

## Sport

## Zia's feat

Sports Reporter

International Master Ziaur Rahman emerged runner-up in the Asian under-20 chess championship, which concluded yesterday at Doha, the capital of Qatar.

Ibad Zia, who finished with seven and a half points and whose second position had to be settled through tie-breaker, won in his last round match against Kangwal of India, he would have finished at the top. But he lost and saw Naqeen Kai Dong of Vietnam walk away with the championship.

Meanwhile, the Second Division chess league, organised by the Bangladesh Chess Federation, begins today at the National Sports Council chess room.

More than twenty teams are taking part in the Swiss league meet.

## Kabaddi league from Friday

Sports Reporter

The Dhaka kabaddi league, organised by the Bangladesh Kabaddi Federation, gets underway at the Outer Stadium court from Friday.

Two matches are scheduled for the opening day — Mirpur Judo Sangha vs Anirban Sanskritik Sangsads; and BRA Recreation Club vs Bara Goali Judo Sangha.

## Schools b'ball from tomorrow

Sports Reporter

The National King Fan schools basketball championship begins tomorrow. A press conference will be held at the National Sports Council conference room today in this connection.

## AIPSSCB clinch Moin-ud-Dowlah Gold Cup

AIPSSCB cricket team lifted the Hyderabad Moin-ud-Dowlah Gold Cup invitation tournament beating India Cements by two runs in the final played at Lal Bahadur Shastri Stadium yesterday, according to a faxed message received by BCCB last night, reports UNB.

The winners batted first and were all out for 263 runs with Baskar Pillai scoring 68, A Kale 54 and Nandan 46 while S Sharma of the losing team claimed 2 for 62.

In reply, India Cements fell two runs short reaching 261 with Chandrashekhar's 82 and Srikanth's 30. Maninder claimed two wickets giving away 40 runs and Wason took one for 56.

Bangladesh Cricket Control Board Eleven, who failed to reach the semifinals of the invitation tournament, had earlier defeated the champions AIPSSCB in a practice match.

The BCCB Eleven was ousted from the tournament after a shocking 43-run defeat in the hands of Chempat XI on September 8 in their second group match.

Assistant Manager Tanjeeb Ahsan Saad in the message said the BCCB Eleven is due to leave for Indian port city of Bombay where they will play five or six preparation matches for the next ICC Trophy cricket tournaments to be held in Kenya next February.

## Kent beat Zimbabwe

CANTERBURY, England, Sept 14: Kent beat Zimbabwe by 196 runs in their three-day cricket match ending on Monday, reports Reuter.

Scores: Kent 264 and 68-1 declared, Zimbabwe 53-1 and 83 (M Ealham 5-14, D Spencer 4-46).

## Tragic remains

USA, Sept 14: Zambian investigators have located wreckage from the Zambian Air Forces plane which crashed off the coast of Gabon in April killing 18 members of the national soccer team. Foreign Minister Vernon Mwanga said, reports Reuter.

The plane went down shortly after taking off from Libreville, killing all 30 people aboard. It was taking the national soccer team to play a World Cup qualifier against Senegal.

Zambia have complained bitterly over what they say is the un-co-operative attitude of the Gabonese government in helping with the investigation.

## Australia won't be off guard

SYDNEY, Sept 14: Australia will play two warmup matches against South Korea to prepare for their World Cup playoff series against Argentina, coach Eddie Thomson announced Tuesday, reports AP.

An Australian team without its European-based stars will play the two matches in South Korea on Sept 24 and 26.

Australia will play Argentina in Sydney on Oct 31 and in Buenos Aires two weeks later to decide which team advances to the 1994 World Cup finals in the United States.

## BU on Mohammedans' toast

Sports Reporter



Title-aspirants Mohammedan Sporting Club finally sealed this year's Star Premier League championship when they mesmerised strong Brothers Union 3-0 at the Dhaka Stadium yesterday.

It was an anticlimactic climax of the long drawn out drama of this year's league as Mohammedans built an almost unsurpassable hiatus with their nearest rivals and none knew it better than Brothers Union.

The Gopibagh side, which held Mohammedans to a two-all

do: Mohammedans have to be worst kind of wastrels as they were in the first phase encounter to dead-lift Abahani.

All these might sound very annoying beating about the bush but the bottom-line of it is Mohammedans are deservedly and majestically poised for the title and their last night's performance before perhaps the biggest turn out of the season was more than a confirmation of it.

The black and whites simply destroyed the men in orange. Mohammedans needed just ten minutes to make their intention

san Kanan, the national custodian back under the Mohammedan bar after completing his six-match suspension on disciplinary grounds, had almost nothing to do barring one or two occasions. The Mohammedan defence, led by two wing backs — Russian Roman and local Barun, faltered rarely and when they did Brothers forwards were not agile or resourceful enough to cash in on the lapses.

Riding merrily on their twin lead, Mohammedans slackened the electrifying pace in the latter half. It was relatively un-



Mohammedan Sporting Club's Aslam, who scored the first goal for his side, outmaneuvers Brothers Union captain Moon for the control of the ball during yesterday's crucial Star Premier Division football league tie at the Dhaka Stadium. Mohammedans took a giant stride towards the league title with a facile 3-0 triumph.

draw in the first phase, badly needed to win the match, to be in with a slim chance of winning their first league title.

Known as 'mud kings' for their galvanised power football on muddy strip, Brothers Union yesterday took the field with 22 points 15 matches.

Mohammedans, on the other hand, had garnered 26 points from 15 matches before yesterday's 29th clash between the two teams, good three points ahead of arch rivals Abahani Kira Chakra, champions for the last two years.

When Malaysian referee, Nik Ahmed Haji Yaakub, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mourat had a big hand in Mohammedans' first goal that came in the 19th minute. A dangerous back-pass was made by the two teams, good three points ahead of arch rivals Abahani Kira Chakra, champions for the last two years.

When Malaysian referee, Nik Ahmed Haji Yaakub, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abahani but may have left the league to a premature denouement.

Mohammedans, the first official from abroad to supervise a local league match blew the long whistle, Mohammedans not only succeeded in retaining the distance with Abah