

Dhaka Stock Prices

At the close of trading on May 27, 1998

3-point rise in index

The price index at the Dhaka Stock Exchange marked a slight gain yesterday like the previous day with gainers outnumbering the losers, reports UNB.

The All Share Price Index at the country's main bourse rose by 2.55 points or 0.44 per cent to 569.69 points from Tuesday's 567.14 points.

Shares of 136 listed securities were transacted, of which 71 gained, 61 incurred loss and four remained unchanged.

Some 198,482 shares and debentures valued at Tk 1.69 crore changed hands against 197,717 shares worth Tk 1.78 crore on the previous day.

Chick Tex (54,000), Quasem Drycells (19,200), Beximco Pharma (16,925) and Rose Heaven Ball Pen (13,700) were among the volume leaders.

The major gainers included Singer Bangladesh (+Tk 50.46), Beximco Textiles (+Tk 42.00),

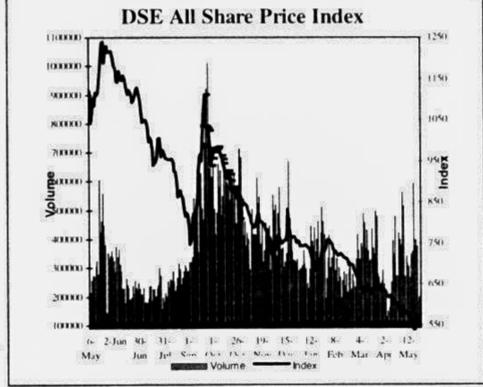
Bangladesh Leaf Tobacco (+Tk 30.00), Ranata Ltd (+Tk 24.29) and Beximco Knitting (+Tk 19.29).

BD Zipper (-Tk 69.17), Al Baraka Bank (-Tk 48.00), 2nd ICB Mutual Fund (-Tk 36.00) and Chittagong Cement (-Tk 23.97) were among the major losers.

Market capitalisation stood at Tk 51.23 billion equivalent to 1.10 billion US dollars at the end of the day's trading.

DSE at a glance

DSE Price Index	569.69(+0.44%)
Market Capital Tk	5123.86cr
Transaction in Volume	198482
Transaction in Value Tk	1.98cr
Total Issues Traded	136
Issues Gained	71
Issues Incurred Loss	61
Issues Unchanged	4



Chittagong Stock Prices

Slight rise in index

CHITTAGONG, May 27: The All Securities Price Index at the Chittagong Stock Exchange marked a slight rise today although the losers outnumbered the gainers, reports UNB.

The price indicator of the country's second bourse increased by 0.68 points or 0.24 per cent to 279.97 points from Tuesday's 279.29 points.

Shares of 31 listed securities transacted, of which 10 gained, 19 incurred loss and two remained unchanged.

Some 139,620 shares and debentures valued at Tk 73.83 lakh were changed hands as against 225,145 shares worth Tk 1.01 crore on the previous day.

Beximco Pharma (53,500), Chic Textile (27,500), Quasem Drycells (16,800), Shine Pukur (15,500) and Eagle Star (13,650) were among the volume leaders.

There were no significant gainers or losers today.

Market capitalisation stood at Tk 47.53 billion equivalent to 1.02 billion US dollars.

Ashtaf Tex	14.16	14.38	-0.22	1200
Square Pharma	673.70	673.44	+0.26	440
Beximco Pharma	50.64	50.62	-0.02	50
Ambee Pharma	40.00	41.70	-1.70	50
Shine Pukur	74.05	73.64	+0.41	15150
Eastern Housing	133.55	133.50	+0.05	1300
Confidence Cement	244.87	246.30	-0.43	760
Ctg. Cement	604.14	617.93	-13.79	2460
Meghna Cement	191.30	191.90	-0.60	1350
Niloy Cement Indus	134.50	134.74	-0.24	400
Apex Tannery	221.76	223.33	-1.57	500
Excelsior Shoes	51.00	50.00	+1.00	100
Aramit	38.97	38.87	+0.10	700
Beximco	62.00	62.40	-0.40	200
Monno Ceramic	570.00	576.00	-5.00	20
Rupali Insurance	240.67	248.00	-7.33	60
Janata Insurance	107.00	105.70	+1.30	40
Federal Insurance	225.00	225.00	+0.00	50

CSE at a glance

CSE All Securities Price Index	279.97
Day's Change in Points	0.68
Day's Change in Percent (%)	0.2435
Turnover in Value (Taka)	7,383,090.00
Turnover in Volume	139,620
Total Issued Capital (Taka)	23,298,262,890.00
Total Market Capital (Taka)	47,530,566,847.46
Total Market Capital (US\$)	1,022,162,727.90
1 US\$ = 46.50 Taka	
Total Number of Contracts	434
Total Issues Traded	31
Issues Gained	10
Issues Declined	19
Issues Unchanged	2
Total Listed Securities	144
Listed Companies	131
Listed Mutual Funds	9
Listed Debentures	4

Wednesday's trading performance

Company	Avg. Rate	Prv. Rate	Change	Shares Traded
8th ICB MF	152.00	152.00	+0.00	50
Quasem Drycells	19.62	19.88	-0.26	16800
Olympic Industries	179.20	179.48	-0.26	200
Bengal Biscuit	61.82	63.55	-1.73	1120
Tripti Industries	99.94	104.38	-4.44	160
Padma Oil	198.00	165.00	+33.00	100
Apex Weaving	55.38	54.50	+0.88	200
Beximco Knitting	134.50	134.93	-0.43	60
Sajib Knitwear	31.83	33.00	-1.17	150
Chic Text Ltd	6.41	6.55	-0.15	27500
Monno Fabrics	100.63	101.21	-0.58	750
Eagle Star	6.62	6.91	-0.29	13650
Alltex Ind.	62.75	62.29	+0.46	600

Latest position & performance of DSE-listed issues

Company	FV/ML	1997-98		Average Closing	Change (+/-)	No. of Shares Traded	Day's highest bid	Day's lowest bid	Reserve & Surplus	Earning (-/loss) per share	Net Profit/(Loss) After Tax	Last AGM Date	Total Div. %	Bonus/Right
		High Taka	Low Taka											
BANK (14)														
AB Bank	100/5	236.93	93.00	102.14						36.59	10.33	11/09/97		5:1B
City Bank	100/5	271.00	95.00	95.00										
I.F.I.C	100/5	86.67	80.00	132.43	-7.57	280	5	135.00	50	130.00	22.89	16.55	4.20	11.11.96
Islami Bank	1000/1	6300.00	2259.41	2415.00	+4.61	2	2	2415.00	53.50	927.90	14.84	28.08.97	20	1:1R
National Bank	100/5	474.60	66.27	77.49	+1.25	880	20	78.00	25.75	46.18	16.52	04.12.97		1:R2
Pubali Bank	100/5	99.97	71.00	113.00					70.51	61.32	(9.81)	30.12.97		
Rupali Bank	100/10	181.14	55.70	70.00	-4.50	10	10	70.00	(329.89)	31.29	39.11	02.03.97		
U.C.B.L	100/5	187.19	74.50	75.00		10	10	75.00	14.30	31.87	7.13	27.08.97		15B:100
Uttara Bank	100/5	140.00	71.00	78.50					5.15	7.34	7.3	18.11.97		
Al Baraka Bank	1000/1	1450.00	730.00	752.00	-48.00	10	2	760.00	(65.75)	-923.64	(23.97)	16.10.97		
IDLC	100/20	11500.00	517.08	613.14	+12.96	140	20	617.00	12.77	53.27	7.99	13.04.97	36	1B1
Eastern Bank	100/20			100.00					(208.58)	22.89	13.73	20.11.97		
ULC	100/20	7000.00	685.30	710.00					2	88.22	6.17	29.04.97	22	
UF & Invst. Ltd.	100/50			203.24	-3.53	1900	50	206.00	50	202.50	445.00			
INVESTMENT (10)														
I.C.B	100/5	382.02	151.10	235.00					13.86	23.76	4.75	30.10.97	11	
1st ICB MF	100/5	2884.98	1250.00	1175.50						69.79	35		70	
2nd ICB MF	100/5	1331.00	315.00	315.00	-36.00	12	12	315.00	0.6	12.89	35		45	
3rd ICB MF	100/5	716.12	366.00	369.46	-4.16	260	10	381.00	0.4	21.34	21		38	
4th ICB MF	100/10	887.12	340.00	376.00	+3.50	110	10	376.00	0.04	36.42	36		45	
5th ICB MF	100/10	810.00	281.95	308.00	+2.13	10	10	308.00	1.2	32.28	48		35	
6th ICB MF	100/10	499.20	180.00	205.43	+5.56	70	20	205.00	20	20.37	1.02		24	
7th ICB MF	100/50	550.00	174.55	183.00	+11.46	50	50	183.00	50	183.00	16	23.40	70	21
8th ICB MF	100/50	547.12	150.67	158.00	+2.08	650	50	160.00	250	157.00		NA	18	
1st BSRS Fund	100/50	281.00	80.67	81.13	+2.50	100	50	82.25	50	80.00				
ENGINEERING (21)														
Atfab Auto	100/5	3155.00	157.63	171.26	-1.45	845	90	172.00	1.47	7.46	41	28.12.97	12	1B.5.2R.1
Aziz Pipes	100/5	7802.19	460.61	531.14	+2.32	450	10	540.00	1.88	17.81	86	20.07.97		1.9R.1B.2
Olympic Indus.	100/5	5382.79	165.08	183.27	-4.6	1150	10	184.00	5.92	8.62	2.13	22.12.97	20	2.1B.2.3R
BD Lamps	100/5	14879.64	740.74	819.93	-7.03	545	5	827.00	9.78	51.68	3.72	22.09.97	15	1B.1
Bengal Steel	10/50								(11.98)	-13.96	(2.18)	27.09.97		
Eastern Cables	100/5	2130.00	120.91	125.47	-3.48	490	20	126.50	7.22	17.19	4.12	29.03.97	10	1B.5
Karim Pipe	100/5	1287.00	62.10	64.50	-5.00	30	5	66.00	17	-25.81	(6.7)	24.12.97		
Monno Jute	100/5	9055.00	378.00	1150.00					3.17	156.56	93	10.12.97	75	
Monno Staffer	100/5	9032.36	278.33	260.47					50	15.68	06	03.12.97	1250	
Singer BD	100/5	24222.85	1499.91	1815.68	+5.046	490	5	1840.00	3.13	83.77	13.92	16.04.97	75	12B
Atlas BD	10/50	1281.19	159.79	202.75	+7.75	400	50	204.50	7.00	22.39	3.35	28.12.97	150	1B.4
BD Autocars	100/5	695.58	55.15	63.68	-0.05	3270	200	46.00	89	11.69	37	30.12.97		
Quasem Dry	10/50	415.00	18.28	19.77	+0.08	19200	100	19.90	1.47	0.94	1.80	7.09.97	15	
Renwick	100/5	400.00	54.00	60.00		5	5	60.00	0.1	-20.14	(34)	28.12.97		
Metalex Corp	100/5	1200.00	95.00	100					(16.00)	-562.54	(2.81)	24.04.96		
National Tubes	100/10	3000.00	545.20	629.71	+4.21	70	10	630.00	(8.56)	164.35	6.16	25.03.97	15	1B.2
B Thai Al	100/5	2037.91	367.75	144.56					1.93	30.00	1.52	18.09.97	18	
BD. Electricity	100/10	687.00	36.00	48.64					(7.05)	-20.48	(74)	21.12.96		
Anwar Gal	100/50	950.00	125.00	145.56						NA	27.03.97			
Kay & Que	100/50	2810.00	146.90	182.75	-2.88	400	50	183.00	73	14.96	57	28.09.97	1250	
Wonderland Toy	100/50	1459.00	49.22	50.00	-3.1	50	50	50.00	(0.9)	-0.97	(0.9)	24.12.97		
FOOD & ALLIED (33)														
AB Biscuit	100/5	150.00	142.50	142.50					89	-26.78	(1.3)	30.12.95		
Alpha Tobacco	10/50	539.51	64.67	66.50		50	50	66.50	36	3.57	1.24	07.04.97	20(1)	1.3B.1B.3
Amam Sea Food	100/5	17000.00	524.68	622.37	-18.53	130	5	635.00	165.07	1.38	28.12.97		1B.1	
Apex Foods	100/5	23476.00	715.01	780.36	-5.73	450	5	785.00	10.32	90.26	3.48	28.12.97		