Shishu Kishore

back in business

It was a better day for

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the field at full strength and

posted two goals past Agrani

shishu kishore, playing with

eight players, were reduced to

six after 37 minutes, by which

time they were trailing four

nil. The umpires had to call off

play because a team must have

at least seven players on the

Bangladesh Sporting, they took

the field with seven men and

paid the penalty of a 5-0

story, Nasir gave shishu

kishore the lead in the ninth

minute while Ghalib made it 2-

0 by converting a penalty

day, Bangladesh Sporting beat

combined sporting by the odd

goal in three to record a vital

count for Bangladesh Sporting

in the 19th minute while

Anwar doubled the margin six

minutes later from a penalty

margin in the 52nd minute.

National bridge

from Jan 31

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four-man duplicate bridge

championships will begin in

the city from January 31, ac-

cording to a Dhaka Metropolis

Bridge Association press re-

will host the meet.

tionals.

premises:

the breather.

Officers' Club, Bailey Road,

As a result, the regular

events of the DMBA will re-

main suspended from Jan 25

to allow the intending partici-

pants to prepare for the na-

the results of the DMBA 'Pair-

of-the-Month' duplicate bridge

contest held last Friday at the

Bangladesh Bank Club

N. G. Saha (59.72 percent);

Second: Humayn Kabir and A.

K. M. Azizur Rahman (58.6)

percent); Third: Anisul Haque

Razu and Saidur Rahman

Russell (55.69 Percent); and

Fourth: T. R. Chowdhury and

M. A. Quddus (54.72 percent).

Handball results

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Narinda Union Samaj Kalyan

Parishad (Nicecop) won their

respective matches in the

Nicecop overcame the first

half resistance to beat

Arunayaton 17-12 in the day's

second match. Both sides were

Nicecop with eight goals while

Akul with five goals was the

A R Khan

chief arbiter

chess arbiter Dr. A.R. Khan has

been appointed chief arbiter of

World Chess championship be-

tween Indian grandmaster

Vishwanath Anand and Soviet

Grandmaster Alexeidreev, re-

The match begins in

Madras, India on January 23.

Dr. Khan leaves here for the

Southern Indian sea port to-

morrow to perform his re-

within 12 months he will be

Guy Waters said: "I'm sorry

didn't bring the title back for

Australia, but I don't feel bad.

the world champ."

ports BSS.

the challenger match of the

The renowned Bangladesh

Arunayaton leading scorer.

Mukesh topscored for

loked 5-5 all at the breather.

Christian Youth Club and

First: Md. Abul Hossain and

Meanwhile, following are

The national open pairs and

Combined reduced the

stroke in the 33rd.

Yesterday it was a different

In the other match of the

Ehtesham opened the ac-

In their next match, against

field for play to proceed.

thrashing.

corner.

Against Raktim sangha

bank without reply.

Gulshan beat Rupali

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119-run stand Saiful and Tito helped Gulshan Youth to register a con-

vincing five wicket win over Rupali Bank in the Navana Premier Division cricket league match which ended at the Dhanmandi Cricket Stadium yesterday. It was Gulshan's first win in two matches and will no doubt go some way in crasing the bad memory of the one-day drubbing suffered in their league opener against Mohammedan Sporting.

Gulshan began the day on 62 without loss and needing another 146 runs in the remaining 55 of the stipulated 75 overs to overhaul Rupali bank's modest total of 207 all out on Saturday. Saiful, who

Jan 20: New Zea-

from the squad

sclectors

which lost the World Series

Cup final to Australia in the

lineup for the first two one-day

international and first Test

against Srt Lanka named today,

for batsman Mark Greatbatch

at the expense of Rod Latham

while wicketke per lan Smith

replaces Bryan Young and

medium paced seam bowler

Willie Watson takes the place

of offspinner Grant Bradburn

Surprisingly, New Zealand

in the 13-man one-day squad.

will go into the one-day inter-

nationals in Napier on Saturday

The one-day squad is:

MELBOURNE, Jan

thought it was

better than last

time. Elder sister

Katerina thought

Magdalena

Martin Crowe (captain), John

it was worse. The Maleeva

sisters agree, however, that it

remains an uncomfortable

experience.

Maleeva.

For the second successive

Grand Slam tournament, the

two Bulgarians were forced to

do something they never do

otherwise - - play a serious

game of tennis against each

Katerina won 6-3, 6-1 in the

first round. Today Magdalena,

the youngest player at the

Australian Open at 15, won one

more game before going down

"It's difficult because it's my

6-3, 6-2 in the fourth round

sister. It's difficult to play my

own game," said Magdalena

later. But I'm getting used to

it. It's easier, and today I was

about the match over breakfast

but had warmed up together.

at the changeovers and had a

sisterly argument over

whether one of Katerina's

Magdalena said the linesman's

call of out was correct and

after a minor grumble Katerina

all over, Katerina walked round

the net to give Magdalena a

not enjoy the match, perhaps

because it reminded her that

one day Magdalena, one of the

future starts of women's ten-

nis, will beat her just as

Katerina eventually managed to

beat the third Maleeva sister.

Katerina, 21, said she did

kiss of commiseration.

When the baseline duel was

serves was in or out

The pair had not talked

They smiled at one another

not so nervous'

played on.

Manuela.

to Katerina, the fifth seed.

At the US Open last year,

and Auckland on January 28.

without a specialist spinner.

The selectors have opted

reports Reuter.

cricket

changes

was 30 not out and Tito 19 not out overnight, started where they had left off the previous night and got the better of the Rupali bowlers to add another 59 runs before being parted. The pair played out almost half the team's quota of overs--- 37 to be precise --- before the Rupali bowlers managed a breakthrough. Saiful made 67 and Tito 42.

once the openers departed Gulshan faced a mini crisis with their star recruits---Indian Test discards Ashok Malhotra and Arun Lal---falling cheaply. Malhotra, whose best years seem to be well behind him, was run out for six while Arun Lal, who many people feel is a trifle unlucky not be playing for India despite his terrific run of scores in the Ranji Trophy for West Bengal, managed only 15 before being

Kiwis name Test, one-day side

MARTIN CROWE

Wright, Richard Reid, Andrew

Jones, Mark Greatbatch, Ken

Rutherford, Chris Harris, Ian

Smith, Gavin Larsen, Richard

Petrie, Chris Pringle, Danny

Wellington starting on January

31, the selectors made only

For the Maleevas it's an

uncomfortable feeling

Manuela, 24 this year and

seeded seventh here, was

beaten by Germany's Anke

play a real game and it's get-

ting tougher for me to play

her," said Katerina. "It's too

bad we met but there are

worse things in life. It's the

"It's impossible for us to

Huber in the second round.

For the first Test in

Morrison, Willie Watson.

caught by Babu off Pallab's bowling.

However Malhotra and Lal had done more than their bit for Gulshan by bagging three wickets apiece on Saturday.

When victory came Gulshan's way Rome was unbeaten on 27 and Shabbir on Babu was the most success-

ful Rupali Bank bowler claim-

ing two for 39 off his 15 overs while Pallab got one for 23, the other two batsmen being run had topscored with 76 while

In the Rupali innings Dulu Babu made 34 and Prince an unbeaten 33 with extras bolstering the bank balance by healthy 32 runs.

one surprise selection, bring-

ing back the previously out of

favour all-rounder Shane

Trevor Franklin and offspinner

Bradburn return to the side for

first Test is: Martin Growe

(captain), John Wright, Trevor

Franklin, Andrew Jones, Mark

Greatbatch, Ken Rutherford,

lan Smith, Grant Bradburn,

Danny Morrison, Chris Pringle,

Willie Watson, Shane Thomson.

sion not to take a specialist

spinner to the one-dayers, say-

ing it was plausible to use a

pace attack given the nature of

a spinner which he did in

Australia," he said. "In any

case, like all Asian players, the

Sri Lankans are good players of

cause their practice courts in

Sofia have no electricity or wa-

ter and rain drips through the

the money (for repairs) but

there are bigger problems than

finding us a place to practise,"

said Magdalena. "There are

people starving and dying be-

"The state does not have

"Andrew Jones can fill in as

New Zealand pitches.

Crowe defended the deci-

the first Test.

Lanky opening batsman

The 12-man squad for the

Tarun (Dhaka Stadium)

Today's match Brothers Union vs Surjo

The long overdue national Shishu Kishore XI yesterday in sports awards for leading the Delta Life Second Division super league at the hockey sportspersons and sports organisers of the country for the stadium. After going through years 1980 and 1981 were two consecutive matches withdistributed yesterday afternoon out a full implement of eleven players they managed to take at a ceremony held at the

> Presidential Advisor for Youth and Sports Alamgir M. A. Kabir graced the occasion as chief guest while the Additional Secretary in-charge of the Ministry Moshfequr Rahman presided.

Osmani Memorial Hall.

Fifteen persons, ten for the year 1980 and another five for 1981, received two-tola gold medals, Tk 5000 in cash and their citations for distinguished service to sports either as player or organiser.

The awards, introduced by the government in 1976, were last announced for 1979. The National Sports Council, which is entrusted with the task of selecting the awardees and making the presentations, never quite eduld explain the inordinate delay in their distribution.

Those who received the awards for 1980 were:

Siddigur Rahman-organiser, Lt. Gen (Retd) Mir Showkat Ali-organiser, Rashid Ahmed Jr-football, Abul Hasnat (posthumously)-organiser,

Qudrutullah Bhuiyan-football and tennis, Abdur Rahim-foot-

MELBOURNE, Jan

20: Steffi Graf

whisked into the

quarterfinals of

Open

The top-seeded German

tournament today leaving

herself plenty of time to go to

brushed aside outclassed

Czechoslovak Karina Habsudova

6-0, 6-1 for her fourth succes-

sive straight-sets win in pur-

suit of her fourth consecutive

Graf to demolish Habsudova, a

player ranked 127th in the

world, in the fourth round in

the sunshine of court one at

the Flinders Park national ten-

conference if she would prac-

tisc or train later in the day,

Graf said she already had her

bathing suit on and she was off

to the beach. "No chance" for

the casy matches, faces a po-

tentially more exacting job in

the quarter-finals against 10th

seed Jana Novotna of

Graf, quite happy to enjoy

practice and training.

Asked at a post-match news

It took just 36 minutes for

Australian Open crown.

nis centre.

the beach, reports Reuter.

Australian

tennis

Lt. Col. (retd) Matiur Rahman had to be brought on a wheelchair to receive his National Sports Award, 1981 from Presidential Advisor for Youth and Sports

Alamgir M.A. Kabir at the presentation ceremony at

ball, Major (Retd) Hafizuddin Ahmed-football, Bashir Ahmedhockey, Zeenat Ahmed-athletics and Abdus Salam

Osmani Memorial Hall yesterday.

Better late than never

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(posthumously)-hockey. The recipients for 1981

Chinghla Mong Chowdhury Mari-football, Brigadier K. M. Hasan-football, Atiquzzaman

Khan (posthumously)-cricket, Lt. Cc! (Retd) Motiur Rahmanorganiser, Mrs. Dolly Katherin · Cruz-athletics. The awards for late Abul

-Star photo

Hasnat and late Atiquzzaman Khan were handed over to their widows while Abdus Salam's son received it on behalf of his father.

"I've always said she has

such a big potential and so

think", she said.

rising delivery from Rackemann. The ball flew from Gooch's glove to keeper lan Healy, but Graf in quarters-final by then the England pair had

highest innings of the tour. Heavy rain continued to fall

last session.

Barcelona edge past Real Madrid

MADRID, Jan 20: An owngoal by Yugoslav defender Pedrag Spasic gave Spanish Soccer league leaders

Barcelona came under early

An xanco. Katerina is the last of the three Maleeva sisters left in the singles following her dispatch of Magdalena and the defeat of oldest sister Manuela

"I think she's improving . . but it's impossible for us to play our real games against each other," Katerina said after beating Magdalena, as she did

"It's getting even tougher. think she has the potential to beat other players. It's too bad we meet . . . but at least there'll be one of us in the



matches".

easy games. "The next match with Jana is going to be a much more difficult task, I

"But still it's good to have

Earlier, fifth seed Katerina Maleeva of Bulgaria beat 15year-old younger sister Magdalena 6-3, 6-2 and sixth-Vicario of Spain overcame American Amy Frazier, the

much talent. I always put her (among) the ones who are always going to be tough for the future". "I think the match was very even and she won the long tough points and that's what basically helped her win the match", Wimbledon finalist Garrison said. Garrison had disputed the points count in the doubles match on Saturday in which she and fellow American Pam Shriver were beaten by Novotna and American Gigi Fernandez. "I don't have any respect for either one, I don't think", she Novotna acknowledged

there and been confusion, but said: "It is not our fault, whatever happened there, if something was bad, it was the mis-

these matches to play well and to be able to enjoy it and not to worry about too much. I go into it and enjoy playing those

seeded Arantxa Sanchez 13th seed, by the same score.

Graf anticipantes no more

take of the umpire and the mistake also of them because they didn't check it properly at the time". in the second round. US Open.

in the first round of the last

quarters".

Trying to step out of big brother's shadow

MELBOURNE, Jan 20: On the first anniversary of John McEnroe's explusion from the Australian Open today, his younger brother Patrick joined Boris Becker in the quarter-finals of this year's Grand Slam tournament, reports Reuter. Patrick beat Mark

Woodforde 6-2, 6-4, 6-1 in a controlled performance which the Australian left-hander compared with the best of the more talented and temperamental John, missing in Melbourne because of a shoulder injury. "Patrick played very well,

he just came up with all the answers and really outplayed me today," said Woodforde, John's doubles partner. "He's very confident on court at the moment".

However, Becker is still looking for his touch. He lost his opening service game to qualifier Wayne Ferreira and looked tired following his marathon third round win over Italian Omar Camporese two days ago, the longest match in Open history.

The German second seed was happy to slug it out from the baseline for long periods with the 19-year-old South African who showed no fear, especially in a second set tiebreak. But Becker's experience finally prevailed and he

won 6-4, 7-6, 6-4. The big names in women's tennis continued their untroubled progress towards their allotted semifinal places with top seed Steffi Graf losing one game, French Open champion



Monica Seles three and US Open champion Gabriela

Sabatini four. Thrid seeded Mary Joe Fernandez of the United States had it tougher in a 6-3,6-3 win over Belgium's Sabine

Appelmans and now meets Katerina Maleeva of Bulgaria who beat her 15-year-old stster Magdalena, the youngest player in the tournament, 6-3, Ranked 114 in the world, Mc Enroe has been a revela-

tion on his Australian debut. On Sunday he applied the pressure with no-nonsense tennis of the highest order, based on a double-handed backhand which rarely failed

He wavered only one in

concentration when leading 3-0 in the second set. After receiving a warning for racket abuse at the change of ends, Woodforde fought back to 4-3 before Mc Enroe regained control and ran away with the match.

"I'm playing more consistently, the difference between today and my first match is like night and day," said Mc "My goal is to be the best

tennis player I can be".

His brother John, once world number one, was expelled from last year's tournament for repeated bad behaviour.

Patrick now plays Cristiano Caratti of Italy who beat Dutchman Richard Krajicek 6-3, 6-4, 6-7, 3-6, 6-4. Becker plays Frenchman Guy Forget,

the 10th seed, who continued his good run by downing Australia's Todd Woodbridge 6-4, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4. Eighth seed Zina Garrison lost to Czechoslovakia's Jana Novotna, seeded 10th, and

Soviet Natalia Zvereva, the 11th seed, was beaten 6-3, 6-4 by unseeded 16-year-old German Anke Huber. Graf said she was looking forward to some competiton

from Novotna in the next round after dropping just 11 games so far. But she is losing no sleep

over the match. After her 6-0, 6-1 defeat of Czecholovakia's

Karina Habsudova she went to the beach rather than practise.

Morris stakes Test claim

CARRARA(Australia), Jan 20: England batsman John Morris staked his claim for a test match position against Australia with a century Sunday against Queensland state on the rain-shortened third day of a four-day cricket match, re-

ports AP. Morris beat the storm 10 minutes before the tea break at Carrara Oval en route tol 18 not out, including 15 fours. England is 253-3 in reply to Queensland's first innings total

of 286. England plays Australia in the fourth Ashes Test match beginning Friday in Adelaide, with a fifth scheduled for Perth next month. Australia already has clinched the series, winning the first two matches and drawing the third.

The 26-year-Derbyshire right hander hopes his innings Sunday is enough to impress England tour selectors.

"I thought my tour was over with just two Tests to play after this game," Morris said. "But if I get called on for the Test I believe I am ready.'

Morris joined skipper Graham Gooch with England in trouble at 41-2 after night watchman Jack Russell became Australian bowler Carl Rackemann's first victim.

Morris and Gooch took the England score to 210 before Gooch was out on a sharply

added 169 runs in 179 minutes. Gooch made 93, his

at the Oval after the tea break and the match umpires ruled that no play was possible in the Scores: Queensland 1st in-

nings 286; England 1st innings 253-3 (John Morris 118 not out, Graham Gooch 93).

Barcelona a 2-1 home victory over struggling arch rivals Real Madrid on Saturday, reports Reuter. The second half blunder

shattered Real's morale and left them 10 points behind Barcelona.

pressure and escaped a penalty decision when the referee ignored a foul on real striker lugo Sanchez by Jose

Dane Michael Laudrup put Burrelona ahead in the 20th minute when he hooked home a pass from Juan Goikoetxea in the Real area after shaking off Spasic, back after two months.

Real equalised eight minutes later when midfielder Santiago Aragon chipped left to Emilio Butragueno in the Catalans' area and the striker thumped the ball past goalkeeper Andoni Zubizarreta. Spasic's 62nd minute

header into his own goal off a shot from Guillermo Amor knocked Real out of their stride. Spasic, who replaced sus-

pended Manuel Sanchis, nearly atoned with another header in the Barcelona area moments later, but Zubizarreta just reached the ball. Brahmanbaria

North win Khalek Gold Cup cricket

opener BRAHMANBARIA, Jan 20:

The Haji A Khalek Gold Cup cricket league began at the local Niaz Cricket Stadium today, reports UNB. in the inaugural match,

Brahmanbaria North defeated Brahmanbaria South by seven runs in a closely contested one-day match.

Put in to bat, North were all out for 103. in reply, South managed

only 96 before being all out. Fifteen teams of the district are taking part in the league organised by the Brahmanbaria Krira Sangstha.

Deputy Commissioner Khabiruddin Ahmed inaugurated the league in the morn-

Rubel of Brahmanbaria North took five wickets for 11 runs while Arif scored 22 and became the highest scorer of

the match. Pairtala United Club will take on Akhaura United Club

tomorrow at the same venue. Fenech ready

ADELAIDE, Jan 20 -Jeff

Fenech surveyed his fragile hands Sunday and declared them ready to win him a fourth world boxing title, reports AP. The unbeaten Australian

came through his first fight in 14 months unscathed, stopping Canadian John Kahlbenn in the fourth round of 10round lightweight bout at Memorial Drive on Saturday

manage to get everything going sponsibility in the match. Andries retains title

ADELAIDE, Jan 20 : England's Dennis Andries retained his World Boxing Council world light heavy weight crown here Saturday, scoring a unanimous points victory over Australian challenger Guy Waters, reports

THE MALEEVA FAMILY: Left to right: Manuela Maleeva-Fragniere, mother Yulia

Berberian (nine times Bulgarian champion), Magdalena Maleeva and Katerina

price we have to pay for the

me one day', she added with a

tight smile that hinted such

happiness would not be unbri-

tennis, both sisters were more

animated when discussiong

for the next four months be-

their homeland.

While ready to talk about

They are staying overseas

"I'll be happy if she beats

three of us being so good."

Andries, at least two inches (5 centimetres) shorter and Il years older than his opponent, was too experienced and too aggressive for the 26-year-

Waters weathered a storm of punches during the sixth, seventh and eight rounds, but managed to avoid Andries' ferocious right hand throughout As Andries appeared to tire

a little in the last three rounds

of the 12 round contest, the

Australian started to show

some of the aggression he

failed to show earlier.

Waters found his timing self," Stewart said. "But I think about the ninth round, started score well and to look strongger, but he was already too far behind on points to catch up.

cause they do not have any-

Bulgaria, told them by tele-

phone on Saturday he did not

know what he was going to eat

very sad because I think it was just luck that after World War

Two the communists came to

Bulgaria," said Katerina. "I

hope again one day we will

" I feel very sorry and I feel

Their father, still in

thing to cat".

Nevertheless, Waters was judged to have acquitted himself well, the three U.S. judges scoring the match 115-114, 117-113 and 116-112.

It was Andries 39th win from 49 professional fights, 24 by knockout.

Andries, a West Indian born British citizen now based in the United States, reclaimed the WBS crown last July when he knocked out Australia's Jeff Harding in Melbourne.

At the end of the bout Andries' trainer Emmanuel Stewart described Waters as the best light heavyweight in Australia. "His problem was that he

didn't have confidence in him-

Maybe Ishould have picked up my pace a bit but that's the way it goes."

AP adds: Andrics, who improved his record to 39-8-2, now is set for a chird meeting with another Australian-Jeff Harding.

"We are ready for Harding and the venue will be decided by where the most dollars are," said Andries' trainer, Emanuel Andries said he also would consider giving Waters a re-

"One week and I'm ready for my next victim," he said. "Emanuel is the captain of ship. Whatever he says

match in the future.

Novotna overcame eight American Zina secded Garrison 7-6, 6-4. Garrison was still angry with the Czechoslovak following umpir-

"But there were no clouds sometimes I would ask a little bit more competition," she

Second Division handball super league yesterday at the Outer ing confusion in a doubles match in which they had Christian Youth led 11-3 at clashed the previous day. Swapon and Salauddin of Christian Youth and Rezaul of Kurmitola scored four goals each for their respective team.

Czechoslovakia.

on Grass horizon. I enjoy playing those kind of matches, even if they are short, and