Jansher made

to stretch

DOHA, Nov 16: World

champion Jansher Khan was

made to fight all the way by

Australian fifth seed Rodney

Eyles, one of only two players to

beat him this year, before win-

ning a place in the semifinals of

'Locals' leave

ITF meet early

RAJSHAHI, Nov 16: Bang-

ladeshi players made their early

exit from the Gold Leaf ITF

Circuit Tennis tournament after

losing their all encounters at

the Rajshahi 'Tennis Complex

rounds, the main draw of the

singles competition began today

with Bangladeshi player Prince

lost to top seed Frank Ofori of

main draw matches and four

doubles of the qualifying rounds

In the singles third seed

Thomas Anderson (Denmark)

beat Almos Toth (Hungary) 6-4.

6-4; fifth seed Barry Cowan

(Britain) defeated James

Davidson (Britain) 6-0, 6-3;

Ricordo Rulio (Spain) overcame

seventh seed Cedric Melot

(Belgium) 7-6, 6-7, 6-3; Vinod

Ramachandran (India) beat

Merc Becker (Germany) 7-5, 6-

3: James Fox (Britain) out-

played Yang Chan (Thailand) 6-

Besides, seven other singles

After two days of qualifying

today, reports UNB.

Ghana 1-6, 0-6.

were also decided.



Brothers Union defeated Gulshan Youth by 44 runs in yesterday's lone Navana Premier Division encoun-

ter to be back on winning ways · following a stunning six wicket loss to Greater Mymensingh Cricket Club (GMCC) last week.

Sent in to bat by Gulshan skipper Rafiqul Alam, Brothers collected 184 for seven wickets in unspectacular fashion with none of their batsman ever appearing to threaten the pedestrian Gulshan attack on a bland wicket.

However Rafiq who switched to Gulshan from Mohammedans only this year made an interesting tactical move in the morning that had the smack of one of the enduring memories of the last World Cup cricket championship in Australia -New Zealand captain Martin Crowe opening the attack with off-spinner Dipak Patel - when the former national player brought left-arm spinner Asif from one end to share the new ball with his main pace bowler

Joydev Basak. The ploy did not really unsettle Brothers' seasoned opening pair of Zahid Razzak Masum and captain Nurul Abedin Nobel, both of whom went about their task of giving their side a solid start with discreet mixture of caution and aggression.

Masum who was rather unfortunate in missing the two one-day matches between Bangladesh and Zimbabwe recently played in Dhaka, was the first to go with Brothers on 44 for a quite quiet 23 by his own flamboyant standard. His partner Nobel, fighting hard to win back the confidence of the se-Windies annihilate India

AHMEDABAD.

India, Nov 16: The

fiery West Indian

pace attack redu-

ced India to ashes

Tuesday to snatch

a dramatic victory in a low-

scoring Hero Cup match marred

by unruly crowd behaviour.

overs on an uneven wicket, the

West Indies paid India back by

bowling the hosts out for 100 in

28.3 overs to record their sec-

ond win in the five-nation tour-

was only 69 runs as India's tar-

get was reduced to 170 after

two interruptions totalling 35

minutes due to bad light and

Curtley Ambrose, Courtney

Walsh an Winston Benjamin

ripped through the Indian bat-

ting before more than 45,000

stunned home fans at the

five minutes due to bad light

play was suspended again for

30 minutes as stones and fruit

peels flew onto the field from

the packed galleries, hitting

some of the West Indian fielders

posted near the boundary fence.

An angry West Indian cap-

tain Richie Richardson led his

team off the field as organisers

made repeated requests to the

spectators on the public ad-

second interruption with India

struggling at 61 for six, the

When play resumed after the

dress system to calm down.

After a brief interruption of

Motera Stadium.

The West Indian pace trio of

incidents of stone throwing.

The victory margin, however,

Restricted to 202-7 in 50

reports AFP.

nament.

Sports Reporter lectors and the coach of the Bangladesh team now preparing for the ICC Trophy in Kenya next year clung to his lately grown disposition of playing for self and grafted a 78-ball 40 before playing back to an innocuous but a trifle low delivery

before, But the Chittagonian who is the elder brother of former national skipper Minhazul Abedin Nannu stayed long enough to realise a 66-run partnership with young Habibul Bashar Suman for the second wicket.

from Rafiq to be adjudged leg

A spectacular catch by Ehsan at covers led to Suman's departure when the batsman tried to hit left-armer Asif over the top, for a well made 47 the top score of the Brothers in-

The young batsman played some lovely strokes on the offside but had problems with his placements and on-drives, most of which went into the air because of an apparent predominance of the bottom hand.

Shoeb remained unbeaten on 17 as Brothers finally managed 184 for seven from their quota of 45 overs with a few cheap wickets falling in the mad rush for runs in the slog overs.

Azhar Hossain Shantu, a former national player now going almost regularly down the batting order trooped back unconquered on 13. He also with Shri Lankan Amal Delugoda, who made 12 were the only other batsmen apart from the top three to get into the double figures.

Rafig and Asif claimed two wickets each giving away 37 and 40 runs respectively while Pival and Indian Arun Lal chipped in with one wicket apiece from the six Gulshan

Man of the match Winston

Benjamin took three wickets,

Walsh two and Ambrose one as

India's top six fell for just 55

runs, off-spinner Carl Hooper

completed the demolition act by

The impressive win fired

West Indies to the top of the

round robin table with two wins

from three matches an assured

India have a 1-1 score from two

with the bat negated a fine

spinner Anil Kumble; who took

Javagal Srinath (two for 33) in

Richardson's delight at win-

ning the toss and batting first

was shortlived as both in-form

openers Brian Lara and Phil

Simmons fell by the 13th over

direct throw from wicket-keeper

Vijay Yadav for Nine while left-

handed Lara was bowled by

Arthurton score 41 apiece dur-

ing a face-saving stand of 78 for

the third wicket, before a suc-

cession of quick wickets set

and turn, had Righardson

caught at long-off by Vinod

Kambli and then clean bowled

Arthurton with a delivery that

wickets of Carl Hooper and

Ronald Holder, who came into

Srinath chipped in with the

Kumble, generating bounce

Richardson and Keith

Simmons was run out by a

three for 24, and seamer

the West Indian innings.

with the score at 36.

Kumble for 23.

West Indies back.

turned sharply.

bowling performance by leg-

India's miserable display

them a place in the semi-finals.

matches.

picking up three tailenders.

bowlers used on the day.

A hostile opening spell by Shri Lankan paceman Fernando completely bottled up Gulshan openers Sajid and Liton, with the latter in fact giving Suman an easy catch in the covers off the bowling off Subrata to vent his frustration.

Arun Lal struggled although before being judged leg before to Fernando, a decision which did not particularly please the former Indian Test batsmen who could make only five.

Although Sajid, son of former national captain Rogibul Hassan maintained his feeble defiance at the other end Gulshan's hopes of making a match of it ended when Ashok Malhotra, the more fluent and resourceful of the two former Indian Test players playing for Gulshan Youth this year, was bowled by Rahul for 12. Worried by the thought to get on with the legacy of an illustrious father and the pressures of vindicating the brewing efforts to secure an inclusion in the national side, Sajid batted with Boycottesque determination for his tardy 56 made of 128 balls before being bowled by Shoeb for 56, the highest score of the match. Some relief for the young man who fell in a rul since his return from England

after attending an MCC coach ing camp. Ehsan offered a belated flourish with 23 but Gulshan were allout for 140 in the penultimate over. Off-spinner Shantu picked two wickets for 25 while Dalugoda bagged another two but at a cost of 15 runs from

five overs. TODAY'S MATCHES Abahani vs Surjatarun (Dhaka Stadium)

Biman vs Dhanmondi (DCS)

Jimmy Adams was unbeaten on

26 while Winston Benjamin was

In the next match Thursday,

India take on winless Zimbabwe

SCOREBOARD

nings in the Hero Cup one day

international between India and

the West Indies being played at

the Motera Stadium today.

WEST INDIES:

Richardson c Kambli

Arthurton b Kumble

Hooper c Yadav b Srinath

Extras: (b-1, lb-21, w-6)

Holder c Chauhan b Srinath

Total (for seven wickets, 50

Did not bat: Ambrose, Walsh

Fall of wickets: 1-34; 2-36

1 24

2 41

0 11

3-114, 4-128, 5-157, 6-177, 7

10

Prabhakar c Adams b Walsh

Kambli c Lara b Benjamin

Tendulkar c Adams b Walsh

Raman c Lara b Benjamin

Yadav st Adams b Hooper

Srinath c Harper b Hooper

Total: (All out, 28 3 overs)

Fall of wickets: 1 12, 2 18,

Result: West Indies won by

Man of the Match: Winston

69 runs (India's target reduced

to 170 after interruptions due

to bad light and unruly crowd

18

27

19

3-37, 4-40, 5-55, 6-55, 7-77, 8-

Azharuddin c Ambrose

Lara b Kumble

Adams not out

Harper run out

Benjamin not out

b Kumble

Bowling:

Prabhakar

Srinath

Kumble

Chauhan

Tendulkar

INDIA:

b Simmons

b Hooper

85 9-96

Bowling

Ambrose

Benjamin

Simmons

Hooper

behaviour)

Benjamin

Walsh

Dev Ibw b Ambrose

Sharma b Benjamin

Kumble c Benjamin

Chauhan not out

Extras: (lb-2, w-8)

Simmons run out

Scoreboard of the first in-

in Indore

1, 6-1, Mathias Boelsen [Germany) overpowered second seed Daiji Morri (Japan) 6-2, 5-7, 6-1, and Andre (Brazil) beat Sebastin Graff (Mongolia) 6-2. In the doubles Azad and Ujjal partner of Bangladesh lost to Christian Belihart and Emil

> Spigel lost to Backer and Corrales 5-9. Div II hockey Sports Reporter

Egerer 2-9. Asif and Zakir lost

to James Fox and Tom Spinks

1-9, Kibria and Ahmed lost to

Almos Toth and Sparkczak 3-9

Vinod Ramachandran and Matt

Mujibur Rahman's two goals helped Victoria Sporting Club trounce Agrani Bank Club 3-0 in the Green Delta Second Division hockey super league at

the Hockey Stadium yesterday. Mujibur found the net in the 7th and 47th minute respectively while Mohammad Hossain added another goal in the 40th minute.

This was Victoria's fifth consecutive win from five outings in the super league. They earned 15 points while the losers Agrani Bank have only three points from same number of matches.

In another match, Combined Sporting Club edged past Udity Club 1-0. Reaz Ali scored the lone goal

in the 59th minute. This was Combined's second

successive victory. They have collected six points while Udity have secured only three points.

### Dull, sterile draws in Div II

Sports Reporter

Both the matches in the Sonali Bank Second Division football league ended in goalless draws at the Outer Stadium vesterday.

Police drew with BG Press 0while in another encounter Avijatrik Malibagh finished with BJMC a tame 0-0 draw.

#### V'ball referees committee pick 18

Sports Reporter

The Referees Committee of the Bangladesh Volleyball Federation has announced the names of the scorers linesmen and referees for the forthcoming SAF Games to be held in Dhaka from December 20-27, according to a VRC press release issued on Monday in Dhaka.

The selected scorers are: Ershaduzzam; Gulam Mostafa, Strajul Islam, Abul Kalam Khan and Rumana Hug.

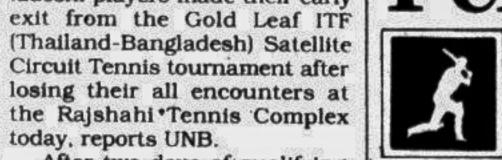
Manzur Alam, Nurul Islam, Nazrul Islam, Safar Ali, Sheikh Zubayer, Fazlul Hug, Igbal Hussain, Mujibur Rahman, Reza Ahmed, and Igbal Hussain Khan are the appointed lines-

The committee has already named three referees representing the host country. They are: Munirul Huq. Mofazzal Hossain and Anisur Rahman.

The above mentioned scortween two-time world champiers and linesmen are asked to ons Argentina and Australia, report to the BVF.

Bad knee forces Crowe to return home

## Perth Test ends in a draw



Reuter.

first cricket Test against

Australia on Tuesday, reports

PERTH, Australia. Nov 16: New Zealand captain Martin Crowe batt-Howarth. led through pain to help save the

Crowe, limping heavily after innings. aggravating a recurring knee injury, guided the tourists to a

rounds of the one-day series against Australia and South Africa early next year," said

The tourists also have injury worries surrounding paceman Willie Watson, who tore a hamstring muscle and did not bowl in the Australian second

Howarth said replacement batsman Chris Harris and

Australian batsman Mark Taylor cuts the ball during his innings of 142 not out on the final

day of the first Test in Perth against New Zealand yesterday, while Kiwi wicketkeeper Tony

medium-pacer Richard de

Groen would join the touring

party on Wednesday, Ken

Rutherford will captain the

cause he sustained the injury

before coming into the match.

grimaced with pain several

the worst possible start when

opener Mark Greatbatch was

first ball of the second innings.

side delivery from fast bowler

Craig McDermott, edging a

catch to wicketkeeper lan

pleted a fine unbeaten hun-

dred to become the first

Australian to score a century

on each of the six home Test

SCOREBOARD

of the first cricket Test be

tween Australia and New

398 (1 Healy 113 not out, M

Taylor 64, Paul Reiffel 51,

Argentina-Australia WC qualifier today

Basile wiser but uptight

the winners of the Oceania zone

who qualified after a play-off

victory over Canada from the

ConCaCaf zone, should end in a

Argentina, who have reached

three of the last four World Cup

finals, winning the tournament

in 1978 and 1986, drew the

first leg 1-1 in Sydney in a

Bastle was taking nothing for

granted leading up to the

game."I'm not going to comment

on how we plan to play because

the two times I did it we were

beaten by Colombia, said the

coach, who has promised to

step down if his team fails to

reach the finals in the United

Colombia beat Argentina 2-1

But Argentine coach Alifo

match they largely dominated.

Chris Cairns four for 113)

Zealand today

home victory.

Scoreboard on the fifth day

AUSTRALIA: First innings

Earlier, Mark Taylor com-

dismissed before lunch off the

The New Zealanders had

Greatbatch flicked at leg

times during his innings.

Crowe, denied a runner be-

Blain watches anxiously. The Test ended in a tame draw.

side.

Healy.

draw in a tense final session at

Crowe defled the Australian

bowlers for 132 minutes to fin-

spite constant discomfort.

ish the day on 31 not out, de-

303 for victory in a maximum

of 65 overs, New Zealand were

166 for four when Crowe and

Australian captain Allan Border

settling for a draw 30 minutes

before the scheduled end of

Immediately after play,

Crowe announced he would fly

home on Wednesday for

surgery on damaged ligaments

in his right knee, almost cer-

tainly ruling him out of the two

few days and I feel the best

thing is to get the surgery

done as quickly as possible."

"I've thought it over for a

"I certainly did not enjoy

New Zealand and coach

"We are still hopeful Martin

BUENOS AIRES.

Nov 16: Argentina

should become

the 24th and last

qualifier for next

year's World Cup

finals with a victory over

Australia in the second-leg of

their play-off late on Wed-

Earlier in the day the last 11

European qualifiers are being

played which will determine the

eight remaining berths from

the zones, the Argentina-

Australia match will be the

402nd and final qualifier since

the preliminary round matches

The tie in Buenos Aires be-

started nearly two years ago.

Because of the difference in

that continental grouping.

nesday, reports Reuter.

Geoff Howarth said Crowe

would be sidelined for three to

could be fit to play in the final

playing over the past few

remaining Test matches.

Crowe told reporters.

days," he said.

four weeks.

Set an imposing target of

the WACA ground.

NEW ZEALAND: First innings 419 for nine declared (A Jones 143, C Cairns 78)

nings (overnight 218 for one) Taylor not out Slater c Blain b Patel Boon not out Extras: (lb-6 nb-9) Total: (for one wicket declared) Fall of wickets: 1-198.

AUSTRALIA: Second in-142

the Qatar International on Monday, reports Reuter. He won 15-6, 9-15, 15-10, 15-4 in 54 minutes. The match was in stark contrast to the ill-tempered clash

on Sunday night between Jahangir Khan and Australian Rodney Martin when both players were knocked to the ground after mid-court collisions.

The Jansher-Eyles tie was a fine sporting encounter, with both players frequently taking tricky decisions out of the referee's hands by agreeing between themselves.

"I don't want to talk about last night's match but what happened was not good for squash," said Jansher. "I hope this match has helped clear the

The Pakistani world number one looked set for an easy passage as he stormed through the opening game in 15 minutes. But Eyles had other ideas and began to attack Jansher with a series of inch perfect drives and drop shots.

He had beaten Jansher in the semifinals of the Portuguese Open in March using similar tactics, recovering from two games and match point down. For a while he looked capable of repeating the feat.

He won the second game in 21 minutes to square the match and swiftly moved 6-2 ahead in the third.

Jansher was content to bide his time and as soon as Eyles relaxed the pace for a second he pounced.

Eyles staged a rally at the start of the fourth game to lead 3-0, but it proved to be his last stand. He took only one more points as fatigue and despera-

tion took over. Jansher now plays England's double-fisted world number five Peter Marshal, who ended the hopes of Sunday's hero, Zarak

- AFP photo

80 0

12 0

71 0

10 0

Did not bat: M Waugh, A

Border, S Waugh, I Healy, P

Reiffel, S Warne, C

0

39

Pocock c Healy b McGrath 28

Fall of wickets: 1-0; 2-6; 3-

13

16

13

Batting time: 233 mins.

Man-of-match: Andrew

at home and then scored an in-

credible 5-0 win in Buenos

Aires on September 5 to con-

demn Argentina to the play-off

since then by the return of

Diego Maradona, the man who

spearheaded them to victory in

1986 and who has completed a

remarkable comeback to inter-

national level after almost quit-

Basile is likely to include

veteran stopper Oscar Ruggeri

and Diego Simeone - both

suspended for the first leg - to

field. Although a 0-0 draw will

be enough for the home, side

following their away goal they

will not be under estimating the

bolster his defence and mid

Argentina have been boosted

series with Australia.

ting the game.

opposition.

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25

17

5

0

0

ZEALAND: Second

4 144

McDermott, G McGrath.

Bowling:

Morrison

Patel

Cairns

Pocock

innings:

NEW

b McDermott

Crowe not out

Patel not out

Total: (4 wkts)

85: 4-145

McDermott

Bowling

McGrath

M Waugh

Reiffel

Warne-

S Waugh

overs: 2.

Greatbatch c Healy

Jones Ibw M Waugh

Extras: (lb-1, nb-4)

Match drawn

Jones (New Zealand)

Rutherford Ibw S Waugh

Jahan Khan of Pakistan, 15-6. 15-5, 15-13.

### Sampras for Aussie Open

MELBOURNE, Nov 16: World number one Pete Sampras, fresh from winning the European Community tennis championship, has entered the 1994 Australian Open. tournament organisers said today, reports Reuter.

But the organisers said Jennifer Capriati, number nine in the women's rankings, would not play in the championship in January. She is recovering from an elbow injury.

Its a bit like the good news and bad news today, said Geoff

Pollard, president of tennis Australia. The 22-year-old Sampras

clinched his eighth title of the vear on Sunday in Belgium to assure himself of ending the year as number one. His 1993 titles included Wimbledon and the US Open Grand Slam

#### Aussie lifter fails drugs test MELBOURNE, Australia, Nov

16: An Australian weightlifter tested positive for banned drugs in competition prior to the world championships now under way in Melbourne, Australian Weightlifting Federation president Sam Coffa said Tuesday, reports AP.

The competitor was the third Australian weightlifter to fail a drug test this year.

One junior competitor was suspended for two years, while the second competitor currently is appealing against the results of his test.

Coffa said he had advised the third lifter of the results of the test. He added that he was unable to confirm he was a member of the Australian team competing at the world championships.

"I can confirm that the

Australian Sports Drug Agency has informed us of a third positive test," Coffa said.

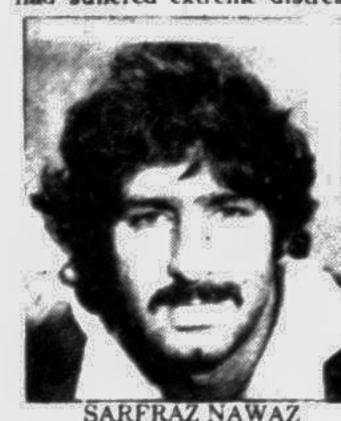
#### West Indians polished off the the team in place of the vice-Indian lower-half to snatch viccaptain Desmond Haynes. tory from the jaws of defeat When the innings ended, Sarfraz distressed



Former Pakistan cricket star Sarfraz Nawaz launched a High Court Libel action of

Monday over claims that he taught an ex-England captain how to tamper with the ball to gain a match advantage, reports Reuter.

The former Pakistan bowler told the court he and his family had suffered extreme distress



because of an 'appalling' libel by batsman Allan Lamb in an article published last year at the height of a ball tampering

controversy in the cricket world. In the article for the Daily Mirror, the former England cricket international claimed Sarfraz, his former teammate at an English club, taught him to tamper with the ball by scratch-

ing its surface. The comments were published the day after Pakistan won a one-day international against England last August

following a controversial ball change. The referee in the match has never revealed why he ordered the ball to be changed in the England in-

Sarfraz, who played Test cricket for Pakistan between 1968 and 1983, was not involved in the one-day international

"I never cheated in all my 15-year career in cricket...

Never knew the word. "I hate those people who cheat in any area of life," Sarfraz told the court

"I was called the 'godfather of cheating by some people. It was very shocking and disturbing. My parents and my wife were all very distressed," he said.

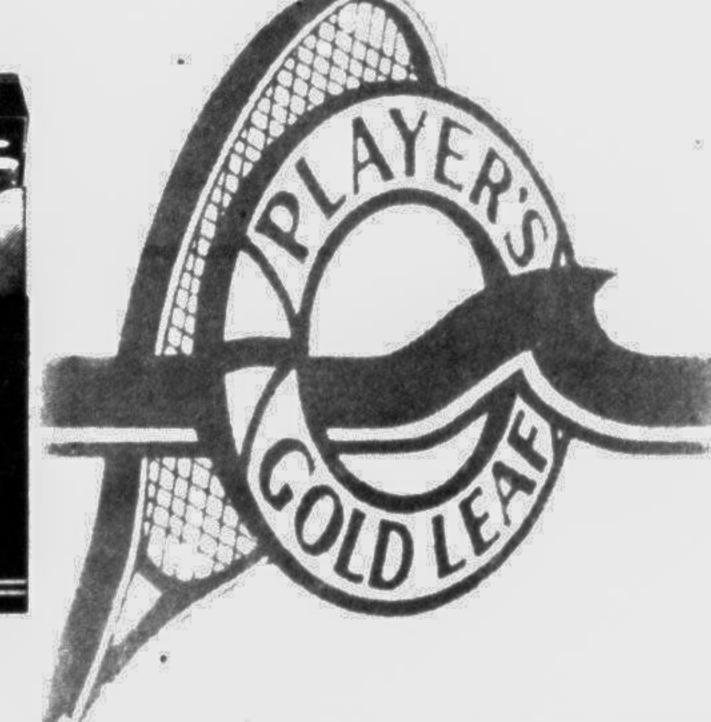
A host of top players from both countries are likely to give evidence at the court case.

Sarfraz, 44, who represented Pakistan 55 times, played alongside Lamb at the English county club Northamptonshire between 1978 and 1982.

Lamb's article said Sarfraz had told him how to make an old ball swing by gouging it with his nails and smearing the surface with sweat. The former England captain, who denies libel, also alleged the technique was passed on to other Pakistani players.

But Sarfraz said he had developed a strictly legal polishing technique to make the ball swing, which he showed colleagues and which became widely used in Pakistan from the late 1970s.





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