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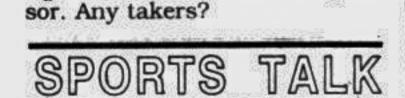
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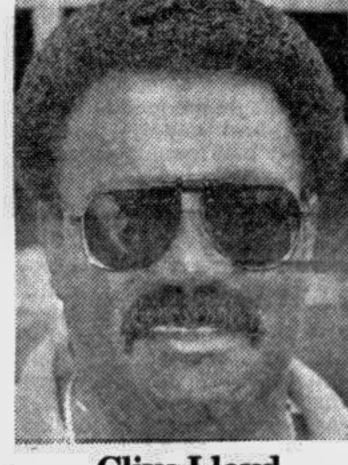
THAT there are five basic I components of an automobile racing team: (a) the owner, (b) the team manager, (c) the driver, (d) the support crew, and (e) the sponsors. The owner of the car is the head of the team, but usually employs a manager to run the team on a day-to-day basis. The driver is always an independent contractor. Drivers may compete in cars of several owners throughout their careers. The car owner also employs a support crew, which maintains the car before. during, and after races. The driver and support crew work together during races as the car needs repairs, tyre changes, and fuel refills. When a driver stops during a race to allow the support crew to service the vehicle, it is called a pit stop. Finally, sponsors, usually corporations, provide money to the racing team and in return can use their association with the team for commercial purposes. The most obvious examples of this relationship are company logos, which advertise the products of a car's sponsors and are commonly seen on the outside of vehicles during races, but companies also use racing as part of public relations marketing, entertainment, and employee relations programs. Let's see now. The bank owns my car. My wife will be the team manger. I am the obvious choice as driver. The support crew is spread all



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try ... All I need now is a spon-



Clive Lloyd

(West Indies cricket manager) "We are not flush with money in the West Indies. You have got to be paid commensurate with your ability, but you have got to be paid according to the money that's there.'

On the Caribbean team's recent crisis.

NOTICE

Due to unavoidable reasons draw of the WHiZZ KID Competition-107 could not be held yesterday. It will now take place on December 4. -- Sports Editor

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KL enters

the fray

GENEVA, Nov 27: Malaysia

told IOC officials on Thursday

that its capital. Kuala Lumpur,

will be a candidate for the 2008

Summer Olympic Games, re-

ports Xinhua.

EN-VITS

Name

the game. It's tough to stay on top for so long.

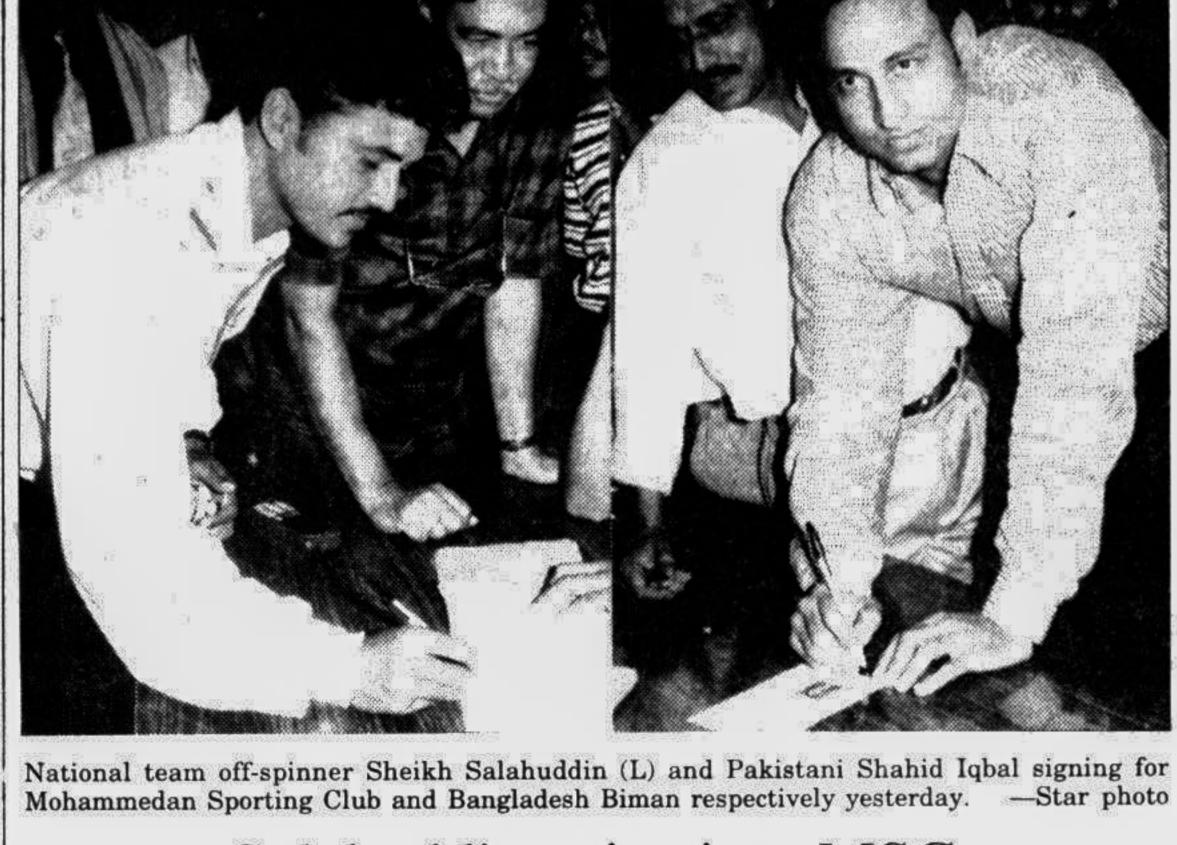
year. But I've done it, even if I wasn't so consistent this year.'

thick margin of 33 computer · points at the start of the tournament.

was presented with a giant chocolate cake which spelled out the number 6. Champagne was also on hand and Sampras duly took a swig from the bottle. This is an achievement I'll enjoy when the year's finally

over," he said. "I put a lot into this record. It was worth the sacrifice. "I spent a lot of time over

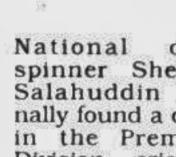
here, six weeks in a row after



Salahuddin spins into MSC

Abahani, Surjo Tarun rule the pool

Sports Reporter



spinner Sheikh Salahuddin finally found a club in the Premier Division cricket

On the final day of the threeday inter-club cricketers' transfer, Salahuddin, who played for league champions Abahani for the last three seasons but was ignored by the Dhanmondi club this season, signed for another popular side, Mohammedan Sporting Club, last night.

This will be Salahuddin's second marriage with Mohammedan. The man from Khulna also played for the Motijheel outfit in the 1992-93 season. Talking to The Daily Star af-

ter handing over his token to Mohammedan official Wasim Khan, Salahuddin said that it was a curse to be an off-spinner. "You see, no body wants to fill their five-man national pool quota with an off spinner

and that is very painful. If this

trend continues, I doubt if boys

will opt to bowl off-break deliv-

eries,* said Salauddin. Salauddin apart, wicketkeeper Ashraful Islam Russell

from Lalmatia Club and middle-order batsman Saiduzzaman Sohel of Wari Club also joined Mohammedan yester-

Leg-spinner Tanveer Khan. who toured England last Summer with the national team, was the last man in the 34-man national pool to shift allegiance. He joined First Division side Orient Sporting Club from Dhanmondi Club yesterday.

Pakistan all-rounder Shahid Iqbal was another notable transfer of the day. The tall Karachi-based cricketer. who played for Agrani Bank the last couple of seasons, yesterday signed for Biman, who earlier Thursday caused quite a sensation by roping in national skipper Aminul Islam from Mohammedan.

Five clubs--Abahani, Kalabagan Krira Chakra, Biman, Surjo Tarun Club and Mohammedan Sporting Club-completed their five-man national pool quota. Brothers Union have retained the services of their four national pool cricketers. Victoria Sporting Club have roped in three pool players while Agrani Bank and Orient Sporting Club have one

pool cricketers:

Abahani Ltd: Akram Khan.

Surjo Tarun Club: Minhazul Abedin, Athar Ali Khan, Ena-

Anisur Rahman. Bashar, Javed Omar Belim and

hammed Rafique, Morshed Ali Hossain and Sheikh Salahud-

Brothers Union: Shahriar Hossain, Khaled Mahmud Shafiuddin Ahmed and Sanwar Hossain.

Orient SC. Tanveer Khan.

Cricketers' transfer list on Page 14

Pete goes into history

many. Nov 27: A delighted Pete Sampras had his cake and ate it after re-writing tennis history on Thursday, claiming the year-end world No 1 spot for the sixth straight year and

reaching the last four at the ATP Tour World Championship here, reports AFP. And winning the title will put the cherry on the cake after

another hugely successful season for the 27-year-old. Sampras did not need to lift a racket to clinch the honour after Chile's Marcelo Rios, the world No 2, pulled out with back

pain prior to his scheduled second round-robin match at the 3.5 million dollars ATP Tour World Championship here. Rios informed officials shortly before he was due to face Briton Greg Rusedski, himself

substituting for the injured Andre Agassi, that he would not play. He was replaced by Spaniard Albert Costa. Sampras has now broken

the record of five straight years at the top that was set in 1974-78 by Jimmy Connors and celebrated in style by blasting Slovakian No 6 Karol Kucera off court 6-2, 6-1 in just 46 minutes to sweep to a 3-0 group play record in round robin play here. It was Kucera's third defeat.

"I've had to sacrifice a lot, it feels great," said Sampras of his "I've put a lot of work into

"I'm sure I'll appreciate it more as it sinks in. I started thinking about the record last

Sampras led Rios by a hair-

At the post-match press conference, the tennis megastar

the US Open." Sampras said he was eating

pasta at his hotel in the afterand I did that, it was well worth noon when he heard that Rios had pulled out with a back injury and would not continue.

"It's rally, really sore — so sore that I can't go to the court," said Rios, who displaced Sampras twice for a total of six weeks this year as No 1.

"There was no sense to go out on the court and play two games. We're professionals, if we're on the court we want to do 100 per cent," the Chilean said.

Briton Tim Henman claimed a place in the last four alongside Sampras as he defeated Spain's Alex Corretja 7-6, 6-7, 6-2 in a White Group roundrobin match.

Henman's reward for taking his round-robin record to two wins and no defeats was a showdown with fellow Briton Rusedski.

Rusedski, substituting at the season wrap-up for US crowdpleaser Agassi, like Rios a back injury victim, benefited from the Chilean's withdrawal and instead ended up playing and beating second afternate Costa, 14th in the world, 7-6, 6-1.

"It was a weird situation," said British No 2 Rusedski. "All day long I thought I was playing Once the Canadian-born

Briton had wrapped up the first set tiebreaker and overcame a break of serve against him at the start of the second it was all plain sailing. In their encounter, Henman

and Corretja split the first two tiebreak sets, but the Briton took command in the third with two quick breaks, gathering momentum for a victory which took just under two-anda-half hours.

"I wasn't sure even when I came off the court that I had made the semifinals," said Henman. Sampras admitted that after

winning only four titles this year - low by his standards he had his doubts about breaking the record after an inconsistent start to 1998. "The turning point for me

this year was Wimbledon. If I hadn't won it, the chance of me being No 1 would have been pretty slim. "But I won there and from

that point on I thought I had a good chance. If I had won the US Open I wouldn't have had to play six weeks in a row, but I got a little unlucky there.

each from the pool. Distribution of national

Naimur Rahman, Mehrab Hossain. Azam Iqbal and Hasibul

Kalabagan KC: Saiful Islam. Harun-ur Rashid, Mushfiqur Rahman, Fahim Muntasir Rahman and Sajjad Ahmed.

mul Haque. Al-Shahriar and Biman: Aminul Islam, Faruque Ahmed, Habibul

Hasanuzzaman. Mohammedan SC: Mo-Khan, Manzurul Islam, Zakir

Victoria SC: Zakir Hasan, Jewel Hossain and Sabbir

Agrani Bank: Mofizur Rah-

"I felt I needed to play more

On Friday, Yevgeny Kafelnikov will play Carlos Moya for a place in the semifinals. Also, Rusedski faces Hen-

man and Costa meets Corretja in matches determining the other two semifinalists. With Henman already through, Corretja and Rusedski are still in the running. Corretja will advance if Rusedski loses to Hen-

league of his own JOHANNESBURG, Nov 27:

Walsh in a

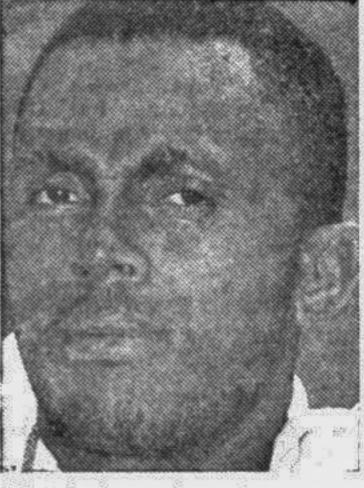
Courtney Walsh broke the West Indies all-time Test wicket record Friday, taking three on the second day in the first Test against South Africa to surpass Malcolm Marshall at the Wanderers Stadium, reports AP.

His success left South Africa at 138 for three at tea, chasing the West Indies first innings score of 261.

When he had opener Adam Bacher caught behind for one. he equalled Marshall's record of 376. After lunch in his second spell, he removed Jacques Kallis for 53 and Darryl Cullinan for eight to claim the record outright.

He acknowledge the mark by saluting Marshall, who was watching from the dressing room.

At the crease at tea were Gary Kirsten on 57 and Hansie Cronje on six. Earlier in the day, South Africa quickly removed the



West Indies tail, as the visitors resumed at 249 for seven. Shaun Pollock took two more wickets for only three runs and Allan Donald added the other as South Africa finished off the West Indies with only 12 runs added.

Pollock finished with five

Saqlain summoned

PESHAWAR, Nov 27: A judicial commission probing match-fixing allegations in Pakistani cricket has summoned spinner Saqlain Mushtaq and five other people to appear, officials said today, reports AFP.

The commission is due to meet in Lahore on Saturday to complete its investigation launched in September.

Saglain has also been served notice to explain why he did not respond to an earlier summon by the commission. The Pakistan Cricket Board's legal adviser Ali Sajjad told AFP. Others summoned include

current Test player Azhar

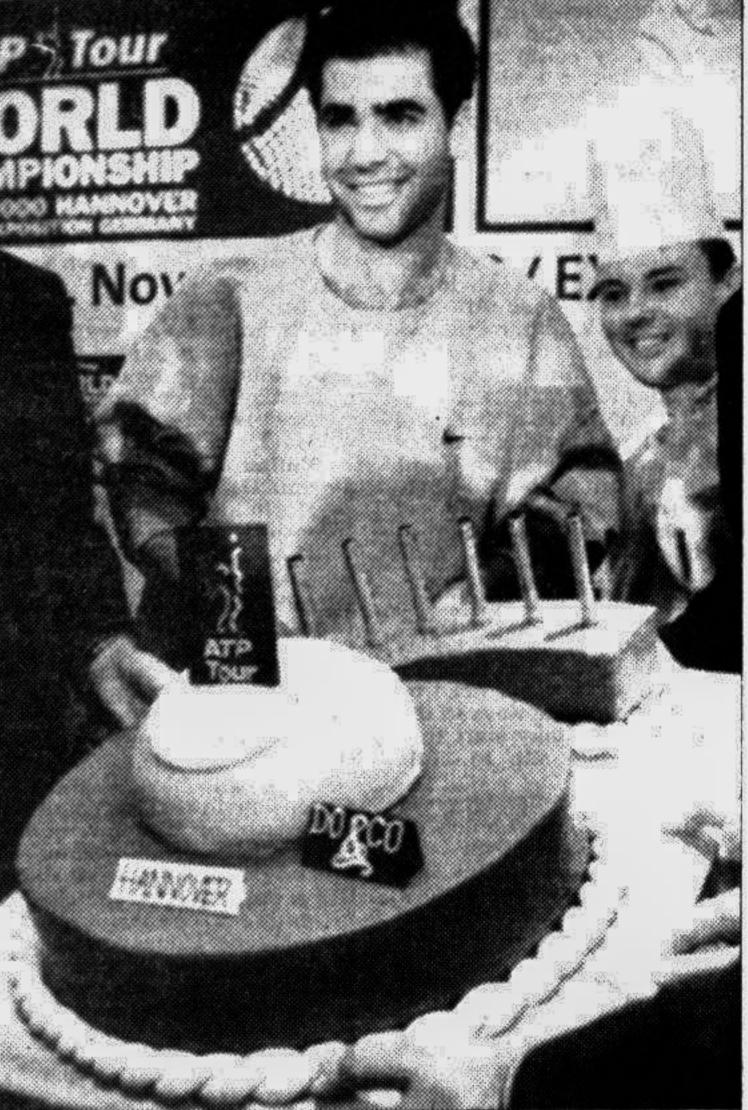
Mahmood, former internation-

als Zahid Fazal and Asif Mujtaba, Lahore-based journalist Shahid Sheikh and video shop owner Nayyer Ahmed. Saglain has been accused of throwing a one-day match against India in September

1997 by conceding 17 runs to

tail-enders. "I am unaware of any notice or summons but if I am called I will definitely go," said Saglain, who was dropped from Pakistan's line-up in the first Test against Zimbabwe being played here.

The commission meanwhile fixed Saturday as the last day for Pakistani cricketers to declare their assets.



ing forward to play a defensive Superstar Pete Sampras stands behind the cake presented to him after the American confirmed his top position on the ATP rankings unchanged in Hanover, Germany on -AP/UNB photo November 26.

Ijaz, Youhana rebuild

PESHAWAR, Nov 27: Ijaz Ahmed hit 87 and Yousuf Youhana a careerbest 74 not out to help Pakistan recover from a faltering start to 272 for six on the opening day

of the first Test against Zimbabwe here today, reports AFP. Wasim Akram was accompanying Youhana and yet to score when stumps were drawn four overs early due to bad light. Youhana and Ijaz put on a

babwe for the fourth wicket to help the home side recover from a disappointing 109-3 at lunch. The 24-year-old Youhana's 74 came in 211 minutes with 13 boundaries, surpassing this previous best of 64 made last

record 118 runs against Zim-

season also against Zimbabwe. Zimbabwe's bowlers led by Mpumelelo Mbangwa began promisingly but were not helped by some sloppy fielding which saw some crucial

chances missed. Mbangwa, 22, only the third black cricketer to play for Zimbabwe, finished the day on 40-3

off 23 overs. Put in to bat by the tourists, Pakistani skipper Aamir Sohail continued his poor run when he was caught behind by Andrew Flower off Mbangwa's first ball for 15.

Saeed Anwar, who hit a solid 126 against Australia here last month, hit five boundaries in his 36. But he missed a ball from Neil Johnson and was bowled between bat and pad. Mbangwa returned for a second spell to claim Inzamamul

Haq for 19 with Pakistan on 92

before accounting for Ijaz,

caught at mid-on by Andrew

Whittall. ljaz's innings came off 128 balls lasting 194 minutes with 13 fours and a six from offspinner Whittall.

His stand with Youhana beat the previous best for the fourth

wicket against Zimbabwe of 116, set by Ijaz and Inzamam in Harare in 1994-95.

Johnson deprived recordbreaking paceman Streak of a wicket by dropping Youhana at second slip when the Pakistan was on one. Ijaz, who hit two centuries against Australia last month

to continue his good form and bail out his side on a greenish pitch. "It is a difficult wicket to bat on but I am happy that I have helped my team and that is why

the third one-dayer, was happy

I play cricket," Ijaz said. Moin Khan made 15 before holding out to Henry Olonga, while Streak reached his 100th Test wicket in his 25th Test when he forced Azhar Mahmood (11) to edge to Andrew

Flower. Streak became the first Zimbabwean bowler to achieve the feat of 100 Test scalps.

"It is a great day for me as well as for Zimbabwe," Streak

"I will always remember this Test and the wicket irrespective of the result, though the cele-brations would be doubled if we manage to notch up our first success on foreign soil in this game," the 24-year-old bowler told reporters.

Both teams entered the Test with four seamers with Wasim Akram, Waqar Younis and Aaquib Javed playing together for Pakistan for the first time since 1995-96 against Sri Lanka. Aaquib is playing his first Test since then. Zimbabwe included Whittall

in place of leg-spinner Paul Strang. SCOREBOARD

Scorecard at close of play on

the first day of the first Test be-

tween Pakistan and Zimbabwe

on Friday:

PAKISTAN Anwar b Johnson

Sonail c A Flower b Mbangwa liaz c Whittall b Mbangwa Inzamam Ibw b Mbangwa Youhana not out Moin Khan c Mbangwa b Olonga Azhar Mahmood c A Flower b Streak Wasim Akram not out and one against Zimbabwe in

Total: (for 6 wkts in 79 overs)

Extras: (lb-5, nb-10)

Fall of wkts: 1-45; 2-56; 3-92; 4-210; 5-233; 6-268. Bowler: 78 Streak 43 Olonga Johnson 76 Mbangwa 0 30 0 Whittall

To bat: Mushtag Ahmed,

Waqar Younis and Aaquib Umpires: George Sharp (England) and Athar Zaidi

(Pakistan) ICC match referee: Cammie Smith (West Indies).

NBL v'ball

Power Development Board

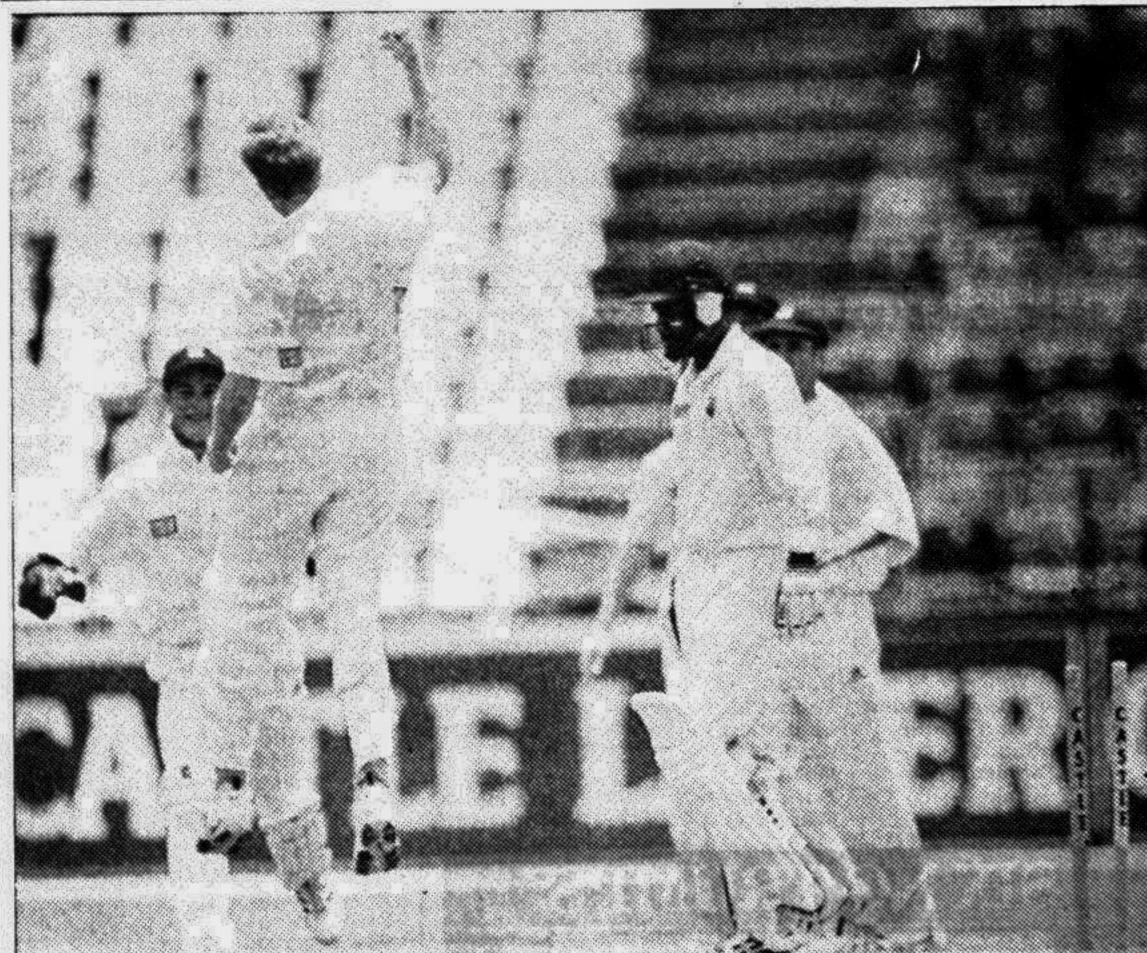
and Water Development Board won their respective matches of the NBL Premier volleyball league at Outer Stadium volleyball ground yesterday, reports Power Development Board

inflicted a thumping three-set defeat on Azad Sporting Club in the first match. They won by 15-11, 15-1 and 15-10 points. In the other match of the day, Water Development Board

romped to a 3-0 set victory against Sonali Bank. They beat the Bankers by 15-8, 15-7, 15-0 points.

TODAY'S MATCHES

Bangladesh Rifles vs Bangladesh Bank. Titas Gas vs Wari Club.



South African paceman Shaun Pollock jumps in joy after bowling Brian Lara during the first day's play of the inaugural Test against West Indies at Wanderers on November 26.

Shaun sets Windies back

JOHANNESBURG. Nov 27: An early burst of three wickets by Shaun Pollock gave South Africa the advantage on the first day of the first Test against West Indies at the Wanderers on Thursday. reports AFP.

seven at the close. Shivnarine Chanderpaul played a dogged innings of 74 but the tourists were unable to recover fully from their early setbacks. Pollock had the West Indies

reeling at 41 for three when he

dismissed Clayton Lambert.

Philo Wallace and Brian Lara

The West Indies were 249 for

after Lara won the toss and decided to bat on what looked a good batting pitch. Chanderpaul and Carl Hooper stooped the collapse when they put on 91 for the fourth wicket before Hooper was caught at first slip off Allan

Donald for 44. Pollock, newly-appointed vice-captain to Hansie Cronje, finished the day with figures of three for 51 but it could have been better if he had held three sharp caught and bowled chances. He had Lambert caught be-

hind for 16 and then bowled

Wallace, after drooping him on

nought, and Lara. Pollock later dropped Carl Hooper and Nixon McLean. Hooper offered a chance to Pollock before he had scored, he went on to make 44 in a fourthwicket stand of 91 with Chanderpaul despite batting with a runner for most of his innings after suffering a groin strain when he slipped while stretch-

shot against Jacques Kallis. Hooper handed out harsh punishment to Donald, hitting South Africa's ace fast bowler for four fours in five balls.

Donald struggled to find the right length on an unusually slow Wanderers pitch but came back strongly after conceding 57 runs in his first 11 overs.

Donald made the break-

caught at first slip by Daryl Cullinan and he later trapped Chanderpaul lbw. Chanderpaul showed the application which has made him one of the most consistent batsmen in the West Indian

through when Hooper was well

team as he passed 50 for the 18th time in 31 Tests. He reached his half-century off 125 balls but then spent an hour adding just another three runs. He eventually batted for 273 minutes, facing 210 balls

and hitting 10 fours The West Indies lower-order batsmen provided unexpected resistance with new wicketkeeper Ridley Jacobs struggling for 81 minutes and 48 balls to make 14. While McLean made a valuable 23 not out. McLean was dropped by Pollock on 20.

New cap David Terbrugge bowled impressively for South Africa, showing tight control at a lively pace. He took the wicket of Stuart Williams, who mistimed a pull to mid-on, and conceded just 32 runs off 16 overs. He was given the second new ball but sent down only one

over before leaving the field with a slight side strain. Terbrugge, 21, could be the answer to South Africa's quest for a steady pace bowler to back up the strike pair of Donald and Pollock but his selection ahead of black bowler Makhaya Ntini was controversial.

With spinner Paul Adams being named 12th man, South Africa fielded no coloured players for the first time since Ali Bacher, managing director of the United Cricket Board, said earlier this year that it was no longer acceptable to have and

Responding to criticism by Myuso Mbebe, chief executive of the national Sports Council. Bacher issued a statement Thursday saying he was "disap-

The selectors had informed him that "due to loss of from and injury to players of colour who were in contention for the team, they were unable to select these players. The issue will be debated by

pointed" at the selection.

the UCB on December 5. "I am confident that a clear selection policy with parameters that the national selection panel must adhere to will emerge from that meeting." said The West Indies selected re-

morning after being summoned from the West Indies A tour of India.

placement leg-spinner Rawl

Lewis, who arrived on Thursday

SCOREBOARD Scoreboard on the opening day of the first Test between South Africa and West Indies at the Wanderers on Thursday:

WEST INDIES: First innings Lambert c Boucher b Pollock 8 Wallace b Pollock Lara b Pollock Chanderpaul Ibw b Donald 74 Hooper c Cullinan b Donald 44

McLean not out Lewis not out Extras: (lb-6, nb-5,w-2) Total: (for seven wickets)

To bat: C Ambrose, C Walsh 83 4 51 5 37 5 32 3 0

Bowler Donald Pollock Kallis Terbrugge Cronje 37 Symcox

Williams c Cronje b Terbrugge35 Jacobs c Cronje b Kalllis Fall of wkts 1-17; 2-24; 3-41; 4-132; 5-177; 6-198; 7-235 M R W