

School cricket gets underway

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Bangladesh Kriya Shiksha Protisthan (BKSP) made a winning start in the Standard Chartered Young Tigers National School Cricket with a convincing nine-wicket win over Dhaka Ideal School on the opening day at the Dhamond Cricket Stadium yesterday.

Opener Liton Kumar played a fine 80-run knock to steer BSKP to 132 for one in just 10.5 overs after Ideal School were skittled out for a paltry 127 in 44.5 overs.

Haider Hasan (31) and Rushti Tasib (25) were the notable scorers for Ideal School, who chose to bat after winning the toss. Saiz Akter grabbed two wickets at the cost of seven runs.

Khulna make winning start

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Hosts Khulna started their Women's National Cricket League campaign on a winning note as they handed a two-wicket defeat on Rajshahi on the opening day at the Khulna Divisional Stadium yesterday.

Khulna reached 167 for eight in 48.3 overs in reply to Rajshahi's moderate total of 164 all out, thanks to a half-century from Rajshahi batter Lota Mondol.

After deciding to bat, Rajshahi got off to a fine start with one-down Lota and opener Panna Ghosh contributing 73 runs for the second wicket after opener Sathira Jakir fell for eight, leaving Rajshahi at 25 for one.

But the departure of Panna prompted a collapse and Rajshahi never recovered against the Khulna bowlers and were eventually bowled out for 164.

Panna made 37 off 63 balls with five boundaries while Lota struck a 155-ball 69 before becoming the last batter to get out to Salma Sharmin, who returned figures of three for 29. Khulna captain Salma also bagged three wickets for 10 runs.

In reply, Khulna also faced trouble and lost both openers inside four overs before Rumana Ahmed and Tahin Tahera steadied the innings with knocks of 21 and 35 respectively.

Late order Rifat Ara top-scored with 41 and she got an essential support from Sharmin, who remained unbeaten on 15 to steer Khulna home with nine balls to spare.

Masum set

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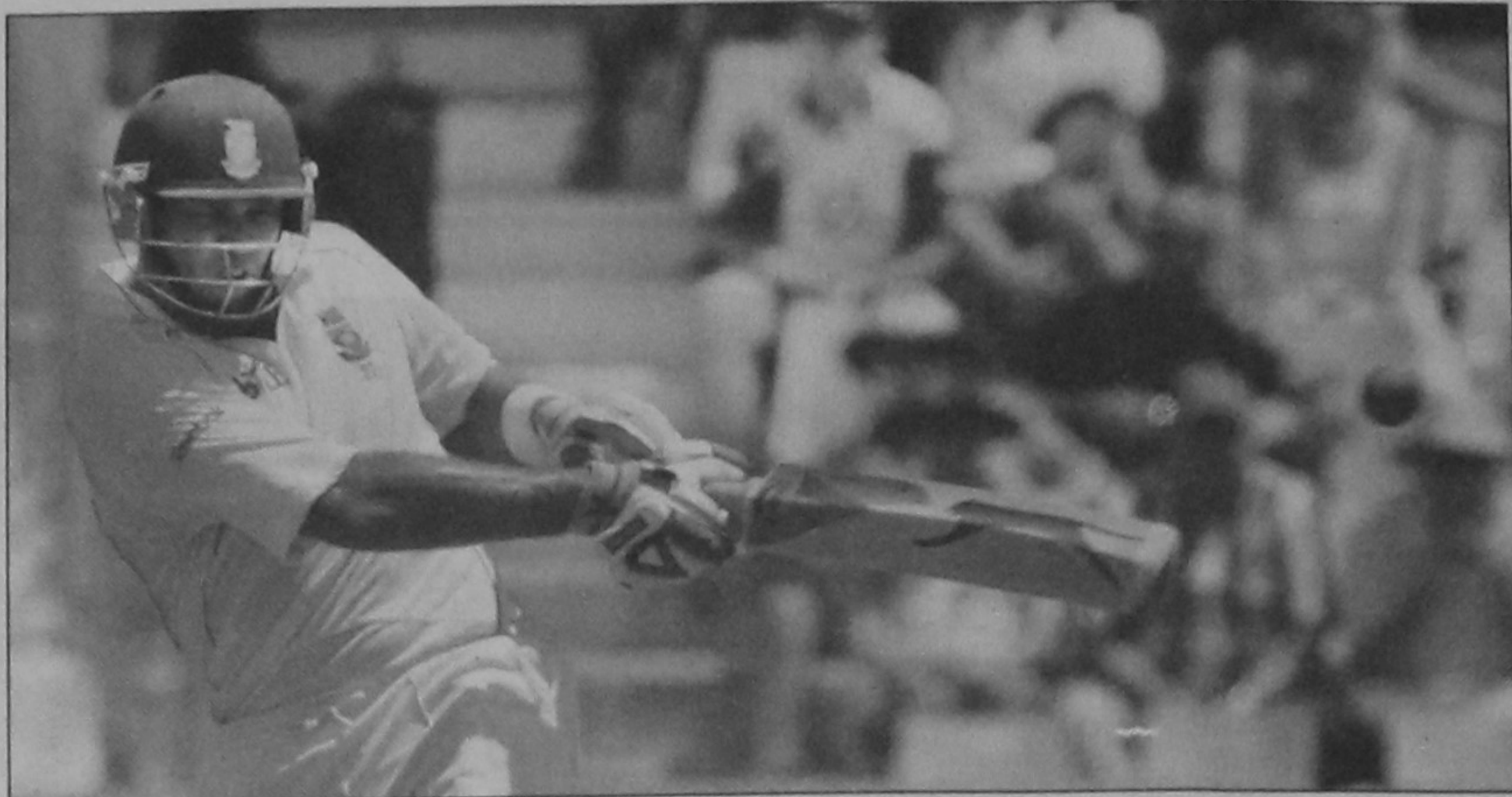
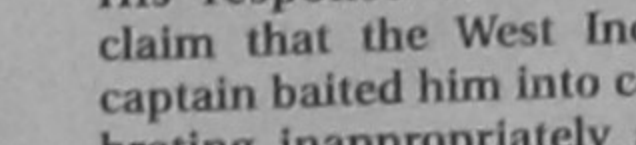
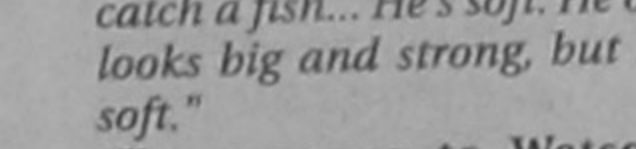
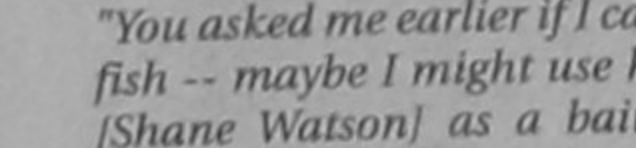
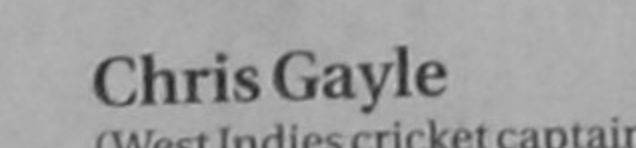
upset the former national skipper.

Masum has little chance to involve in selection procedure with chief selector Rafiqul Alam and Akram Khan for the upcoming tri-nation series as his appointment has to be approved in the board meeting.



Did U Know?

The world's first roller coaster opened in 1884 at Coney Island, New York. It was designed by Lemercus Thompson, a former Sunday school teacher.



South Africa all-rounder Jacques Kallis pulls a short-pitched delivery during the first day of the second Test against England at Kingsmead in Durban yesterday.

Smith, Kallis steady SA

Cricket

APP, Durban

Graeme Smith and Jacques Kallis hit half-centuries as South Africa fought back after losing two early wickets on the first day of the second Test against England at Kingsmead on Saturday.

South Africa were 151 for two at tea, with captain Smith on 65 not out and Kallis unbeaten on 74. They came together after their side lost their first two wickets for 10 runs inside the first 10 overs.

It was tough going for the batsmen on a pitch that gave the bowlers some help, particularly in the first hour.

Smith, normally aggressive, had to struggle hard for his runs after winning the toss and deciding to bat in hot, humid weather, knowing that conditions would be tricky early on after rain and overcast skies in

the days leading up to the match.

James Anderson had Ashwell Prince caught at third slip for two and Stuart Broad followed up by trapping Hashim Amla leg before wicket, also for two.

Smith scored only 10 runs off 62 balls before he struck his first boundary when Anderson, in his second spell, allowed him enough width to hit a meaty square cut. It took him 138 balls to reach his half-century.

The South African captain was struck on the left index finger by a ball from Anderson early in his innings, needing treatment on the field. He called for further treatment shortly before tea.

Kallis, who made a century in the drawn first Test at Centurion, was more fluent than Smith, although he posted his half-century in fortunate circumstances when he edged part-time bowler

Jonathan Trott through a vacant first slip area for his fourth boundary. He took 94 balls to score his fifty.

Anderson swung the ball in both directions early on and produced a brutal delivery in the third over which kicked and moved away to take the shoulder of Prince's bat to provide an easy catch for Graeme Swann.

Graham Onions bowled a superb line and length, conceding only two runs in a four-over spell but it was Broad who took the next wicket with his fourth delivery of the match when Amla played around a full delivery.

Fast bowler Dale Steyn, who was ruled out of the drawn first Test at Centurion shortly before the start because of a hamstring injury, returned to the South African team in place of Friedel de Wet.

England announced an unchanged team.

SCOREBOARD
Scoreboard at tea on the first

day of the second Test between South Africa and England at Kingsmead in Durban on Saturday:

SOUTH AFRICA: First Innings
Smith not out 65
Prince c Swann b Anderson 2
Amla lbw b Broad 2
Kallis not out 74
Extras: (lb-8) 8
Total: (For 2 wks in 54 overs) 151
Fall of wickets: 1-3, 2-10
To bat: De Villiers, Duminy, Boucher, Harris, Morkel, Steyn, Ntini

Bowler O M R W
Anderson 12 2 32 1
Onions 11 4 24 0
Broad 10 1 28 1
Swann 16 1 36 0
Trott 4 0 19 0
Pietersen 1 0 4 0

ENGLAND: Strauss, Cook, Trott, Pietersen, Collingwood, Bell, Prior, Broad, Swann, Anderson, Onions
Toss: South Africa.
Umpires: Aleem Dar and Amish Saheba.

Near Aussie misses

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Hughes at Edgbaston. Only once in that time has he registered a total less than 30. Centuries may make for nice window dressing, but consistency remains batting's ultimate goal.

Katich looked set to compensate for his running gaffe -- his timing and fluency steadily returned over the afternoon following a scratchy start -- only for composure to again elude him in the 90s. Having narrowly avoided disaster at the hands of Saeed Aijal the previous over, a nervous Katich cut uppishly at a Mohammad Asif (2 for 69) delivery on 98 that flew directly to Salman Butt at point. The dismissal was his third in the 90s this summer, and second in as many matches, following his 99 against West Indies in Perth.

Ricky Ponting showed few ill effects from the elbow injury that threatened his participation in the match, racing to a half-century from just 55 balls, but his innings also fell short of triple-figures. When he was dismissed attempting to drive Asif and the second new ball, Australia's run of unconverted half-centuries reached 18, dating back to the Ashes finale at The Oval in August.

Michael Hussey (38 not out from 43 balls) batted with an air of aggression and authority not

witnessed in many a month and, along with nightwatchman Nathan Hauritz (5 not out) ensured no further Australian casualties before stumps. They will resume on Sunday hoping to capitalise on an MCG wicket well suited to batsmen, albeit one that Aijal extracted appreciable turn from.

Pakistan had ample opportunity to capitalise on the Australians' shortcomings, but three dropped catches and a missed run-out ensured the day went the way of the hosts. The most costly was the life granted to Watson who, after failing to read an Aijal doosra, was turfed at first slip by a lunging Misbah-ul-Haq. The other reprieves were bestowed upon Simon Katich -- dropped in the gully by Umar Akmal and spared a run-out by Mohammad Yousuf -- and Ponting, who was grassed by Kamran Akmal.

Pakistan's ground fielding also left much to be desired, and made life difficult for the tourists' bowlers on a true MCG wicket. Aijal, called in for the injured Danish Kaneria, and Aamer were the most consistently probing of the Pakistanis, while Asif threatened only late when the old ball began to reverse.

The least menacing member of the Pakistani attack was Abdur Rauf, a surprise selec-

tion at the coin toss. The right-arm was called in to replace the more seasoned and versatile Umar Gul on form grounds, however his 15 overs (0 for 61) on Saturday did little to justify the move. The tourists will need more from Rauf on the second day if they hope to restrict Australia to a retrievable first-innings total.

SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard at stumps on the opening day of the first Test between Australia and Pakistan at the Melbourne Cricket Ground on Saturday:

AUSTRALIA: First Innings
Watson run out (Butt/Farhat) 93
Katich c Butt b Asif 98
Ponting c Misbah b Asif 57
Hussey not out 38
Hauritz not out 5
Extras: (b-1, lb-8, nb-5) 14
Total: (For 3 wks in 90 overs) 305
Fall of wickets: 1-182, 2-233, 3-291
To bat: Clarke, North, Haddin, Johnson, Bollinger, Siddle

Bowler O M R W
Asif 21 4 69 2
Aamer 19 6 52 0
Rauf 15 2 61 0
Aijal 32 3 101 0
Farhat 3 0 13 0

PAKISTAN: Butt, Farhat, Iqbal, Yousuf, Misbah, Umar, Kamran, Aamer, Rauf, Asif, Aijal

Toss: Australia.
Umpires: Billy Doctrove and Rudi Koertzen.

Men win in Asian chess

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The Bangladesh men's chess team recorded their second victory in the Asian Team Chess Championship but the women's team went down again in the fourth round games at the Town Hall in Kolkata on Friday.

The Bangladesh men's team handed a 3-1 defeat to Sri Lanka and are now in the fifth position with four points while the women's side went 4-0 down to Singapore.

In the 4th round games, GM Ziaur Rahman beat Hapuarachchi, GM Niaz Murshed beat Edirisinghe Dulan, FM Mohammed Abdul Malek beat Wijesuriya G Luxman, but Jamal Uddin lost to Kalugampitaya RS.

In the women section, Nazrana Khan Eva, Jahanara Haque Runu, WFM Zakia Sultana and IWM Rani Hamid lost to WFM Tay Li Jin Jeslin, WFM Liu Yang, WFM Chan Wei Yi Victoria and Neo Xiuwen Christabel respectively.

The women team earned 2 match points at the close of the fourth round games.

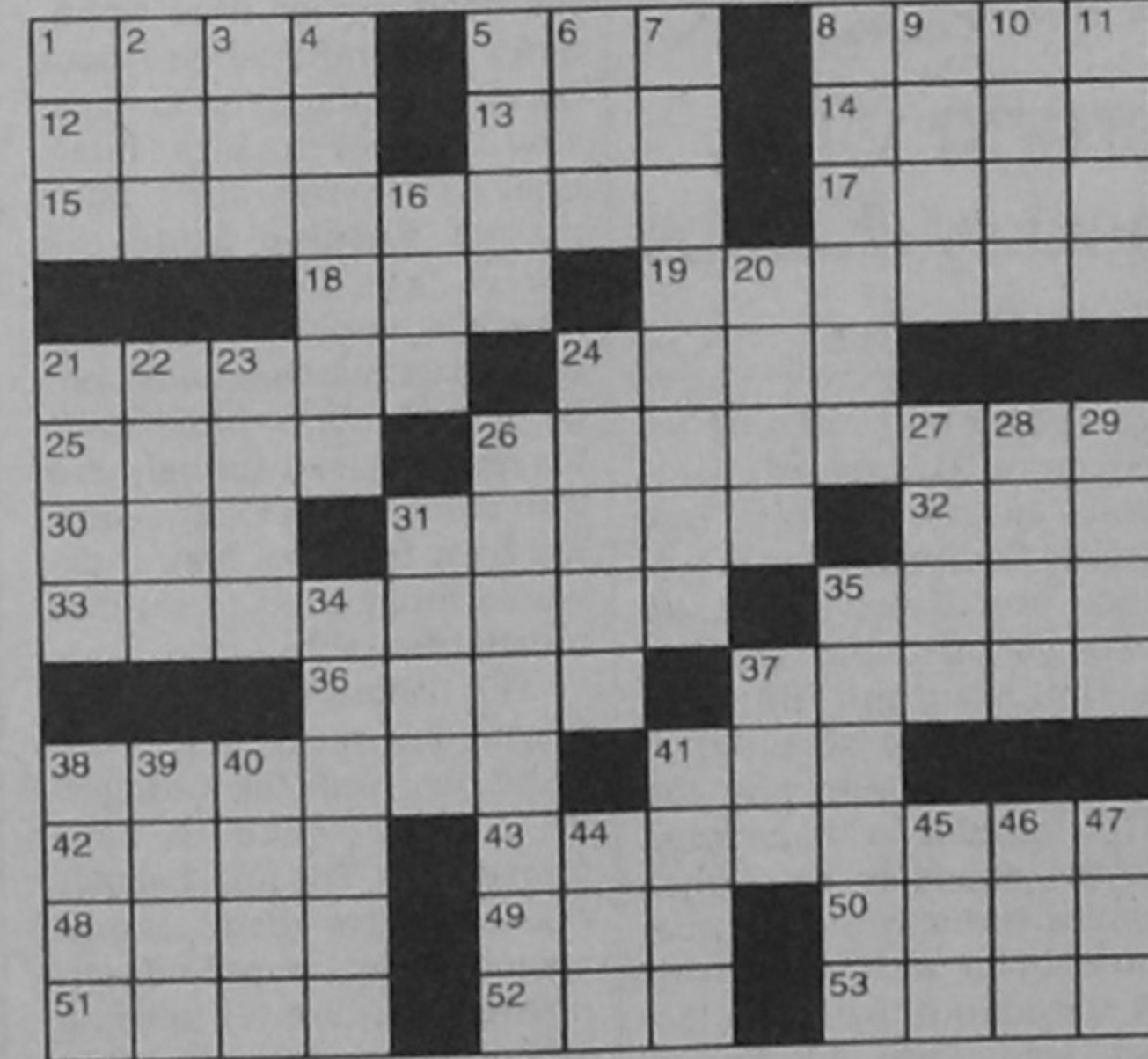
CROSSWORD By Eugene Sheffer

ACROSS	DOWN
1 Vicinity	1 Early hrs.
5 Singer	2 On
8 Chromosome	3 Mess up
12 Griffin of TV lore	4 Icon in an Internet forum
13 Eggs	5 Walt Kelly's possum
14 Enthusiastic	6 "Hail!"
15 Nobody you know	7 Thorn in Dennis the Menace's side
17 TV journalist Lisa	8 Fast run
18 Additionally	9 Maleficence
19 Ship's kitchen	10 Baseball team
21 Dieter's entree	11 Nervous
24 Shakespeare villain	12 Affirmative action?
25 Port structure	13 Turkish officials
26 Hard up for cash	14 Mauses' hut
30 Literary collection	15 Squeeze-ing snake
31 Sinful habits	16 She Sweet?
32 Prior to	17 Corn recipe
33 Good poker hand	18 "Ameri-can"
35 Decline	19 Highland hillside
36 Sore	20 Attempt
37 Hell's	21 Weeding tool
	22 Pismire
	23 Ball-bearing item?

Solution time: 21 mins.

ACROSS
1 VICINITY
5 SINGER
8 CHROMOSOME
12 GRIFIN OF TV LORE
13 EGGS
14 ENTHUSIASTIC
15 NOBODY YOU KNOW
17 TV JOURNALIST LISA
18 ADDITIONALLY
19 SHIP'S KITCHEN
21 DIETER'S ENTREE
24 SHAKESPEARE VILLAIN
25 PORT STRUCTURE
26 HARD UP FOR CASH
30 LITERARY COLLECTION
31 SINFUL HABITS
32 PRIOR TO
33 GOOD POKER HAND
35 DECLINE
36 SORE
37 HELL'S

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1 EARLY HRS.
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5 WALT KELLY'S POSSUM
6 "HAIL!"
7 THORN IN DENNIS THE MENACE'S SIDE
8 FAST RUN
9 MALEFICENCE
10 BASEBALL TEAM
11 NERVOUS
12 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION?
13 TURKISH OFFICIALS
14 MAUSES' HUT
15 SQUEEZING SNAKE
16 SHE SWEET?
17 CORN RECIPE
18 "AMERICAN"
19 HIGHLAND HILLSIDE
20 ATTEMPT
21 WEEDING TOOL
22 PISMIRE
23 BALL-BEARING ITEM?



CRYPTOQUIP

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Yesterday's Cryptoquip: CLASSIC TALE CONCERNING A SMALL MOTOR THAT COPIED A PIGEON: "THE LITTLE ENGINE THAT COOED."
Today's Cryptoquip Clue: S equals P

Faisalabad Cricket Ground!

Cricket

CRICINFO, undated

Pakistan's plans to test Ricky Ponting's elbow with short-pitched bowling were scuppered by an MCG surface doing a fair impression, according to Mohammad Asif, of the famously lifeless tracks of Faisalabad.

Asif was Pakistan's most successful bowler on a tough Boxing Day start to the series for the tourists, ending with two wickets as Australia steadily built up their total through near-centuries from Shane Watson, Simon Katich and a brief, sparkling fifty from Ponting. The Australian captain was a doubt for this Test until two days ago due to an elbow injury sustained during the

Perth Test against West Indies.

Chris Gayle, the West Indies captain, reckoned after the match that his bowlers had opened up a "glaring" chink in Ponting's armour, claiming the short, quick ball troubled him. Kemar Roach had struck him with one in the first innings, forcing him to retire hurt. As was widely expected, Pakistan's attack - and the swift Mohammad Aamer in particular - tried going short to Ponting,

but with little success. Asif, who eventually dismissed him with a fuller length ball, put it down to the flatness of the surface.

"[The pitch is] not really good," he said. "Actually the pitch was a real batting track and really slow. I just feel like I was playing in Faisalabad, in Pakistan. I don't think this is an MCG pitch, or an Australian pitch. I'd heard that it was bouncy and fast, but it was slow and had low bounce."

Russel's escape

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Russel, broke the deadlock in the 75th minute with a powerful header from defender Abass, who got his first goal in the professional football league.

After going down, Rahmatganj brought striker Pushban Mollah in place of Guinean Raphael Sango and the tiny striker penetrated the Sheikh Russel defence with his crisp movements and Rahmatganj nearly pulled off the equaliser in the 79th minute when Anisur Alam rattled the crossbar of Sheikh Russel.

In the next minute, Pushban whipped a lob for Alam, who got the ball free inside the danger zone, but the midfielder disappointed all to drive straight to goalkeeper Mamun in one-on-one situation.

Seven minutes from time, Rahmatganj once again came close to equalising the margin, but it was goalkeeper Mamun Miah, who amazingly tipped a

35 yarder from Nigerian striker Onyekoro Felix over the crossbar for a corner. Afterwards, Rahmatganj failed to make any split in the Sheikh Russel backline and had to be content with third loss in four games.

TEAMS

Sheikh Russel: Mamun Mia, Kamal Hossain, Zahurul Islam, Aminul Islam, Abass Inusah, Abdullah Parvez, Rajon Mia, Maruf Ahmed (Aminul Islam Ripon) (Hafan Al Barka), Mobarrah Hossain, M Rony and Samir Omar.

Rahmatganj MFS: Arifuzzaman Himel, Jahangir Patwary, Asif Hossain Rimon, D Dumba Michael, Moshfiquruddin Shimul, Anisur Alam, Onyekoro Felix, Kabir Hossain, Naimur Rahman Shahed, Chourmin Rakhain and Raphael Sango (Pushban Mollah).

Yellow cards: Mobarrah, Rony (Sheikh Russel).
Referee: Abdul Hannan Miron.

India aim to break

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With big-hitters all around him, and a bold decision that put him in Sanath Jayasuriya's spot at the top of the order, Upul Tharanga would have been under pressure coming into the series. If he was, he is yet to show it. With 295 runs at 73.75, he is behind only Tillakaratne Dilshan in terms of run-scoring. A definite contender for the man-of-the-series award if he can put in another strong show.

What Tharanga has been to Dilshan, Sachin Tendulkar has been to Virender Sehwag. For a second finding, 216 runs at 72 is not a bad job. Having rested for the tri-series in Bangladesh, Tendulkar will want to make the most of his last ODI innings in a while.

Dhoni was named in the squad for the final ODI, which should mean India have no intentions of resting him. His coming back should be the only change in the batting lineup, because India don't have any reserve batsmen. Harbhajan Singh could be rested, though, and this would be the best opportunity to give Sudeep Tyagi a debut.

Their opening problem

solved, Sri Lanka are left looking for one more middle-order mainstay to go with Sangakkara and Mahela Jayawardene. Chamara Kapugedera, Thilan Samaraweera and Jayasuriya have all disappointed there, and that will be the only major decision to make. Thisara Perera and Suranga Lakmal should retain their places, while Lasith Malinga will be under pressure to hold his.

INDIA

(probable): Virender Sehwag, Sachin Tendulkar, Gautam Gambhir, Virat Kohli, Mahendra Singh Dhoni (captain), Suresh Raina, Ravindra Jadeja, Pragnan Ojha, Zaheer Khan, Sudeep Tyagi, Ashish Nehra.

SRI LANKA (from): Upul Tharanga, Tillakaratne Dilshan, Kumar Sangakkara (captain), Mahela Jayawardene, Sanath Jayasuriya, Chamara Kapugedera, Thilan Samaraweera, Thilina Kandamby, Thisara Perera, Suraj Randiv, Lasith Malinga, Ajantha Mendis, Suranga Lakmal.



গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার

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দি পাবলিক প্রকিউরমেন্ট বিধিমালা/২০০৮ মোতাবেক চলতি ২০০৯-২০১০ অর্থ বছরে ময়মনসিংহ জেলার পুলিশ লাইন অস্থায়ীভাবে স্থানান্তরিত করা হয়েছে এবং এরোমতের নির্দিষ্ট ৫ নং কলামে বর্ণিত কাজের জন্য কেবলমাত্র পুলিশ বিভাগে ব্যবহৃত অস্ত্রের খুচরা যন্ত্রাংশ ক্রয় ও সেবারের লক্ষ্যে প্রতিবছর ৫ নং কলামে বর্ণিত কাজের জন্য নবায়নকৃত প্রতিষ্ঠানের দিকটাই হইতে প্রতিযোগিতামূলক দরপত্র সীমাবদ্ধকৃত নামে আবেদন করা যাইতেছে।

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