

Evander Holyfield (WBA heavyweight cham-

"You got to fight him to get his respect, then box him ... most punchers aren't accus-

tomed to taking punches." On fellow fighter Mike Tyson.

DID U' KNOW?

(The Professor does)

HAT there are basically two kinds of exercise isotonic and isometric. Isotonic exercise involves moving a muscle through a long distance against low resistance, as in running, swimming, or gymnastics. In isometric exercise, on the other hand, muscles are moved through a short distance against a high resistance, as in pushing or pulling an immovable object. Isometric exercise is best for developing large muscles. whereas isotonic exercise has beneficial effects on the cardiovascular system. It increases the amount of blood that the heart can pump and causes proliferation of small blood vessels that carry oxygen to the muscles. These changes make possible longer sustained activity. Neither kind of exercise increases the number of muscle fibres, but both types and especially isometric exercise - increase the thickness of the muscle fibres and their ability to store glycogen, the fuel for muscular activity.

Perhaps someone can throw light on which category will be the exercise involving a longdistance bus ride where one has to push fellow passengers (often immovable) for a standing space to breathe.



Sports WHiZZ KID competition-57

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Tick the Correct Answers

Competition closes: 8 pm

	Nove	mber 22, 1	996)
1	Who won the Titan Trophy?		
	India	S. Africa	Australia
2	Howmany one-day matches has Wasim Akram played to capture 300 wickets?		
	206	207	208
3	The 13th QM Hossain IN chess championship was won by		

Reefat M. Lodhi Who clinched the top position in the 16th national age-group swimming cham-pionship? BKSP | American Int'l School | Biman

Which country will host the 1998 Commonwealth Games?

Malaysia England Hong Kong

..... Roll No.

School Address

Phone: (If any)

DU cricket

Social Welfare Department defeated Accounting by 42 runs in the inter-department cricket tournament of the Dhaka University at Jagannath Hall ground yesterday, reports UNB.

Batting first, Social Welfare piled up 124 runs for six wickets in 30 overs. Goutam contributed unbeaten 38 while Mohsin scored 21 runs. Shamsul and Masud captured two wickets each for Accounting.

In reply, Accounting were all out for 82 runs in 25.3 overs. Dimu and Amin scored 12 runs each. Mohsin claimed three wickets while Babu took two for Social Welfare.

Delta Life h'ball

Four matches of Delta Life inter college hall women's handball tournament were held at the Dhanmondi Womens Sport Complex yesterday, reports UNB.

Holy Cross College beat Eden College by 5-4 goals, Dhaka University Shamsunnahar Hall outplayed Sher-e-Bangla Girls' College 18-1, Viquarunnisa Noon School & College beat Ispahani Womens College by 15-2 goals while Fazlul Haq Women's College defeated Dhaka University Rokeya Hall by 9-6 goals.

Damal final today

Column One AKC take on Agrani Bank Sports Reporter

> Both teams are expected to field their best eleven in today's affair. For Abahani, middleaged Pakistani in-form batsman Syed Monirul Haque, who scored successive centuries in Abahani's previous two matches, will be the man to watch for his entertaining but dependable batting. He will be the lone overseas player in the Abahani squad as the other foreign player — former Eng-land Test Cricketer Philip De-

Title aspirants

Abahani Krira

Chakra will take

on Agrani Bank

Sports Club in the

17th Damal Smri-

ti cricket final this morning at

the Dhaka Stadium. Bangla-

desh Television and Bangladesh

Betar will provide live coverage

of the 50-overs-a-side blockbu-

ster with the first delivery set

runners-up, reached the final of

the season's curtain raiser by

eliminating a powerful Kalaba-

gan Krira Chakra with a 30-run

win in the second semifinal on

Tuesday while Agrani Bank

creditably earned their berth

with an enthralling 53-run

victory over favourites Mo-

hammedan Sporting Club on

Brothers beat

B Boys

Sports Reporter

midfielder Joy and striker Tipu

saw Brothers Union blank their

neighbours Bangladesh Boys 2-

0 in a Danish Premier football

league match at the Mirpur Sta-

Joy, the hard-working Brothers

playmaker, broke the evening's

duck in the 58th minute with a

cracking side volley from deep

inside the opponents' box while

striker Tipu sealed the fate of a

lop-sided affair eleven minutes

later stabbing home a re-

the double-leg league on com-

pletion of 14 engagements while for Boys, the defeat, their tenth

from 14 matches, put another

12-team league, with this defeat

almost confirmed their relega-

tion from the ivy group with

Yellow card: Mizan (Bro-

BROTHERS UNION: Sai-

BANGLADESH BOYS: Nu-

dur, Pijush, Mizan, Imadul,

Shahzada, Bakhtiar, Joy, Tipu

(Amin Khan), Don (Dulal),

rul Islam, Din Mohammad, Ja-

hangir, Rubel, Provat, Tipu,

Kabir, Kutubuddin, Jinnah

(Shuvro), Mamun (Barat), and

Meanwhile, in the other

match of the day, a Danish

First Division affair, BRTC

recorded a lone-goal win over

PWD SC with Munna scoring

the all-important goal for the

creased their tally to 19-points

from 14 outings while PWD re-

mained glued at the bottom of

the table with 13 points, also

Abahani hockey

squad off to

Bangkok

Sports Reporter

Chakra hockey team led by its

hockey committee chairman

Afzalur Rahman Sinha, left for

Bangkok yesterday to partici-

pate in the "Bangkok 96" invita-

tional international tourna-

ment. The meet got off yesterday

in the Thai capital and will end

The following are the mem-bers of the Abahani squad

which includes nine officials

(team leader); Golam Rabbani

Helal (Director): Sayer Ferdous.

Sagir Ahmed, Sabbir Ahmed

Chowdhury (officials); M Ehsan

Nammi (coordinator): Zahidur

Rahman (Hockey secretary):

Khwaza Rahmatullah (Mana-

ger); Kawsar Ali (coach); Mamu-

nur Rashid (captain): Jumman

Lusai, Alamgir Alam, Khorshed

Alam. Rabiuddin Ahmed, Ish-

tiaq Ahmed, Mahbub Harun, Isa

Miah, Musa Miah, Mohammad

Sadeq. Rafiqul Islam, Shamim

Ahmed, Abu Zafar Tapan,

Quamrul Hasan, Ramiz Ahmed.

Parvez, M Shamsuzzaman.

Zahid Hossain Raju, Jamil

Knight defends

SOCOG

preparations to host the 2000

Olympics are moving up a gear,

Olympics Minister Michael

Knight said today following

suggestions that the works are

apply more of our energy, more

of our effort, at getting the or

ganisational plans for the con-

duct of the Games, the putting

on of the event," Knight told

president of the Sydney Organ-

ising committee for the Olym-

pic Games (SOCOG) was re-

sponding to suggestions in the

Sydney Morning Herald news

well behind schedule.

paper that preparations were

Knight told parliament that while the New South Wales state

government and the Interna-

tional Olympic Committee (IOC)

were more than pleased with

progress on the Sydney Games.

it was not time to pick up the

· "That is the process that the

entire board of SOCOG, together

with the chief executive, is

working (towards) in a unified

said Knight had been given the

go-ahead to recruit about 10

senior executives for SOCOG

positions that have remained

vacant more than three years

since Sydney won the bid.

The Sydney Morning Herald

fashion," Knight said.

the minister, who is also

parliament.

"Now is the time for us to

behind schedule, reports AFP.

SYDNEY, Nov 27: Sydney's

Afzalur Rahman Sinha

on December 3.

and 19 players:

A 28-member Abahani Krira

playing 14 matches.

With this win BRTC In-

winners in the 43rd minute.

Gobinda and Jamal (Mamun).

only six points to their credit.

The promotees in the elite

nail in their coffin

thers Union).

Badal (Selim)

It was Brothers' fifth win in

After a barren first-half.

dium yesterday.

bounder.

Two second-half goals from

Monday.

Abahani, the last year's

on Tuesday after suffering a knee injury. Abahani were in doubt till late last night as to who will be their two openers in today's final. Talking to our correspondent, a senior Abahani official said that if the left hand opener Imran Hamid Partho, who suf fered a minor leg injury in the

Freitas - left Dhaka for London

semifinal on Tuesday, can pass a fitness test this morning, he will accompany Javed Omar Belim Golla to open. Otherwise former national opener Zahid

Razzak Masum will join Golla. Besides, with off-spinner Sheikh Salahuddin, also being a doubtful starter. Abahani are likely to field their leg spinner Billu. Monirul Haque and batsman Durjoy also double as useful off-spinners.

On the other hand, Pak istani cricketer Shahed Mahboob, the man behind their memorable win over Mohammedans in the semifinal and his compatriot Shahid lgbal will be the chief sources of inspiration for the Bankers. Skipper Mukul who can also rise to the occasion with his willow is also a good bet for the

MSC-Biman clash in opener Reporters' Cup tomorrow

Sports Reporter

Gabbi bares her soul

Gabriela Sabati-

ni, the former

world number two

who retired from

tennis earlier this

month; said in a German

magazine interview that she

once bought a blond wig to

GABRIELA SABATINI

escape the pressure and lone-

lost a match, but I could cope

with that," the 26-year-old Ar-

gentinian told Stren Magazine.

according to an advance release

"I never got used to how

from Thursday's edition.

Sport Complex.

"Often enough I cried when I

liness of fame, reports Reuter.



Mohammedan Sporting Club will take on Bangladesh Biman in the opening match as

ters' Cup cricket tournament. organised by the Dhaka Reporters' Unit (DRU) in cooperation with the Cricket Committee of Dhaka Metropolitan (CCDM), kicks off at the Dhaka Stadium tomorrow morning.

Four teams including Abahani Krira Chakra and Brothers Union will participate in the 50-overs-a-side meet which will be played on a knock-out basis. Abahani and Brothers Union will face each other in the second match on Saturday to decide the opponents for tomorrow's winners for the final scheduled at the same venue for December 1

This will be for the first time that an organisation not directly related to sports will be staging such a heavy-weight tournament. The winners of the meet will earn a 50,000 taka cash award while the runnersup will half as rich. Besides three man-of-the-matches will receive Taka 5,000 each. Bangladesh Betar will cover

all the three matches live from Dhaka Stadium while Bangladesh Television will telecast the final on Sunday. The rate of tickets will be as

follows: General Gallery - Tk 10 each, Club House — Tk 20 each and VIP — Tk 50 each. A pre-tournament press

briefing was held in this regard at the BCCB players' lounge last evening with DRU president Shafiqul Kabir in the chair CCDM secretary Tanveer Haider and other DRU and CCDM officials were present at the briefing.

Talking to the press, a humble Kabir said that the tourna ment has been arranged jointly to raise fund for the welfare of reporters and cricketers. He also thanked the four giant clubs who have extended their wholehearted support to the tournament. Answering a question, Kabir

said. "We had all the intentions to include ten Premier league

clubs in the tournament. But due to the time constraint, we had no choice but to take only

four teams. He also paid tributes to CCDM for their cordial cooper ation in arranging the meet.

lonely tennis makes you. Most

of the time I was on the road

alone in good times as well as

bad, she said in the German

text of the interview. "I often

vate life. Once I even bought a

blond wig so as not to be recog-

thing of all was the difficulty of

finding a boyfriend. "I never

know if someone wants to get to

know me because he's interested

in me or just because he fancies

"The man I dream of should

being with someone famous."

have his own job and be inde-

pendent, not just attached to

me. But if works out that way.

then he has no time to accom-

pany me to tournaments ... and

besides, most men are far too

have real friendships with

other women players and added

she was not especially close to

world number one Steffi Graf,

with whom she won a Wimble-

Open and 26 other singles titles

said she had not picked up a

racket since ending her career

and did not miss the game of the

joying being able to spend a bit

of extra time in bed in the

mornings and not having to go

to bed so early at night," said

Sabatini, who plans to launch a

new perfume bearing her name

and promote a line of bedroom

"I haven't quit life, only pro-

and bathroom linen.

fessional tennis.

Action from yesterday's Delta Life inter college hall

women's handball match between Shamsunnahar Hall and

Sher-e-Bangla Girls' College at the Dhanmondi Women's

-Star photo

"At the moment I'm just en-

The winner of the 1990 US

don doubles title.

circuit at all.

She said it was impossible to

shy to speak to Gabriela Saba-

"In tennis, you have to pri

Sabatini said the hardest

felt damn lonely.

nised.

Thirty two for Greenidge

Sports Reporter

The selection committee is likely to announce today a primary list of about 32 players for the national cricket team after the final of the 17th Damal Smriti tournament

However Gordon Greenidge the newly-appointed coach of the Bangladesh team, will have to wait till the first week of December to start the residential camp at the Bangladesh Krira Shikksha Protistan to prepare the team for the upcoming ICC Trophy, as clash of associate members for three slots in the next World Cup, to be held in England in 1999.

"I want the players immediately. But I have no other option but to wait for the decision of the Board," said Greenidge at the BCCB office last night

We are planning to start the residential camp by December 10. said Saber Hossain Chowdhury, MP, the president of the BCCB after an unscheduled meeting with club officials last night.

The cricket supremo of the country also said that they are going to stage the SAARC cricket tournament in the second week of February.

Regarding the preparation of the national team Saber said that after the completion of the league, which he expected to be completed by February 10, the SAARC tourney involving second string sides from India. Pakistan, Sri Lanka and the Bangladesh national team will be the first test for the coming ICC trophy, to be held in Malaysia next March

Besides, we are also planning to invite some tough subcontinental opponents after the SAARC meet, added the BCCB president.

Bangladeshi golfers clinch Calcutta title

Sports Reporter Bangladesh golfers did one better than legendary Indian cricketer. Kapil Dev. when they set alight the course at Toll gunge Club, Calcutta by lifting a main category title in the two-

day ITC Classic Cup which con-

cluded on November 23.

The four man team of Shakil Kasem (captain), Masud Ahmad, Shafiqul Islam and Saber Afzal lifted the title with a net team score of 433, after 36 holes. Superb rounds of net 68 and 67 by the in-form Masud Ahmed, and consistent rounds of 75 and 76 from Shakil Kasem enabled the team to stay ahead of the other 50 teams in the group. Saber Afzal played to his potential, while the ever improving Shafiqul Islam, contributed a most useful score of 70 net on the final day, to steer the team well clear of their nearest rivals, by a margin of

ten strokes The long-hitting Nasir Khan, ably led his team comprising of M H Samad, Ference Giorgi and Robert Vornis, to win the Best International Team Trophy with a net team total of 444, with enough margin separating them from other teams from almost six other countries.

The ITC Classic Cup was participated by over 750 golfers. including Kapil Dev, who is now playing single handicap golf.

President Cup snooker from Dec 1

Leading snooker players from Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Myanmar, Malaysia, Thailand and Bangladesh will swing into action in the city from December 1 to 8, at Gulshan Club billiards room in quest of the Acme-BBSF President Cup title, reports BSS.

The tournament is being jointly sponsored by Acme Laboratories Ltd. and Rupsha Group of Companies.

Major contenders for the title will likely be Mohammad Yusuf of Pakistan who was the world amateur champion in 1994. compatriot Farhan Mirza, who was twice Asian junior runner-up in 1994 and

Susantha Boteju of Sri Lanka, the Asian quarterfinalist in 1995, Kwan Poomjan of Thailand, the world junior runner-up in 1995. Roslan Yurnalis of Malaysia will also be participating.

The Bangladesh national number one Adiran Gonsalves and national junior number one Syed M Sajjad alongwith Anwar Hossain of Narayangonj Club and K P Akbar Ali of Gulshan Club will be mounting challenge from the host coun-

The matches start on December 1 at Gulshan Club with four sessions i.e. 10 am, 1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm. The final is scheduled to be held on December 8.

Kuwaiti booter banned

ZURICH, Nov 27: Kuwait's Hussein Ali was suspended for one year and fined 5,000 Swiss francs (3.860 dollars) by FIFA on Tuesday for verbally abusing and spitting at a referee, reports Reuter.

The ban, which covers all domestic and international soccer, resulted from an incident during a Gulf Cup match against the United Arab Emirates on October 22.

FIFA also fined the national associations of Zimbabwe and Tanzania 15,000 Swiss francs (11,500 dollars) each for playing in an unsanctioned tournament.

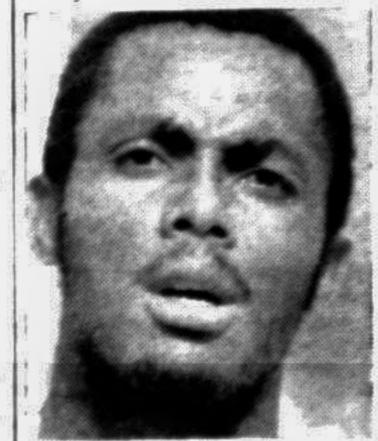
Windies aim to put record straight

Sydney Test tomorrow



SYDNEY, Nov 27 The West Indies. backing up two days after losing the opening Test by 123 runs, will

be bidding for their first win at the Sydney Cricket Ground for 35 years when the Frank



COURTENY WALSH Worrell Trophy series resumes here against Australia on Friday, reports AFP.

The tourists have won only two of their 12 tests at the SCG and their task has been made no easier with expectations of a spinner's wicket.

The Windies are reliant on their traditional four-prong pace attack, with Carl Hooper and Jimmy Adams filling freelance spinning duties Hooper's off-spin has netted 51 wickets at 52.39 while left-arm spinner Adams has 14 wickets

That is hardly the ideal arsenal to be equipped with should the SCG pitch turn over the last couple of days, as observers say it will

Australia hold the whip hand with the mastery leg-spin skills of Shane Warne, whose four wickets in the Brisbane Test triumph took his tally to 211 at an extraordinary average of 23.93 Warne is facing up to his

sixth Test at the SCG and after initial lack of success. Warne has taken 23 wickets in five The blond Victorian tweaker

is nearing full recovery after finger surgery earlier this year. and captain Mark Taylor believes his 68 overs in Brisbane. will have toughened him for the long spells he is accustomed to in the Test ahead, particularly Sydney. Tve never played in a win-

ning Test match here so this one would be a nice one to win, Warne said Wednesday after inspecting the SCG pitch. Warne made his Test debut

against India at the SCG five years ago, played in another draw against the Windles, took 12 wickets in the five-run loss to South Africa, ensured a draw against England with his batting, then took eight wickets in last season's loss to Pakistan. "Sometimes it's hard to pre-

dict what a wicket's going to do,' Warne said. "I don't think it's the best

place to bowl spin any more so hopefully this wicket might be

V-Day boxing Sports Reporter

A day-long boxing competition, organised by the Bangladesh Amateur Boxing Federation to observe the Victory Day. will be held at the Mohammad Ali Boxing Stadium on December 16. says a press release.

Interested junior boxers have been requested to enlist themselves by December 15 at the BABF office. Besides, the BABF has also

instructed their affiliated bodies, who are interested to participate in the forthcoming "Bangladesh Games," to send their entries to BABF office lat-

est by November 30. Div I basketball

The Gregs Club earned a facile 94-33 points victory over Hornets Club in Purabi Insurance First Division basketball league at the Dhanmondi wooden floor gymnasium yesterday, reports UNB. The winners led the first-

half by 52-10 points Anup caged 28, Shiplu 26. Rinku 14 for the Gregs while Banufas scored 12 and Glan 10 for the Hornets.

In the day's other fixture, Eagles Club got walkover against the Winners' Club.

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Warne was pleased with his progress in Brisbane. In the first innings I was a bit tentative but I got better as the game went on," he said.

In the second innings I thought I bowled pretty well. created a few chances. I bowled really tightly and created enough pressure that we got wickets at the other end."

Selectors have added South Australian leg-spinner Peter McIntyre to a 13-man squad to be pruned to 12 Thursday, yet the outstanding Brisbane second innings bowling performance of left-arm wrist spinner Michael Bevan may have subsequently made that choice superfluous.

Bevan, under fire for his batting, scoring 0 and 20 in the first Test, played a major role in Australia's win capturing the wickets of century-makers, Sherwin Campbell and Carl Hooper along with lan Bishop for figures of 3-46. "I thought it was really good

that Bevo got a few wickets as well. The expectation was for me to get wickets on the last day and bowl them out but it doesn't always happen like that," said Warne. "Bevo's the type of guy who if

his first few overs are really good he could bowl a lot of overs and bowl well. 'He's a batsman who bowls part time leggies. He could be a

real dangerous bowler." Two Michael Jackson concerts have turned the SCG outfield into a hard, tufty surface. while the pitch looks certain to

West Indian manager Clive Lloyd said fast bowler Kenney

Benjamin's left knee injury

would be assessed at training Thursday.



Taylor (captain). Matthew Elliott. Ricky Ponting. Mark Waugh, Greg Blewett, Michael Peran, Ian Healy, Shane Warne, Paul Reiffel, Glenn McGrath, Michael Kasprowicz, Jason Gillespie, Peter McIntyre.

WEST INDIES (from): Sherwin Campbell, Robert Samuels, Brian Lara, Shivnarine Chanderpaul, Carl Hooper, Jimmy Adams, Courtney Browne, lan Bishop. Curtly Ambrose, Kenny Benjamin, Courtney Walsh (captain), Nixon McLean.



The winning golf team at the ITC Classic Cup, Calcutta, poses. (L to R) Shafiqui Islam, Shakil Kasem, Saber Afzal, -Star photo Masud Ahmed.

Government of Bangladesh Police Headquarters Dhaka

Re-Tender Notice (1st Time) Sealed tenders are invited from the bonafide suppliers/manufacturers for purchase of the following items for Bangladesh Police during the financial year 1996-97:-

1. Name of Item

: (1) Truck (3 Ton). (2) Prisoners van. (3) Motor Cycle (125CC).

Police Headquarters, E&T Tenders schedule: Section, Room No. 107, available from

Police Bhaban, Dhaka. Tk 750/- (Seven hundred Cost of tender: fifty) only each set for each schedule (Non-

refundable) Last date of selling tender documents

5.12.96 (During office hours). Police Headquarters, Dhaka, 5. Date & time of

Room No. 107, Police submitting tenders Bhaban on 7.12.96 up to 12.00 Noon.

Police Headquarters, Room 6. Place, date & time No. 107, Dhaka on 7.12.96 of opening tenders at 12:30 PM.

@ 3% (three per cent) of Earnest money total quoted value. Up to 30.6.1997. Validity of offer

9. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

Md Anwar Hossain

Asst Inspr Genl of Police (E&T) Dhaka, Bangladesh Phone No: 9564313

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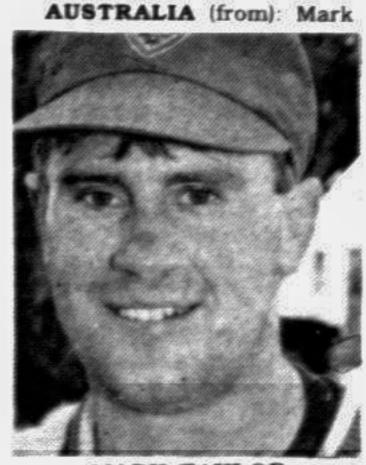
The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

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Yesterday's Cryptoquip: THE VERY FAVORITE SPORT OF FROGS IS PLAINLY FLY-FISHING Today's Cryptoquip clue: Z equals G

TEAMS



MARK TAYLOR