SPORTS

CRICKET

Akmal's bat sees Pakistan beat Kenya

HAMBANTOTA, Sri Lanka (AP)—Umar Akmal hammered 71 off 52 balls and captain Shahid Afridi took 5-16 as Pakistan swept to an opening 205-run win over a wayward Kenya at the World Cup on Wednesday.

The 20-year-old's Akmal's belligerent display, followed by solid knocks from experienced Misbah-ul-Haq (65), Kamran Akmal (55) and Younis Khan (50) propelled Pakistan to 317-7 in the Group A match.

Kenya, which lost to New Zealand by 10 wickets after being dismissed for 69 on Sunday, never threatened in its run-chase and was dismissed for 112 in 33.1 overs at Mahinda Rajapaksa International Cricket Stadium.

"I am a bowler first, then a batsman," Afridi said with a big smile after his first five-wicket haul in a World Cup game.

The resounding victory at the end was a sharp contrast to the early jitters Pakistan displayed as it lost both openers for a total of 12.

"It was a slow track but we should have started more positively," Afridi said of the early dismissals.

"You should take a chance after five, six overs to disturb the line [of bowlers]. Otherwise, they will keep bowling on the same line if you don't take any chances."

Akmal capitalized on some fine rebuilding by his elder brother Kamran and Khan, as a blundering performance by Kenya's bowlers equaled the record of most wides in a one-day international innings by conceding 37 runs.

West Indies also gave away 37 runs off wide balls against Pakistan at Brisbane in an ODI in 1989.

"We gave [away] lot of extras, maybe because the guys were trying too hard," Kenya captain Jimmy Kamande said.

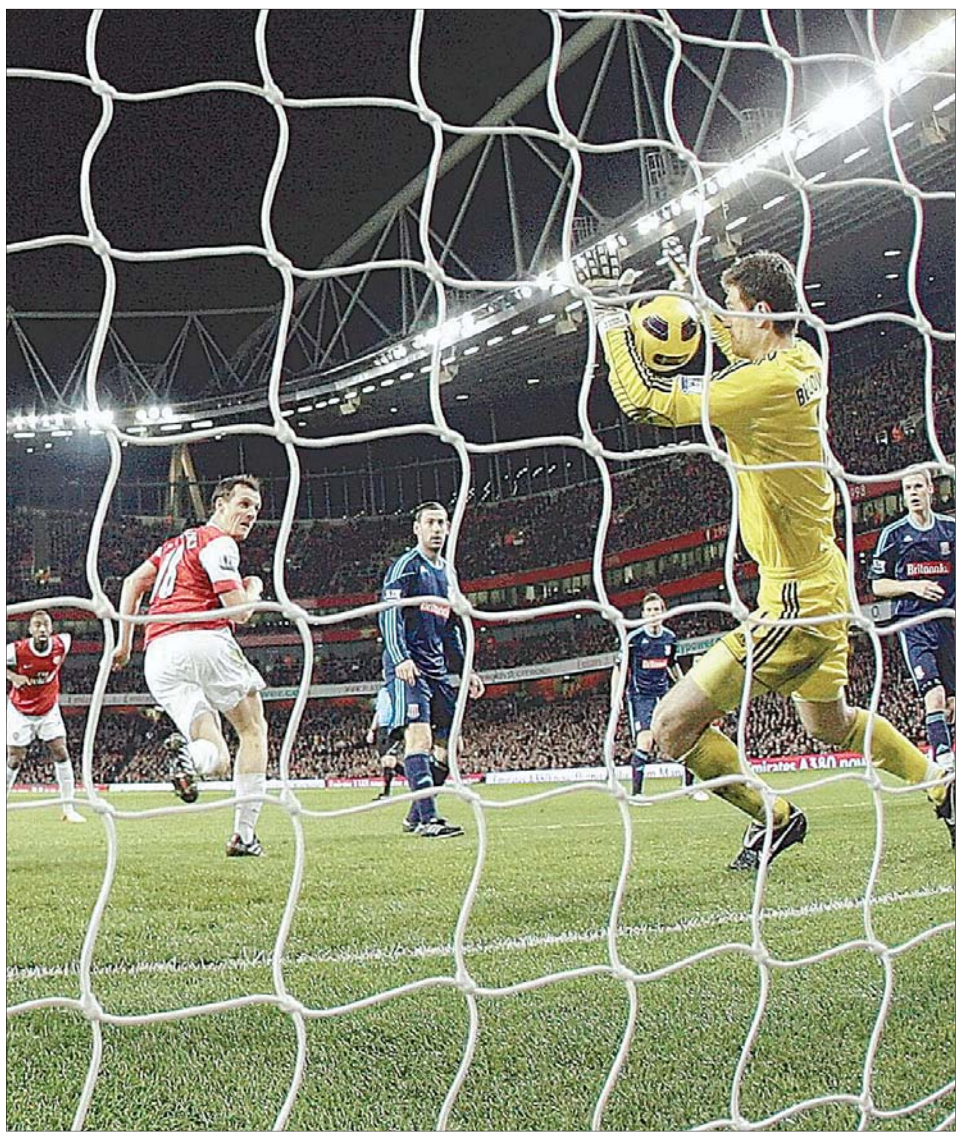
ICC reprimands Ponting

NEW DELHI (AP)—The International Cricket Council gave Australia captain Ricky Ponting a reprimand on Wednesday after he damaged a TV set in the dressing room following his dismissal against Zimbabwe at the World Cup.

The incident came after he was run out for 28 following a throw from Chris Mpofu at deep midwicket in his team's opening Group A victory over Zimbabwe on Monday.

The ICC said Ponting had accepted a breach of its code relating to "abuse of cricket equipment or clothing, ground equipment or fixtures and fittings during an international match."

The damage occurred when he threw down a piece of equipment which bounced off his kit bag and hit the corner of the television, the ICC said.



AP

Arsenal's Sebastien Squillaci, left, scores against Stoke City during their English Premier League match at the Emirates Stadium in London on Wednesday.

SOCCER

Gunners top Potters

LONDON (AP)—Sebastien Squillaci's early goal gave Arsenal a 1-0 win over Stoke to move within one point of Premier League leader Manchester United on Wednesday.

The France centerback headed home from five meters out in the eighth minute but the Gunners, who have played one match more than United, also lost Cesc Fabregas and Theo Walcott to injury at Emirates Stadium.

Fabregas, the team's inspirational captain, trudged off with a hamstring injury in the 14th minute. Walcott was carried off on a stretcher in the 70th with what manager Arsene Wenger confirmed was a sprained ankle.

Walcott is "definitely out" of the League Cup final against Birmingham on Sunday, Wenger said. Fabregas will be assessed on Thursday but the manager said he is in doubt when the London side aims to end a five-year trophy drought at Wembley.

"It's impossible to say [how long he will be out]," Wenger said of the Spain midfielder. "It's a concern that he's injured but it can happen. It's part of sport and we have to face it."

Arsenal, which is still in contention for all four trophies this season, climbed seven points clear of third-place Manchester City and piled the pressure back on United, whose game in hand is against Chelsea on Tuesday.

"We are all feeling pressure going into March. It's part of being in the position we are in," Wenger said. "We did the job here in a very professional way. We were intelligent, calm, patient and overall we were resilient when Stoke had their strong moments."

Despite the match coming only four days before the League Cup final, Wenger selected his strongest possible side, although he may now wish he hadn't.

Chief striker and top scorer Robin van Persie was already missing through injury, but the Gunners' attack didn't struggle in the Netherlands international's absence early on against a one-dimensional Stoke team that had limited ambition all match.

Walcott smashed a shot against the post after little more than a minute before Nicklas Bendtner, Van Persie's replacement, got on the end of a deep corner by Jack Wilshere to cross for Squillaci to head in his first league goal of the season.

Fabregas, who struggled with hamstring problems in December, was then forced to come off, having signaled to Wenger two minutes earlier that he was struggling. Wenger also has the second leg of the Champions League last-16 match at Barcelona on March 8 to worry about.

The rest of the half saw Arsenal dominate possession without finding a cutting edge as mid-table Stoke sat back with 10 men behind the ball, appearing to settle for a policy of damage limitation. The visitors' only chance was a vicious volley by lone striker Jon Carew that was beaten away one-handed by goalkeeper Wojciech Szczesny in the 36th.

Arsenal dealt with the trademark long throws of Rory Delap well in the first half but found them difficult to defend after the break, with German defender Robert Huth heading one of them over in the 58th.

"Nobody likes to play Stoke," said Wenger, whose team's fluent passing style is the opposite approach to that of Stoke. "They have a very special way of playing the game."

Roma downs Bologna

MILAN (AP)—Roma beat Bologna 1-0 on Wednesday to give Vincenzo Montella a winning start to his tenure as coach.

The former Roma and Italy striker took over from Claudio Ranieri on Monday. Ranieri resigned on Sunday after the club had slumped to four consecutive losses.

Daniele De Rossi scored the only goal of the game just before halftime after Mirko Vucinic took advantage of poor Bologna defending.

The game was the continuation of the match that was called off due to heavy snow on Jan. 30 and so began at the point it finished with a Bologna corner kick in the 16th minute.

CYCLING TO RWC: Couple meet legends in Japan

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30 or so punctures—but they eventually made it to Yokohama where they were treated to a hot shower and warm meal by the YC&AC—the club that introduced rugby to Japan.

Hosted by club president Simon Litster—who still holds the record for being the oldest player to participate at the Sevens World Cup when he represented Hong Kong in 1993 at the ripe old age of 37—the pair then spent a few days out of the saddle, totally immersing themselves in the local rugby and culture.

Having traveled across some of the most spectacular scenery on the planet and met rugby folks from all walks of life, Japan proved to be something special.

"Japan has been a standout. Incredible cycling, incredible people and incredible rugby," said Burton, who was left speechless when—for her 30th birthday—she was taken on a surprise visit to a game at Chichibunomiya Stadium, where the couple were treated as VIPs by the Japan Rugby Football Union.

Aside from the kindness shown by the JRFU officials, Hudson was also left in awe by the quality of the All-Japan Championship semifinal between Sanyo Wild Knights and Toshiba Brave Lupus.

"I was genuinely surprised and impressed," he said. "That was the best quality rugby we have seen on the trip and that includes the IRB Nations Cup we watched in Bucharest, which featured second-string sides from some of the top countries in the world."

Two days later it was Hudson's turn to get emotional when he and Burton met three legends of the game, who among them have won three Rugby World Cups with three different countries.

Japan coach John Kirwan (who won the first RWC with New Zealand) met the couple in the morning, before they headed out to the Suntory Sungoliath ground to meet George Gregan (a member of the Australia side that won in 1999) and Eddie Jones (a technical director with South Africa in 2007).

"That was one of the best days of my life, not just the trip," said Hudson. "I actually was ill in the morning with a case of prematch nerves. To meet three of your heroes in a day is amazing."

The three legends added their names to the scroll of honor as well as presenting them with some signed shirts that will go on display in a rugby museum in New Zealand.

"I actually felt really down on the train back from the Suntory ground, thinking how I really didn't want to get back on the bike and sleep in another wet ditch," said Hudson, who at one stage on the journey had lost 20 kilograms.

Following some more time off the saddle in Hong Kong, the pair will head to Vietnam before cycling down through South-East Asia. They then plan to island hop in Indonesia, cycle down from Darwin in Australia's far north to Melbourne, before crossing the Tasman.

A number of events are being lined up in New Zealand before the couple's arrival in Auckland on Oct. 23, when they plan to hand over the scroll of honor and the Gilbert rugby ball they have been carrying since leaving England's Twickenham Stadium on May 1, 2010.

When asked who they would like to present the scroll to, Tom joked, "Anyone who can get us into the stadium for the final."

There may well be a number of people lining up for that honor.

RUGBY UNION

Crusaders forced to move all Super home games

CHRISTCHURCH, New Zealand (AP)—The Crusaders have been forced to move their Super 15 home matches from AMI Stadium following a deadly earthquake this week, but the Christchurch mayor still hopes the city and stadium will be ready to host Rugby World Cup matches in September.

The team had earlier withdrawn from Saturday's game in Wellington against the Hurricanes after a board member died in the devastating earthquake.

Nelson, at the north of New Zealand's South Island, is the leading candidate to host the eight Super 15 matches but Crusaders chief executive Hamish Riach said Thursday that "every stadium in Australasia" is an option. Riach said a decision was likely to be made Friday.

Nelson is about 430 kilometers from Christchurch, or about a six-hour drive. The Crusaders were expected to host the Waratahs on March 4 at home.

Christchurch mayor Bob Parker, meanwhile, said that the city was desperate to host World Cup matches, telling Australian Associated Press: "I'm determined that we have the Rugby World Cup here."

"The reason I say that is that our stadium appears to be fine and we will desperately need it," Parker said. "It's not just the physical property which is damaged, it's the psychological damage which is huge."

Meanwhile, the Stormers, who had a first-round bye, will open their season with flyhalf Peter Grant on the bench.

Grant started training with the team in Cape Town this week after returning from Japan, where he had been playing with Kobe Kobelco Steelers.

FOR THE RECORD

BASKETBALL

NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	41	14	.745	—
New York	29	26	.527	12
Philadelphia	28	29	.491	14
New Jersey	17	40	.298	25
Toronto	16	42	.276	26½
Southeast Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct.**	**GB**
Miami	42	15	.737	—
Orlando	36	22	.621	6½
Atlanta	34	23	.596	8
Charlotte	25	32	.439	17
Washington	15	41	.268	26½
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct.**	**GB**
Chicago	38	17	.691	—
Indiana	26	30	.464	12½
Milwaukee	22	35	.386	17
Detroit	21	38	.356	19
Cleveland	10	47	.175	29

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Antonio	47	10	.825	—
Dallas	41	16	.719	6
New Orleans	34	25	.576	14
Memphis	32	27	.542	16
Houston	28	31	.475	20
Northwest Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct.**	**GB**
Oklahoma City	36	20	.643	—
Denver	33	25	.569	4
Portland	32	25	.561	4½
Utah	31	27	.534	6
Minnesota	13	45	.224	24
Pacific Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct.**	**GB**
L.A. Lakers	40	19	.678	—
Phoenix	28	27	.509	10
Golden State	26	30	.464	12½
L.A. Clippers	21	37	.362	18½
Sacramento	14	41	.255	24

Houston ... 28 33 30 33—124
Cleveland ... 27 38 23 31—119

HOUSTON (124)—Battier 3-5 1-2 9, Hayes 6-8 0-2 12, Scola 7-14 2-2 16, Lowry 1-10 0-2 2, Martin 10-18 9-11 30, Brooks 2-12 0-0 5, Patterson 1-1 0-0 2, Budinger 9-18 8-9 30, Lee 7-10 0-0 16, Miller 1-4 0-0 2. Totals 47-100 20-28 124.

CLEVELAND (119)—Eyenga 3-8 0-0 6, Jamison 8-15 8-9 26, Hickson 2-9 0-0 4, Sessions 8-14 3-5 20, Parker 7-10 1-1 19, Harris 9-16 0-0 21, Moon 4-7 0-0 11, Hollins 0-4 0-0 0, Samuels 6-8 0-0 12. Totals 47-91 12-15 119.

Washington ... 31 18 15 30— 94
Philadelphia ... 24 30 34 29—117

WASHINGTON (94)—Howard 2-5 2-5 6, Blatche 6-16 4-4 16, McGee 0-4 0-0 0, Wall 8-19 4-5 21, N.Young 6-15 1-1 15, Yi 0-1 1-2 1, Lewis 0-2 1-2 1, Martin 3-10 0-0 7, Thornton 3-6 0-0 6, Booker 9-10 3-3 21, Seraphin 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 37-88 16-22 94.

PHILADELPHIA (117)—Iguodala 3-7 1-2 10, Brand 5-9 5-6 15, Hawes 3-5 1-1 7, Holiday 8-12 2-2 20, Meeks 3-8 4-4 12, T.Young 5-7 8-8 18, Turner 6-11 3-4 15, Williams 2-7 2-2 6, Speights 5-9 3-4 14, Songaila 0-1 0-0 0, Nocioni 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 40-78 29-33 117.

Detroit ... 19 24 30 28—101
Indiana ... 26 25 27 24—102

DETROIT (101)—Prince 0-3 0-2 0, Monroe 11-17 5-7 27, Wallace 3-4 0-0 6, Stuckey 8-14 2-2 21, McGrady 6-15 4-6 16, Daye 2-4 0-0 4, Wilcox 3-6 0-0 6, Bynum 2-6 3-4 9, Villanueva 0-2 0-0 0, Gordon 5-10 0-0 12, Maxiell 0-1 0-0 0, Summers 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-82 14-21 101.

INDIANA (102)—Granger 5-11 6-6 18, McRoberts 4-5 2-2 10, Hibbert 2-3 3-5 7, Collison 4-11 3-3 11, Rush 4-8 0-0 9, D.Jones 4-7 0-0 8, George 5-11 0-0 10, Hansbrough 8-17 5-6 21, Foster 2-5 0-0 4, Price 0-8 4-4 4. Totals 38-86 23-26 102.

Sacramento ... 31 27 21 32—111
Orlando ... 25 36 23 21—105

SACRAMENTO (111)—Casspi 5-7 1-1 13, Thompson 6-12 5-7 17, Cousins 2-7 5-6 9, Udrih 7-13 3-3 18, Taylor 9-12 2-2 21, Dalembert 6-13 5-8 17, Head 3-7 0-0 8, Greene 0-4 0-0 0, Jackson 3-3 0-0 6, Jeter 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 42-80 21-27 111.

ORLANDO (105)—Turkoglu 7-10 1-1 19, Bass 2-6 1-2 5, Howard 10-17 11-12 31, Nelson 6-13 2-2 15, J.Richardson 4-12 0-0 8, Arenas 3-11 0-0 6, Anderson 3-10 2-3 9, Redick 5-10 0-0 12, Duhon 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-89 17-20 105.

Chicago ... 29 29 23 32—113
Toronto ... 25 30 30 33—118

CHICAGO (113)—Deng 7-16 3-3 19, Boozer 9-20 6-8 24, Noah 3-7 1-2 7, Rose 8-22 14-16 32, Bogans 1-2 0-0 3, Brewer 4-5 3-4 11, Thomas 1-2 0-0 2, Gibson 2-8 2-2 6, Watson 2-3 1-2 6, Korver 1-2 0-0 3, Asik 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 38-87 30-37 113.

TORONTO (118)—J.Johnson 2-4 5-6 9, A.Johnson 8-8 1-1 17, Bargnani 7-19 10-11 24, Calderon 3-5 0-0 6, DeRozan 8-17 8-8 24, Weems 4-5 4-4 12, Davis 3-4 3-3 9, Barbosa 6-8 1-1 13, Bayless 0-1 0-0 0, Ajinca 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 43-74 32-34 118.

Oklahoma City ... 37 16 27 25—105
San Antonio ... 31 33 24 21—109

OKLAHOMA CITY (105)—Durant 9-19 11-13 30, Green 5-15 2-2 14, Krstic 2-2 0-0 4, Westbrook 9-24 7-8 25, Sefolosha 0-2 0-0 0, Ibaka 5-10 0-0 10, Harden 5-9 4-4 16, Cook 2-7 0-0 6, Maynor 0-2 0-0 0, Collison 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 37-91 24-27 105.

SAN ANTONIO (109)—Jefferson 4-5 0-0 12, Duncan 7-15 3-6 17, Blair 2-6 0-1 4, Parker 6-14 8-10 20, Ginobili 2-13 6-6 11, Hill 3-8 0-0 8, Bonner 5-9 0-0 12, Neal 6-9 3-3 19, McDyess 2-4 2-2 6. Totals 37-83 22-28 109.

Milwaukee ... 24 33 22 29—108
New York ... 33 26 27 28—114

MILWAUKEE (108)—Delfino 5-14 1-2 14, Mbah a Moute 1-5 5-6 7, Bogut 5-12 4-6 14, Jennings 4-11 2-2 12, Salmons 7-14 11-13 27, Ilyasova 4-7 0-0 8, Dooling 5-10 0-1 13, Maggette 5-9 2-2 13, Brockman 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 36-82 25-32 108.

NEW YORK (114)—Anthony 10-25 6-7 27, Stoudemire 6-13 7-7 19, Turiaf 3-3 0-0 6, Billups 4-12 12-12 21, Fields 3-6 0-0 7, Sha.Williams 3-5 1-2 8, Douglas 10-12 0-0 23, Walker 1-4 0-0 3. Totals 40-80 26-28 114.

Memphis ... 26 28 22 28—104
Minnesota ... 18 24 26 27— 95

MEMPHIS (104)—Young 6-14 3-3 16, Z.Randolph 10-16 4-7 24, Gasol 4-9 1-2 9, Conley 5-15 9-12 22, Allen 6-11 4-4 16, Mayo 4-12 0-0 9, Thabeet 0-0 2-2 2, Arthur 2-5 0-0 4, Williams 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 38-84 23-30 104.

MINNESOTA (95)—Beasley 5-17 4-5 14, Love 4-11 7-8 15, Milicic 4-10 0-0 8, Ridnour 5-12 3-4 15, Johnson 2-7 0-1 4, Hayward 3-6 2-2 8, Pekovic 1-4 0-0 2, Ellington 5-11 3-4 16, Telfair 1-6 3-3 5, Tolliver 4-8 0-0 8. Totals 34-92 22-27 95.

Utah ... 26 29 22 22— 99
Dallas ... 23 36 29 30—118

UTAH (99)—Kirilenko 7-10 1-3 17, Millsap 8-17 2-3 18, Jefferson 11-14 8-10 30, Watson 3-11 0-0 7, Bell 1-7 3-3 5, Miles 2-9 11-12 16, Elson 2-2 0-0 4, Hayward 1-6 0-0 2, Fesenko 0-1 0-0 0, Evans 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 35-77 25-31 99.

DALLAS (118)—Stojakovic 7-9 0-0 18, Nowitzki 9-15 4-5 23, Chandler 3-7 1-2 7, Kidd 2-3 0-0 5, Beaubois 4-6 0-0 10, Marion 6-9 4-4 16, Terry 4-9 4-4 13, Stevenson 0-2 0-0 0, Haywood 4-7 4-9 12, Barea 5-8 2-2 13, Cardinal 0-0 0-0 0, Mahinmi 0-1 1-2 1. Totals 44-76 20-28 118.

Atlanta ... 31 16 24 26— 97
Phoenix ... 33 28 19 25—105

ATLANTA (97)—Williams 1-7 0-1 2, Smith 10-18 5-5 26, Horford 7-15 3-4 17, Teague 3-6 3-3 10, Johnson 5-13 1-2 12, Crawford 8-14 0-0 19, Wilkins 4-6 0-0 9, Collins 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 39-81 12-15 97.

PHOENIX (105)—Hill 3-7 0-0 7, Frye 8-14 0-0 20, Lopez 4-6 0-1 8, Nash 5-9 2-2 13, Carter 2-5 2-2 6, Gortat 5-10 3-3 13, Dudley 6-9 1-2 17, Dragic 0-2 0-0 0, Warrick 4-4 1-2 10, Pietrus 3-10 3-4 11. Totals 40-76 12-16 105.

L.A. Clippers ... 16 22 24 25—87
New Orleans ... 23 22 28 25—98

L.A. CLIPPERS (87)—Gomes 3-6 0-0 7, Griffin 8-17 5-8 21, Jordan 1-1 1-2 3, Bledsoe 3-5 0-0 7, Foye 5-13 2-2 15, Cook 0-2 0-0 0, Butler 2-6 0-1 5, C.Smith 2-3 0-0 4, Kaman 6-11 2-4 14, Aminu 2-5 4-4 8, Warren 1-1 0-0 3. Totals 33-70 14-21 87.

NEW ORLEANS (98)—Ariza 3-8 0-2 6, West 9-18 4-6 22, J.Smith 2-4 2-2 6, Paul 8-17 3-4 19, Green 7-11 1-2 17, Jack 3-7 4-4 10, Gray 3-5 0-0 6, Andersen 0-1 0-0 0, Belinelli 5-7 1-1 12, Pondexter 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-78 15-21 98.

L.A. Lakers ... 23 18 26 20 19—106
Portland ... 29 18 22 18 14—101

L.A. LAKERS (106)—Artest 8-13 3-4 24, Gasol 8-15 2-2 18, Bynum 3-6 0-0 6, Fisher 2-4 0-0 6, Bryant 14-31 6-7 37, Brown 1-5 0-0 2, Blake 0-1 0-0 0, Odom 5-8 2-2 13, Walton 0-0 0-0 0, Caracter 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 41-83 13-15 106.

PORTLAND (101)—Batum 7-16 4-6 22, Aldridge 12-18 5-8 29, Przybilla 1-1 2-4 4, Miller 3-10 1-2 7, Matthews 9-18 2-2 22, Fernandez 2-7 1-1 7, Roy 2-5 0-0 5, Cunningham 1-3 1-2 3, Johnson 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 38-79 16-25 101.

COLLEGE

AP TOP 25

1. Duke (26-2) def. No. 24 Temple (21-6) 78-61.
7. BYU (26-2) def. Colorado State 84-76.
8. Purdue (23-5) def. Indiana 72-61.
9. Notre Dame (22-5) def. Providence 92-90.
11. Georgetown (21-7) lost to Cincinnati 58-46.
12. Wisconsin (21-6) def. Michigan 53-52.
19. North Carolina (21-6) def. N.C. State 75-63.
20. Missouri (22-6) def. Baylor 77-59.
21. Texas A&M (22-5) def. Oklahoma 61-47.
22. Kentucky (19-8) lost to Arkansas 77-76, OT.
23. St. John's (18-9) def. DePaul 76-51.

ICE HOCKEY

NHL

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	60	39	15	6	84	198	152
Pittsburgh	62	36	20	6	78	180	150
N.Y. Rangers	62	32	26	4	68	172	155
New Jersey	60	26	30	4	56	129	161
N.Y. Islanders	61	23	31	7	53	167	198
Northeast Division	**GP**	**W**	**L**	**OT**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
Boston	60	34	19	7	75	188	145
Montreal	61	32	22	7	71	157	156
Buffalo	59	28	25	6	62	170	172
Toronto	60	26	27	7	59	152	180
Ottawa	60	20	31	9	49	137	195
Southeast Division	**GP**	**W**	**L**	**OT**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
Tampa Bay	60	35	18	7	77	187	188
Washington	61	32	19	10	74	165	153
Carolina	61	28	24	9	65	177	188
Atlanta	61	25	26	10	60	174	201
Florida	60	25	28	7	57	156	168

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Detroit	60	37	17	6	80	202	173
Nashville	60	31	21	8	70	156	143
Chicago	60	31	23	6	68	191	168
Columbus	59	30	23	6	66	163	175
St. Louis	59	27	23	9	63	166	176
Northwest Division	**GP**	**W**	**L**	**OT**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
Vancouver	61	38	14	9	85	204	145
Minnesota	60	32	22	6	70	158	156
Calgary	62	31	23	8	70	186	178
Colorado	61	26	28	7	59	178	210
Edmonton	61	20	33	8	48	156	203
Pacific Division	**GP**	**W**	**L**	**OT**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
San Jose	62	35	21	6	76	174	159
Phoenix	62	33	20	9	75	178	177
Los Angeles	60	33	23	4	70	166	144
Dallas	60	31	23	6	68	164	172
Anaheim	61	32	25	4	68	171	181

Note: 2 points for a win, 1 for overtime loss.

Florida ... 0 1 0—1
Ottawa ... 1 2 2—5

1st Period: 1, Ottawa, Butler 4 (Greening, Foligno), 11:13.
2nd Period: 2, Ottawa, Shannon 6 (Spezza, Kuba) :36 (pp). 3, Florida, Higgins 11 (Clemmensen), 4:18. 4, Ottawa, Butler 5, 10:38.
3rd Period: 5, Ottawa, Michalek 15 (Carkner, Spezza), 16:49. 6, Ottawa, Spezza 11 (Shannon, Kuba), 18:38.
Shots on goal: Florida 7-9-8—24. Ottawa 11-8-15—34.
Goalies: Florida, Clemmensen. Ottawa, Anderson.

Atlanta ... 0 1 0—1
Buffalo ... 1 2 1—4

1st Period: 1, Buffalo, Myers 9, 7:13.
2nd Period: 2, Atlanta, Ladd 22 (Little, Antropov), 5:31 (pp). 3, Buffalo, Gaustad 9 (Gerbe, Weber), 18:52. 4, Buffalo, Pominville 15 (Vanek, Myers), 19:22.
3rd Period: 5, Buffalo, Ennis 13 (Hecht, Butler), 1:54.
Shots on goal: Atlanta 10-18-13—41. Buffalo 10-18-11—39.
Goalies: Atlanta, Pavelec. Buffalo, Miller.

Phoenix ... 0 1 2—3
Tampa Bay ... 5 2 1—8

1st Period: 1, Tampa Bay, Purcell 13, 1:59. 2, Tampa Bay, St. Louis 21 (Harju, Thompson), 3:01. 3, Tampa Bay, St. Louis 22 (Lecavalier, Bergeron), 7:54 (pp). 4, Tampa Bay, Stamkos 41 (Clark, Lecavalier), 14:55 (pp). 5, Tampa Bay, Lecavalier 14 (St. Louis, Stamkos), 17:54 (pp).
2nd Period: 6, Tampa Bay, Purcell 14 (Lecavalier, R.Jones), 2:43. 7, Tampa Bay, Purcell 15 (Lecavalier, Gagne), 8:17. 8, Phoenix, Hanzal 14 (Boedker, Vrbata), 12:28.
3rd Period: 9, Tampa Bay, Hall 7 (Bergenheim, Moore), 4:52. 10, Phoenix, Turris 10 (Doan, Schlemko), 9:16. 11, Phoenix, Schlemko 1 (Korpikoski), 10:44.
Shots on goal: Phoenix 6-13-9—28. Tampa Bay 19-12-8—39.
Goalies: Phoenix, LaBarbera. Tampa Bay, Roloson.

San Jose ... 0 1 1 1—3
Pittsburgh ... 1 0 1 0—2

1st Period: 1, Pittsburgh, Kennedy 13 (Cooke, Engelland), 5:48.
2nd Period: 2, San Jose, Couture 25 (Setoguchi, Demers), 3:01 (pp).
3rd Period: 3, San Jose, Marleau 23 (Heatley), 5:28. 4, Pittsburgh, Kennedy 14 (Staal, Cooke), 19:10.
Overtime: 5, San Jose, Marleau 24 (Couture, Vlasic), 4:56.
Shots on goal: San Jose 11-9-14-4—38. Pittsburgh 6-9-8-3—26.
Goalies: San Jose, Niemi. Pittsburgh, Fleury.

Edmonton ... 1 2 2—5
Colorado ... 0 1 0—1

1st Period: 1, Edmonton, Penner 21 (Horcoff, Hemsky), 14:17 (pp).
2nd Period: 2, Edmonton, Gagner 13 (Paajarvi, R.Jones), 7:08. 3, Edmonton, Hall 21 (Eberle, Gilbert), 15:49 (pp). 4, Colorado, Hejduk 19 (Duchene, Liles), 17:36 (pp).
3rd Period: 5, Edmonton, Eberle 14 (Cogliano, Peckham), 11:08. 6, Edmonton, Foster 5 (Gilbert, Hall), 12:55.
Shots on goal: Edmonton 3-13-15—31. Colorado 13-16-10—39.
Goalies: Edmonton, Dubnyk. Colorado, B.Elliott.

Los Angeles ... 2 0 1—3
Anaheim ... 1 1 0—2

1st Period: 1, Los Angeles, Smyth 20 (Johnson, Stoll), 12:13. 2, Anaheim, Selanne 20 (Lydman, Sexton), 13:32. 3, Los Angeles, Kopitar 18 (J.Williams, Quick), 17:09.
2nd Period: 4, Anaheim, Perry 31 (Sbisa, Ryan), 10:05.
3rd Period: 5, Los Angeles, Mitchell 2 (J.Williams, Lewis), 6:45.
Shots on goal: Los Angeles 10-5-3—18. Anaheim 12-9-6—27.
Goalies: Los Angeles, Quick. Anaheim, McElhinney.

TENNIS

ATP

DUBAI DUTY FREE CHAMPIONSHIPS
(At Dubai)
2nd Round
1. Roger Federer (Switzerland) def. Marcel Granollers (Spain) 6-3, 6-4.
2. Novak Djokovic (Serbia) def. Feliciano Lopez (Spain) 6-3, 2-6, 6-4.
3. Tomas Berdych (Czech Republic) def. Nikolay Davydenko (Russia) 6-3, 7-6 (7-5).
Sergiy Stakhovsky Ukraine, def. 8. Ernests Gulbis (Latvia) 6-3, 5-7, 6-1.
Richard Gasquet (France) def. Sergei Bubka (Ukraine) 6-2, 7-5.
Florian Mayer (Germany) def. Andrey Golubev (Kazakhstan) 6-3, 6-4.
Philipp Petzschner (Germany) def. Philipp Kohlschreiber (Germany) 6-0, 4-6, 6-2.
Gilles Simon (France) def. Lukas Rosol (Czech Republic) 6-2, 6-3.

ABIERTO MEXICANO
(At Acapulco, Mexico)
2nd Round
1. David Ferrer (Spain) def. Santiago Gonzalez (Mexico) 6-2, 6-2.
3. Nicolas Almagro (Spain) def. Filippo Volandri (Italy) 6-2, 6-2.
4. Stanislas Wawrinka (Switzerland) def. Fabio Fognini (Italy) 5-7, 6-3, 7-5.
Santiago Giraldo (Colombia) def. 5. Albert Montanes (Spain) 6-3, 6-4.
6. Alexandr Dolgopolov (Ukraine) def. Carlos Berlocq (Argentina) 6-1, 6-4.
7. Juan Monaco (Argentina) def. Pablo Cuevas (Uruguay) 6-3, 6-4.
Lukasz Kubot (Poland) def. Eduardo Schwank (Argentina) 6-7 (8), 6-4, 6-4.

DELRAY BEACH CHAMPIONSHIPS
(At Delray Beach, Fla.)
2nd Round
Ryan Sweeting (U.S.) def. 3. Sam Querrey (U.S.) 7-6 (7-5), 6-4.
6. Janko Tipsarevic (Serbia) def. Blaz Kavcic (Slovenia) 6-2 6-7 (8-10), 6-3.
Ivan Dodig (Croatia) def. Dudi Sela (Israel) 2-6, 6-3, 6-2.
Kei Nishikori (Japan) def. James Blake (U.S.) 6-3, 6-4.
1st Round
8. Adrian Mannarino (France) def. Leonardo Mayer (Argentina) 1-6, 7-6 (7-3), 6-4.

WTA

QATAR LADIES OPEN
(At Doha)
2nd Round
1. Caroline Wozniacki (Denmark) def. Nadia Petrova (Russia) 6-3, 6-2.
2. Vera Zvonareva (Russia) def. Dominika Cibulkova (Slovakia) 6-1, 6-2.
Peng Shuai (China) def. 3. Francesca Schiavone (Italy) 7-5, 6-3.
Klara Zakopalova (Czech Republic) def. 4. Li Na (China) 6-2, 6-1.
5. Jelena Jankovic (Serbia) def. Sania Mirza (India) 6-0, 6-1.
Marion Bartoli (France) def. 8. Shahar Peer (Israel) 6-1, 6-0.
Daniela Hantuchova (Slovakia) def. Vera Dushevina (Russia) 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.
Flavia Pennetta (Italy) def. Lucie Safarova (Czech Republic) 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

ABIERTO MEXICANO
(At Acapulco, Mexico)
2nd Round
Anabel Medina Garrigues (Spain) def. 1. Julia Goerges (Germany) 6-4, 7-6 (8).
3. Greta Arn (Hungary) def. Renata Voracova (Czech Republic) 6-3, 2-6, 6-4.
4. Gisela Dulko (Argentina) def. Silvia Soler Espinosa (Spain) 6-1, 6-1.
6. Arantxa Parra Santonja (Spain) def. Lesia Tsurenko (Ukraine) 6-3, 1-0 retired.
7. Carla Suarez Navarro (Spain) def. Madalina Gojnea (Romania) 6-4, 6-3.
Laura Pous-Tio (Spain) def. Sorana Cirstea (Romania) 6-2, 6-1.
Lourdes Dominguez Lino (Spain) def. Pauline Parmentier (France) 6-1, 6-1.
Johanna Larsson (Sweden) def. Mathilde Johansson (France) 2-6, 6-2. 6-3.

GOLF

MEN

WGC MATCH-PLAY CHAMPIONSHIPS
(At Marana, Ariz.)
1st Round
1. Lee Westwood (England) def. 64. Henrik Stenson (Sweden) 3 and 2.
2. Martin Kaymer (Germany) def. 63. Noh Seung Yul (S. Korea) 7 and 6.
62. Thomas Bjorn (Denmark) def. 3. Tiger Woods (U.S.) 19 holes.
4. Phil Mickelson (U.S.) def. 61. Brendan Jones (Australia) 6 and 5.
5. Graeme McDowell (N. Ireland) def. 60. Heath Slocum (U.S.) 4 and 3.
6. Paul Casey (England) def. 59. Richard Green (Australia) 19 holes.
7. Rory McIlroy (N. Ireland) def. 58. Jonathan Byrd (U.S.) 4 and 2.
57. Matteo Manassero (Italy) def. 8. Steve Stricker (U.S.) 2 and 1.
9. Luke Donald (England) def. 56. Charley Hoffman (U.S.) 6 and 5.
55. Ryan Palmer (U.S.) def. 10. Jim Furyk (U.S.) 2 up.
11. Ernie Els (S. Africa) def. 54. Jeff Overton (U.S.) 19 holes.
53. Stewart Cink (U.S.) def. 12. Ian Poulter (England) 19 holes.
13. Matt Kuchar (U.S.) def. 52. Anders Hansen (Denmark) 22 holes.
51. Mark Wilson (U.S.) def. 14. Dustin Johnson (U.S.) 19 holes.
15. Robert Karlsson (Sweden) def. **50. Hiroyuki Fujita (Japan)** 5 and 3.
49. K.J. Choi (S. Korea) def. 16. Retief Goosen (S. Africa) 1 up.
48. Ryan Moore (U.S.) def. 17. Francesco Molinari (Italy) 3 and 1.
18. Hunter Mahan (U.S.) def. 47. Sean O'Hair (U.S.) 4 and 3.
19. Bubba Watson (U.S.) def. 46. Bill Haas (U.S.) 3 and 2.
45. Bo Van Pelt (U.S.) def. 20. Louis Oosthuizen (S. Africa) 2 up.
44. Y.E. Yang (S. Korea) def. 21. Alvaro Quiros (Spain) 20 holes.
22. J.B. Holmes (U.S.) def. 43. Camilo Villegas (Colombia) 4 and 2.
23. Miguel Angel Jimenez (Spain) def. **42. Yuta Ikeda (Japan)** 2 and 1.
24. Edoardo Molinari (Italy) def. 41. Martin Larid (Scotland) 3 and 2.
25. Charl Schwartzel (S. Africa) def. **40. Ryo Ishikawa (Japan)** 20 holes.
39. Ben Crane (U.S.) def. 26. Adam Scott (Australia) 4 and 2.
38. Jason Day (Australia) def. 27. K.T. Kim (S. Korea) 3 and 2.
37. Ross Fisher (England) def. 28. Robert Allenby (Australia) 4 and 3.
29. Rickie Fowler (U.S.) def. 36. Peter Hanson (Sweden) 1 up.
30. Geoff Ogilvy (Australia) def. 35. Padraig Harrington (Ireland) 4 and 3.
34. Justin Rose (England) def. 31. Zach Johnson (U.S.) 2 and 1.
32. Nick Watney (U.S.) def. 33. Anthony Kim (U.S.) 5 and 4.

SOCCER

UEFA CHAMPIONS LEAGUE
Round of 16, 1st Leg
Marseille (France) 0 Manchester United (England) 0
Inter Milan (Italy) 0 Bayern Munich (Germany) 1 (Gomez 90)

EUROPA LEAGUE
Round of 32, 2nd Leg
FC Porto (Portugal) 0 Sevilla (Spain) 1 (Fabiano 71); 2-2 on aggregate, Porto win 2-2 on away goals.

LIBERTADORES CUP
Group 1
Once Caldas (Colombia) 1 (Moreno 28) Libertad (Paraguay) 1 (Ayala 90+4)
Group 2
Leon de Huanuco (Peru) 1 (Zegarra 36) Oriente Petrolero (Bolivia) 0
Group 7
Estudiantes (Argentina) 1 (Barrientos 45) Deportes Tolima (Colombia) 0

CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE
Quarterfinals, 1st Leg
Toluca (Mexico) 0 Monterrey (Mexico) 1

ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE
Arsenal 1 (Squillaci 8) Stoke 0

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Manchester Utd	26	16	9	1	57	25	57
Arsenal	27	17	5	5	57	27	56
Manchester City	27	14	7	6	43	24	49
Tottenham	27	13	8	6	38	31	47
Chelsea	26	13	6	7	46	22	45
Liverpool	27	11	6	10	35	32	39
Sunderland	27	9	10	8	33	33	37
Bolton	27	9	9	9	38	37	36
Newcastle	27	9	8	10	42	38	35
Stoke	27	10	3	14	31	34	33
Blackburn	27	9	5	13	34	42	32
Blackpool	27	9	5	13	42	51	32
Fulham	27	6	13	8	28	28	31
Everton	26	6	12	8	33	36	30
Birmingham	26	6	12	8	25	35	30
Aston Villa	27	7	9	11	31	46	30
West Brom	27	7	7	13	35	52	28
Wigan	27	5	12	10	27	45	27
West Ham	27	5	10	12	30	48	25
Wolverhampton	27	7	4	16	27	46	25

ITALIAN SERIE A
Bologna 0 AS Roma 1 (De Rossi 45)

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
AC Milan	26	16	7	3	46	20	55
Napoli	26	16	4	6	41	22	52
Inter Milan	26	15	5	6	47	29	50
Lazio	26	14	6	6	33	22	48
Udinese	26	13	5	8	42	30	44
Roma	26	12	6	8	39	36	42
Juventus	26	11	8	7	41	32	41
Palermo	26	12	4	10	44	36	40
Cagliari	26	10	5	11	32	28	35
Genoa	26	9	8	9	24	25	35
Fiorentina	26	8	9	9	28	28	33
x-Bologna	26	9	8	9	27	34	32
Chievo	26	7	10	9	28	29	31
Sampdoria	26	7	10	9	23	27	31
Lecce	26	7	6	13	28	46	28
Parma	26	6	9	11	25	36	27
Catania	26	6	8	12	22	34	26
Brescia	26	6	5	15	20	33	23
Cesena	26	5	7	14	19	36	22
Bari	26	3	6	17	14	40	15

x—Bologna deducted three points for unpaid taxes and player salaries

SCOTTISH PREMIER LEAGUE
Motherwell 0 St. Mirren 1 (Higdon 82)

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Celtic	26	20	4	2	59	15	64
Rangers	24	18	2	4	53	23	56
Hearts	26	17	3	6	41	22	54
Kilmarnock	26	10	6	10	38	33	36
Motherwell	27	10	4	13	29	35	34
Inverness CT	26	8	9	9	36	33	33
Dundee Utd	23	7	9	7	27	30	30
St. Johnstone	25	8	6	11	17	29	30
Aberdeen	26	9	2	15	30	44	29
Hibernian	25	6	4	15	25	43	22
St. Mirren	25	5	7	13	22	41	22
Hamilton	25	2	8	15	14	43	14

CRICKET

WORLD CUP
Group A
PAKISTAN vs KENYA
(At Hambantota)
Pakistan 317-7 in 50 overs (Akmal 71, Haq 65, Khan 50, Akmal 55)
Kenya 112 in 33.1 overs (Obuya 47; Afridi 5-16)
Pakistan def. Kenya by 205 runs

	GP	W	L	T	NR	Pts	R.Rate
New Zealand	1	1	0	0	0	2	+7.620
Sri Lanka	1	1	0	0	0	2	+4.200
Pakistan	1	1	0	0	0	2	+4.100
Australia	1	1	0	0	0	2	+1.820
Zimbabwe	1	0	1	0	0	0	–1.820
Canada	1	0	1	0	0	0	–4.200
Kenya	2	0	2	0	0	0	–4.897

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL—Announced the retirements of umpires Jerry Crawford, Mike Reilly and Chuck Meriwether.

National League

HOUSTON ASTROS—Agreed to terms with RHP Cesar Carrillo, INF Matt Downs and RHP Lance Pendleton on one-year contracts.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

SACRAMENTO KINGS—Traded F Carl Landry to New Orleans for G Marcus Thornton and cash considerations.

UTAH JAZZ—Traded G Deron Williams to New Jersey for G Devin Harris, F Derrick Favors and first-round draft picks in 2011 and 2012.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS—Signed DE Paul Spicer to a one-day contract and announced his retirement. Designated TE Marcedes Lewis their franchise player.

PITTSBURGH STEELERS—Signed LB LaMarr Woodley to a one-year franchise tender offer.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Signed RB Chris Henry to a one-year contract.

ICE HOCKEY

National Hockey League

NHL—Suspended Phoenix LW Scottie Upshall two games for an illegal hit on Philadelphia D Oskars Bartulis during Tuesday's game.

ANAHEIM DUCKS—Recalled G Ray Emery from Syracuse (AHL).

ATLANTA THRASHERS—Reassigned LW Michael Forney from Gwinnett (ECHL) to Chicago (AHL).

DETROIT RED WINGS—Recalled RW Jan Mursak from Grand Rapids (AHL).

OTTAWA SENATORS—Recalled F Jim O'Brien from Binghamton (AHL).

WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Signed F Matt Hendricks to a two-year contract extension.

TODAY'S SPORTS

BASKETBALL—Japan League: Hitachi vs Panasonic, 7:15 p.m., Yoyogi No.2 Gym, Tokyo.

SKI JUMPING—All-Japan Championship, 1st day, 8:30 a.m., Hakuba Ski Jumping Stadium, Nagano.