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Playing against Worcestershire during a cricket match in 1955, Robin Marlar bowled three consecutive deliveries in one over with three different balls. The first two had been driven out of the ground and declared lost as a result of big hits by R.G. Bradburn.



ESPN
Cricket Magazine
The Cricket Archives 1905-1960
3.00 pm
English Premiership
11.00 am
UEFA Champions League
Weekly Highlights
1.00 pm
Serie A
Highlights
7.30 pm
English Premiership
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Live at 1:00 am (Monday)

Star Sports

South Africa vs West Indies
Fourth ODI
Highlights at 6.30 am
Harsha Online
Cricket Talk Show
11.00 pm
Primera Liga
8.30 am &
8.30 pm



Pele

(Brazilian football legend)
"Socrates is someone who has always defended democracy and in my opinion is the best suited to the job."

On Socrates' nomination to become Brazilian Football Confederation president.

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May 18, 2001 and draw shortly afterwards

1. Who clinched the Monte Carlo Tennis Masters Series title?
Agassi A, Arazi K, Kuerten

2. Who lifted the Ayr Gold Cup Sharjah tri-series cricket trophy?
New Zealand, Pakistan, Sri Lanka

3. What was the result of the South Africa and West Indies Test series?
4-1, 3-2, 2-1

4. Who was the man-of-the-match in the Bangladesh and Zimbabwe first test?
Heath Streak, K Masiq Javed Omar

5. How many Test wickets did Courtney Walsh capture when he retired?
536, 520, 519

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Sirajganj cricket

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Sirajganj

Rahmatganj Boys Club defeated Dhanga Boys Club by 20 runs in the Bhasani Smriti cricket tournament at the local stadium yesterday.

Winning the toss, Rahmatganj decided to bat first and scored 170 runs losing all the wickets in the 40 overs.

In reply, Dhanga were all out for 150 in 38.2 overs.

SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard of the Premier Divi-

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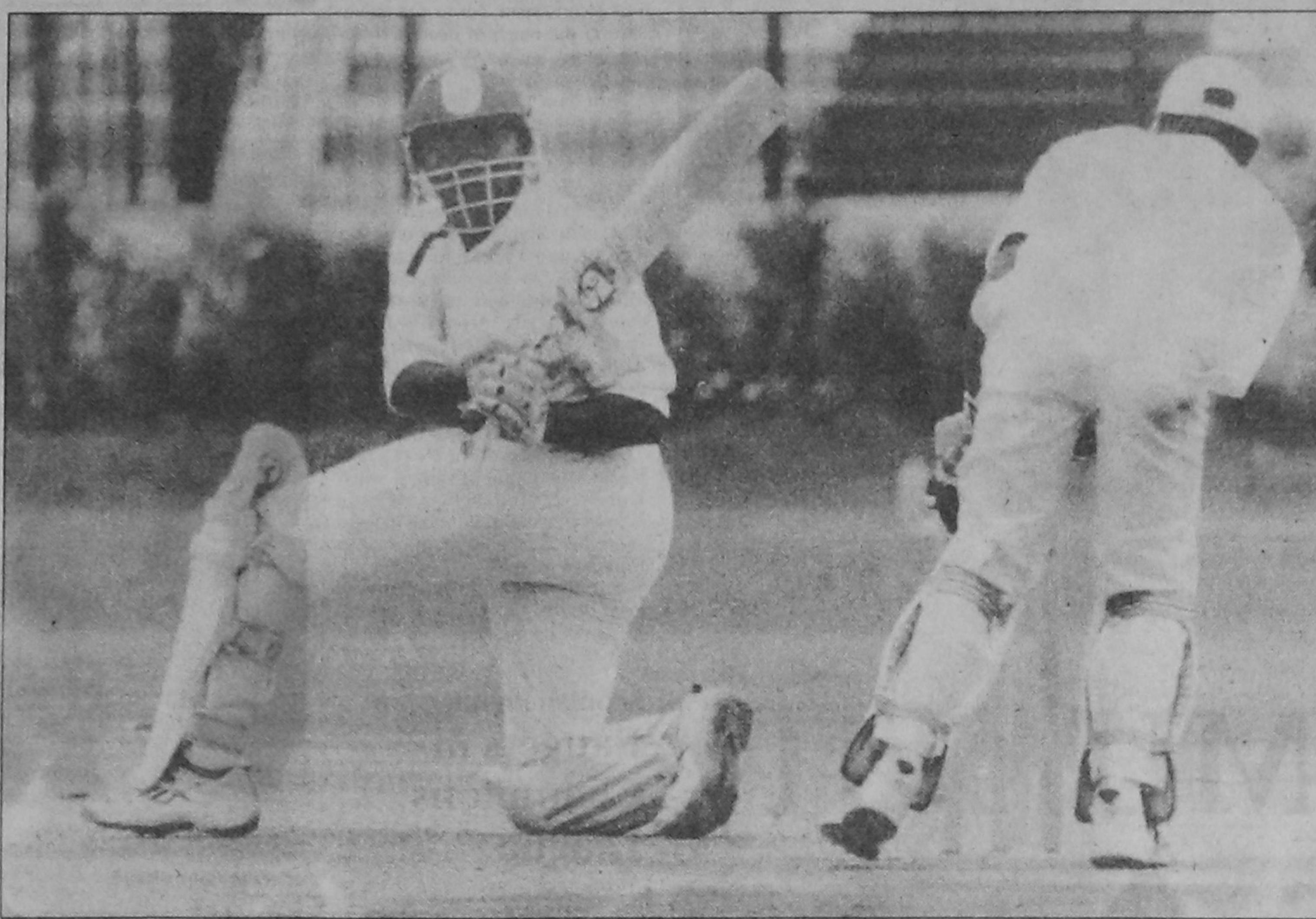
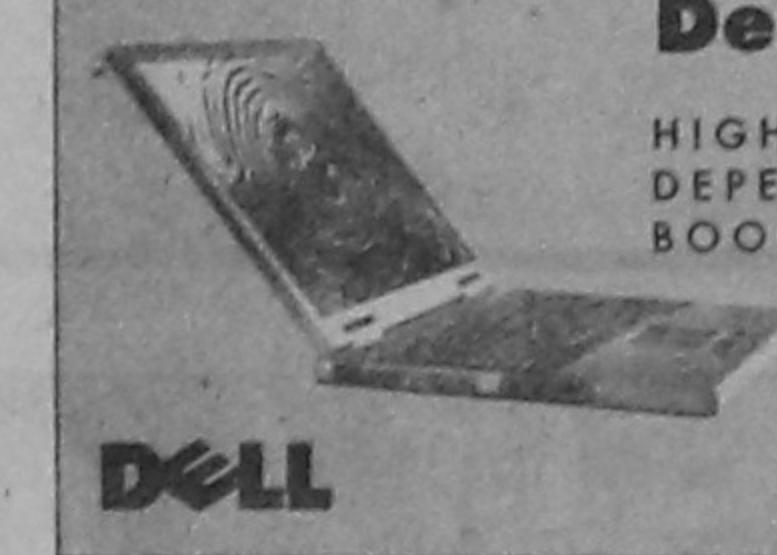
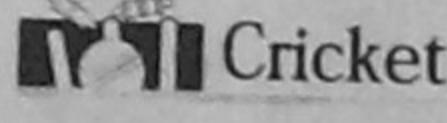


PHOTO: ANISUR RAHMAN

Kenyan master-bowler Steve Tikolo of Mohammedan sweeps during the Premier Division Cricket League match against Abahani at the Bangabandhu National Stadium yesterday. He went on the make 150 before being run out.

MSC win an epic



SPORTS REPORTER

In a match befitting of its title as the 'mother of all local battles', Mohammedan Sporting Club prevailed by the skin of their teeth to see off Abahani by three runs to reclaim the Premier Division Cricket League title after a four-year gap at the Bangabandhu National Stadium on Sunday.

In the Super League encounter, which incidentally brought the curtains down on the season, Abahani needed 10 runs from the last eight balls with three wickets remaining to retain the crown. But lanky all-rounder Neeyamur Rashid, who lead his team's fight back from a difficult position with a brave 64, lost his composure and went down the wicket to whack left-arm spinner Mustadir Litu only to be stumped.

Neeyamur's wicket effectively finished off Abahani's bold assault on the imposing Mohammedan score of 270.

Earlier, another Steve Tikolo masterpiece enabled Mohammedan to put up the big total after skipper Minhazul Abedin opted to bat first.

The Kenyan star single-handedly guided his side with a superbly crafted 150--his fourth ton of the season and second versus Abahani--as Mohammedan were all out off the last ball of their allotted 50 overs.

The significance of Tikolo's innings is illustrated by the fact that the next best score of the innings was 27 from compatriot Maurice Oudumbe.

With Sunday's win, Mohammedan, who lost two out of eleven matches in the first round, finished their six-team Super League campaign with an all-win record and the highest 28 points, four in front of Abahani who tasted their fourth defeat in the league and finished runners-up.

Mohammedan, last won the league title in 1995-96 season.

Tikolo came in with Mohammedan struggling on 29 for the umpteenth time, rescued his team.

The attacking right-hander kept his cool as wickets tumbled regularly at the other end.

He showed his temperament to make 50 in 66 balls then shifted gear by taking another 40 balls to reach hundred. Tikolo then went on a rampage by racing away to his 150 just 21 balls later. His onslaught included 23 runs from a single over of left-arm spinner Ahsanullah Hasan.

His 127-ball 150, which ended through an unfortunate run out in the penultimate over, included three towering sixes, two off Hasan, and a dozen boundaries.

For Abahani, '99 World Cupper Neeyamur almost became the hero.

He came to bat at number seven after Abahani had lost their fifth wicket on 134 in the 25th over and gradually took his side tantalizingly close with good support from the late-order before he got himself out.

SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard of the Premier Divi-

sion Cricket Super League match between Abahani and Mohammedan Sporting Club at the Bangabandhu National Stadium on Sunday:

MOHAMMEDAN SC

Rashed c Salim b Iqbal

Harun c Salim b Iqbal

Parvez c Salim b Neeyamur

Tikolo run out

Sanwar c sub b Malik

Minhaz st Salim b Hussain

Odumbe run out

Mustadir c & b Malik

Mortaza c Hussain b Malik

Ashiq not out

Taposh run out

Extras: (lb-1, nb-1, w-15)

Total: (All out in 50 overs)

Fall of wickets: 1/22, 2/73,

3/111, 4/117, 5/134, 6/174, 7/185,

8/261, 9/261.

Bowler O M R W

Iqbal 9 0 55 2

Neeyamur 6 0 32 1

Hussain 10 0 38 1

Malik 10 1 36 3

Arman 8 0 47 0

Hasan 7 0 61 0

ABAHANI

Hussain c Taposh b Sanwar

Azam c Tikolo b Ashiq

Nafees c Mortaza b Mustadir

Asad run out

Malik c Sanwar b Mustadir

Anis run out

Neeyamur st Mortaza b Mustadir

Salim run out

Hasan st Mortaza b Sanwar

Iqbal not out

Arman not out

Extras: (lb-1, nb-3, w-8)

Total: (For 9 wkts in 50 overs)

Fall of wickets: 1/12, 2/73,

3/111, 4/117, 5/134, 6/174, 7/185,

8/261, 9/261.

Bowler O M R W

Taposh 8 0 53 0

Odumbe 10 1 45 0

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ROLL OF HONOUR

Season Champions

1974-75 Abahani

1975-76 Victoria SC

1976-77 Abahani

1977-78 Mohammedan

1978-79 Mohammedan

1979-80 Biman

1980-81 Biman

1981-82 Mohammedan

1982-83 Abahani

1983-84 Biman

1984-85 Abahani

1985-86 Abahani

1986-87 Abahani

1987-88 Mohammedan

1988-89 Biman

1989-90 Abahani

1990-91 Brothers Union

1991-92 Mohammedan

1992-93 Abahani

1993-94 Biman/Mohammedan (Joint champions)

1994-95 Abahani/Mohammedan (Joint champions)

1995-96 Mohammedan

1996-97 Abahani

1997-98 Abahani

1998-99 Biman

1999-00 Abahani

2000-01 Mohammedan

Runners up

Shantinagar

Abahani

Victoria SC

Abahani

Abahani

Azad Boys

Mohammedan

Abahani

Mohammedan

Abahani