

Cork uncorked

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brosed to leave England 160 for eight.

England, however, held on, sparking the rare sight of a mass pitch invasion by their now jubilant supporters. For the second time in this extraordinary series a Test of utterly compelling cricket had ended inside three days.

SCOREBOARD

Final scorecard on the third day of the second Test between England and the West Indies at Lord's on Saturday:

WEST INDIES: First innings 267 (S Campbell 82, W Hinds 59, D Cork 4-39, D Gough 4-72)

ENGLAND: First innings 134 (C Ambrose 4-30, C Walsh 4-43)

WEST INDIES: Second innings 54 (A Caddick 5-16, D Cork 4-13)

ENGLAND: Second innings (over 0-0)

Atherton lbw b Walsh 45

Rampersad b Walsh 42

Vaughan c Jacobs b Walsh 41

Hick c Lara b Walsh 15

Stewart lbw b Walsh 18

Knight c Jacobs b Rose 2

White c Jacobs b Walsh 0

Cork not out 33

Caddick lbw b Ambrose 7

Gough not out 24

Extras (lb-3, lb-8, w-1, nb-12) 41

Total (for 8 wickets in 69.5 overs) 191

Did not bat: M Hoggard

Fall of wickets: 1-3, 2-95, 3-119, 4-120, 5-140, 6-140, 7-149, 8-160

Bowler O M R W

Ambrose 22 11 22 1

Walsh 23.5 5 74 6

Rose 16 3 67 1

King 8 2 17 0

BKSP holding

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of admission.

We wonder how the sports

reporter adjudged that during

Ershad regime BKSP has en-

joyed the best days? Possibly he

has no knowledge of that pe-

riod. Up to 1990 there were only

5 sports disciplines in BKSP

and except football all other

sports had no standard. Total

number of trainees rose up to

200 only in that regime. Now

there are ten sport disciplines

having 500 trainees. Most of the

sport disciplines are getting

momentum. The results are ex-

cellent. We can have a look on

some of the performances of our

trainees' resulted during 1999-

2000.

Football—Champion in Na-

tional Youth Football.

15 players of BKSP are

playing in different premises of

1st division Clubs.

Athletics—Champion in

Junior National Athletics.

Fasted women and best long

Juniper in National Athletics.

Boxing—Champion in Inter-

mediate and Junior Boxing 8

gold out of 12.

Swimming—Champion in

Age group Swimming.

Gymnastics—Champion in

National and Junior National

Gymnastics.

Basketball—Champion in

Junior National Basketball.

Tennis—Champion in

Junior National Tennis.

Hockey—Champion in Na-

tional and Junior National

Hockey.

10 Hockey students are

playing in Abahani, Mo-

hammadan, Azad Sporting

Club.

Cricket—Semi Finalist in

ANZ National School.

Shooting—Not yet tested for.

Besides, all these creden-

tials, BKSP has taken up the

responsibility of providing ex-

cellent residential training fa-

cilities to national cricket, foot-

ball, hockey teams. All the for-

ign coaches including Gordon

Greengate, Eddie Basow, Anto

Fister, Samir Shakir, Cheri-

nainu etc. BKSP is the only place for continuous

and systematic training in

Bangladesh. All the above

stated sports veterans spoke

very highly of the BKSP admi-

nistration and training facili-

ties.

Star Sport

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Many guardians have ex-

pressed their dissatisfaction

regarding the selection procedure

of the BKSP. We voiced the opi-

nion of one of them.

We are surprised at the

knowledge, rather lack of it, of

the present BKSP officials re-

garding the institute's position

during the period between 1986

to early 90's. During that time,

BKSP's hockey team won the

Tiger Tim on the loose



LONDON, July 2 (AFP): There's a tiger on the prowl at Wimbledon and he's loving being the focus of atten-

tion. Tim Henman is well accustomed to being the sole British survivor in the men's singles and he's slipped into the role easily again here this year, reaching the last 16 Saturday by beating Morocco's Hicham Azaiz in front of a packed flag-waving crowd on Centre Court.

"I felt like I had a clear game plan in my mind and I definitely went out there and executed it," said eighth seed Henman. "I couldn't fault many areas of my game today."

With seeds tumbling all the time, ten have already fallen by the wayside. Henman, nicknamed 'Tiger' by the British press, has an excellent chance of at least equalling his previous two showings of semi-finalist at the All England Club.

And he gave the packed crowd much of the credit for helping him to raise his game after first-round exits at Queen's Club and Nottingham ensured he had the worst possible preparation for the tournament. Not British man has one since Fred Perry lifted his third crown in 1936.

"I'm loving every minute of it - when I walk on the court they start chanting my name. It gives you a big lift," said 25-year-old Henman, who now faces Australian serve-machine Mark Philippoussis, the 10th seed.

The Aussie, nicknamed 'S-cud', blasted down 44 aces in a five-set marathon, which lasted five hours and one minute, the second-longest match in Wimbledon history, against Dutchman Sjeng Schalken.

The Philippoussis ace count was just two shy of Goran Ivanisevic's record 46 against Magnus Norman here three years ago.

Henman had a little joke with 'slowcoach' Philippoussis afterwards.

"I said: what took you so long? It was a great effort from him. I hope he's a bit tired."

"I'm under no illusions - it's going to be a very tough match. But I've got three tough matches under my belt."

If Henman beats Philippoussis he could face 1992 champion Andre Agassi in the quarterfinals.

Henman was never under threat from Azaiz once he broke for 4-3 in the opening set.

"That definitely stamped my authority on the match. I just

tried not to let up in any way. "I've said all along there've been so many upsets you mustn't take anything for granted. I've just been focused on what I've got to do. It's worked well so far."

There were definitely no hiccups today. I was really, really pleased with the way I played but I still feel I'm working my way into the tournament. I'm not going to take anything for granted but my confidence is increasing all the time."

That confidence is shared by the bookmakers, who have made Henman 8-1 fourth favourite for the crown with defending champ Pete Sampras 10-11 favourite - though they also make Philippoussis their second tip at 4-1.

Despite Henman's confidence, the Australian has an impressive record against him. Henman won their first clash in Sydney four years ago but the Briton has lost all four of their clashes since.

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WIMBLEDON AT A GLANCE

WIMBLEDON, July 2 (AP): A brief look at what happened Saturday on the sixth day of the Wimbledon Championships:

Weather: A cloudy start followed by sunshine. High temperature was 21 Celsius (70 Fahrenheit).

Attendance: 37,073. Last year on the second day it was 37,960.

Seeded winners: Men: No. 1 Pete Sampras, No. 2 Andre Agassi, No. 8 Tim Henman, No. 10 Mark Philippoussis, No. 12 Patrick Rafter.

Seeded winners: Women: No. 2 Lindsay Davenport, No. 5 Venus Williams, No. 6 Monica Seles, No. 9 Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario.

Seeded losers: Men: No. 4 Gustavo Kuerten to Alexander Popp.

Stat of the Day: Mark Philippoussis and Sjeng Schalken played for five hours, five minutes - seven minutes short of the longest match in Wimbledon history. The final set took two hours, 15 minutes.

Quote of the Day: "When I looked and saw Borg and the Rocket (Rod Laver) when I was playing the first set, I wasn't too proud that they were watching. At one point I wanted to throw my racket up there. They could play for me." — Pete Sampras

WIMBLEDON NOTEBOOK

LONDON, July 2 (AFP): Officially there is no dress code for spectators at Wimbledon - but it seems that you are not allowed to wander around dressed as a chicken.

British tabloid newspaper 'The Sun' are helping to publicise the new blockbuster movie 'Chicken Run' by sending a journalist dressed as a chicken to high-profile events such as film premieres and tennis tournaments.

However, after gaining entry to the All England Club the chicken went to pose for pictures alongside the famous Fred Perry statue - whereupon officials escorted the chicken from the premises.

StanChart schools chess

Sports Reporter

The Second Standard Chartered Bank schools chess competition began at the NSC chess room yesterday under the auspices of Bangladesh Chess Federation.

A total of 162 students from 89 schools across Bangladesh and India are taking part in the nine-round Swiss league tournament which is being held in two groups.