BCCI withdraws Sachin, Dinesh

Cricket

CRICINFO, undated

The Indian team management has withdrawn Sachin Tendulkar and Dinesh Karthik from Friday's Masters Twenty20 match in Wellington because they would have played alongside Hamish Marshall, the former New Zealand batsman who featured in the unauthorised ICL last year.

Zealand Cricket Players' Association (NZCPA) while Karthik was to play for the Australian Cricketers' Association (ACA) Masters in a game billed as a curtain-raiser to the second Twenty20 between India and New Zealand later on Friday.

Marshall, who played for the Royal Bengal Tigers in the ICL, was part of the NZCPA squad.

The BCCI has shunned official contact with ICL players and last year, refused to let VVS Laxman appear for Nottinghamshire because the county had ICL players in its ranks. The Indian board banned players associated with the unsanctioned league from all forms of like Shane Bond.

official cricket and barred them from using any of its facilities. The BCCI also used its influence within the ICC to ensure that other national boards banned ICL cricketers and officials alike.

Heath Mills, the New Zealand Players' Association chief, called the whole business "a bit silly" and said the BCCI had known of the team make-up beforehand. "When I learnt about the BCCI's decision from Justin Vaughan, the CEO of New Zealand Cricket, I went back and tried to find a solution by explaining that Hamish is no longer an ICL player and we want Tendulkar was to turn out for the New him to play [in the match]," Mills said. However an ICL official told Cricinfo that Marshall was still contracted to the league.

"I was hoping for a change in their position but I understand I would have to speak to the right people in Mumbai and so we had to run

with their decision last night. Mills claimed Marshall was no longer a contracted player with the ICL and said his omission from the match was never considered as an option. He further called for the ICC and BCCI to resolve the ICL issue, which he said was depriving the international game of big stars

Intikhab happy with pitch

Cricket

CRICINFO, undated

Pakistan coach Intikhab Alam pitch for the second Test between Pakistan and Sri Lanka, starting Sunday at the Gaddafi Stadium in Lahore. "The wicket is firm and looks good to me," he said. "We want a pitch that helps fast bowlers on the first day and benefits the spinners in the second innings, with the ball coming

Flintoff going FROM PAGE 17

could feature in the Twenty20 match and five one-day internationals that follow the Test series.

But, the longer his injury takes to heal, the more scrutiny will be placed on Flintoff's lucrative deal with Chennai Super Kings in the Indian Premier League, which runs for three weeks in April.

England would prefer that Flintoff concentrate on reaching peakfitness for this year's Ashes.

সাথে যোগাযোগের মাধ্যম

ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করেন।

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one-day cricket being played so often, people expect a result in five-day matches with 90 overs being played a day."

which witnessed a run-fest with four-and-a-half dreary was tough going for the bowlers on the docile track at the as Sri Lanka, batting first, scored 644 with Mahela Samaraweera posting double-centuries. Pakistan's reply was equally weighty, with Younis Khan hitting 333 and Kamran Akmal scoring an unbeaten 158 before they declared on 765 for 6.

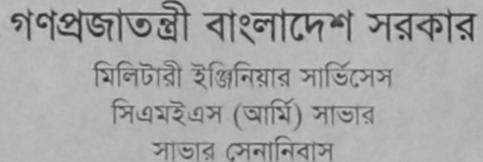
Intikhab refused to be ontheflattrack. drawn into further comments about the Karachi Test and hoped the Lahore wicket would be similar to those used performance. He is a positive for the one-dayers. "We always and committed man, and we have a positive approach. I don't want to comment more enthusiastic and leads from on the Karachi wicket. It was a the front. And the way he led, challenge for every player. If with commitment, is very we played like the way we did good for the team."

on to the bat. Nowadays, with in Karachi, with every player taking on the pressure, it will be a good match."

He believed the positives from the first Test would spur Intikhab was among the the players to winning the says he is pleased with the many critics of the pitch two-Test series, having lost during the drawn first Test, the ODI series 1-2. He said the leadership of the new captain Younis Khan in the days dominated by the bat. It first match gave his side the momentum.

"We will try to win this Test National Stadium in Karachi match," Intikhab said. "The comeback in the last match showed we have a lot of char-Jayawardene and Thilan acter and courage, especially the way the captain batted. There was a plan that was wellexecuted and every player took up the responsibility. It was a great achievement and towards the finish, we took five wickets in the second innings

"The credit goes to all the players, especially Younis. Histriple hundred was a fantastic needed such a captain who is



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201	দরপত্র বিক্রয়ের শেষ তারিখ ও সময়		১৫ মার্চ ২০০৯, ১৪০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত।					
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অন্য কোন দুর্যোগজনিত পরিস্থিতির কারণে নির্ধারিত সময় এবং তারিখে দরপত্রের কার্যক্রম বিঘ্রিত হলে

সিএমইএস (আর্মি) সাভার

পরবর্তী কার্যদিবসে একই সময়ে দরপত্রের কার্যক্রম গ্রহণ করা হবে।

LOCAL SNIPPETS

SPORTS REPORTER

Manikganj Government Boys High School defeated Bandutia High School by 248 runs to emerge Manikganj regional champions in the under-14 National Cricket Championship at the Shahid Miraz-Tapan Stadium in Manikganj yesterday.

Batting first, the Manikganj boys were all out for 320 in 49.5 overs. Rabbi smashed 141 from 104 balls and Atik Imran made 63 from 50 balls for the winners. Rana Ahmed Sujan of Bandutia took five wickets while Durjoy Sohag took two.

In reply, Bandutia were bundled out for just 73 in 16.2 overs. Selim Khan top scored with 20. Anjum Navid took four wickets while Rabbi, Jony and Zahid took two wickets each for Manikganj.

Rabbi was adjudged man of the final for his 141 and two wickets. He was also adjudged man of the tournament.

Dhaka Divisional Sports Association official Khorshed Alam Chowdhury distributed prizes among the winners.

DIVIHFOOTBALL

BKSP crushed Dhaka Juniors 6-1 in the Citycell Metropolis 3rd Division Football League at the Birshreshtha Shaheed Mostafa Kamal Stadium in Kamalapur.

In the day's other match, Jirabo SC and Dilkusha SC drew 2-2.

Pak-Aussie series in **UAE**

AFP, Lahore

Pakistan on Friday rescheduled the itinerary of their neutral venue cricket series against Australia, in which they play five one-day and a Twenty20 match.

"On the request of Cricket Australia (CA) we have rescheduled the series," said the chairman of the Pakistan Cricket Board (PCB), Ijaz Butt.

"Now the series will be played from April 22 to May 7 as we have pushed backed the date of the first match by two dates," he added.

Australia will fly from South Africa to the United Arab Emirates (UAE) on April 18 and play the first two matches in Dubai on April 22 and 24.

The series then moves to Abu Dhabi where the next three one-day matches will be played on April 27, May 1 and

3, said Butt. The Twenty20 match is scheduled for Dubai on May 7.

The PCB was forced to play the series at neutral venues after the Australian government refused permission for its team to tour Pakistan.

In March last year, Australia refused to tour Pakistan over security fears. They agreed to reschedule the tour into two visits, however -- one-day matches in 2009 and Tests in 2010.

But security fears once again prompted the Australians to play matches at neutral venues.

Australia have not toured Pakistan since 1998. They also forced Pakistan to play a three-Test series at the neutral venues of Colombo in Sri Lanka and Sharjah in the UAE in 2002.

Butt hoped Pakistani and Indian expatriates will come to watch the matches in the UAE.

WI greats in Hall of Fame

PTI, Bridgetown

Acknowledging the island's immense contribution to the world cricket, the International Cricket Council has inducted six Barbados giants, including Sir Garfield Sobers and the three Ws, into the Cricket Hall of Fame at the Kensington Oval.

Frank Worrell, Everton Weekes, Clyde Walcott, Garfield Sobers, Gordon Greenidge and Malcolm Marshall were inducted in the panel at a special ceremony during the tea interval on the first day of the fourth Test between the West Indies and England.

Commemorative caps were presented to the players, family members and representatives by the West Indies Cricket Board President (WICB) and International Cricket Council (ICC) director Dr Julian Hunte in front of a large and appreciative crowd.

Remarkably, the six players represent just over 10 per cent of the total initial intake of 55 players into the Hall of Fame, a joint venture between the ICC and the Federation of International Cricketers' Associations (FICA).

Elated with the honour, Sobers said, "I totally enjoyed my playing days and I am thrilled to be honoured here today in my home country."

Strauss leads England

FROM PAGE 17 fellow left-handed opener

Alastair Cook. The England vice captain fell six runs short of his eighth Test hundred and has not scored a Test hundred since reaching the landmark in Sri Lanka a little over a year ago.

This was his third straight score between 50 and 100 in the series and he has now scored 11 half-centuries since his last hundred.

"It is one of those things that is clearly a bit of a mental

McCullum will remain same in ODI series

PTI, Wellington

As the two Twenty20 games against India prove, Brendon McCullum has evolved from a slogger to a finisher and the star Kiwi stumper-batsman says he will maintain the same approach in the forthcoming ODI series against Mahendra Singh Dhoni's

In both the ODIs, the Kiwi stumper played mature unbeaten knocks to guide the hosts to victory and was rewarded with the man-ofthe-match award on both occasions.

Happy with the way he batted on Friday for an unbeaten 69 off 55 balls, McCullum said, "tonight was more satisfying for me than the other night, though any time you finish a game for your country you are incredibly satisfied. Today was just a little bit better in how I got my runs. It was a little more aggressive up front and was able to work around through the middle and try and create some partnerships.

"So there's definitely something there for the onedayers so hopefully I can try and carry that sort of approach to it," said McCullum.

The new responsibility may have curbed his natural strokeplay but the dashing wicketkeeper-batsman insists he was enjoying it.

"I had to work a little bit harder. The responsibility of trying to bat through the innings was on my shoulders. Thankfully I have been able to do it in both games," he said.

issue for him (Cook) at the Shah c Smith b Benn moment," Strauss said.

"It is not something I am Collingwood not out overly worried about as a captain because he continues to make very important contributions to the team and he will get over that line and get Anderson that hundred.

"Then he will be back to square one and feel a lot more relaxed about the way he's playing.

"It is better to have the problem in the 50s and 60s than the single figures and teens."

Scoreboard at stumps on the opening day of the fourth Test

SCOREBOARD

between West Indies and England at the Kensington Ovalin Barbados on Thursday: **ENGLAND:** First Innings Strauss b Powell

Cook c Hinds b Taylor 94

Pietersen not out Extras: (b-5, lb-1, w-5, nb-4) Total: (For 3 wkts in 90 overs) To bat: Bopara, Ambrose, Broad, Swann, Sidebottom,

Fall of wickets: 1-229 2-241 3

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259				
Bowler	0	M	R	W
Taylor	18	5	45	1
Edwards	14	0	64	0
Powell	17	3	72	1
Benn	16	4	59	1
Gayle	15	4	28	(
Hinds	4	0	18	(
Nash	6	1	9	(
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Toss: England. Umpires: Aleem Dar and Rusell Tiffin.



England captain Andrew Strauss slog-sweeps on his way to a century against West Indies on the first day of the fourth Test at the Kensington Oval in Barbados on Thursday.

McGain exclusion surprises Warne

CRICINFO, undated

Shane Warne has expressed disappointment at the omission of Bryce McGain for the first Test against South Africa in Johannesburg, and implored Australia's selectors to show more patience with their slow bowlers in future. The Australians have trialled six specialist spinners in the 19 Tests since Warne's retirement and, of those, only Cameron White has managed more than three consecutive appearances.

Warne, like many pundits. expected McGain to debut on Thursday, but a green Wanderers pitch convinced the selectors to field an all-seam attack for the crucial series opener. The move will presumably do little for the already fragile confidence of Australia's emerging spinners, although they can take heart from the fact that, with Warne signing on to commentate the Ashes for Sky Sports, they no longer need look over their shoulders in fear of a comeback.

Warne believes the time has arrived for Andrew Hilditch's panel to show faith in McGain. "Bryce McGain is clearly the best spinner in Australia," Warne said. "I was disappointed that he was not picked for the first Test in South Africa. The South Africans don't play wristies well.

"The hardest thing is that when you're losing and the spinners are not having a big impact, they can be made the scapegoat. If they were winning they probably could have carried a McGain or a Casson or a Krejza. It's a tough situation for the spinners. I would stick with one [spinner] ... and that would be Bryce McGain." Warne believes that bowl-

ing will prove the key issue for both Australia and England throughout the Ashes. Australia's difficulties in taking 20 wickets were well documented throughout 2008, and England's spin concerns have been highlighted with the recent omission of Monty Panesar, of whom so much has been expected since his debut in 2006, in preference to the Nottinghamshire offspinner Graeme Swann.

Reds' chance to cut gap

AFP, London



Buoved by Champions League victory at Real Madrid

in midweek, Liverpool this weekend have a chance to breathe new life into a Premier League title battle that most pundits have already awarded to Manchester United.

With United otherwise engaged by a League Cup final date with Tottenham on Sunday, the Reds have the chance to cut the champions' lead at the top of the table back to four points, provided they can collect three on their trip to Middlesbrough.

Recent history suggests that may be a tall order for Rafael Benitez's men (Liverpool have not won at the Riverside under the Spaniard) but there is no doubt that morale in their camp has been greatly bolstered by the relative ease with which they secured a precious away win in the Bernabeu.

Benitez's attempts to quash speculation that he is set to leave the club have also lifted spirits, even if some of his ambiguous comments

have only served to further encourage the rumours that prompted bookmakers to stop taking bets on him quitting before the end of this month. Benitez is due to hold further

contract talks with Liverpool's American owners, George Gillett and Tom Hicks, in the aftermath of the Boro clash although the Spaniard's players appear far from convinced that the uncertainty over his future will be resolved by him signing a newlong-term deal.

"I cannot say what is going to happen, but with him Liverpool is doing a great job, said the Argentina midfielder Javier Mascherano. "If we want to keep going in the Champions League and Premier League it is important to have him with us."

FIXTURES

(1500 GMT unless stated) Saturday

Arsenal v Fulham, Chelsea v Wigan, Everton v West Brom (1245 GMT), Middlesbrough v Liverpool Sunday

Aston Villa v Stoke, Bolton v Newcastle (1300), Hull v Blackburn (1230 GMT), West Ham v Manchester City (1230 GMT)

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diately after skipper Graeme Clarkec Boucher b Steyn Smith handed them the second new ball before the drinks break in the first session.

Haddin was removed for 63 and five balls later all-rounder Andrew McDonald was dismissed for nought to leave the Australians on 351 for seven at lunch.

SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard after Australia's innings at tea on the second day of first Test between South Africa and Australia at Wanderers Stadium in Johannesburg on Friday: AUSTRALIA: First innings Duminy

(overnight 254-5) Hughes c Boucher b Steyn 0 Katich c McKenzie b Steyn Ponting b Ntini

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Hilfenhaus c de Villiers b Morkel Extras: (b-6, lb-8, nb-7, w-2) 23 Total: (All out in 125.4 overs) Fall of wickets: 1-0, 2-18, 3-38, 4-151, 5-182, 6-295, 7-296, 8-413, 9-466

OMRW Bowler Steyn 5 113 Ntini 27 6 71 Morkel 28.4 3 117 Kallis 0 33 18 2 64 Harris 14 2 54 0 SOUTH AFRICA: Smith. McKenzie, Amla, Kallis, de Villiers, Duminy, Boucher, 83 Morkel, Harris, Steyn, Ntini

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03.	Invitation Reference No & Date	BABE (F) -36/2008-2009 Date 18 February 2009		
04.	Procuring Method	Open Tender		
05.	Budget & Source of Funds	Own Finance		
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Memo: LGED /PD/CBRMP/R-7(part-4)/ 2003/8/2_ Date: 25/ 02/09 Expression of Interest for Resource Mapping

01. This request for expressions of interest follows the general procurement notice for this project as per the loan agreement (Loan No. 567- BD) made on the 14th November 2001 between the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) for the purpose of financing Community Based Resource Management

02. Under Fisheries Development Components of the project there are opportunities of conducting natural resource mapping during financial year 2008-09. The resource mapping will be conducted in Dowarabazar and Dharmapasha upazilas of Sunamganj under two separate packages.

03. The brief Terms of References for the works are given below:

Duration: March - June 2009 Objectives: Objectives of resource mapping are to get an insight of the pattern of land & water resources and document the biophysical and socioeconomic aspects of those for sustainable management. Scope of Work: The resource mapping will be conducted to identify potential natural resources; define possible usage's and the users of those; identify specifically the existing beels, khals, pond and khas

those and disputes commonly prevailed; mark roads, markets, schools & other public facilities and describe their condition and utilities. All the information should be compared with existing records and information of the concerned government departments. The all events of mapping should be followed GIS and standard PRA rules, and the information should be duly compared and justified with

lands (kanda) and their biophysical status along with users rights on

authentic secondary data base. Output of Mapping: The output report shall fully document the methodology used, including details of sampling and copies of questionnaires/checklist. Resource maps shall be produced both in digital (GIS) and PRA formats including Mouza map in tracing form

taking suitable segment of area and separate fact sheets. 04. Interested firms should submit 2 copies of their interest to the Project Director, Community Based Resource Management Project , LGED Bhaban (Level-11), Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207 either by mail or person on or before 25 March 2009 before 3:00 pm, and date & time for tender opening is 25 march 2009 at 3.30 pm local time. The EOI must show the capacity of the consulting firm including logistics, experts, balance sheets of firm showing previous 5 years turnover, and working experiences in related field with testimonies to successful completion of works. Consulting firms will initially be short listed The undersigned will not be responsible for any cost or expenses incurred in connection with the preparation or delivery of interest (SK Md Mohsin or visit to any office or site whatsoever.

Project Director