



England wicketkeeper Steve Rhodes asks the dreaded question after whipping the bails off against Craig McDermott of Queensland Bulls on the last day of the four day match in Toowoomba yesterday. England won by 37 runs. — AFP photo

Ajax amble

Sports Reporter
Ajax Sports Club registered their second successive victory in the Green Delta First Division hockey league when they outplayed Dhaka Ansars 3-1 in one of the two matches billed for the Hockey Stadium yesterday.

The winners, however, started the match on the wrong foot with Ansars taking the lead only seven minutes into the game through M Rana. Anadel neutralised the lead 13 minutes later from penalty corner and Hafiz scored in the 31st minute to give Ajax a 2-1 lead in the first half.

Yousuf scored the third Ajax goal in the 57th minute to seal the fate of the match. In the other match of the day, Sonali Bank and Police sports points in a goalless draw.

BJMC athletics

Sports Reporter
The 17th athletic championship involving thirty units of the Bangladesh Jute Mills Corporation (BJMC) begins at the Karim Jute Mills play ground at Demra from December 22. In the two-day meet, about 248 athletes including 72 female participants are expected to feature in 43 events. Jute secretary AZM Nasiruddin will declare the meet open at 9:30 am.

Tufnell England's toast

TOOWOOMBA, Australia, Dec 20: Spinner Phil Tufnell took five wickets in his second spell Tuesday to lift England to a morale-boosting 37-run victory over Queensland on the final day of the four-day cricket match at Heritage Park, reports AP. England set Queensland a victory target of 352 off 70 overs and dismissed the powerful state team for 314 despite centuries by openers Matthew Hayden and Trevor Barshy.

The gave England a much needed lift before they face Australia in the second Ashes Test at the Melbourne Cricket Ground from Saturday. The tourists looked set for another humiliating defeat after Barshy (101) and Hayden (119) shared a 231-run opening partnership. Hayden's aggressive innings included three sixes and 10 fours. Queensland was cruising while Hayden and Barshy were together but they suffered an inexplicable collapse. The home team lost all 10 batsmen in the space of 18 overs while adding only another 83 runs. Tufnell conceding 45 runs off his first six overs, but was a revelation when given a second opportunity.

Needling 104 from 19 overs, Queensland could have played conservatively. Instead, the batsmen hit out and paid the penalty. Stuart Law, Martin Love and first innings hero Andrew Symonds all fell attacking the England spinners. Craig McDermott charged Tufnell to be stumped, Jimmy Maher was bowled slogging at Shaun Udal, Mike Kasprovic was run out and last man Dick Tazelaar played on to a Tufnell delivery with five and half

ENGLAND: 1st innings 507-7 declared	QUEENSLAND: 1st innings 392-4 declared
ENGLAND: 2nd innings	Graham Gooch lbw Tazelaar 7
	Phil Atherton c Rowell b Symonds 49
	Graeme Hick c Law b McDermott 4
	John Crawley lbw Kasprovic 28
	Steve Rhodes c Love b Kasprovic 28
	Alve Stewart c Healy b Tazelaar 0
	Shaun Udal c Healy b Tazelaar 4
	Angus Fraser not out 7
	Phil Tufnell c Law b Tazelaar 2
	Devon Malcolm not out 14
	Extras: (5b, 5lb, 4nb) 18
	Total: 236 for eight wickets declared.
	Fall of wickets: 19; 93; 153; 198; 201; 207; 215; 219.
Bowling:	O M R W
McDermott	12 5 33 1
Tazelaar	20 5 56 4
Rowell	6 2 20 0
Kasprovic	17 2 85 2
Symonds	4 0 32 1
Batting time: 249 minutes.	
Overs: 59.	
QUEENSLAND: 2nd innings	Trevor Barshy run out 101
	Matthew Hayden c Atherton b Malcolm 119
	Ian Healy c Gooch b Tufnell 8
	Martin Love c sub (Farmer) b Tufnell 24
	Stuart Law c Crawley b Udal 7
	Jimmy Maher b Udal 15
	Andrew Symonds c Gooch b Tufnell 7
	Craig McDermott stp Rhodes b Tufnell 7
	Greg Rowell not out 1
	Mike Kasprovic run out 8
	Dirk Tazelaar b Tufnell 0
	Extras: (1b, 10lb, 3nb) 17
	Total: 314
	Fall of wickets: 231; 237; 248; 269; 279; 290; 304; 306; 314; 314.
Bowling:	O M R W
Malcolm	16 1 66 1
Fraser	11 1 50 0
Tufnell	13 3 0 71 5
Udal	20 1 95 2
Hick	4 0 21 0
Batting time: 293 minutes.	
Overs: 64.3.	
Result: England won by 37 runs.	

TUFNELL... 5 for 71
overs unused. England's amazing day began badly when the tourists' lost five wickets inside 45 minutes after resuming on an apparently impregnable 188 for three—303 runs ahead. When England failed to declare after an hour, home skipper Healy made his feelings clear by taking off the pads as though preparing to bowl himself. Captain Mike Atherton's decision to bat on ultimately proved a match-winning decision.

SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard at stumps Tuesday, final day of the four-day cricket match between England and the Queensland state team at Heritage Park:

Zimbabwe-Tasmania match drawn

DEVONPORT, Australia, Dec 20: The three-day cricket match between Zimbabwe and Tasmania meandered to a draw at Devonport Oval Tuesday and stumps were drawn half an hour early with no possibility of a result, reports AP.

Tasmania set Zimbabwe a victory target of 253 off 49 overs on the final day, but the tourists never looked like approaching the required run-rate and were 156-5 in their second innings at the close. The start of play was delayed by the rain that prevented any action after lunch on Monday and Zimbabwe captain Andy Flower promptly declared his team's first innings closed at 141-3, 116 runs behind Tasmania's first innings total.

The state team quickly rattled up 136-3 from 31 overs when captain David Boon also declared, setting a Zimbabwe target of 253 off 49 overs—a rate of 5.16 an over. The tourists looked to have a chance when Grant Flower (63) and Andy Flower (53 not out) were in full flight in an 85-run, 71-minute partnership, but their rate then dropped. Pacer Colin Miller sparked some hope of a Tasmanian triumph by taking two wickets in the 36th over—including breathtakingly caught and bowled to remove Grant Flower.

Stumps were pulled in the 42nd over—half an hour before schedule—when both captains agreed a result was not possible. Miller finished with the fine figures of 4-35. Zimbabwe next play a Victoria Country Districts XI at Yeppoon on Thursday. **Scores:** Tasmania 257-5 declared and 136-3 declared (Jamie Cox 63 not out), Zimbabwe 141-3 declared and 156-5 (Grant Flower 63, Andy Flower 53 not out; Colin Miller 4-35). Match drawn.

England A team arrive in India Dec 29

NEW DELHI, Dec 20: While the senior England cricket team battles for the Ashes in Australia the second-string squad will begin their first-ever tour of India later this month, reports AFP. England A, comprising mainly young Test prospects, will play three five-day Test matches, three one-day internationals and three four-day games during 44-day tour. The 16-man squad, led by Sussex captain Allan Wells and including Test rejects Ian Salisbury and Mark Ramprakash, will arrive here on December 29. The tourists play their opening match against an Indian youth team at Bombay from January 3-6. Another four-day match against the board President's XI in Madras from January 8-11 will be followed by the first Test against India A at Bangalore from January 14.

The remaining two Test matches will be held at the Eden Gardens in Calcutta (January 27-31) and Chandigarh (February 4-8). The three one-day internationals are scheduled to be played after the Test series in Indore (Feb 11), Ahmedabad (Feb 14) and Hyderabad (Feb 16). The Indian A team, which will be named early next month, is expected to be led by Test discarded Praveen Amre and include young prospects like fast bowler Venkatesh Prasad and batsmen Rahul Dravid and Amol Mazumdar.

SQUAD
ENGLAND A: Allan Wells (captain), Mark Ramprakash (vice-captain), Glen Chappell, Dominic Cork, Jason Gallian, David Hemp, Mark Hott, Richard Johnson, Nick Knight, Paul Nixon, Minal Patel, Keith Piper, Ian Salisbury, Richard Stemp, Michael Vaughan. Paul Weekes.

Salt Lake, Quebec likely favourites

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Dec 20: Salt Lake City and Quebec City emerged Tuesday as front runners in the race to host the 2002 Winter Olympic Games, reports AP. Bids by Ostersund, Sweden, and Sion, Switzerland, were also rated highly by the evaluation committee of the International Olympic Committee.

In an IOC report, Salt Lake City was praised for its "excellent" financial plan and media facilities while Quebec rated highly for its indoor sports structures and environmental protection efforts. Ostersund in Sweden also won praise for its lakeside single-site Olympic Village and transportation system. One concern was the proposed site of the bobsled and luge track in a residential area that may pose security problems. Sion's bid was also considered strong, offering experience in organising winter sports but with the drawbacks of a split site and security concerns over the planned location of opening and closing ceremonies. Two hills surrounding the site would make it difficult to evacuate in the event of an accident or security incident. Other bidders are Sochi, Russia; Jaca, Spain; Poprad-Tatry, Slovakia; Graz, Austria and Tarvisio, Italy.

The IOC report was due to be released Monday but was delayed when IOC backed off from a plan to fax the report to international news agencies.

Sanchez-Vicario's twin aims

HONG KONG, Dec 20: Arantxa Sanchez Vicario is not only aiming to make 1995 the year she becomes world number one. The Spanish tennis star is also going to start a concerted campaign on Wimbledon, reports AFP.

The 23-year-old queen of clay court tennis said Tuesday: "I used to think that grass was for cows when I played on it." But having won the French and US Opens this year and reached the Australian Open final, Sanchez has now changed her mind about her worst performing major event. "It is the only Grand Slam event where I have not got past the quarter-finals and maybe the only one that is keeping me from going a little further. It wants to try to do

better and see if 1995 can be a better year on grass," she told AFP. Sanchez said she would adapt more of her game to the Wimbledon style. She attributed her desire to play on more varied surfaces, like her improved form which earned her the world champion title last week, on her changing coach to Gabriel-Urpi.

"I now enjoy more playing on different surfaces, such as hard court, indoors. If I feel I am a more aggressive player," she commented. The other goal for the Spaniard, who will be appearing in the first Bank Pacific Challenge tournament in Hong Kong at the start of January as part of her build up for the 1995 Australian Open, is to knock Steffi Graf off the top spot in the women's world rankings.

Though many experts say the revolution will not take long, Sanchez said she was not setting a date for the handover with Graf. "I didn't set a date or pick a day. I know that I am closer than ever and I just had a great year. I am looking forward to 1995 to try to see if I can repeat the year I just had. She added: "I will concentrate on Wimbledon, that is the only Grand Slam that I didn't do so good. I have been thinking that I still need to improve on a couple of things and when I do that I will try to make the last jump. Definitely I want to try to see if it can be '95."

Sanchez, who beat Graf at the US Open, Canadian Open and in the Citizen Cup this year, said she wants to play her German rival as much as possible. Graf still won four of their encounters in 1994, including the Australian Open, and Sanchez said it was "good for tennis" for the top two to clash as often as possible. "I don't know what she thinks, we don't talk very much," she commented. Sanchez will not be taking part in the New South Wales Open, the traditional preliminary to the Australian Open in January. She said she would rest for the week to be in top form for Melbourne, where her only titles so far have been in the doubles.

Edberg, Pickard part company

LONDON, Dec 20: Stefan Edberg's successful 11-year partnership with English coach Tony Pickard ended Tuesday when they announced that the Swede would go solo in 1995, reports AP. Winner of two Wimbledon, two US Open and two Australian Open titles under Pickard's guidance, 28-year-old Edberg said he owed a lot to the Englishman.

"We stuck together, worked together and reached the top of the game over a long time," Edberg said. "But now we've come to the point where the road has ended. I'm not looking for anyone else as a coach. I'm going on my own which I've pretty much done this year anyway except for the Grand Slams."

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Second Amendment of Bid Notice

The following amendments of Bid Notice published vide the Chief Engineer, CMMU's office memo No MOHFW/CMMU/Bid/94/3428, dated 14.12.1994 for Repair & Renovation works of different Thana Health Complex, Rural Health Centre and Hospital under GOB fund have been made for unavoidable circumstances:

- The last date of selling Bidding Documents will be on 24.12.1994 instead of 21.12.1994.
- The date of receiving the Bid will be on 28.12.1994 instead of 27.12.1994.
- The date of opening the Bid will be on 28.12.1994 instead of 27.12.1994.
- Place of selling Bidding documents : Office of the Chief Engineer, CMMU, House No. 80, Road No. 11, Block-E, Banani, Dhaka, Office of the Executive Engineer, CMMU, Dhaka Division, 105-106, Motijheel C/A, Dhaka and Office of the Consultants M/s. Sthapaty Sangshad Ltd., House No. 4, Road No. 9, Dhanmondi R/A, Dhaka-1205.
- Place of receiving Bids : At all the three offices mentioned in Article 4 above.
- Other terms & conditions of the Bid Notice will remain unchange.

Chief Engineer, CMMU

বাংলা একাডেমী চাকা
বিজ্ঞপ্তি
বাংলা একাডেমীর বার্ষিক সাধারণ সভা ১৪ আশ্বীণী ১৬ পৌষ ১৪০১/৩০ ডিসেম্বর ১৯৯৪ সন্ধ্যা ৯-০০ টায় একাডেমীর বটমলে অনুষ্ঠিত হবে। স্রিকান্দা পরিবর্তনজনিত কারণে বা অন্য কোনো অসুবিধার জন্যে যে সকল সম্মানিত ফেলো, জীবনসদস্য এবং যুক্তকর্তৃক পুরস্কারপ্রাপ্ত সদস্য এবং একাডেমীর আয়তনপত্র পাননি তাঁদেরকে নিম্নলিখিতকর্তার সঙ্গে সরাসরি যোগাযোগের জন্যে অনুরোধ করা যাবে।
একাডেমীর চালিত নিয়ম অনুযায়ী সভা টিক ৯-০০ টায় শুরু হবে। সম্মানিত সদস্যদের যথাসময়ে সভায় উপস্থিত থাকার জন্যে বিনীত অনুরোধ করা হচ্ছে।
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অর্থ স্তম আদালত আইন ১৯৯০-এর ধারা ৫ (ক) এর বিধান মতে দায়কদের প্রতি নোটিশ।
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যেহেতু, ডায়েরীর ব্যাংক ডিক্লিকৃত ৫০,৫০, ৮৮৫/১৯ টাকা মোকদ্দমা চলাকালীন সময়েরও উক্ত টাকা সম্পূর্ণ আদায় না হওয়া পিত শতকরা ২০% হার সুদে আপনারা দায়কগণ বিকল্পে অর্থ স্তম বন্ধনী ৩০/৯২ মোকদ্দমায় আনয়ন করিয়া ডায়েরী পাইয়াছে। উক্ত ডিক্লিকৃত টাকার জন্য ডায়েরীর ব্যাংক উপরোক্ত ডায়েরী মোকদ্দমা আনয়ন করিয়াছে। উক্ত ডায়েরীর মোকদ্দমায় আপনাদের কোনও আপত্তি থাকিলে আপনারা ২৮/১/৯৫ ইং তারিখে বেলা ১০ টায় অত্র আদালতে উপস্থিত হইয়া দর্শাইবেন। অন্যথায় আইন মোতাবেক কার্য করা যাইবে।
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CROSSWORD By Eugene Sheffer

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"L H R ' C N E U J D C ?"
Yesterday's Cryptoquip: SAID HAPPILY MARRIED COUPLE: "FOR BOTH OF US, FAMILIARITY BREEDS CONTENT."
Today's Cryptoquip clue: J equals C
The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.