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Lankan Board in crisis again REUTERS, Colombo

Four key members of Sri Lanka's scandal-plagued cricket administration have resigned in a wrangle over who should represent the country at next month's International Cricket Council meeting.

Sports Minister Johnston Fernando wants Thilanga Sumathinala, the controversial chief of the cricket board which was sacked last year and replaced by an interim committee, to go to London.

But Kushil Gunasekara, secretary of the interim committee, told the news agency: "On a matter of principle we cannot accept the sports minister's decision. It is completely scandalous."

Bandaged Anil

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attempting to play a rising ball from Dillon on the leg-side He added just six to his overnight

score of 124, hitting 14 fours in his 244-ball knock Cuffy bagged the last two wick-

ets, having Zaheer caught by wicket-keeper Ridley Jacobs for four and Javagal Srinath by Lara in the covers for 15.

Dillon, Cuffy and Pedro Collins each finished with three wickets. SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard at stumps on the third day of the fourth Test between the West Indies and India at the Antiqua Recreation Ground here on Sunday

INDIA: First innings (overnight 462-6) Das b Collins

Jaffer c Jacobs b Collins Dravid b Dillon 91 Tendulkar c Jacobs b Collins Ganguly c Hinds b Cuffy Laxman hit wkt b Dillon 130 Kumble c Chanderpaul b Dillon Ratra not out 115 Zaheer c Jacobs b Cuffy Srinath c Lara b Cuffy 15 Nehra not out Extras: (nb-10, w-1, lb-6) 17 Total: (for 9 wkts decl) 513 Fall of wickets: 1-13, 2-168, 3-168, 4-233, 5-235, 6-257, 7-474, 8-485,

9-508

9-508				
BOWLING	ο	Μ	R	w
Dillon	51	14	116	3
Cuffy	40	7	87	3
Collins	44	10	125	3
Sanford	32	6	113	0
Hooper	13	4	29	0
Hinds	2	0	9	0
Sarwan	9	3	23	0
Gayle	5	1	5	0
WEST INDIES: F	irst in	ning	s	
Gayle c Ratra b Z				32
Hinds b Tendulka	r			65
Sarwan not out				50
Lara Ibw b Kumbl	е			4
Hooper not out				26
Extras: (nb-4, lb-2	2, b-4)		10
Total: (for 3 wkts)		,	1	87
Fall of wickets: 1-	65.2	-121	. 3-13	5
BOWLING	Ó	Μ	R	w
Srinath	17	5	36	0
Nehra	16	4	47	0
Zaheer	11	4	34	1
Ganguly	3	0	7	0

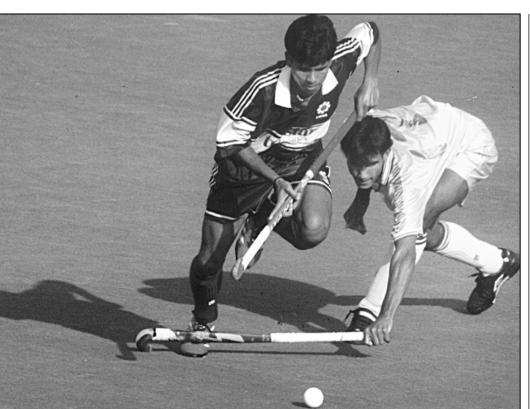


PHOTO: AMRAN HOSSAIN Abahani's Faruque (R) tries to intercept a Usha player during their Green Delta Premier Division hockey league fixture at the Maulana Bhashani Stadium yesterday.

Lleyton toils, Pete falls

"I didn't even know how to pro-

nounce his name!" said Hewitt, who

reached the semi-finals here 12

months ago before bowing to even-

to German wildcard Bjorn Phau.

after dismissing Kohlschreiber.

Earlier, the 21-year-old

Adelaider's chances of landing his

first claycourt success were

boosted by the withdrawal of

Agassi, who wants to focus on the

rench Open starting in a fortnight.

Series event in Rome Sunday,

informed organisers by fax Monday

morning that he would not be com-

The 32-year-old American,

Wimbledon continue

Tennis

AFP, Hamburg

Australian top seed Lleyton Hewitt toiled in the north German sun before moving through to the sec-3 ond round of the 2.8-million-dollar Hamburg Masters Series on Monday with a 7-5, 6-4 win over German wildcard Philipp Kohlschreiber As Hewitt moved on Pete Sampras crashed out and Rome champion Andre Agassi withdrew

on a momentous opening day which also saw defending champion Albert Portas pack his bags. World number one Hewitt was down 2-4 in the second set but

reeled off the last four games to advance as he looks to find his best form after an early loss last week in Rome to Carlos Moya, the 1998 Roland Garros champion. The 12th-seeded Sampras lost

6-3, 6-4 to Max Mirnyi of Belarus, who dumped Gustavo Kuerten here last year, in just 60min and his assessment was gloomy as the 13time Grand Slam winner saw his trophy drought since 2000

ing decisions that address the entire "I'm pretty frustrated, pretty down year that lies ahead," said Agassi, about the way it's going," he said in what must have been his shortestwho was seeded number nine here. As he is not injured the American star faces a 40,000-dollar fine for his ever post-match press conference. Hewitt had more to be cheerful late withdrawal. He similarly withabout after overcoming the potential drew at the last minute two years minefield of an unknown opponent.

A quarterfinalist in 1995 he then missed the event for five straight vears before making the second round last year.

tual winner Portas, who lost 6-4, 6-2 Hewitt expressed sympathy for Agassi's decision, given the latter's Rome exertions at the age of 32, "I was a little bit patchy today and I was happy to get through in straight sets, that's for sure," he said and described the Las Vegan's absence as "a big loss for the tournamrent."

On how he approached events having risen to be number one in the world Hewitt said he remained unfazed despite the expectations on his shoulders at every tournament.

"I'd rather be number one than number two. It's a great feeling. I just take it in my stride," he explained. winner of the the ATP Masters

Britain's Greg Rusedski was reported to have pulled out, meanwhile, with a sore neck. He was due to have played Adrian Voinea of Romania

game

Hampshire's director of cricket.

"He has had a bit of rest and some treatment on it and he'll be reporting to Lord's on Monday to join up with the England squad."

Andre's Roman impetus

Tennis

AFP, Rome Andre Agassi admits he has never felt better as he prepares to bid for what would be a second French Open title at Roland Garros.

Agassi, who won in 1999 in Paris, proved once again he can master the red clay where he struggled during his early career by winning Sunday's 2.8-million-dollar ATP Tennis Masters Series event here at the Foro Italico, blitzing Tommy Haas of Germany 6-3, 6-3,

6-0 in the final. And the man from Las Vegas admitted this was his best ever preparation for the French Open which will be his first Grand Slam of the year as he opted to miss the Australian Open

Asked if he had ever felt so good going to Paris Agassi replied: "No, pretty clear, no. The 32-year-old went on to say

that his year to date had been perfect. Asked what would have been an ideal preparation he replied: "To win everything at the start of the year, then take a month and a half off. To come and win Rome, to go back home for a week and a half -this is perfect.

to come here and do this well.

said Agassi. "Married, kid, wrist injury, lose coach." But he said that posed no motiva-

"I'm challenged by the game itself. I think the game is a complex one. It gets more difficult, which increases the challenge of it, which fuels the very thing that motivated me in the first place.

After splitting with Gilbert his new coach is Darren Cahill but Agassi's victory in Rome laid a 13-year-old ghost after he lost the 1989 final to Argentina's Alberto Mancini after

having a championship point. Mancini, a player long forgotten by most tennis fans. has had his fair share of publicity this week as Agassi approached his first Rome

final since that setback. "I resurrected him," laughed

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Agassi. "And today I put him back in the grave. Hopefully wherever he is he has a smile on his face for me."

Agassi will next play in Hamburg before taking a week off as he prepares his tilt for a second Roland Garros crown.

One-time apprentice Haas admitted he was still starry-eved about former tennis master Agassi. Haas first met Agassi at the age

of 13 at Nick Bollettieri's training academy in Florida when the American, already an established star, asked the German to hit a few

Haas, now 24, still has photos of that meeting and after being outclassed by Agassi admits he is still in awe of his former idol even though

he has won two of their six matches as professionals

"It couldn't be more perfect than

Agassi admitted he did not feel so good at the start of the year as he adjusted to life as a father and after

splitting with coach Brad Gilbert. "There was a lot on my plate,"

tion problems. "You know I'm challenged," said the American, one of only five men to win all four Grand

Slams while he has also won Olympic gold.

balls with him.

Round 3, Draw in Rajshahi

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Competition Information, Prizes and Rules

Information

A. The Daily Star Rangs Toshiba World Cup Quiz 2002 is a series of competitions on World Cup Soccer being held in 1. Japan & South Korea from May 31 to June 30. There will be SIX rounds of competition. C. Each round will have a separate draw with attractive prizes from the house of RANGS TOSHIBA as per announcement 2. D. Participants of all the SIX rounds will automatically qualify for the Bumper Draw, which will have even bigger prizes. Ε. For each round, a set of questions including a 3. photographic Quiz will be published in The Builly Star.

Rules

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Kumble courage draws praise

West Indies...Indian cricket should

be proud of him and cherish his

Cricket

REUTERS/AFP. St John's

against West Indies despite a broken jaw ranked among the most inspiring tales of valour on the cricket field, said former Indian peting. "After winning my first Tennis Masters Series event on clay I believe that I need to make schedul

Anil Kumble's decision to bowl

Former West Indies batsman Viv Richards said it was really brave on the Indian's part to bowl after the iniury "It the braves

he said.

he did not want to return home "In the old days they used to say without putting in his best effort for boys become men when they tour the team.

"At least, I can now go home with the thought that I tried my best," he

"I knew I had to go back home because of the injury.

"So I thought of giving my last come through Monday's fitness test ort I thoug

declared their first innings on 513 for nine yesterday. Pabna cricket

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Pabna Sangram defeated Radhunagar Cricket Club by 71 runs in the Pepsi First Division Cricket League at the Pabna stadium yesterday.

Sangram won the toss and decided to bat first. They scored 206 for eight in the allotted 48 overs. In reply Radhanagar Cricket Club mad were bundled out for 135 in 46

BRIEF SCORES

Latest

John's in Antigua yesterday.

The West Indies were 266 for four in

their first innings at lunch on day four

of the fourth Test against India at St.

The Windies still needed 48 runs

to avoid the follow-on. India had

SPORTS REPORTER

SANGRAM: 206 for 8 in 38 overs (Shipon-51, Babu-41, Jewel-2/36, Jony-3/43) **RADHANAGAR:** 135 for all out in

Shipon-3/23, Shahan-2/14).

46 overs (Jony-14, Rabby-26, SL's tour match

washed out

INTERNET, London Sri Lanka's final preparations for

Thursday's first Test against England were washed away by persistent rain at Shenley Monday.

No play was possible at all on the final day of the tourists' game against Middlesex and the match was abandoned as a draw.

The tourists had been well placed on 281 for four in their second innings overnight, with Mahela Javawardene unbeaten on 125 and Hashan Tillekeratne 71 not out, having built a lead of 193.

Crawley in a fitness race

AFP, London

England batsman John Crawley faces a battle to be fit for the first Test against Sri Lanka which gets underway at Lord's on Thursday.

Crawley, who was recalled to the squad after a promising start to the season with his new county Hampshire, is suffering from a back strain which could rule him out of the

"John has a strain in the lower part of his back which he sustained during his innings against Kent the other day," explained Tim Tremlett,

Hampshire expect Crawley to

7 0 Ganguly 0 11 2 28 Tendulkar 1 5 29 Kumble 14 Umpires: David Shepherd (Eng) and Russell Tiffin (Zim) Match-referee: Ranjan Madugalle (Sri)

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captain Sunil Gavaskar. "Cricket has a way of producing inspiring tales of valour for the country and this ranks at the very top," Gavaskar said. "It is this spirit

which is so refreshing and bodes well for Indian cricket. Leg-spinner Kumble, who had been ruled out of the tour after his jaw was fractured by a rising delivery from paceman Mervyn Dillon on

Saturday, bowled 14 overs in the fourth Test on Sunday despite being heavily bandaged. The 31-year-old from Bangalore, India's most successful current bowler with 318 wickets in 69 Tests, conceded only 29 runs and captured the key wicket of Brian Lara (4) to put India in command. "What was remarkable was the auts shown by Anil Kumble to come

onto the field and bowl in spite of his

broken jaw not being wired,"



ANIL KUMBLE

Former India all-rounder Ravi

things I've seen on the field of play," chance. HAR

wanted to try. It was OK for the first couple of overs, so I continued. If it was really bad. I'd have come off. "Personally, it was a very disap-pointing tour for me," he said. "I had come to the West Indies with high hopes and expectations, but

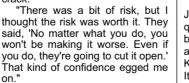
couldn't make it to the squad in Trinidad and Barbados. "I thought I had a chance here because outside India I never had a chance to bowl with 500-plus on the board.

"I was nervous the first time I was going on to the field after the injury," he said. "I didn't feel any pain while bowling, but I did at the end of the match.

"I was beginning to cramp up, maybe because of the lack of nutrition or maybe because the adrenaline was pumping up too much." The spinner thanked his doctors

for boosting his confidence.

"Two doctors from India treated me besides team physio Andrew Leipus. They temporarily tried to keep it (the jaw) in position. The tooth was moving. There was a big crack.



"I'd have loved to have Hooper out," he said. "I got him, but it was off a no-ball. These things happen in cricket."

"In all probability, I might be going back. Obviously, I need to get the surgery done. At least, I can go back this evening and think I've given my best." said Kumble.

Metro v'ball

UNB, Dhaka

East End Boys Club and Naba Jagarani Sangha won their respective matches in the NBL Metropolis First Division Volleyball League at the Dhaka Volleyball Stadium yesterdav.

East End Boys beat East End Club 25-15, 25-10, 25-7 while Nabajagarani Sangha defeated Chand Textiles 25-20, 25-15, 25-21 In the Second Division League Partners Club overcame Nabaiatak Majlish by 25-15, 25-19, 24-26, 25-23 points while DU'67 got a walkover against Madartek Mitali Sangha

and make his return, but should he good for me. It was pretty tough, but fail to persuade England that he is fit I just wanted to try. This was my best enough to withstand the rigours of Test cricket for the first time since "I didn't want to sit around. facing Australia at Sydney three

years ago, the selectors are likely to call up Warwickshire batsman lan Bell Venus made

top seed

AFP, Rome

Top seed Venus Williams is the favourite for the 1.244 million dollar WTA Masters Series tournament which gets underway here on Monday at the Foro Italico.

The American world number one, given a first-round bye as are all the top eight seeds, is set to kick off her campaign with a secondround clash with Russian Anna Kournikova whose media profile off the courts continue to outshine her achievements on it. However, Kournikova must see

off Angeles Montolio of Spain in her opener. Also fancied to reach the final is Jennifer Capriati who will face a

qualifier in her second-round match but after her first-round defeat here at the hands of Hungary's Rita Kuti Kis last year the New Yorker with Italian ancestry will not be complacent.

But Capriati, seeded two, has the bonus of plaving what looks to be the easier part of the draw with the second Williams sister Serena. ranked four, her principal adversary although Amelie Mauresmo of France could also pose problems in

Abahani's seven FROM PAGE 13

the quarter-finals.

having full 14 points from seven matches. On the other hand, it was the first defeat for Usha KC after six victories.

Captain Nakib put Abahani ahead in the 25th minute from a penalty corner while Shishu doubled the margin scoring a field goal in the 31st minute.

Meanwhile, in the First Division league, Azad Sporting Club beat Dhaka Wanderers Club 5-3. Azad led the first half 4-1.

Russel and Rajib scored two goals each and Talib netted the other goal for the winners while Imran struck twice and Asif once for Wanderers.

- F. Names and addresses of all prize winners will be published in The Paily Star
- G. Winners will have to collect their prizes from 6. The Baily Star office after satisfactory authentication of 7. their identity.
- H. Any taxes or levies, as per law, for all the above prizes will have to be borne by the prize winners

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3rd	One Toshiba Semi Auto Washing Machine	VH 7000B1	YOU				
4th	One Toshiba Rice Cooker 1.8Ltr.	RC 186KE	YOU				
5th	One Toshiba Dry Iron	TA-A20C	andYOU				
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QUIZ SCHEDULE

Round & Draw	Starts	Answers must reach by noon	Lucky Draw for prizes
1 Barisal	12 April	25 April	26 April
2 Khulna	26 April	9 May	10 May
3 Rajshahi	10 May	23 May	24 May
4 Sylhet	24 May	6 June	7 June
5 Chittagong	7 June	20 June	21 June
6 Dhaka	21 June	28 June	29 June

Participants are to put a tick (\ddot{O}) mark in the box alongside their answer to each question. A person may send numerous entries for each round.

- Entry forms should be completed with a ballpoint pen Name, address, father's name and particulars of participants must be clearly written. Each entry form must also bear the signature of the participant and date. Incomplete forms will not be accepted.
- Entries must reach the office of The Bailly Star on or before the closing date marked on the entry form. Late entries will not be accepted.
- 10. Envelopes of entries must be clearly marked World Cup Quiz 3."
- 11. Entries may be hand delivered or posted to The Paily Star, 19, Karwan Bazar, Dhaka-1215.
- 12. Entries will be placed in a sealed box for the draw to be held on a notified date in public in presence of invited quests and Quiz participants if any
- 13 Winners will be decided on the basis of correct entries drawn out from the box.
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The Đaily Star RANGS TOSHIBA World Cup Quiz, Round 3 Ends May 23, 2002 Tick (O) the correct answers 1. Last team to qualify for 2002 World Cup finals Brazil Colombia Uruguay Who was the top scorer in the 1998 World Cup Owen Suker 2 Zidane 3. How many teams participated in the first World Cup 13 32 16 Germany won their first World Cup in 1954 1960 1970 4 Ronaldo Beckham 5. Who is this? Batistuta Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms)..... Ade.Occupation Father's name Address Telephone (if any)Signature Date. Write with a ballpoint pen in clear BLOCK letters. Cut along the dotted lines and mail to OR drop in the Quiz Box at The Daily Star You may send as many entries as you like. Envelopes of entries must be clearly marked "Star World Cup Quiz 3 ." JOIN The Baily Star BANDWAGON TO BOOST FOOTBALL IN BANGLADESH

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28 29 30 CRYPTOQUIP TZUS Ζ QZFQS NXCSB YRS. RHVBBG FVKKSW ZR Ζ Saturday's Cryptoquip: WHILE THE POOR WOUNDED RABBIT'S LEGS WERE HEALING, IT WAS REALLY "UNHOPPY." Today's Cryptoquip Clue: B equals N The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe up the

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Shastri said Kumble's appearance Gavaskar said. had lifted the morale of the team. "It "Kumble had to do the bowling was praiseworthy," said Shastri. "It and that would have been extremely shows what a competitor he is. Such painful as the broken jaw was held things lift the spirit of the team. What into place only by a strapping." he did was for the team." "He seemed to wear the Indian Kumble said he had decided to tri-colour on his chest." Gavaskar bowl with a fractured jaw because By Eugene Sheffer

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give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

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