STRASBOURG, France, May 23: Steffi Graf rebounded from a first-set loss to beat Sandrine Testud of France, 3-6, 6-2, 6-1 in the quarterfinals of the Strasbourg Open tennis tournament Thursday, reports AFP.

Graf meets next Amanda Coetzer of South Africa, who handed Graf the worst loss of her career last week at the Ger-

man Open. Coetzer beat Naoko Kijimuta, 6-2, 6-3 in their quarterfinal

## Div III soccer

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the winners' account.

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Dhaka WASA

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Chief Accounts Officer, Dhaka WASA, WASA Bhaban, 98,

Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka and all MODS Zone Offices

of Dhaka WASA. Other details will be available at the office

Government of the People's

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Office of the Executive Engineer

Khulna Public Works Directorate Division-2, Khulna

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Date & time of : 2/6/97 up to 12:00 Noon.

11. Tender will not be sold to those contractors/firms who

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Khulna Public Works Directorate Division-2

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Centre (Zaigir Mahal) in Khulna.

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The winners led the first

With yesterday's win, the

Armanitola outfit maintained

their all-win record and joined

Mohammedan Sporting Club

and Abahani Krira Chakra at

the crowded top slot having

**Ajit Kumar Roy** 

**Executive Engineer** 

FM Division

Dhaka WASA.

Sports Reporter Jatrabari Krira Chakra recorded a 2-0 victory over Rayerbazar Athletics Club in one of the three Third Division

ture of the match was Usha had Army Stadium yesterday. to concede their first goal of the Anisur Rahman scored both league when Azad's Habul conthe goals in 61 st and 64th verted a penalty corner mid way

minutes. Maghbazar Kisholoy Sangha and Kadamtala Sangsad shared points in a goalless draw at the same venue.

football league matches at the

The remaining match of the day between Sunrise Sporting Club and Mirpur Ekadash billed at the Rajuk ground, also ended in a draw.

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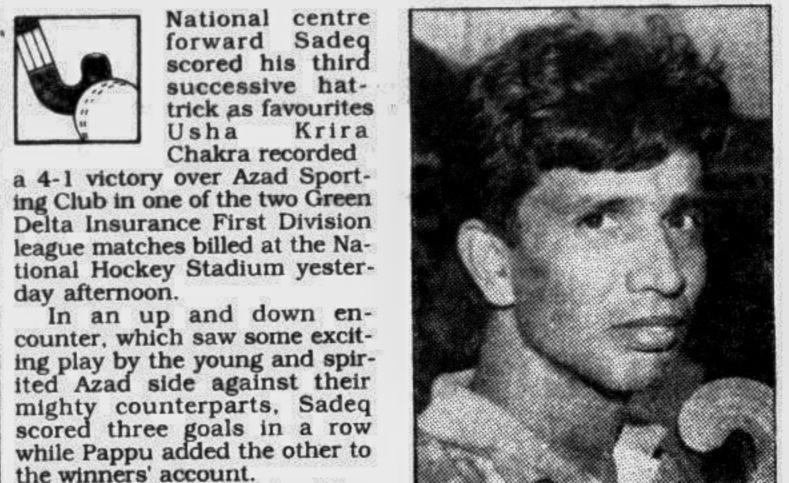
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Sports Reporter



SADEQ

raised their tally to 18 points from six matches.

On the other hand, it was the fourth defeat for Azad in six matches which kept them glued to their previous collection of

four points. Sadeq, the gifted national centre forward who scored two successive hattricks in Usha's previous two outings against Ansars and Railway, put his side ahead in the 15th minute flicking the ball home a Kamal

Sadeq scored his second goal after two minutes sounding the board from yet another Kamal

After conceding the second goal, Azad rallied to pull one back in the 19th minute with Habul brilliantly converting a

penalty corner. After the breather, Usha continued with their attacking game and added two more goals through Sadeq and Pappu re-

spectively. Sadeq completed his hattrick in the 38th minute pushing the ball home from a goalmouth melee while Pappu sealed the match flicking the ball home from a Kamal pass in

the 60th minute. With yesterday's hattrick, 14th of the league to date, Sadeq so far scored 14 goals, seven less than his teammate Rafiqul Islam Kamal who is leading the scorers' list with 21 goals.

### TEAMS

USHA KC: Tushar, Guddu, Nakib, Azam, Tutul, Piru, Zia, Pappu, Sadeq, Kamal, Ziad and

AZAD SC: Palash, Rajib, Yameen, Tabib, Morsalin, Moon, Showkat, Rana, Jubayer Rubel, Muksed, Habul and Shi-

Umpires: Aslam Omar Belim and Abdur Razzak.

## VICTORIA WIN

In the other match of the day, Victoria Sporting Club registered a solitary goal victory over Sonali Bank.

Faruque Ahmed scored the lone match winner in the 40th minute converting a penalty

It was the first win for Victoria in six matches which raised their tally on three points. Sonali Bank have eight points on completion of their sixth



Action from yesterday's Green Delta Insurance First Division league clash between Usha Krira Chakra and Azad Sporting Club at the Hockey Stadium. - Star photo

## Russell in town

Sports Reporter South African pitch expert Phill Russell arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. Later he visited the Bangladesh Cricket

Board office. The South African is expected to begin his assignment

from today. Russell looks after the Kingsmead ground in Durban.

## Young Cricketers beat Eastern

Sports Reporter

Young Cricketers defeated Eastern Sporting Club by five wickets in one of the three Danish Third Division cricket league matches billed at different venues of the city yesterday.

Electing to bat, Eastern Sporting Club were 139 for seven in 35.2 overs when heavy rain stopped play.

After the interruption, Young Cricketers were given a revised target of 121 to win in 25 overs and the dully reached it in 23.3 overs with five wickets in hand.

No play was possible in the games between Young Pegasus A and Progoti Seba Sangha at Mirpur and Shantinagar B and

New Eaglets at Uttara. Each team took one point.

## 2 Pakistani for Bima

Sadharan Bima have hired two Pakistani hockey forwards - Mohammad Saglain and Golam Gaus — to strengthen their line-up, reports UNB.

Lahore-born 19-year-old bearded Saglain and Karachiborn Gaus, 27, completed neces-sary official formalities yesterday, and are expected against Dhaka Ansars play tomorrow.

## Suncrest Cup handball

Ansars recorded their second win in the Suncrest Cup trouncing Air Force by 31-19 goals at the court near to Dhaka Stadium yesterday, reports

The winners led the first half 16-8.

Akram and Farid scored 8 and 7 goals each for Ansars but Sultan of Air Force was the highest individual scorer with

## TODAY'S MATCHES

Green Delta Insurance First Division Hockey League (Venue: Hockey Stadium) Ajax SC vs Dhaka Ansars (2:30

Mariner Young's Club vs Bangladesh Railway (4 pm) Danish Third Division Cricket

Postal CC vs Ekata SKS (MOS) CCS Blue vs Maghbazar JS

(DCS) Third Division Football League (Venue: Rajuk ground) Dipalee JS vs Purbachal' Parisad (2:45 pm) Matuail US vs Fire Service (4:30

National Bank Premier Division Volleyball League Sonali Bank vs Water Devel opment Board (3:30 pm) Wari Club vs Dhaka Green (4:30

Suncrest Cup Handball Tournament Manjis KC vs Bangladesh Rifles

#### nior champion Rajib, opted for Sicilian defence and won the match in 54 moves to notchup his 10th win in the 15 round Swiss league tournament.

# Pete faces tricky opener



The top-seeded Sampras, who hasn't won a match on clay this year and is coming off a thigh injury, drew France's Fabrice Santoro as his firstround opponent in Friday a

The Grand Slam tournament starts Monday.

Carlos Moya, two dangerous

## Nat'l bank v'ball

Second-seeded Michael

Michael Stich, last year's Stich still may play.



speaking at the press briefing at NSC on the eve of The Daily Star bridge championships Friday. Also present (from right) Mostafizur Rahman Mohan, Secy. Partizans Bridge Club, Salma Karim, member BBF and Tawfiq Aziz Khan, Acting Editor The Daily Star.

- Star photo

## Daily Star bridge starts today

The week-long Daily Star

Bridge Championship, organ-

ised by Partizans Bridge Club

and sponsored by the English

daily, will begin at the Officers'

Club auditorium this after-

Sobhan will inaugurate the

meet at 5:15 pm. Noted cine star

and director Abdur Razzak will

also be present on the occasion.

four groups for the first phase,

are participating in the tour-

nament scheduled to end on

group will qualify for the sec-

ond phase of the round robin

A budget of Taka sixty thou-sand has been allocated for the

out of which The Daily Star will

provide a sum of fifty thousand

A press conference in rela-

tion with the event was ar-

ranged at the National Sports

Council conference room yes-

terday afternoon by the organ-isers Partizans Bridge Club.

Tawfiq Aziz Khan, the Manag-

ing Editor of The Daily Star.

and AK Firoz Ahmed, the vice

president of Bangladesh Bridge Federation (BBF) briefed the

newsmen about the salient fea-

the general secretary of the

Partizans Club, BBF member

Salma Karim and Alauddin

Chowdhury of the club were

The following 16 teams are

Rajib needs

a draw

Mohammedan SC maintained

his lead as he outwitted Saidul

Islam of Barguna in the 14th-

round of the 23rd national

championship yesterday, re-

The former national sub-ju-

Rajib raised his collection to

11 and now needs a draw to confirm the title. In the last

round tie today, he will take on

Biman's FIDE master Rezaul

Haq who bagged 8.5 points to

and Ali Amzad Mintu of Ansars

are jointly sharing the second

Lovlu beat Abdullah-al-Rakib

of Mohammedan SC while

Mintu won over Taiubur Rah-

man Sumon of Khulna Univer-

ing in third place.

Rakib with 9.5 points is ly-

Standings (after 14th round):

Today's matches: Swapan vs

11 points - Rajib, 10 points -

Mintu, Lovlu, 9.5 points -

In the penultimate round,

position with 10 points each.

Saifuddin Lovlu of BTMC

hold on to fourth spot. \*

Enamul Hossain Rajib of

Mushfigur Rahman Mohan,

tures of the championship.

participating in the meet:

Amateur Bridge Club

Bangladesh Bank Blue

also present.

Group A

ports UNB.

Picwick Pink

A total of 16 teams, split into

Top two teams from each

Foreign Secretary Farooq

noon

Sports Reporter

Jahangirnagar University Group B Aces Alpha Picwick Purple Barnali Junior Partizans Red Group C Bangladesh Bank Green

PATC, Savar MA Mannan and partners Partizans White Group D **Azimpur Community Centre** Officers' Club B Chowdhury and partners Partizans Blue

### Office of the Executive Engineer Operation & Maintenance Division, Kaligani **Dhaka Electric Supply Authority**

Ref No. O&M/D/Kali/Admn-20/97/380 Dated: 30/4/97

## **Tender Notice**

Sealed tenders in the Board's T-2 form are invited from Dhaka Electric Supply Authority's enlisted/pre-qualified A/B/C & D class contractors/trading firms for the undermentioned work. Name of work Work of supplying liveries for the

Amount of earnest money

5% (five per cent) of the price quoted in the tender. Earnest money should be submitted through Pay Order in favour of the Additional Director, ZAO, DESA.

workers of O&M Division, Kaliganj.

Price of tender

Estimated cost

Tk 40/- (forty) only (non-refundable). Price of tender should be submitted through Pay Order in favour of the Additional Director, ZAO, DESA. Tk 53,344/- (fifty-three thousand

General Manager, Consumer

where Place tender will be available

Service (N:), Superintending Engineer, Consumer Service, Tongi Circle and at Pubali Bank Ltd Kaliganj Branch.

three hundred forty-four) only.

Last date of selling tender Last date of 5/6/97 up to 12:00 Noon.

submitting tender 5/6/97 at 12:30 PM. Date of opening tender

9. Terms & conditions A) Tender document should be purchased on prior permission

from the respective office. B) Any tender sent by post will not be acceptable.

C) Erroneous/irregular tender will be treated as cancelled

|| outright D) Sample of cloth should be submitted with the tender.

 E) Tender inviting authority reserves the right to accept any tender or reject all tenders. F) Other terms & conditions will be imposed according to

circumstances.

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No T-1/97/692

representatives.

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**Executive Engineer** Operation & Maintenance Division Kaliganj, DESA.

Dated: 10-05-97/27-01-1404BS

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Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Assistant Director Zonal Duck Breeding Farm Daulatpur, Khulna

## **Tender Notice**

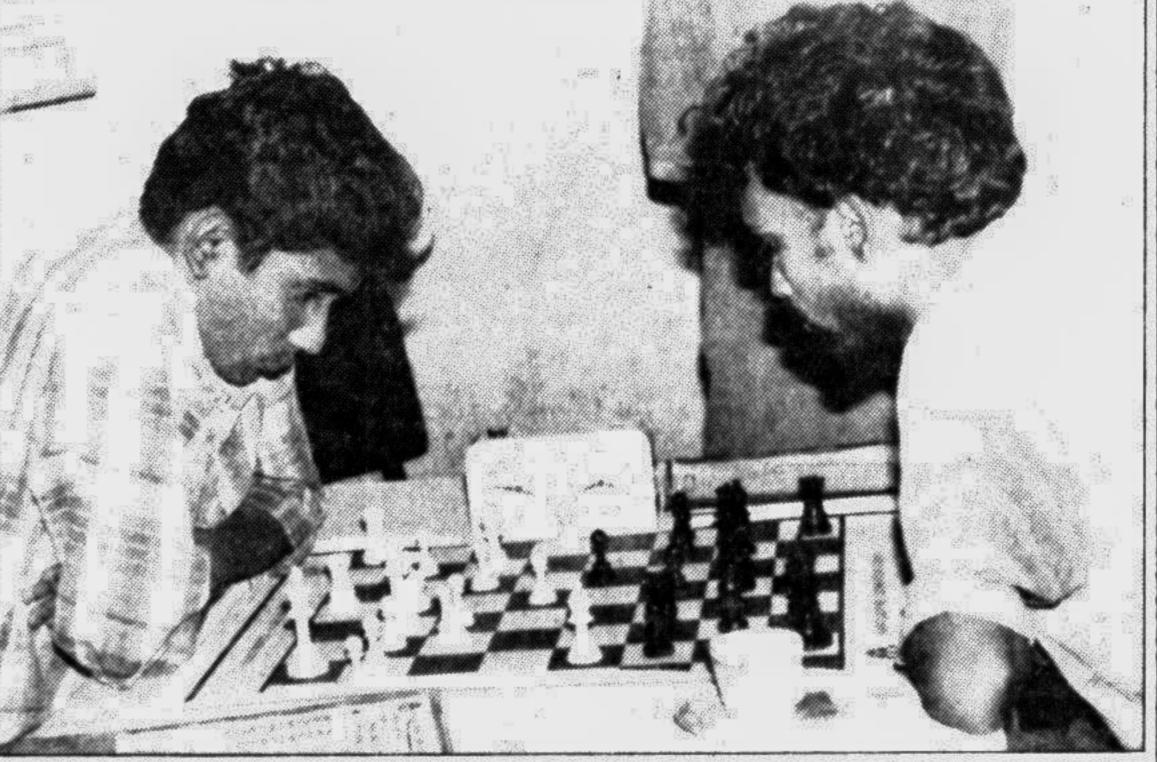
Sealed tenders are hereby invited from Directorate of Animal Resources enlisted/non-enlisted contractors, valid foodstuff traders, autonomous/semi-autonomous organisations, bonafide vitamin mineral pre-mix manufacturing multi-national firms & bonafide poultry feed traders for purchase of various duck feed articles, litre goods & crushing of feed items for Zonal Duck Breeding Farm, Daulatpur, Khulna during 1997-98 financial year. Directorate of Animal Resources enlisted contractors should possess upto-date certificate of enlistment. In case of non-enlisted contractors & other tenderer firms the undermentioned certificates & papers should be submitted with the tender: (a) valid trade licence, (b) income tax certificate in own name of contractor/firm, (c) nationality certificate, (d) bank solvency certificate, (e) marketing licence, (f) foodgrain licence, (g) certificate from UP chairman/ward commissioner on permanent address, and (h) attested photograph of the contractor/firm owner concerned. The above certificates & papers are relaxable in case of autonomous/semi-autonomous & multi-national vitamin, mineral pre-mix manufacturing organisations. But it is conditional that the tender should be submitted under the signature of the authorised person of the organisation concerned. Detailed description of the items to be purchased & to be crushed are stated in the tender schedule. 'Document' containing tender schedule, tender terms & conditions can be bought at Tk 800/= (eight hundred) only (non-refundable) during office hours of 28th & 29th May from Khulna Divisional Commissioner & Metropolitan Police Commissioner's office chamber. Tender should be dropped in the tender box kept at the Office of the Assistant Director, Zonal Duck Breeding Farm, Daulatpur, Khulna; Divisional Commissioner, Khulna & Metropolitan Police Commissioner, Khulna on May 31, Saturday, within 10-00 AM to 12-00 Noon. The tenders received will be opened on the same day i.e. May 31, 97 at 1-00 PM at the Office of the Divisional Commissioner, Khulna in presence (if any) of the tenderers. Tender schedule will not be sent by post. But

contractors, firms and traders concerned may purchase it on

cash payment themselves or through their nominated

Assistant Director Zonal Duck Breeding Farm Daulatpur, Khulna Phone No 762418.

yesterday.



their fourteenth round engagement of the 23rd national chess championship at the NSC — Star photo

#### Spanish clay-courters. the Italian Open two years ago Pete Sampras, and has had a solid clay-court bidding for the season this year. Ranked No 57, Santoro has only Grand Slam



title he hasn't won, will face an

early test at the French Open, reports AP.

hands full with Santoro, a French Open junior champion in 1989. While Santoro has been a journeyman player for much of his career, he beat Sampras in the first round of beaten former French Open champions Thomas Muster and Sergi Bruguera and reached two semifinals in Monte Carlo and Prague:

If Sampras gets through the first round, he has a relatively easy draw until the quarterfinals. But there, he could run into either Alex Corretja or

Chang drew a qualifier in the first round, while defending Martin Damm.

its glamour already when Boris Becker and Andre Agassi with-

was Sweden's Thomas Enqvist,

losing finalist, had announced his withdrawal Thursday. But his name was included in the draw Friday, and Clerc said

feated Water Development Board 10-15, 15-7, 15-3 and 15-Defending champions BDR will face runners-up Titas Club in the championship match on

Sampras, who lost his opening matches in Monte Carlo and The BDR and Titas Club Rome, retired in the third set of recorded their eighth wins in the National Bank Premier Dia match Monday at the World Team Cup in Duesseldorf, Gervision volleyball league yestermany with a muscle strain. He day, reports UNB. In the day's first match, BDR pulled out of the rest of the easily beat PDB by 15-5, 15-2 event to preserve his chances for the French Open. and 15-1 points while Titas de-Sampras could have his

champion and No 3 seed Yevgeny Kafelnikov will face Muster, seeded fourth this year and mired in a terrible slump, could be in trouble in first round against Germany's Marc-Kevin Goellner. No 4 Goran Ivanisevic also could have an early tough time against Sweden's Magnus Gustafsson.

The tournament lost some of drew with injuries.

Rakib, 8.5 points — Rezaul, 8 points - Sumon, Kayes, Shiplu, The latest dropout Friday 7.5 points — Shakil, 6.5 points - Pallab, 5.5 points - Masum, 5 who had been ranked and points - Nasir, 4.5 points seeded No 9. His withdrawal Javed, 4 points - Amir, 3.5 means Bruguera, the 1993 and points - Masum, 2.5 points -1994 champion, becomes the No Swapan.

> Shiplu, Pallab vs Lovlu, Kayes vs Sumon, Mintu vs Nasir, Amir vs Shakil, Arif vs Javed, Rajib vs Rezaul and Rakib and

Khulna. G-1478 CROSSWORD By Eugene Sheffer 16 Elmer, to 1 Rum cake 1 Faise god 41 Gem 2 MPs 20 "Encore!" 43 Sun, on 9 Comic 13 Late scat 24 Journey 14 "-- not 25 Candle count 26 Chance to run' 15 Most 6 So as to 27 Jupiter's

Md Abdul Wahab

**Executive Engineer** 

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> Yesterday's Cryptoquip: PEOPLE THAT SHUNTHE SUN ARE SIMPLY CALLED SHADY CHARACTERS, I'M TOLD. Today's Cryptoquip clue: U equals C The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one

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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.



Tayebur Rahman Sumon (L) and Ali Amjad Mintu flexing their cerebral muscles during