### Daddy Cairns | wants son to come home

CHROSTCHURCH, Oct 17 (Internet report): Former New Zealand Test legend Lance Carris wants his son Chris to come home to Christchurch to recuperate before the summers Aschedule starts in earnest.

Cairns Jr is set to have a his damaged patella tendon scanned in South Africa if one chess player is under pres- analysed by grand masters juice and Coca-Cola and preparation for the Black Caps'

three-Test, six-ODI series there. But his father is not sure his match-winning son is doing the

"He really is struggling with that knee and is not right." Lance Cairns told The Christchurch Press. "I don't know how much good it would do carting him around South Africa in the hope that he might be okav.

"Although he dearly wants to play in South Africa and the big grounds there, I think he would be better off coming home. resting up and being fit for the games in New Zealand after Christmas.

"It's probably more important that he plays here, rather than maybe breaking down in South Africa and then missing the whole season here."

The New Zealand selectors and coach David Trist are keen for Cairns to remain on tour. even just as a datsman, a sentiment strengthened by Cairns superb unbeaten hundred in the ICC trophy, taking New Zealand to its first major limited overs series win.

#### Goodwin's WA return Friday?

PERTH, Australia, Oct 17: Former Zimbabwe Test batsman Murray Goodwin appears set to make his return this week for Western Australia. where he began his first-class career, reports AFP.

Goodwin, 27, was chosen Tuesday in a 12-man state squad for Friday's one-day clash with South Australia at the WACA Ground here.

Goodwin, 12th man in the Western Australian side in their drawn Sheffield Shield clash with Queensland last weekend. is expected to replace rested opener Ryan Campbell.

Goodwin's last appearance for the state side was in their 1996-97 winning final of the one-day contest.

Western Australian captain Tom Moody said Tuesday he believed the little right hander's experience would be a huge

asset.

#### Marsh didn't want the job

PERTH. Oct 17: Former Australian cricket coach Geoff Marsh, who had reportedly been offered 700,000 Australian dollars (367,500 US) to coach the Indian side, said here Tuesday he had withdrawn his interest in the job 10 days ago. reports AFP.

Former New Zealand captain John Wright has been appointed to the Indian job, according to an Indian newspaper report Monday.

A report in the Deccan Chronicle said Wright would take up a two-year appointment from November 1.

Until then Marsh had been seen as the front-runner for the position.

Marsh said in a prepared statement issued by the Western Australian Cricket Association: "I wrote to the Indian Cricket Board 10 days ago indicating that I was withdrawing my interest in the position.

I withdrew for the same reasons that I stepped down from my role as Australian coach in September, 1999 — to spend more time with my fam-

Marsh said he was content to remain coach of local club side Willetton, where his 17year-old son, Shaun, is a star

all-rounder. Shaun Marsh, one of three children in the family, is yet to make his first-class debut, but shrewd judges say that could be close. He is considered an exceptional talent who will make a major impact on the game over the next few years.

NEW DELHI, Oct 17: The Indian government's report into match-fixing in cricket has been finalised, but is unlikely to be made public for at least another month. Sports Minister Sukhdev Singh Dhindsa said on tinuing cost of the new stand at develop media opportunities the more you want and Chelsea

The Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) is expected to hand over the eagerly-awaited ture, and that the "seed corn report, which may name four Test stars, to Dhindsa later this week.

Dhindsa, however, said he the London club - famed for its 2001 onwards the company 17: Arnie Robinson, the 1976 will first unveil the report in expensive foreign signings - would see revenues from 7.000 parliament, which is scheduled meant pre-tax losses widened in extra fans a game at Stamford was among four athletes voted to convene for its winter session the year to June 30, to Bridge, on November 20.

uproar over the match-fixing pounds (760.500 dollars) losses decision to build new millen- AFP. issue, hence the report would at the same point last year. also be tabled there." the sports minister said.

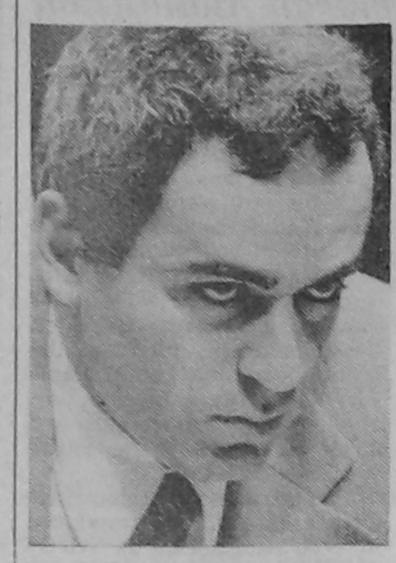
Asked if the government will "dash for growth" - sacrificing people. take any action on the report. | short-term profit for long-term Dhindsa said: "Let me first read | growth. it. We will think of the future

course of action only after that." to 106.8million pounds over the sale of another three. Bill Dellinger. sources as saying that four 91.5million unnamed Indian cricketers are (137.25million dollars) last sacked manager Gianluca Vi- members, Induction ceremonies likely to be named in the in- time terim report.

# Teacher vs student

LONDON, Oct 17 winner. (AFP): On a stage in a London tele-Kasparov sits motionless. Only his eyes flicker over the pieces before him. His brow is

On the opposite side of the board sits his opponent. 25vear-old Vladimir Kramnik. Kasparov's former pupil and and has lost very few games



GARY KASPAROV

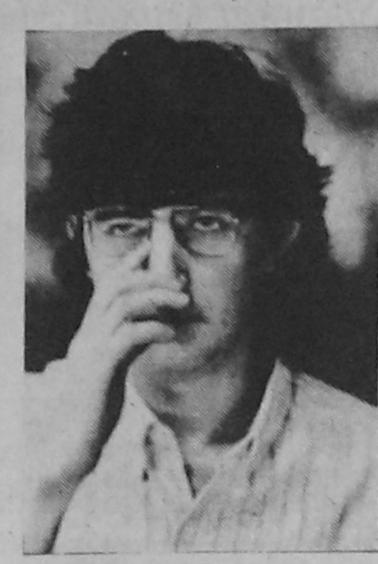
best chess players in history.

The young Russian is winning by three points to two after five games in the Brain Games World Championship being staged in London's Riverside

game contest is 1.6 million vinvl-covered swivel chair. Kaspounds (two million dollars), of parov preferred a low roundwhich two-thirds will go to the backed tan leather armchair.

phones are strictly forbidden. But millions of chess ama- lamps and mini fridges. teurs are following the match through the Internet and in the water during the games. Kramfurrowed. The world's number news media. Every move is nik has mineral water, orange across the world.

number one is a man of aggressive tactics and killer instincts, advance by the three referees.



VLADÍMIR KRAMNIK

the now the challenger for his since 1985. But his young crown He threatens to destroy countryman seems to have the domination of one of the edged ahead in the psychological battle being waged across the chequered board.

> Preparation for each game takes place in detail, and this extends to the choice of food and drink for contestants.

Each player selected his own match. The prize money in the 16- seat. Kramnik chose a black

Their rest areas, just off The venue seats only 200 stage, where the players can people - entrance fee 20' retire to eat, drink and think pounds (29 dollars) and mobile about the next move, are furnished with arm-chairs, tables.

Kasparov only drinks Evian chocolate available. All the The 37-year-old Russian items, including the chocolate bars, are strictly checked in just in case a secret message has been smuggled inside.

Kasparov lost, the second game in the series - a move which boosted interest in the

contest. The fifth game ended in a draw on Sunday after three hours and 24 moves, with both competitors showing the train after their marathon six-and-ahalf hour match the day before. which was also tied.

Observers believe Kasparov

is facing his toughest opponent since his historic series of clashes with Anatoly Karpov between 1984 and 1990. Never before has Kramnik

seemed so strong in his attempts on the world title. And he shows no fear of Kasparov.

The pair have faced each other in 23 games in past matches, scoring three victories each and 17 draws. None of Karpov's other opponents have achieved such a record against

"Kramnik is, no doubt, the hardest rival I've had since Karpov," Kasparov said during the opening ceremony of the

Some thought at the time it was a soundbite offered to heighten expectations and boost media interest in the

But now, after the fifth match, it rings true. The pupil is giving the master a run for his money.

## A typical day for Tyson



Tyson was his ference. lightning-fast gym

get a different angle to launch

Jay Bright would offer suggestions to the former undisputed heavyweight champion and he would plant his feet a little differently and practice throwing more punches in slow motion before resuming working in

Brooks denied that he had Tyson trying to correct any flaws with his footwork, even though it appeared Tyson was spending more time than usual this close to a fight reviewing basics, rather than simply reacting instinctively as he will have to do in the ring Friday night when he takes on Andrew

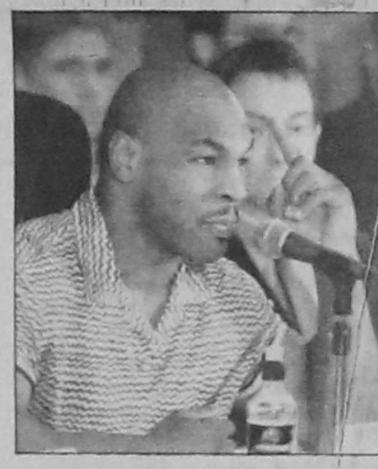
Mike already knows how to fight. We specialise in getting him back to where he was before." Brooks said. "I think he's better now basically because he's not just out there walking out, winging his shots. He's placing shots now. He's setting traps now. He's setting things up now. He's not just depend-

ing on his strength and power. A relaxed Tyson was smiling and joking with members of his As he whipped the rope against carriage, back home. the floor, his taped hands

DETROIT. Oct 17 person than he had a month all guys. No one wants to go (Reuters): Mike ago in a Los Angeles news con- back empty handed - you know In the Brewster's Recreation fight.

Centre, a 71-year-old gym with quickly jumping to one side to he had unleashed in California.

Tyson's supporters have tried to dismiss his ugly words suburban Auburan Hills, home Trainers Tominy Brooks and of the NBA's Detroi Pistons.



MIKE TYSON

But once again Tyson trotted out still another persona. This time he was calmer. Still, he took of on another rollerchaster ride through his special world. First there was the You-

can't-go-home-again-unlessyou re-somebody theme.

I remember reading an entourage as he had his hands autobiography of Andrew wrapped, and he even paused Carnegie. His mother was so when he was skipping rope to dirt poor ... they humiliated her the song Bad Bovz to laugh at so badly she was so dirt poor. something someone had said. Her dream was to go back in a

flashing white in the shadowy can't wait to come back to New cation). "If I can help somebody old gvin as he deftly criss- York. That's way I don't go crossed his hand back and back. You know, people who forth, his people applauded and look at me and they see that I'm men. They are the average eveso successful financially, some-After the short workout. Ty- times I want to go back with a son projected a far different present and say that's for you Mike Tyson.

'you're only as good as you last Before that there was his

a web of steel beams and cin- unprompted and unrelated call with thunderous body shots, der-block walls that doesn't for a "Black holocaust mufiring laser punches at the look like it has changed since seum" and his disgust that chest protector and padded Joe Louis trained there. Tyson there are no memorials for mitts worn by an aide, then dropped the racially-laced rant those who lost their lives in the Civil Rights Movement.

Then, when asked whether he really thought white people Then he would freeze his feet as their man just trying to sell hated him, the 34-year-old Tvand look to his corner for an tickets to the Golota fight at the son said: "If I believed every assessment of how he was do- 20.000-seat Palace arena in white person hated me I'd never make a dollar - anybody that's ignorant wants to believe that. They want to believe I'm an

"I'm an angry guy and I'm bitter, but listen I'm just insecure sometimes because I've been perceived by racists that I'm a babbling idiot, a dumb ignorant (deleted). Sometimes 1 overreact when I shouldn't." There's his take on family

"Hey it's politically correct that the right thing to do is to calm down, you have money take care of your family. But I don't want to settle down. I love my children, but they don't

make me happy. I want to be in the mix. "Michael, are you happy to be back in America? "I don't know. I go to London. I go to Scotland and all the white people love me. I come to America and a lot of Black people say a lot of bad things about me. I

don't know how to take them." Then there is the Mike Tyson who is the inspiration for all those people on medication to help control their mood swings. Tyson, who has said he was on Zoloft, said he has had many people come to him crying, presumably to thank him for going public with his need for such medication. (His people say he "I know that type of feeling. I has changed to a similar medi-

> "The majority are Caucasian ryday Caucasian people.' Another day in the life of

#### back on November 1 MILAN, Oct 17: Inter Milan's Italian international forward

Christian Vieri will return to action on November 1 in a Serie A match with AS Roma at the San Siro, Inter coach Marco Tardelli said Monday, reports "Christian is doing well and

Vieri may be

the doctors have confirmed he should be able to play in the Inter-Roma match," said 'fardelli. "Before that game we will organise a friendly for him so he can get to know all the play-

Vieri, who signed for Inter

from Lazio for a then world rec-

ord fee of 49 million dollars, had an injury-hit 1999-2000 season with his right leg proving particularly troublesome. He has not played since the play-off match with Parma on

May 23 to qualify for the Euro-

pean Champions League preliminary rounds. Vieri played for only 30 minutes in that match - won 3-1 by Inter - before injury forced him

#### Cole concern for United

LONDON, Oct 17: Manchester United could be without England striker Andrew Cole when they face PSV Eindhoven in Wednesday's crucial European Champions League clash at Old Trafford, reports AFP.

Manager Sir Alex Ferguson is anxious to give Cole as long as possible to recover from the ankle injury which kept him out of Saturday's 3-0 Premiership win at Leicester, and the forward did not train Monday.

United currently lie in third place in their group behind PSV and Dynamo Kiev, and know a win would boost their hopes of qualifying for the second phase. "I think the players will be

up for this one and certainly we will be playing our strongest team on Wednesday," said "David Beckhain and Gary

#### Leipold to lose gold medal

Neville trained today (Monday)

but we will have to wait and see

how Andy Cole is. Other than

that everyone else is fit."

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Oct 17: The medical commission of the International Olympic Committee (IOC) have recomended that their executive counterparts strip German wrestler Alexander Leipold of his gold medal for doping. German sports agency Sid reported Monday, says AFP.

The 31-year-old Leipold won the Olympic free-style wrestling title in the 76kg class, ahead of American Brandon Slay and South Korean Eui Jae Monn. Shortly after the Sydney

games closed the IOC confirmed the existence of two positive dope tests which ABC, the Australian television network, reported involved two weightlifters.

German regional daily Rheinpfalz reported at the weekend that "suspicion surrounding Alexander Leipold is growing"

Leipold won gold despite nursing a broken nose for which he had received medical treatment.

#### Rajshahi soccer

From Our Correspondent RAJSHAHI. Oct 17: Durgapur registered a solitary goal win over Baghmara in the Rajshahi District inter-upazila football tournament played at the Durgapur Pilot High School ground today.

Shariful scored the allimportant goal through a penalty in the 63rd minute. In the other match of the day. Mohanpur and Bagha shared honours in a 2-2 draw

at the Rajshahi Stadium.

#### JU football

A hattrick by Babu guided Department of Government and Politics into the Jahangirnagar University inter-department football final with a 6-1 thrashing of Department of Philosophy in the second semifinal played at the university central playground vesterday.

The winners will take on Department of Archaeology in Saturday's final.

women's tennis players, according to the WTA Tour rank-

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Hingis	5812
Davenport	5281
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Seles	2889
Pierce	2716
Martinez	2716
Tanziat	2432
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Sanchez-Vicario	2130
Testud	1756
Kournikova	1742
Huber	1727
Coetzer	1703
Capriati	1675
Rubin	1574
Mauresmo	1507
Halard-Decugis	1494
Van Roost	1407
Dementieva	1397
Frazier	1255



American Paul Goldstein hits a backhand return against China's Zhang Yu at the Shanghai Open on October 16. - AFP photo

# Again rain interruption



nus Norman was years ago. getting used to

rain plaguing the 375,000dollar Shanghai Open for the ter for my game." second straight day Tuesday. reports AFP.

here a year ago at the Xain Xia what it should stay. They've Tennis Centre on a Monday always managed to finish deafter he and Marcelo Rios were spite the rain. rained off by the weather a day

of a dismal week, all but halting after a 24-hour rain delay. any progress in both the men's beating Goran Ivanisevic. That event and a new women's tour- was followed by Norman's fifth nament at the site. opening-round contest Tuesday layed confrontation.

night against Italy's Andrea

looking all but impossible as last week's Japan Open, when intermittent rain kept up. old Swede has voiced his oppo- the Ariake Coliseum was

17: Swede Mag- this tournament only a few showers struck.

I think playing outdoors is bet- dry court.

think they need a roof, it's an butant Lapentti seeded second The top seed won the title outdoor tournament and that's and Schalken seventh.

to the site in 1998, weather has face Belgian Christophe Rochus This year the Chinese' been a worry. Michael Chang — weather permitting. weather has struck at the start won the final two years ago title of 1999 against Chile's Norman was due for an Rios last autumn in their de- to the 13 men's first-round

Gaudenzi. But that match was covering was demonstrated at unlit court. the admittedly ponderous -Nevertheless, the 24-year- but highly effective - roof at sition to the long-shot possibil- closed, notably to allow Sunity of installing a sliding roof day's the men's final to proceed

SHANGHAI. Oct over a tennis stadium built for with just an hour's delay when

Holland's Sjeng Schalken. The reason is entirely pro- the winner, and finalist Ecuaplaying the tennis fessional: "It may be an advan- dor's Nicolas Lapentti both had waiting game with tage to have a roof for rain, but be grateful for the miracle of a

Both men are competing Norman added: "I don't here this week, with China de-

The South American is due to begin against Orlin Sta-

Since the tournament moved novtchev while Schalken was to Three early matches got through a set before rain set in. Late in the afternoon, tournament and ATP Tour officials

began their first modifications matches on the schedule, wip-The efficiency of an optional ing out a pair of matches on an Women's officials were considering the possibility of taking

their entry-level tournament indoors if a suitable site — post sibly a luxury hotel with courts could be found in time.

### SYDNEY SIDELINES

SYDNEY. Oct 17: Paralympic for Israel." notebook for Tuesday, reports

VILLAGE TENSION Tension over Middle East peace talks has spilled into the Athletes Village in the days leading up to the Paralympics. Paralympic delegations from

Israel and Palestine are both

housed inside the Village, while

in Egypt the respective political leaders of both nations were meeting in an emergency peace summit Israeli team spokesman Reuven Heller admitted Tuesday that tension was heightening in the Paralympic Village.

making every effort to be civil to each other. "I met Palestinians. we shake hands," he said. "We are treating them as human beings who are disabled and not as Arabs and not as enemies. But you can feel a bit of tension in

although he said athletes were

the atmosphere. Heller said the tension was affecting the preparations for

competition. "Our athletes are every hour next to the TV," watching news reports, he said.

Heller said it was impossible to separate talk of the Middle East conflict from the Paralympics, as about 70 per cent of the Israeli team had sustained injuries in battles.

but we are used to it." Heller told Australian Associated Games. Press, adding that the increased pressure could help athletes

hope that our contribution to tribe at the forecourt of the the crisis will be by winning Australian Parliament in Canmedals and having a good name berra.

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CHEERING THE TORCH Hundreds of spectators

cheered, clapped and whistled as Australian wheelchair track star Louise Sauvage lit a cauldron in Sydney with the Paralympic torch Tuesday.

This is amazing, really awesome," a beaming Sauvage told the crowd on the steps of Sydney's Town Hall. Waving green flags and

green balloons, the crowd re-

sponded with a chant adopted

by the home team crowd at the Sydney Olympics: "Aussie! Aussie! Aussie! Oi! Oi! Oi!" Thousands of people turned out on a cool and rainy day Tuesday to cheer the Paralympic torch through Sydney streets, across the Sydney har-

Opera House. Tuesday's ceremony at town hall was one of the last stops the torch will make before it is used to launch the Paralympics during an opening ceremony on

bor bridge and past the Sydney

Wednesday. Sanvage, 27, holds five world records and seven Paralympic golds and is one of disabled sports most famous athletes. Two weeks ago, a capacity crowd of more than 110.000 cheered her to a gold-medal victory in the 800 meters race two weeks ago during wheel-"It is not easy to cope with it chair races held as demonstration sports for the Sydney

The Paralympic flame was ignited at dawn on Oct 4 in a traditional Aboriginal ceremony We feel confident and we by members of the Ngumawal

#### IAAF Jr WC underway

SANTIAGO, Oct 17: After watching the world's best perform at the Sydney Olympic last month, the Athens 2004 generation provide a guide for the future at the LAAF World Junior Championships which begin today, reports Reuters. Olympic gold medallists in-

Derartu Tulu, Ethiopia's 10.000 metres Olympic champion, and Ruben Kosgei, the Kenyan steeplechase gold medallist, have all graced the world juniors before graduating to Olympic success. Expectations are high that this year's championships will again be a high calibre event

cluding Haile Gebrselassie and

sprinter, 18-year-old Mark Lewis-Francis. already identified by Olympic champion Maurice Greene as his likely successor. Lewis-Francis turned down the chance to race at the Svdney Olympics to concentrate on

the world juniors, and his quest

for gold begins on Tuesday

with Britain's 100 metre

morning. Twe got Athens to come in 2004, and the Olympics after that, and hopefully the Games after that too. I'm not in the sport for one season. I'm in it or life," said Lewis Francis.

record 10.10 seconds in Britain earlier this year, said: "He is the most physically talented athlete I have ever seen. Lewis-Francis has already been beaten to Games gold by

one of his peers competing in

Greene, who witnessed

Lewis-Francis set a world age

Sannago. At the age of 17, Poland's Kamila Skolimowska became the first Olympic women's hammer gold medallist.

### CBI report not before next Future not rosy for Chelsea LONDON, Oct 17: (60million dollars) deal struck sults - where the team finished



owners of English year would be "difficult" as they struggled to balance rising

players wages with the con-

Stamford Bridge, reports AFP.

said the club had a bright fu- the London Stock Exchange. investment is starting to grow in the future". However, increasing costs at to the 2000/2001 figures, from

3.5 million pounds (5.25 million

Media reports quoted CBI (160.2million dollars), against said Bates, pounds

The 40million pounds Bates said last season's re- querque. New Mexico.

Chelsea - on Mon- would also play dividends in, and won the FA Cup final

Bates said the joint venture

between Chelsea Village. Chel-

sea Football Club and BSkyB to like a drug, the more you get and create an internet portal continues to adjust its sights But chairman Ken Bates could be spin off and floated on upwards and invest in the The current year would see the long-awaited opening of the and should yield a rich harvest new West Stand and, while there would be no contribution

"Parliament witnessed an doillars), against 507,000 see any great returns from the Field said here Monday, reports nium suites - targeted at corpo-This, said Bates, was con- rate clients and offering silver won seven US long jump sistent with Chelsea's policy of service at matches to up to 24 crowns was 1984 400m silver

> stand, just two have been sold, Turnover in the period rose although talks were being held

with BSkyB in March - in which fifth in the Premiership. the broadcaster bought a 9.9 reached the quarter-final of the percent stake in the group - European Champions League day warned this future years, insisted Bates. would have been considered the Philosophers. "outstanding" five years ago. But he added: "Success is

> squad commensurate with its financial ability to do so." Honoured INDIANAPOLIS, Indiana, Oct

Olympic long jump champion. into the United States Athletics The group had also yet to Hall of Fame. USA Track and Joining the 52-year-old who

medalist Chandra Cheesebor-

putter Maren Seidler and 1964

5,000m bronze medal winner

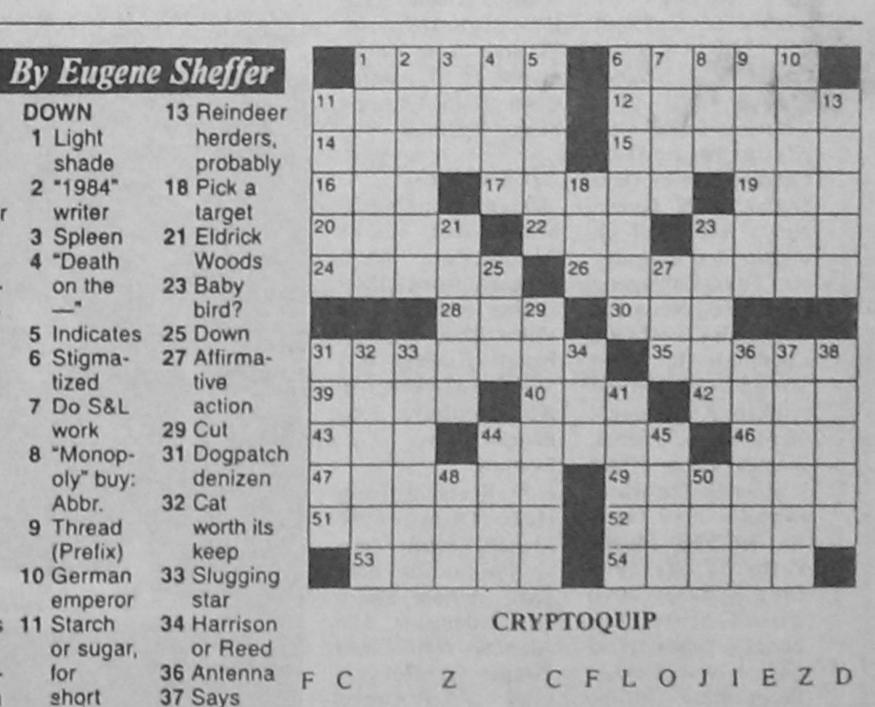
Of 17 being built in the new ough, four-time Olympian shot

Their elections stretched the Earlier this season, the club US Athletics shrine to 184 will be December 2 in AlbuFrom JU Correspondent

Millat. Nannu and Ching added the other goals. Jewel scored the consolation goal for

ST PETERSBURG, Florida, Oct 17 (Reuters): Top 20

mgs.	
Player	Points
Hingis	5812
Davenport	5281
V Williams	3867
Seles	2889
Pierce	2716
Martinez	2716
Tanziat	2432
S Williams	2306
Sanchez-Vicario	2130
Testud	1756
Kournikova	1742
Huber	1727
Coetzer	1703
Capriati	1675
Rubin	1574
Mauresmo	1507
Halard-Decugis	1494
Van Roost	1407
Dementieva	1397
Frazier	1255



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Yesterday's Cryptoquip: I JUST SAW A SPORTS

SPECIAL, MOST APTLY KNOWN AS A

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45 Jay's JOCKUMENTARY. competi-Today's Cryptoquip Clue: D equals N

The Cryptogulp is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the Sesses puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe 50 Through give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

# month Tuesday, reports AFP.