

Column One

DID U' KNOW?
(The Professor does)

India break Sharjah jinx

HAT very soon these pages will be adorned by one of Bangladesh's famous sporting sons. He is a big name in his field but it is not an outdoor game. His moves can make the opponents hot but he hardly moves himself. Even in a colour photograph, the centre is black and white. This is one game where a storm may build up inside you but your outward expression is rarely more volatile than a shrug. Whereas in all other sports the opposite may be true but here you will look a right idiot if you wore a track-suit.

Although I am trying to make the game appear a trifle more interesting than I really care, it can be extremely boring to persons who believe the King and Queen belong only in fairy tales. Neither is it a fable that originally Indian, it is now the happy hunting ground of the East Europeans and Americans.

If you think the new column is on *daba* and the *Satyan Ki Khilari* is Grand Master Neaz Murshed, I will offer you a draw. Don't fall for it! You got me checkmated.

SPORTS TALK



Ivan Pedroso

(Cuban long jumper)

This is a lot of hours of daily dedication, effort, training and sacrifices only to be told that one's mark was not valid.

After his world record leap of 8.96 metres at a athletics meet in Sestriere, Italy, was scrubbed owing to technical reasons.

Sports

WHIZZ KID

COMPETITION FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN



Sports WHIZZ KID competition-34

Tick the Correct Answer

(Competition closes: 8 p.m. April 19, 1996)

1. Sir Richard—	Name: <input type="text"/>	Hudson <input type="checkbox"/>	Illingworth <input type="checkbox"/>
2. The Atlanta Olympics begin from July 17	July 19	July 21	
3. Who has taken more Test wickets?	Kapil Dev	Imran Khan	Ian Botham
4. Dhaka football is controlled by BFF <input type="checkbox"/> DMFA <input type="checkbox"/> NSC <input type="checkbox"/>			
5. Aussie Rules Football resembles Cricket <input type="checkbox"/> Rugby <input type="checkbox"/> Hockey <input type="checkbox"/>			

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Nirman schools cricket results

Sports Reporter

Fariduddin High School, Gulshan Model School, Shahnoor Model High School and Udayan School won their respective matches of the 14th Nirman schools cricket championship at different city venues yesterday.

On the western strip of the Dhamondi Cricket Stadium, Fariduddin High School recorded a shaky four-run victory over South Breeze School.

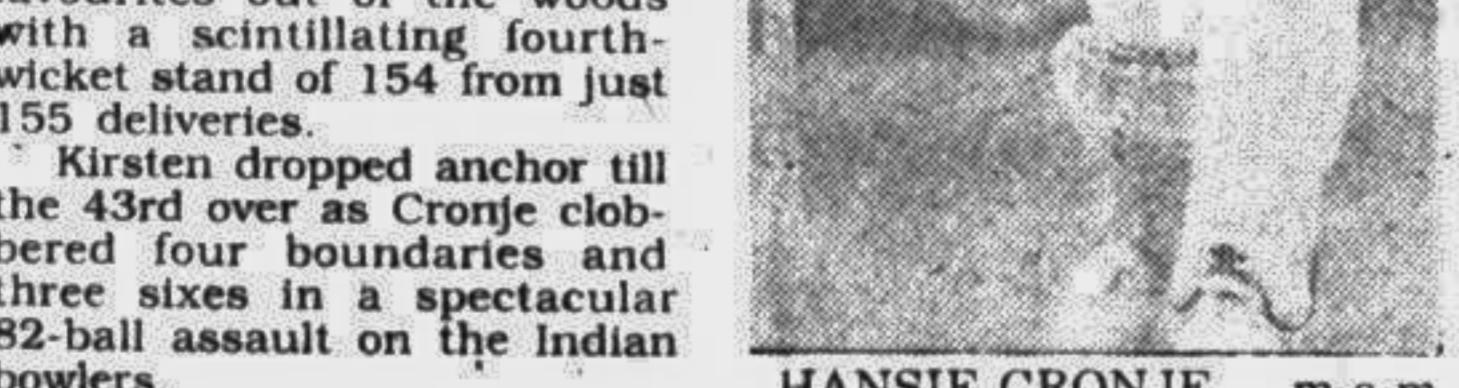
Batting first, the Fariduddin boys scored a fighting 174/8 in their share of 35 overs with Masum notching a swashbuckling unbeaten 74 off 87 balls inclusive of a dozen boundaries.

In reply, South Breeze fell five runs short of the victory target with Faruque hammering the highest 51 runs.

At the Residential Model School ground, a virtuoso all-round show by Mozammel Hossain went down the drain as Udayan scraped home with a three-wicket win over Rifles High School and College.

Mozammel scored highest 30 in Rifles' 145 and then captured five wickets for only 18 runs in his seven-overs, but his solo effort went in vain as Udayan reached 155 in 29 overs.

Away at the Mirpur Outer Stadium, Gulshan Model School defeated Kadamtola High School by 68 runs while Shahnoor Model School prevailed over Mitali Bidyapith by three wickets at one of Residential Model School's ground.



HANSIE CRONJE ... m-o-m

lofted a flighted delivery down Cronje's throat long-on.

Earlier, Hudson, who took strike after a first ball leg-leye, edged the second delivery from Jagaval Srinath to first slip where Tendulkar took a smart overhead catch.

Kirsten dropped anchor till the 43rd over as Cronje clobbered four boundaries and three sixes in a spectacular 82-ball assault on the Indian bowlers.

The Indians suffered an early setback when star batsman Sachin Tendulkar fell for two in the sixth over, top-edging an intended pull off Fanie de Villiers to Kirsten at mid-on.

Fast bowler Shaun Pollock scoffed at Azharuddin's gamble to send tail-ender Prashant Vaidya, who had just three runs in four previous innings, at number three by trapping

SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard of the Pepsi Cup one-day international between India and South Africa in Sharjah on April 14.

SOUTH AFRICA

Kirsten b Raju

Hudson c Tendulkar b Srinath

Cronje b Kumble

Vaidya run out

Rhodes c Dravid b Raju

McMillan not out

Pollock not out

Extras: (lb 7, w 4, nb 1)

Total: (6 wkt, 50 overs)

Fall of wickets: 1-1; 2-56;

3-56; 4-210; 5-249, 6-266

BOWLING O M R W

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Vaidya 6 0 42 2

Kumble 10 0 45 2

De Villiers 10 0 45 2

Cronje 10 0 45 2

Hudson 10 0 45 2

Kirsten 10 0 45 2

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