

KINSEY AND JOHNSTON CLAY COURTS

California Players Maintain Lead in Chicago Games.

Waidner Surprises Boys

Veteran of 20 Years Play Gives Gold State Youth Tough Battle in Singles.

CHICAGO, July 17.—William T. Tildenman, Jr., Philadelphia, 1918 champion; William M. Johnston, San Francisco, former champion; Robert G. Kinsey, San Francisco, and Walter T. Hayes, Chicago, emerged victors from the sixth round play in the men's night of the ninth annual claycourt tennis tournament today and will fight it out tomorrow in the finals.

One of the most interesting matches was that of Johnston and T. Harry Waidner of Winnetka, Ill., the latter a veteran now in his 33d year in the sport, who forced the former champion to play to his limit. Waidner could not withstand Johnston's crashing forehand play, though frequently looking fancy drives he kept up on the run. The score was 6-3, 7-5.

Richardson lost to Hayes, 6-4, 6-1, and had small opportunity to display his dashing style of play. Hayes kept the back court covered with fine shots and kept the boy on the defense during most of their sets.

Tilden had little difficulty disposing of Axel Craven, Berkeley, Cal., 6-2, 6-3, while the other California star, Kinsey, won easily from Walter K. Westbrook, Detroit, western collegiate champion, 6-2, 6-0.

Even matches were played in the women's side, with play in the doubles opening today.

Summaries: Men's doubles, fourth round—Robert G. Kinsey, San Francisco, and Axel Craven, Berkeley, Cal., defeated J. B. Adoue, Jr., and Evan Resz, Dallas, 6-3, 6-4.

Men's singles, fourth round—William T. Tildenman, Jr., Philadelphia, and Vincent Richards, Yonkers, N. Y., defeated W. L. Northup and J. F. Kennel, Chicago, 6-1, 6-4.

Robert G. Kinsey, San Francisco, and Axel Craven, Berkeley, defeated Cedric A. Major, New York, and Charles L. Johnston, Jr., Chicago, 6-1, 6-1.

William Johnston, San Francisco, and Samuel Hardy, Chicago, defeated Walter Haase and Wray Brown, Louisville, 6-2, 6-2.

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placed and greatly assisted the triumphant couple.

Among the most important matches scheduled is the Phil Neer versus "Bill" Taylor battle, in the men's singles.

A match which will have a bearing on the championship in the men's doubles will be between Elmer Griffin of San Francisco, who is playing with Marshall Allen of Seattle, and Catlin Wolfard and Henry Stevens.

From the present outlook it appears as if Oregon's 1919 championship lies among Catlin Wolfard of Portland and "Bill" Taylor and Marshall Allen of Seattle.

The finals in the junior and boys' events will be played Friday.

Mrs. Ralph W. Wilbur acted patroness yesterday, representing the Waverley Country club. She was assisted by young society women.

Wednesday's play resulted as follows: Men's Singles.

Catlin Wolfard beat Walter A. Goss, 9-7, 4-6, 6-4.

Cate beat J. B. Bilderbach, 9-8, 6-2, 6-3.

"Bill" Taylor beat Harry Gray, 6-1, 6-0.

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Phil Neer beat A. D. Wakeman, 6-3, 6-0.

A. D. Norris beat Herbert Sweet, 6-1, 6-5, 6-4.

Harry Westerman beat James Shives, 6-1, 5-7, 6-1.

Marshall Allen beat Elmer Griffin, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.

Rogers MacVeagh beat Charles Grimes, 6-4, 9-0.

Ladies' Singles.

Miss Lily Fox beat Miss Helen Caswell, by default.

Mrs. J. C. Cushing beat Miss Irene Campbell, 6-2, 6-2.

NATIONAL APPROVES 140-GAME SCHEDULE

League Meeting Rejects Plan for 154-Contest Season.

MINORS REMAIN EXCLUDED

Revised Rules for Dividing World Series Money Approved; First Three Share Coin.

NEW YORK, July 17.—The retention of the 140-game schedule, announced at the beginning of the season, was decided upon at a meeting of the National league in this city today.

Several club owners recently suggested lengthening the playing season to 154 games as in past years.

Several other subjects of mid-season importance were discussed, and decisions reached including a unanimous vote in favor of the recently revised rules for the division of the world series proceeds as proposed by the national commission.

Attention was called to this contest by the New York club, which alleged a violation of the league constitution on the ground that the game was called early in order that Pittsburgh might catch a train, when there were later trains which would have carried the team to its next destination after a full nine-inning contest had been played.

Herrmann Enters Protest. CINCINNATI, July 17.—August Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati baseball club, was astounding news today that at a meeting of the board of directors of the National league the second game with Pittsburgh on July 6 had been ordered expunged from the records.

"To begin with," said Mr. Herrmann, "the board of directors has nothing to do with the matter. The league complaint must be decided solely by the president of the league, under section 14 of the constitution."

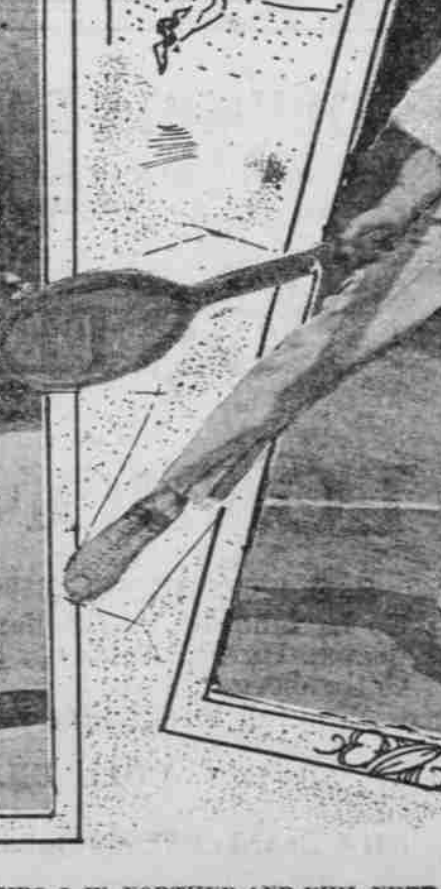
FOOD SHORT IN ARMENIA Great Suffering From Hunger Told in Letter From Abroad.

CHICAGO.—Now that the war is over, Europe wants to rest, to dawdle, to eat and sleep. Only the agriculturist in Europe are active. The see their stupendous reward. They are busy as ants.

The Vanderbilt remarks may or may not form an intimation that the United States must pool its assets with those of Europe, that the United States owns Europe, as it were.

The Falkland Islands, off which a German fleet was annihilated in one of the biggest naval battles of the great war, have a population of 2,000, 500 of whom have their homes at Port Stanley.

PROMINENT PORTLAND TENNIS PLAYERS WHO HAVE BEEN SHOWING STRONG IN STATE TOURNAMENT NOW IN PROGRESS.



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average man expected as much. No public surprise is evinced. Public gossip on his remarks covers the millions of unemployed and the chance therefore that their 1919-1920 needs in the United States for cotton, leather, etc., will be 50 per cent below any expectation.

The New York bank warning on loan security inflation can be regarded as a sign that the financiers believe the 1919 trade revival is a domestic affair.

Some remarkably random ideas are on parade. United States industrial plants are branded with 50 per cent of 100 per cent increase above their 1915 value. Their future value when Europe is producing keenly is not mentioned.

In grain during the past six months we have witnessed fast excited markets with violent ascents that are not remained convulsively stricken by the remains of war excitement.

The present cycle of buying inflation in stocks is also based on nerves that are at ill vibrating with the 1945-1918 war market experience.

Bankers may know what the public does not know. Public confidence however is astounding. Are the bankers wrong? Is the public right?

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