African Nations Cup

Nigeria leave

Amakochi out

LAGOS, Jan 13: Nigeria's coach Jo Bonfrere has dropped

injury-hit captain Daniel

Amokachi and mixed youth and

the African Nations Cup which

kicks off in Accra on January

Amokachi, who until re-

cently played for Turkish side

Besiktas, was dropped after doc-

tors told Bonfrere the player had

not been able to overcome a nag-

Arsenal striker Nwankwo

Kanu, whose delayed release for

the country's build-up for the

toboro Sodije from English side

Luton Town and Tunisia-based

Julius Aghahowa, one of the few

successes at the FIFA World

Youth Championship last April. Akwuegbu, a 24-year-old for-

ward, has impressed during the

and he is widely expected to win

(Besiktas/Tur). Ndubuisi Egbo

(El Masry/Ksa). Murphy Akanji

Defenders: Celestine Baba

yaro (Chelsea/Eng), Taribo West

(AC Milan/Ita), Emeka Ifejiagwa

(Osasuna/Spa), Godwin Okpara

(Paris St Germain/Fra), Efeto-

boro Sodjie (Luton/Eng), Gbenga

(Juventus/Ita), Mutiu Adepoju

(Real Sociedad/Spa), Augustin

Jay Jay Okocha (Paris St Ger

main/Fra), Garba Lawal (Roda

JC Kerkrade/Ned), Finidi George

Forwards: Benedict Ak-

wuegbu (Graz AK/Aut), Tijjani

Babangida (Ajax/Ned), Victor

Ikpeba (Borussia Dortmund/

Ger), Nwankwo Kanu (Arsenal/

Engl. Emmanuel Amuneke

(Barcelona/Spa), Chukwu Ndu-

kwe (Bari/Ita), Julius Aghahowa

Akpoborie (Wolfsburg/ Ger)

(Esperance/Tun). Jonathan

Biggies eyes

on Olympic

MELBOURNE, Jan 13: Six of

the world's top 10 men's tennis

players are slugging it out at an

exhibition in Melbourne this

week happily ignoring a rank-

ing Tour event at the brand-new

Sydney Olympic Tennis Centre.

such as Andre Agassi and Pete

Sydney Games with a golden

The 2000 Olympics in

September have been one of the

main topics of conversation

during the Kooyong Classic, a

traditional warm-up event for

the year's first grand slam

tournament starting on Mon-

Kafelnikov, the defending Aus-

tralian Open champion, said on

Thursday a gold medal in Syd-

ney was about the most valu-

able trophy he could earn this

World number two Yevgeny

But even though big names

reports Reuters.

glint in their eyes.

2-0 after 60 minutes when a | week's Australian Open, they're

Midfielders: Sunday Oliseh

Okunowo (Benfica/Por)

(Real Betis/Spa)

(Julius Berger)

team's training stint in Spain

his first full cap when the Super

Eagles begin their campaign

22. reports AFP.

ging knee injury.

Nigeria in 1996.

Maradona has heart muscle ailment

BUENOS AIRES, Jan 13: Carlos Benjamin Alvarez, personal cardiologist to Diego Maradona, said on Wednesday the controversial former Argentine footballer was suffering from a severe muscular heart ailment brought on by cocaine abuse, reports AFP.

Alvarez said that cocaine abuse would cause circulation problems in the heart.

"That can engender all sorts of problems from a heart attack to ischaemia (a reduction of blood supply)," said Alvarez, who runs the Sacred Heart clinic in Buenos Aires, where Maradona is undergoing treatment after his

latest drugs problems.
Alvarez told Argentine radio that Maradona would have to undergo a range of extensive tests before he could judge the seriousness of the problem.

Alfredo Cahe, Maradona'a neurologist, meanwhile told the local media that Maradona appeared to have resigned himself to a long battle and had over the past year "suffered from deep depression .. because of stimulants. "Until last year he was doing

positive things such as training. trying to lose weight and want ing to play. But last year he seemed to me to be more apathetic and had a resigned air about him. That's how he has been these last few days." Cahe

Maradona last week spent five days in a Uruguayan clinic following an alleged cocaine overdose.

He was flown back to Argentina last Sunday but the · Uruguayans want him to return following treatment to give evidence to their investigators.

Anelka out for two months

MADRID, Jan 13: Real Madrid's French international striker Nicolas Anelka will be out of action for two months the club revealed Wednesday after he underwent an operation to remove the inner meniscus in his right knee, reports AFP.

The 20-year-old, who became the costliest signing in Spanish football when he joined last summer from English Premier ship outfit Arsenal for 38 million dollars, suffered the injury during Monday's World Club Championship match with Raja Casablanca.

The club's surgeon Alfonso del Corral said that there had been no damage to the rest of the opening blitz. knee.

will return to training in six weeks and should be fit to play a fortnight later, could not have give them a 3-0 lead. come at a worse time as he had scored three times in the first

Baggio may be in for more

Football Federation, stung by criticism of imposing just a one match ban on Italian international Dino Baggio, said Wednesday they were opening an enquiry into his behaviour after being sent off in last Sunday's Serie A match with Juventus, reports AFP.

The Federation took the decision after there was amazement that the 28-year-old Parma midfielder, who played in the 1994 and 1998 World Cup finals, hadn't been banned for longer as he had spat in disgust at the decision to send him off.



Monaco's Argentine playmaker Marcelo Gallardo (C) being congratulated by teammate Marco Simone after the former had scored his second goal against Troyes in a French -AFP photo First Division fixture at Troyes on January 12.

French First Division

Monaco too good for Troyes | Eagles begin their campaign against Tunisia on January 23 in Lagos. SQUAD Goalkeepers: lke Shorunmu

PARIS, Jan 13: A stunning three goal opening burst by eased them to a 4-1 thrashing of

Troyes on Wednesday, including a superb double by Argentinian Marcelo Gallardo, and extended their lead in the title race to seven points, reports AFP.

Monaco, who were 3-0 up within 11 minutes against a side unbeaten in their previous six matches, lead Lyon by seven points and Paris Saint Germain by eight after the latter two fought out a 2-2 draw on Tues -

Also on Tuesday champions Bordeaux' hopes of retaining their title suffered another blow with a 2-1 defeat at Metz leaving them 15 points adrift of Monaco. Monaco, with only one defeat

in their last 10 matches destroyed Troyes hopes of causing an upset with their stunning

Gallardo had doubled the score sliding in at the far post af- Carlos, sent off in Monday's 3-2 two matches after injury and | ter Simone's low cross had poor form had kept him out of evaded a static Troyes defence the side prior to their arrival in | and added the fourth with an in-

Simone had opened the scor ing with a superb curling effort nal. It's not that Corinthians from 25 metres out in the fifth don't merit their place but the minute for his 14th of the season rules of this tournament were ROME, Jan 13: The Italian after the lay-off from striker loaded against us," claimed partner David Trezeguet, who Roberto Carlos, noting that Real, created the third for Giuly as who lost out by just one goal, had

> The battle between Troyes' hours before the Brazilians. fellow First Division newboys went to Sedan, who fought off a exactly what result they needed sierce sightback by St Etienne to in their final match against Al leap into fifth place with a 3-2 Nassr of Saudi Arabia and duly

St Etienne didn't help themselves as they went 1-0 down final, Real went down the tourist when 'keeper Jerome Alonzo route on Wednesday as they ate spilled the ball from a Sedan in a typical Brazilian restaurant freekick and Geir Frigard and then went to seek inspirapounced to prod the ball home. Sedan doubled their advan - Redeemer.

tage before the break as Pierre league since September with a 3 Deblock scored from long range 0 win over Nantes. and then captain Olivier Quint added a third before 'Les Verts' mounted a stirring comeback.

a minute of Sedan's third and within minutes Julien Sable's fierce shot from just outside the area had left Sedan with just a goal advantage.

Leroy sent-off in the second- over keeper Mickael Landreau.

lier got their first win in the

Real struggle for motivation

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan 13: Real Madrid will have to dig deep to motivate themselves for Fri-Ludovic Giuly completed the day's third-place play-off at the The injury for Anelka, who amazing opening salvo by the World Club Championship leaders chipping the keeper against Mexican side Necaxa as beautifully from 20 metres to they believe they deserved better, reports AFP.

Brazilian wingback Roberto win over Raja Casablanca of Morocco which allowed Corinthians to pip Real on goal difference stirictive shot after good work by for a final place, said he felt his teammates had been unlucky.

"We deserved to be in the fiplayed their last match several

As a result Corinthians knew

won 2-0. Instead of gearing up for the tion from the statue of Christ the

Midfielder Philippe Delaye opened their account as he burst through a sleepy Nantes defence They reduced the lead within and put the ball into the net in the 25th minute for his sixth goal of the season.

Montpellier extended the lead when Cameroon international midfielder Marcel Mahouve, Marseille's desperate season who was a doubtful starter as he showed no sign of an upturn de- should be with his national spite a clear-out of players in the squad preparing for the African mid-season break as they were Nations Cup. 25 metre effort held 0-0 by Bastia and also had took a wicked deflection off one of their newboys Jerome Nicolas Savinaud and looped

Striker Frederic Garny Longtime tailenders Montpel- wrapped up the three points with less than 10 minutes to go as he scored from close range with Landreau in no mans land.

Nancy ensured that Lens stayed firmly in the relegation zone as Jerome Botelin netted following Cedric Lecluse's cheeky chip over the defence and the 1998 champions headache was compounded when inspirational midfielder Olivier Dacourt exited with what appeared to be a serious injury. Lyon fought back from 2-0

valuable away point Tuesday at Paris Saint Germain. PSG's Brazilian mstriker

down to gain themselves an in-

Christian opened the scoring alter 15 minutes with a close-range tap-in after good lead-up work by Ali Bernarbia and Igor Laurent Robert then made it | Sampras prefer to focus on next

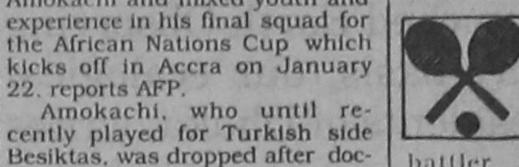
penalty was awarded after Lyon | still looking forward to the defender Cedric Uras handled in the area. Lyon bitterly contested the

decision, but the unflappable Robert coolly slotted the spot Lyon struck back, however, as

their former Monaco and Barcelona Brazilian hotshot Sonny Anderson reduced the margin with a header 11 minutes from the end and then Tony Vairelles scored with a low shot at the far post after a corner to make it 2-2 with just two minutes remaining.

Seedless men's semifinals

Lindsay pulls through



SYDNEY, Jan 13: Defending champion Lindsay Davenport survived a tough test against perennial

battler Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario while powerhouse Amelie Mauresmo conquered fellow big-hitter Mary Pierce in the quarterfinals of the Sydney International here Thursday. reports AFP.

championship caused uproar Anna Kournikova also made here, is a key member of the it to the semis after showing squad and one of the nine playnew-found backbone in a 4-6, 6ers who won Olympic Gold for | 2, 6-2 success against Alexandra Stevenson. Picked alongside him are

The Russian glamour girl Paris St Germain midfielder Autraded five breaks of serve in gustin "Jay Jay" Okocha and AC Milan's defender Taribo West. losing the first set, but breezed through the second. Stevenson Nigeria's final 22-man squad then fell apart, barely winning parades several new caps includa point as the number eight seed ing Benedict Akwuegbu of Aus-trian club Graz AK, defender Efe-

her Australian Open campaign. "I think it's a really good match for me to play before Melbourne, to hit a lot of balls, to have a long match, to have

longer points," she said. "Everything, win or lose, is going to help me for next week. 1 am really happy that physically I feel fine after a pretty

long match." In her sixth consecutive year at the Sydney International. Davenport will play

Kournikova in the next round. In an all-French muscle match Mauresmo, who had to qualify last year, made short work of third seed Pierce, playing in her first Sydney tournament, whose poor serve proved her downfall.

She said the near two-hour Roost. clash was ideal preparation for

"We played only one set but I felt pretty good out there," she said, dismissing suggestions that her lack of court time would affect her game going into the first Grand Slam of the

"I am happy with the way it goes, not too much too soon," she said.

In the men's draw, the field is wide open after the shock loss late Wednesday of defending champion Todd Martin to world number 77 Ivan Ljubicic, who continued his impressive form Thursday, ousting number five seed Karol Kucera 6-3, 3-6.

There are now no seeds left among the four semifinalists. Australian teenager Lleyton Hewitt, who won in Adelaide last week, looks a hot bet after comfortably dispatching Romania's Adrian Voinea 6-3, 6-4,

made playing conditions tough. "My legs, body, arms feel fantastic." he said after his eighth consecutive victory. "Feels like I've just started Adelaide to tell you the truth. I think I'm a much fitter player

He will play last year's finalist Alex Corretia of Spain who came back from a set down to dump Czech Slava Dosedel 3-6.

7-5. 6-3. Ljubicic, who fled Banja Luka in Bosnia as a 12-year-old in 1992, will play Jason

Stoltenberg in the other semifinal. The Aussie recovered from a

set down to score a hard-earned 4-6, 7-5, 6-1 win against second hero home.

Agassi reaches final

ranked Andre Agassi displayed the form he hopes will win the Australian Open, frustrating Thomas Enqvist with precision pounding in a semilinal of the Colonial Classic Thursday, reports AP.

earned a long ovation for chasing down a sharply angled crosscourt volley and hitting a backhand passing shot down the line on a dead run that forced him to dive over a courtside barrier and roll on the grass around the margins late

ond set, however, cost Agassi an extra 40 minutes in the heat before he won 6-2, 5-7, 6-4 in 1:42 against the fourth-ranked Enqvist, runner-up at last vear's Australian Open.

about." Agassi said of the eight-"It wasn't easy. It's never player invitational, "You've got the top guys out there working hard trying to get challenged like that. It was a good day for both of us. great tennis."

play the winner of Friday's semifinal between Pete Sam-"It was a great opportunity to

easy, but I tried to focus from take a step forward in my the first point to the end on my preparation" for the Jan 17-30 Australian Open, Agassi added. "The tennis felt really good. I don't have a lot of complaints. I nalist at the Australian Open feel strong. I feel like I was moving well. I feel like I'm working my serve well, picking up the

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Martina Hingis of Switzerland makes a forehand return

against Dominique Van Roost of Belgium in the

AFP photo.

rors from the world number

five in her 6-2. 6-3 thrashing

and now faces Hingis in the

easy," said Mauresmo, who fell

out with Hingis at the Aus-

tralian Open last year after the

Swiss player called her "half a

relationship.

last year.

man, referring to her muscular

tions with the wind, it's not

game, on what I had to do, not

let her play her game, and it

worked," said Mauresmo, a fi-

raised a sweat against Van

Hingis, meanwhile, hardly

She dragged 34 unforced er-

quarterfinals of the Sydney International vesterday.

Bradlise bospitality for this

opened up a 5-0 lead in the de-

to take the tie on her third

match point.

a thigh strain.

Kournikova held her nerve

Also safely through is Mar-

tina Hingis who easily out-

classed unseeded Dominique

Van Roost, taking the first set 6-

1 before the Belgian retired with

The experienced Sanchez-

Vicario is a three-time finalist

here, winning in 1998, but Dav-

enport was always the hot

favourite, despite missing an

exhibition in Hong Kong last

set in a close fought tie-break

but stormed back to secure the

second 6-3 with some blistering

forehands and wrapped it up 6-4

The American lost the first

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MELBOURNE, Jan 13: Top-

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That's what this event is all

In Saturday's final, he will build and an admitted lesbian "First, to play in these condi- pras and Mark Philippoussis.

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