# Sport

# The Daily Star

"I've been a selector for seven

years and people forget we've lost

one Test series in 11 with this sys-

tem so it must have proved pretty

is well-founded is another matter.

Whether Fletcher's confidence

After Adam Gilchrist's brutal

assault on the English bowlers on

Saturday, combined with centuries

from Michael Clarke and Mike

Hussey, English newspapers

double page spread: "High Price

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successful.



PHOTO: AFP Sri Lanka batsman Chamara Silva plays a flashy cover drive during the third day of the second Test against New Zealand at The Basin Reserve in Wellington

# Silva makes his mark

## **Cricket**

### AFP, Wellington

A standout unbeaten 152 by Chamara Silva put Sri Lanka firmly in command of the second cricket Test on Sunday as New Zealand were set an improbable 504 to win.

The home side now require a world-record fourth innings for victory after Sri Lanka were dismissed for 365 in their second innings

Batting to save the game and protect a 1-0 series lead, New Zealand made a positive start to reach 56 without loss before openers Jamie How and Craig Cumming fell in quick succession

Mathew Sinclair was not out 10 with Stephen Fleming on four when bad light brought an early end to the day with New Zealand at 75 for two, leaving them needing another 429 runs with two days remaining.

Silva put the embarrassment of a double duck in the first Test behind him to produce his maiden Test century following his 61 in the first innings here. He was at the crease for five-

and-a-half hours and hit 20 bounde as Sri Lanka built a doi total until Daniel Vettori cleaned up the last three wickets in the space of four balls

hat trick when he dismissed Farveez Maharoof and Lasith Malinga in successive balls and finishing with seven for 130, his 13th five-for in Test cricket. The 27-year-old Silva put his

name in the record books by becoming the first player in Test history to score a century in his first game after a pair of ducks. After a tentative start in his debut

Test in Christchurch. Silva showed no sign of nerves here at the Basin Reserve as he anchored Sri Lanka's charge to level the series. When play began after rain

wiped out the first 40 minutes of the third morning. Silva and Prasanna Javawardene added 37 runs before the new ball came into play and Chris Martin took the only wicket of the morning.

Jayawardene pulled a shortpitched Martin ball to the boundary, and was suckered into the same shot two deliveries later, spooning the ball straight to the substitute fielder at square-leg to be out for 37.

Chaminda Vaas joined Silva to further frustrate the New Zealand bowlers as they added 88 for the seventh wicket before Vaas edged Vettori to wicket-keeper Brendon McCullum to be out for 47.

How and Fleming were untrou-V Javawardene c Sinclair b V led as they set about the run chase 31 for New Zealand until the 15th over, Kapugedera b Vettori when How was completely baffled Silva not out by a Malinga delivery which trapped him leg before wicket for 33

Cumming followed eight balls Maharoof lbw b Vettor later for 20 when he failed to read the famous "doosra" of Muttiah Muralidaran and succeeded only in nicking the ball to Kumar Sangakkara behind the stumps. Time is not an issue in a Test marked by a low-scoring first innings but the weather could be a factor, with two days remaining and

showers in the forecast. For New Zealand even to get close to their 504-run target, they will have to beat the current best fourth-innings winning performance of the West Indies. who made 418 for seven to beat Australia three years ago

### SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard at close on the third day of the second Test between New Zealand and Sri Lanka at the Basin Reserve on Sunday: SRI LANKA: First innings 268 (Sangakkara 156 n.o, Silva 61; Martin 3-50, Vettori 3-53) NEW ZEALAND: First innings 130 (McCullum 43; Malinga 5-68, Muralidaran 4-31) SRI LANKA: Second innings (overnight 225 for 5 in 71 overs) Tharanga Ibw b Martin 20 Jayasuriya c Fleming b Vettori 31 Sangakkara c Franklin b Bond 8

Malinga Ibw b Vettori 0 Muralidaran st McCullum b Vettori0 Extras: (lb-7, nb-4) 11 Total: (All out in 109.3 overs) 365 Fall of wickets: 1-44, 2-62, 3-62, 4-100, 5-168, 6-262, 7-350, 8-356, 9-365.10-365. Μ RW Bowler 0 3 67 Bond 19 23 1 98 2 Martin 42.3 6 130 Vettori 7 Franklin 25 8 63 0 NEW ZEALAND: Second innings Cumming c Sangakkara b Muralidaran 20 33 How Ibw b Malinga

Sinclair not out				10
Fleming not out				4
Extras: (b-5, nb-3	3)			8
Total: (For 2 wkts	in 22 d	overs	s)	75
Fall of wickets: 1-56, 2-60				
Bowler	0	Μ	R	w
Vaas	6	0	28	0
Malinga	6	1	20	1
Maharoof	5	1	17	0
Muralidaran	4	2	4	1
Jayasuriya	1	0	1	0

Toss: Sri Lanka

(IND)

Brian Jerling (RSA)

ettori

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### **Pollock picks** 400th victim PTI, Durban

Cricket South Africa (CSA) will honour Shaun Pollock for his feat of taking 400 Test wickets with a special ceremony during next week's second Test against India at the all-rounder's home pitch at Kingsmead Stadium here.

The veteran seamer took his 400th wicket when he claimed Rahul Dravid's scalp during India's second innings in the ongoing first Test in Johannesburg yesterday (on Saturday).

Cricket South Africa CEO Gerald Majola described Pollock's achievement as phenomenal.

"Cricket South Africa salutes Shaun Pollock on the incredible achievement of becoming the first South African to take 400 Test wickets. This puts him up there with some of the legends of world cricket, and he is certainly one of the greatest cricketers ever produced by South Africa.

"This is a richly deserved milestone in the career of a player who has always given his all for South Africa." Majola said it was most fitting that Pollock's 400th and 401st victims were Rahul Dravid and Sachin Tendulkar, two of the best batsmen in the world.

"He has followed in the footsteps of his famous father, Peter, and even more famous uncle, Graeme. But in one major way, he has surpassed them because his world triumphs have gone beyond one form of the game. Only last week, he was rated the world's best ODI all-rounder and bowler." he pointed out.

Pollock, who reached the milestone in his 103rd Test, said "I am chuffed to have taken so many wickets. I hope it continues tomorrow (on Monday) in order for us to win this Test." He also has more than 3,500 Test runs to his credit, including two centuries.

## Dalmiya to challenge **BCCI** ban

### PTI, Kolkata

Claiming that he has become a victim of conspiracy, Jagmohan Dalmiya Saturday vowed to challenge in a court of law the life ban imposed on him by the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI). "You can call it witch hunt, you can call it conspiracy. I have become a victim of it," Dalmiya said on his arrival here from Jaipur where the punitive action was taken against him at the board's special general meeting earlier in the day.

This (BCCI decision) will not go unchallenged. I will definitely challenge it," Dalmiya said adding he would decide his next course of action after talking to his lawyers.

Asked whether he would now step down from the CAB president's

# **Duncan on sticky wicket**

Fletcher has gone from national

hero to the most maligned man in

English cricket in the space of just

18 months and there is every

chance he will be one of the casual-

mastermind when England

regained the Ashes in the summer

of 2005, the Zimbabwean has been

equally widely blamed for losing

Fletcher finally made himself avail-

able to speak to the media, ques-

tions quickly turned to his position

he defended his dual role as coach

Fletcher showed no emotion as

"I've got a job to do," he said

(The rest of this match) is very

important and then we've got to go

He said he stood by all his selec-

tions so far on the tour and said

there was no reason why he, as

coach, shouldn't also be a selector.

been quite comfortable with who

"From my point of view we've

on to the fourth and fifth Tests."

within the England set-up.

So it was no surprise that when

Widely hailed as a coaching

ties of the tour.

them in Australia.

and selector.

# Cricket

AFP. Perth

Duncan Fletcher has been forced to defend his dual role as England coach and selector as the media searches for a scapegoat to blame

for the disastrous Ashes campaign. With Australia leading the series 2-0 and well on top in the third Test at the WACA ground here, Fletcher has come under attack in England and Australia for everything from poor preparation to ignoring form at the selection table and choosing favourites instead.

The two main selection issues were omitting Monty Panesar for the first two Tests for Ashley Giles and preferring wicketkeeper Geraint Jones to Chris Read because of Jones' superior batting. It hasn't helped Fletcher that when Panesar got his chance here, he was England's most dangerous bowler taking eight wickets for the

match, and that Jones has failed each time he's been at the crease.

Young English opener Alastair Cook

admitted to mixed emotions after

scoring what he called the best

century of his career against

Australia at the WACA ground here

six and a half hours for his 116, his

fifth Test century and his first against

Australia, only to perish in the third

had achieved Sunday, but disap-

pointed with himself that he got out

so close to the close of play.

He said he felt pride at what he

Cook defied the Australians for

AFP, Perth

Sunday.

last over of the day.

**Cook's best to date** said he felt he missed a golder Cricket

696 Test wickets at one end and Glenn McGrath with 551 at the other was as tough a test as there is in cricket

"It's hard work, you don't get a respite really," he said. "There are no free runs out there so you're made to work for every run and sometimes you just have to battle through it, and I think I did that quite well today (Sunday).

Cook caught behind, said he had tration throughout his innings as been impressed with the 21-year-Perth turned on another hot and humid dav.

"You've got to stick to a game plan against them and not get overawed with the situation and just try and play your game in your areas,' he said.

"I've been getting out nicking and thought I left the ball a bit better "Playing Australia in Australia is todav.'

Pigeon smells the urn

the series.

McGrath dismissed defiant opener Alastair Cook then nightwatchman Matthew Hoggard just before stumps on Sunday to leave Australia poised to win the third Test on the last day on Monday

hopefully at some stage tomorrow, then we can start celebrating and the Ashes will be back home," McGrath told a news conference after the fourth day at the WACA.

"He was prepared to do the hard When stumps were drawn on work and wait until we bowled a bad Sunday night, Kevin Pietersen was ball before he scored. He really unbeaten on 37 with Andrew Flintoff on applied himself well. "And (Ian Bell) has obviously two with only wicketkeeper Geraint Jones and the bowlers to come. matured a lot and got a lot of confi-

McGrath said Australia knew they dence in himself after the last 12 still had their work cut out getting the months. next two wickets but were confident of polishing off the tail once they made the breakthrough.

"If we can get

"He's come a long way so it's looking good for England in the future. He said Australia had seen in elaide that England could bat for a long innings, especially when the wicket was not too quick. Australia's bowlers were forced to "So we knew that if they applied themselves and got a couple of good partnerships together it was going to be hard work," he said.

"I thought he (Cook) batted excep-

tionally well. He set himself up for a

long innings and walked off with a

hundred," McGrath said.

Cricket **REUTERS**, Perth

Fast bowler Glenn McGrath said Australia were getting ready to celebrate regaining the Ashes with just five wickets needed to wrap up

out tomorrow again to get an even bigger one and get us close to the target," he said McGrath, who eventually had Cook showed immense concen-

old's concentration. "I thought he batted exceptionally well -- he applied himself and set himself for a long innings and walked off with a hundred," McGrath said

"He was prepared to do the hard work, really work hard and wait till we probably bowled a bad ball before he scored and he really applied himself well so I thought it

#### quite tough and it's nice to come out with a few runs at the end of the day,' Cook, who scored a double Cook said. century against Australia playing for Essex on the Ashes tour in 2005, was a big effort.' Cook said facing a bowling attack featuring Shane Warne with



Vettori was New Zealand's chief destroyer, at one stage sitting on a

### Tigers seal

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and Scotland at the Sher-e-Bangla National Stadium in Mirpur on Sunday:

### BANGLADESH

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Africa)

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# Kallis's no to

# anthem

## Cricket

AFP, Johannesburg

South African cricket, already reeling after the national team collapsed to 84 all out in the first Test against India, found itself enmeshed in front page controversy Sunday. The Sunday Times reported that vice-captain and star all-rounder Jacques Kallis refused to sing the

national anthem, while the Afrikaans newspaper Rapport published strong criticism of the sport's officials by spin bowler Nicky Boje, who retired suddenly when he was due to join the team for the Test.

Cricket South Africa (SA) will discuss with Kallis what the player describes as "good and valid personal reasons" why he does not sing the national anthem when it is played before international matches. The Sunday Times published an email from Kallis to a member of the public who had queried why he did not sing the anthem. Kallis wrote: "It is my choice whether I sing or do not sing the anthem. I certainly do not have to explain my reasons to anyone, especially you. I do have good

and valid personal reasons and I intend to keep it that way." Kallis refused to elaborate on his comments but Cricket SA chief

day, caught behind by wicketkeepe executive Gerald Majola said the Sahagir. issue would be discussed with the player after the Test. **BRIEF SCORES** National symbols are a particu-

larly sensitive issue in South Africa with a new anthem and new flag introduced when the country achieved majority rule in 1994.

Majola said Cricket SA "insists on having the SA anthem sung." He listed several reasons, including the enhancement and encouragement of nation-building and because it was "a bridge between the players and the

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spectators, unifying their support of

been explained to the players and

there had been no request from any

felt he had been harshly treated by the

selectors. "At some stage you have to

ask yourself where you are going and

where your loyalties lie. Mine are no

Jahurul 59, Rajin 10, Tushar 7,

Marshall 53, Kapali 1, Sahagir 4,

Baisya 3, Sharif 1, Enamul 34,

Shahjada 2 not out; Mpofu 2-70,

Garwe 4-100, Chigumbura 4-47)

Majola said these reasons had

Meanwhile, Boje told Rapport he

their nation and of each other."

player not to sing the anthem.

### Capello wants FROM PAGE 20

#### be signing him," coach Fabio Capello told a news conference on Saturday "We've got good players but we will sign if it is to improve the squad."

Gago, one of the stars of Argentina's team that won the Under 20 World Cup last year, has drawn comparisons with the Argentine and Real Madrid icon Fernando Redondo for his abundant talent and also his long, lank hairstyle.

## Sreesanth

FROM PAGE 17 SOUTHAFRICA: First innings 84 INDIA: Second innings (overnight 146-5

longer with the Proteas."	146-5)				
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domestic cricket for the Eagles	Sehwag c Gil				33
ranchise said an unhealthy situation Dravid c Boucher b Polloc					1
had developed in South African	Tendulkar b Pollock				14
cricket.	Laxman c Smith b Ntini				73
He said he believed several	Ganguly c Bo				25
players would opt to play their cricket	Dhoni c Boud			< C	18
in other countries if they were not	Kumble c Pri				1
selected for the 2007 World Cup in	Zaheer c Bou Sreesanth no		NUNI		37 6
the West Indies.					11
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players are playing for themselves	61, 5-119, 6				
and their own places and that is	219.	141, 1	140,	0-2	0, 0
unhealthy for SA cricket," said Boje.	Bowler	0	м	R	w
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FROM PAGE 17	Smith	3	0	26	0
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man Mohammad Shahjada for 47.					0
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day, caught behind by wicketkeeper	Kallis not out				24
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	Ganguly	1	0	11	0

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Umpires: Simon Taufel (AUS), post. Dalmiva said. "I will talk to my lawyers first, see what the rules say Match referee: Javagal Srinath and then take a decision.'

# Press redefines

the 'Ashes' AFP, London

"Appalling Shameful Horrific England Shambles" -- that was how Britain's biggest-selling Sunday paper spelt out its view of the performance which has put England all but out of the Ashes series.

Skipper Andrew Flintoff is likely to be the first casualty of the slump, the News of the World added predicting that Michael Vaughan, under whose leadership England regained the urn last year, would return for next month's one-day series. "I can't tell you how sombre a

place our dressing room is at the moment." wrote batsman Kevin Pietersen in his column for the same paper

"It still hurts to be going down to the Aussies like this. I'm feeling pretty low right now ... we are not giving the Aussies a fight at the moment.' As well as feeling downhearted

about their performance, players had also been hit by the news that spinner Ashley Giles was flying home to be with his wife, who was diagnosed with a brain tumour.

"It was a horrible moment when he told me. I felt ill," Pietersen wrote. Many papers point the finger of blame for England's display at

coach Duncan Fletcher -- the Sunday Times headlined its double page spread: "High Price For Fletcher Folly"

The Zimbabwean has faced criticism for selections including leaving spinner Monty Panesar, a star performer at the WACA, out of the first two tests in favour of Giles.

This decision was included in a list of "ten ways in which England got it wrong" compiled by the paper. coach's team, moulded and prepared the way he sees fit".

He is now "in dire straits" and at the "mercy of critics", the paper added

England would need to bat then hopefully we can wrap it up,' through the final day to salvage a McGrath said. draw or pull off a miracle to win after slumping to 265 for five chasing 557 work hard on Sunday with Cook to win. making 116 and Ian Bell 87 to stall

But McGrath said the Australians were confident of finishing off the tourists on Monday to take an unbeatable 3-0 lead in the five-match series and regain the Ashes they lost last vear

"As soon as that last wicket falls, the screws.

# Mashrafee's delights

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there had been no serious damage. "When I tell my friends like Raj (Abdur Razzak), Rasel (Syed) and Aftab (Ahmed) that I am feeling pain they replied, 'you always tell that you have pain but still you play the game. My teammates used to encourage me and stand beside me in bad times.

"When I gave away 18 runs off the last over against Zimbabwe everyone came to me and said, 'if you bowl 100 times they would not take 18 runs from you.' They help me in many, many ways," said Mashrafee adding that to bowl out Australian skipper Ricky Ponting at the Fatullah Stadium in last April was his best delivery

"To have a fast bowler with most amounts of ODI wickets in the whole world is wonderful. Great statistics. we should tell the whole world about it. He is a very good player," was the response of Bangladesh coach Day Whatmore on Mashrafee.

The Sri Lankan-born Australian also heaped praised on left-handed opener Shahriar Nafees who became the first Bangladeshi batsman to score 1.000 runs this year.

"You can not say that I have achieved the target because I am just one part of the whole feature. Yes we have some very good individual performances. Nafees has the ability to score hundred after hundred after hundred. In a very short space of time in his career he is also a terrific thing to have in your team when you think of all the other players who have played for Bangladesh," he explained.

Whatmore was also delighted about his team's overall result.

"It is a good feeling that we have won 18 out of 28 games (this year). I think it is a good reflection of the sort of

cricket we have been plaving. Ok. the opposition is being Zimbabwe for most of the time but against any opposition we cannot be relaxed.

"It would have been nice to mix in couple of stronger teams in the last 20 months. To my way of thinking it is very important to play teams like Scotland and Zimbabwe. If you had the perfect world it would be in between or either side of good, stronger competitions, high ranked teams but you can not always have that," he said.

### New dawn FROM PAGE 20

The players will also be bound by a strict code of conduct and all rules of the FIFA regarding local and foreign footballers transfers will be followed. There would be slight changes in game rules, like four yellow cards for a one-match ban on booters rather than two but otherwise, the league will follow all standard procedures implemented by the world governing body.

Doping control would be introduced gradually. Breaching code of conducts and

rules will be subject to heavy punishment in the shape of fines. There would be punishment for foul playing and a club receiving four cautions in a match will be fined Tk 10.000.

There would be new duties of the clubs as they will be in charge of managing every home match, starting from printing and selling tickets to providing security under the BFF guideline. The BFF will get ten per cent of the profit from ticket selling.

The BFF, which will evaluate the club's budget and financial commitments regularly, will divide profits made from its B. League account to the clubs and to other development programmes.

their push for victory. "So we just tried to stick at it all day, The pair batted through the first three and a half hours of the day in a really keep the pressure on and not let 170-run partnership for the second them get too far away from us and we wicket and it was not until the final were rewarded with those last two session that Australia finally turned wickets because of that.'

> Cook takes FROM PAGE 20 ENGLAND: First innings 215

(Pietersen 70) AUSTRALIA: Second innings 527 for five declared (Clarke 135 not out, Hussey 103, Gilchrist 102 not out). ENGLAND: Second innings (19 for

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Lee	19	3	49	1	
McGrath	20	5	50	2	
Clark	17	5	31	1	
Warne	31	4	100	1	
Symonds	9	1	28	0	

Toss: Australia Umpires: Aleem Dar (PAK) Rudi Koertzen (RSA)

Match referee: Jeff Crowe (NZL)

## **Rijkaard takes**

### FROM PAGE 20

'I was not able to support the team as a coach and I feel sorry for that Maybe I made a few mistakes but football is a sport and losing a game is not the end of the world."

Star player Ronaldinho. who was leaving on a private jet for Monday's World Player of the Year ceremony in Zurich, said Barca would bounce back.

"Inter played very well defensively and now we have to win the Champions League to come here again," he said.

"The scored with the only chance they had. We're going to analyse the match and we'll try to learn from this."

Fletcher also faced flak from the Sunday Express, which noted that "this England is very much the