12.97	-		
FOOD & ALLIED (33)															
AB Biscuit	100/5	150.00	142.50	142.50	-	-	-	-	69	-26.78	(13)	30.12.95	-		
Alpha Tobacco	100/5	539.51	65.75	74.50	-2.8	1750	50	74.50	360	74.50	36	3.57	1.24	07.04.97	20(1) 1:3R:1B:3
Amam Sea Food	100/5	17000.00	1034.86	1034.86	-4.10	185	5	1046.00	10	1020.00	165.07	1.38	28.12.97	10 1B:1	
Apex Foods	100/5	23476.00	893.08	960.28	+3.57	1605	10	968.00	5	955.00	10.32	90.26	3.43	28.12.97	40
Tripti Inds Food	100/5	2455.95	144.28	144.49											