

US, China set for new round of textiles battle

US and Chinese negotiators are set Monday to hold the latest round of bruising talks on how best to dam a torrential flow of clothes from China that is said to be swamping the US textiles industry.



Kwon Oh Kyun, manager of IL Kwang, a RMG company, and Sharif Shah Jamal Raj, head (Corporate Sales and Corporate Customer Care) of Pacific Bangladesh Telecom Limited, the owning company of mobile phone operator CityCell, shake hands after signing an agreement on behalf of their organisations in Dhaka recently.

Libra Infusions Ltd.



Annual Sales Conference-2005 of Libra Infusions Ltd, a local leading saline manufacturing company, was held recently in Dhaka. Company Chairperson Shamsunnahar Ahsanullah and Managing Director Ayesha Alam were also present.

S'pore oil rig industry reaps bonanza from high oil prices

Singapore's oil rig manufacturing industry is reaping a multi-billion-dollar bonanza as sky-high crude prices boost marine exploration for new oil and gas deposits worldwide.

Potential repair work on US rigs and platforms damaged by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita is also expected to further boost orders for Singapore's offshore engineering firms, whose share prices have risen in anticipation.

Japan for bigger IMF quotas for emerging states

In unusually blunt remarks, Finance Minister Sadakazu Tanigaki said the IMF's political legitimacy was at stake in the debate over quotas under which IMF voting rights are determined, and urged prompt action.



Officials are seen at a daylong workshop in Chittagong on anti-money laundering organised by Prime Bank Training Institute recently. Md Abul Quasem, general manager of Bangladesh Bank (BB), Chittagong, inaugurated the workshop while Md Nausabah Ali Chowdhury, deputy general manager of the BB, Chittagong, and Mahbub Alam, deputy managing director of Prime Bank, among others, were present.



Rudolf Paul Klink, managing director and CEO of Siemens Bangladesh Ltd, inaugurates a Siemens Built-in Home Appliances Corner at a showroom of Green Marketing Ltd Monday. In this corner, Siemens offers built-in appliances including cooling, cooking, washing and laundry appliances and suitable furniture solutions to customers.

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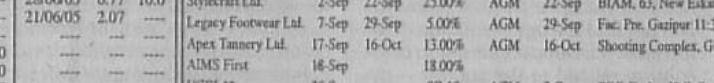
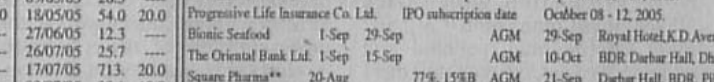
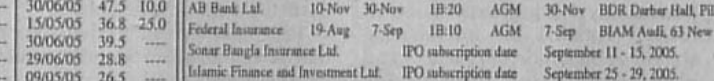
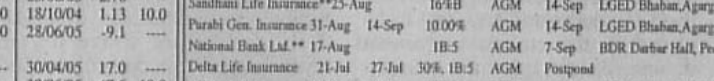
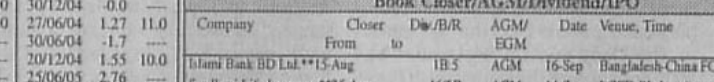
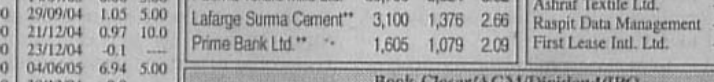
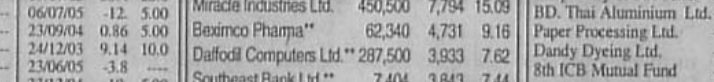
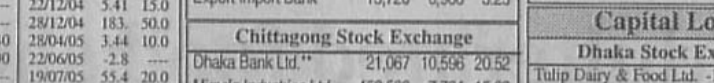
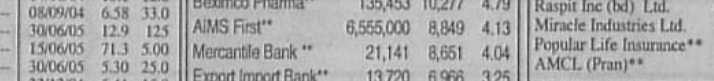
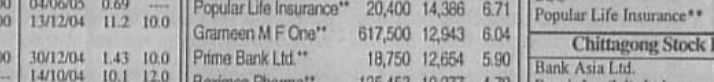
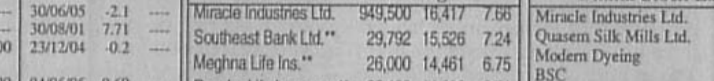
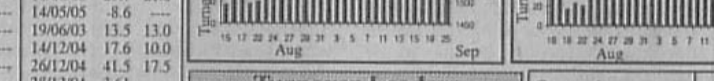
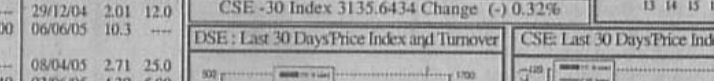
Table showing exchange rates for various currencies against the US Dollar, including Indian rupee, Pak rupee, Lankan rupee, Thai baht, New kronor, NZ dollar, and Malaysian ringgit.

STOCK

Large table titled 'TODAY'S TRADED ISSUES' for September 25, 2005, listing various companies and their stock performance metrics.

Day's Market - September 25, 2005

Table showing market indicators for the day, including DSE and CSE indices, turnover, and price changes.



SHIPPING

Chittagong Port

Table showing berthing position and performance of vessels at Chittagong Port as of 25/9/2005.

Table showing vessels due at outer anchorage, including vessel names, dates, and agents.

Table showing vessels at outer anchorage, including vessel names, cargo, and agents.

Table showing vessels ready, including vessel names, cargo, and agents.

Table showing vessels not ready, including vessel names, cargo, and agents.

Table showing vessels awaiting employment/instruction, including vessel names and agents.

Table showing vessels not entering, including vessel names and agents.

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