

Dhaka Stock Prices

At the close of trading on August 1, 1998

19-point rise in price index

Dhaka Stock Exchange experienced a bullish trading on the opening day of the week Saturday with considerable rise in its price index, reports UNB.

The All Share Price Index of the country's main bourse rose by 18.71 points or 2.86 per cent to 671.13 points from Wednesday's 652.42 points.

Some 125 listed securities were traded of which 102 gained, 21 incurred loss and two remained unchanged.

Some 249,204 shares and debentures valued at Tk 2.21 crore were traded as against 204,082 shares worth Tk 1.96 crore on Wednesday.

Beximco Pharma (47,745), RH Ball Pen (43,500), Quasem Drycells (28,700), Chic Tex (19,000) and Fu-Wang Ceramic Industry (10,800) were among the volume leaders.

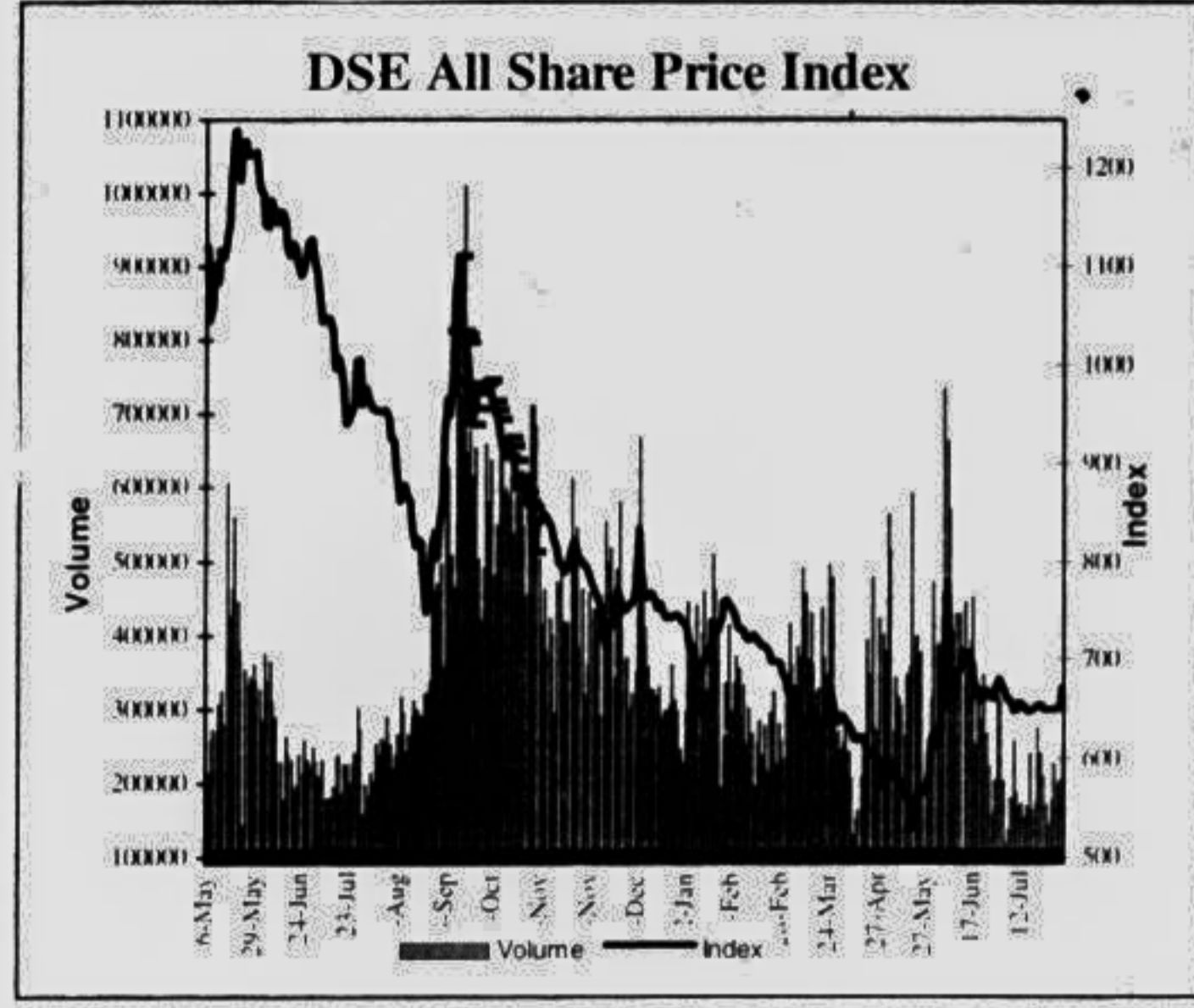
The major gainers included

Singer Bangladesh (+Tk 48.71), Chittagong Cement (+Tk 19.06), Aziz Pipes (+ Tk 17.64) and Square Pharma (+Tk 12.01).

Beximco Textiles (-Tk 69.00), Bangladesh Leaf Tobacco (-Tk 10.00), Federal Insurance Company (-Tk 9.00) and ICB Mutual Fund (-Tk 7.20) were among the major losers.

Market capitalisation stood at Tk 60.36 billion equivalent to US dollar 1.42 billion.

DSE at a glance	
DSE Price Index	671.13(+2.86%)
Market Capital Tk	6036.17cr
Transaction in Volume	249204
Transaction in Value Tk	2.21cr
Total Issues Traded	125
Issues Gained	102
Issues Incurred Loss	21
Issues Unchanged	2



STRAYED ON THE STREET: The auto-rickshaw drivers and owners, who used to park their vehicles at city's Basabo, are now-a-days looking for new parking lots since the rising flood waters have already submerged the old places. The photo shows a temporary arrangement on the Bishwa Road, which, according to the local people, has been causing severe traffic congestions in the area.

Latest position & performance of DSE-listed issues

Company	FV/ML	1997-98		Average Closing Rate (Taka)	Change (+/-) (Taka)	No. of Shares Traded	Day's highest bid	Day's lowest bid	Reserve & Surplus (Taka in crore)	Earning/(-) Loss per share (Taka)	Net Profit/(-) Loss After Tax (Taka in crore)	Last AGM Date	Total Div. %	Bonus/Right	
		High Taka	Low Taka												
BANK (14)															
AB Bank	100/5	236.93	93.00	110.50	+46	120	50	110.50	20	110.50	36.59	10.33	11/09/97	-	5:1B
National Bank	100/5	271.00	95.00	101.00	+1.00	5	5	101.00	5	101.00	(.33)	-86.50	(13.84)	14.12/97	-
J.F.C	100/5	130.66	80.00	106.74							22.89	16.55	4.20	11.11/96	1B:10
Islami Bank	1000/1	6300.00	2259.41	2629.50							53.50	927.90	14.84	28.08/97	20
Pubali Bank	100/5	474.60	66.27	77.82	+53	140	80	77.80	20	77.50	25.75	46.18	16.52	04.12/97	-
Rupali Bank	100/10	113.00	71.00	118.00	+3.00	15	5	118.00	5	118.00	70.51	61.32	(9.81)	30.12/97	-
U.C.B.L	100/5	187.19	74.50	90.08	+0.8	65	5	91.00	30	90.00	31.87	7.13	27.08/97	-	
Uttara Bank Ltd	100/5	187.19	74.50	90.08							5.15	7.34	73	18.11/97	-
Al Baraka Bank	1000/1	1450.00	730.00	800.00							(65.75)	-923.64	(23.97)	16.10/97	-
IDLC	100/20	11500.00	517.08	728.33	+1.33	60	20	730.00	20	725.00	12.77	53.27	7.99	13.04/97	35
Eastern Bank	100/20	-	-	100.00							(208.58)	22.89	13.73	20.11/97	-
ULC	100/20	7000.00	685.30	1055.00							2	88.22	6.17	29.04/97	22
UF & Invest. Ltd.	100/50	-	-	277.31	+4.78	1450	50	278.00	50	276.50					
INVESTMENT (10)															
I.C.B	100/5	382.02	151.10	239.00	-1.00	10	5	240.00	5	238.00	13.86	23.76	4.75	30.10/97	11
1st ICB M Fund	100/5	2884.98	1200.00	1200.00							69.79	35	-	-	70
2nd ICB M Fund	100/5	1331.00	315.00	371.67							0.6	12.89	35	-	45
3rd ICB M Fund	100/5	716.12	356.00	410.00							0.04	21.34	21	-	38
4th ICB M Fund	100/10	887.12	340.00	362.00							0.04	36.42	36	-	45
5th ICB M Fund	100/10	810.00	275.00	275.00							12	32.28	48	-	35
6th ICB M Fund	100/10	499.20	178.50	186.95	-0.05	210	10	190.00	50	186.00	20.27	1.02	-	-	24
7th ICB M Fund	100/50	550.00	172.00	175.00	-7.20	50	50	175.00	50	175.00	16	23.40	70	-	21
8th ICB M Fund	100/50	549.72	147.32	154.67	-2.33	150	50	155.00	50	154.00					18
1st BSRS Fund	100/50	281.00	80.67	93.25	+3.30	150	50	93.00	50	93.00					21
ENGINEERING (21)															
Aftab Auto	100/5	3155.00	157.63	200.51	+4.40	510	20	202.00	10	198.75	1.47	7.46	41	28.12/97	12
Aziz Pipes	100/5	7802.19	460.61	600.26	+17.64	475	5	602.00	5	600.00	17.81	86	20.07/97	-	
Olympic Indus.	100/5	5392.79	165.08	240.42	+3.63	3675	10	240.00	50	240.00	8.62	2.13	22.12/97	20	
Bangladesh LAM	100/5	14879.64	740.74	1123.35	+9.58	280	10	1131.00	10	1120.00	9.78	51.68	3.72	22.09/97	15
Bengal Steel	100/5	-	-	-							(11.98)	-13.96	(2.18)	27.09/97	-
Eastern Cables	100/5	2130.00	120.91	161.11	+3.25	810	30	162.00	50	160.75	7.22	17.19	4.12	29.03/97	10
Karim Pipe	100/5	1287.00	62.10	75.82							-25.81	(6.71)	24.12/97	-	
Monno Jute	100/5	9055.00	337.00	1540.00							3.17	156.56	30	10.12/97	75
Monno Staffer	100/5	9032.36	260.47	330.00							50	15.68	06	03.12/97	1250
Singer BD	100/5	24222.85	1499.91	2409.95	+48.71	399	5	2415.00	5	2395.00	3.13	83.77	13.92	16.04/97	75
Atlas BD	100/5	1281.19	159.79	214.22	-69	800	50	216.00	50	213.50	7.02	22.39	3.35	28.12/97	150
BD Autocars	100/5	695.58	55.15	64.15	+1.37	230	30	64.50	20	63.75	8.9	11.69	37	30.12/97	-
Quasem Dryltd	100/5	22550.00	18.28	26.15	+8.1	28700	200	26.30	500	25.70	1.47	0.94	1.80	7.09/97	15
Renwick	100/5	400.00	45.00	46.00							0.1	-20.14	(34)	28.12/97	-
Metallex Corp	100/5	1200.00	95.00	111.50							(16.00)	-562.54	(2.81)	24.04/96	-
National Tubes	100/10	3000.00	545.20	614.13	+1.70	80	20	619.00	10	612.00	(8.56)	164.35	6.16	25.03/97	15
B. Thai AI	100/5	2037.91	367.75	431.00	+75	30	20	431.00	10	431.00	1.93	30.00	1.52	18.09/97	18
BD Electricity	100/10	687.00	36.00	50.00							(7.05)	-20.48	(74)	21.12/95	-
Anwar Gal	100/50	950.00	125.00	174.33	+2.94	544	44	150.00	44	150.00	7.3	14.96	57	28.09/97	1250
Kay & Que	100/50	2810.00	146.90	238.07	+8.72	850	50	238.00	50	235.00	73	14.96	57	28.09/97	1250
Wonderland Toy	100/50	1459.00	55.18	62.50	+2.22	450	50	62.00	50	62.00	59.00	-0.97	(0.9)	24.12/97	-
FOOD & ALLIED (33)															
AB Biscuit	100/5	150.00	142.50	142.50							69	-26.78	(1.3)	30.12/95	-
Alpha Tobacco	100/5	539.51	64.67	71.80							36	3.57	1.24	07.04/97	20(1)
Amam Sea Food	100/5	17000.00	524.68	762.13	+2.08	40	5	765.00	10	758.00	165.07	1.38	28.12/97	-	
Apex Foods	100/5	23476.00	715.01	936.31	+7.48	945	5	939.00	5	930.00	10.32	90.26	3.38	28.12/97	40
Tripti Inds Ltd	100/5	2455.95	82.67	129.82	+2.29	2090	40	130.00	10	129.00	4.02	4.77	82	26.08/96	17
Bengas	100/5	910.00	125.92	141.00							50	17.62	10	29.12/97	-
B.L.T.C	100/5	1500.00	105.32	870.00	-10.00	70	70	870.00	70	870.00	66	40.27	32	23.08/97	42.5
B.A.T.C	100/5	464.81	95.11	113.54	+0.4	250	100	113.50	100	113.50	52.21	8.42	33.69	28.04/97	3(F)
E.L. Camellia	100/5	-	-	-							(.78)	-28.40	(.04)	27.09/96	-
Germi Food	100/5	995.00	110.00	148.39							0.9	-7.75	0.8	28.12/97	-
N.T.C	100/5	400.00	230.00	340.00	-4.33	10	10	340.00	10	340.00	9.84	23.05	1.52	03.05/97	14
Yousuf Flour	100/5	-	-	-							(.31)	-0.00	(0.008)	24.12/97	-
Dhaka Vegetable	100/5	354.09	36.00	39.50	+36	30	30	39.50	30	39.50	74.00	-40.82	(3.46)	10.09/97	-
Zeal Bangla	100/5	78.52	5.00	7.10	-10	300	300	7.10	300	7.10	12.74	-0.66	(.39)	23.12/96	-
Rupon Oil	100/10	41.40	4.51	7.30	+20	4300	1000	7.40	1000	7.10	(3.54)	-1.26	(34)	14.08/97	-
Tulip Dairy	100/10	940.00	40.00	127.00	+8.1	460	50	127.00	20	127.00	(1.09)	-35.14	(.83)	30.03/95	-
Ctg. Vegetables	100/10	817.44	67.88	102.00	+8.3	90	20	102.00	40	102.00	4.9	3.66	36	30.12/97	-
Rabeya Flour	100/5	-	-	-							(.16)	0.76	0.4	21.09/97	-
B.D. Plantation	100/5	-	-	-							(.44)	-128.98	(.12)	28.12/97	-
Hill Plantation	100/5	1200.00	1200.00	1200.00							(.21)	-29.32	(.04)	28.12/97	-
Beximco Fishes	100/5	981.61	122.25	142.83	+2.11	520	40	143.50	40	142.50	141.50	22.96	2.98	28.08/97	20(F)
Bengal Biscuits	100/20	516.00	57.08	81.21	+1.26	1600	40	81.50	100	81.00</					