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Six Americans and Two Foreigners Survive Playing at National Tourney

FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Aug. 29.—(By The AP.)—The battle for the national men's singles championship today was narrowed down to eight stars, six Americans and two foreigners, in an afternoon that saw William T. Tilden, four times champion, involved in a close fought match to conquer Jack Wright, Canadian Davis cup star, and witnessed another upset when Rene Lacoste of France rallied spectacularly to eliminate Bryan Norton of St. Louis, former South Africa ace. The little group of contenders, in the order they will meet tomorrow in the round before the semifinals, is composed of Tilden, Howard Kinsey of San Francisco; Vincent Richards of Yonkers, N. L.; Wallace Johnston of Philadelphia; William Johnston of San Francisco; Lacoste, George M. Lott Jr., of Chicago and Gerald Patterson of Australia. Tonight there seemed slim chances that America's premier tennis crown, worn for the past four years by Tilden, would go overseas. Of the remaining two foreign threats, Patterson is the most serious for Lacoste faces an almost insurmountable obstacle tomorrow in Johnston, although the Frenchman may make it interesting for the former American champion if he flashes the same brand of tennis that carried him to triumph today over Norton, 1-6, 6-3, 6-0, 6-1. Tilden, though far from his best today, in taking the measure of Wright at 6-4, 8-6, 6-4, flashed his typical racquet wizardry when pressed and showed he is fully prepared for the defense of his title. Johnston was given an interesting tussle at times by Griffin, brother of "Little Bill's" double partner, but the former champion's hard driving attack always had his younger opponent on the run.

COAST AND MAJOR LEAGUE GAMES

San Francisco 3, Salt Lake 1. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—For three consecutive days the Seals and Bees have played a 3-1 ball game, the Seals winning today by that score. Yesterday the Bees won by the same score and San Francisco won 3 to 1 Wednesday. Griffin scored the first Seal score today when he homed into the left field bleachers in the third inning. Bunched hits in the seventh and eighth clinched the game for Ellison's men.

Score— R. H. E. Salt Lake ..... 1 4 1 San Francisco ..... 3 9 0 Mulcahy and Cook; Griffin and Yelle.

Sacramento 5, Angels 1. LOS ANGELES, Aug. 29.—Timely base stealing by Sacramento and loose playing by Los Angeles gave the Solons a five to one victory here today, making the series count stand two wins each. The Angels hit Bill Prough hard, but were unable to score more than the single tally.

Score— R. H. E. Sacramento ..... 5 7 2 Los Angeles ..... 1 8 4 Prough and Schang; Myers, Payne and Spencer.

Portland 6-3, Oakland 5-10. (First Game)— R. H. E. Oakland ..... 5 13 0 Portland ..... 6 13 2 Bohler, Harris and Baker; Levrenz and Cochrane.

Second Game— R. H. E. Oakland ..... 10 14 2 Portland ..... 3 14 1 Krause and Keefer; Bedient and Cochrane.

Vernon 7-14, Seattle 5-12. (First Game)— R. H. E. Vernon ..... 7 13 3 Seattle ..... 5 9 2 Ludolph and Hannah; Jones and E. Baldwin.

(Second Game)— R. H. E. Vernon ..... 14 17 2 Seattle ..... 12 17 3 Thomas, Cruse and D. Murphy; Sutherland, Gregg, Plummer, Williams, Oeschger and Tobin.

Brooklyn 3; New York 1. BROOKLYN, Aug. 29.—(National.)—When Dazzy Vance of Brooklyn struck out eight Giants today he advanced his strike-out record for the season to 202, five more than his record for 1923. It was his 11th straight victory this year, making his total 23 victories and four defeats. His pitching today enabled Brooklyn to defeat New York 3 to 1.

Score— R. H. E. New York ..... 1 8 0 Brooklyn ..... 3 6 1 Barnes and Snyder; Vance and Deberry.

St. Louis 12; Chicago 5. CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—(National.)—St. Louis hit the ball for extra bases today and defeated the Cubs easily, 12 to 5. Myers and Blades, who took Hornsby's place at second in the fourth inning, featured with home runs. Hornsby retired because of a wrenched back, but before leaving the game helped his batting average with a single in one time at bat.

Score— R. H. E. St. Louis ..... 12 12 0 Chicago ..... 5 16 2 Haines, Sherdel and Gonzales; Niebergall; Blazo, Wheeler, Milstead and O'Farrell.

Boston 6; Philadelphia 4. Score— R. H. E. Boston ..... 6 12 0 Philadelphia ..... 4 11 2 Cooney and Gibson; Oeschger, Couch and Henline.

Pittsburg 5; Cincinnati 4. PITTSBURG, Aug. 29.—(National.)—Two two-baggers in the ninth inning, one by Morrison and another by Carey, gave Pittsburg a victory over Cincinnati here today, 5 to 4. The Reds got six hits off Meadows who was relieved by Morrison after one was out in the fifth. Morrison did not allow a safe hit while he was on the mound. In the first inning Wright hit a home run with two men on base, the ball bounding over Roush's head.

Score— R. H. E. Cincinnati ..... 4 6 1 Pittsburg ..... 5 11 1 Sheehan and Hargrave; Meadows, Morrison and Gooch.

Washington 5; New York 1. NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—(American.)—The Washington club increased its lead in the American League race here today winning the second game of the series with the New York Yankees 5 to 1. The veteran Walter Johnson after a great exhibition of pitching had to retire in the eighth inning when he injured his right hand in stopping a hot liner from Schang's bat. He struck out seven men, getting Meusel three times. New York had seven men left on bases in the second, third and fourth innings. In the fourth New York filled the bases with none out but failed to score. Bush also pitched well but Washington made the best of its six hits. Goslin, yesterday's batting star, got a home run and two singles today. He scored three runs and drove in a fourth. During the two games Goslin has driven over seven hits for 19 bases.

Score— R. H. E. Washington ..... 5 6 0 New York ..... 1 8 1 Johnson, Marberry and Ruel; Busch and Schang.

Boston 5; Philadelphia 1. BOSTON, Aug. 29.—(American.)—Ehmke pitched effectively against Philadelphia today and Boston won its third straight game in the series, 5 to 1. Hits off Bryan Harris, coupled with passes gave Boston four runs. Ehmke fanned seven batters.

Score— R. H. E. Philadelphia ..... 1 9 2 Boston ..... 5 9 1 Harris, Burns, Meeker and Bruggy; Gibson; Ehmke and O'Neill.

Cleveland 5; Chicago 4. CLEVELAND, Aug. 29.—(American.)—Myatt's single, following a pass to Speaker and a sacrifice by Sewell, enabled Cleveland to defeat Chicago in the tenth inning here today, 5 to 4. Uhle outpitched Robertson but his support failed in the fifth inning.

Score— R. H. E. Chicago ..... 4 10 1 Cleveland ..... 5 11 4 Robertson and Schaik; Uhle and Myatt.

St. Louis 3-7; Detroit 0-6. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 29.—(American.)—St. Louis decreased Detroit's lead for third place place today by defeating the Tigers in both games of a double header here. Dixie Davis shut out Cobb's men in the first game 3 to 0. Sisler was forced to use three pitchers to take the second game, the Browns bringing in three tallies in the ninth inning to overcome a six to four lead and win, 7 to 6. Manush drove out three doubles in four times at bat, scoring one run in the second.

First game— R. H. E. Detroit ..... 0 6 3 St. Louis ..... 3 8 0 Whitehill and Bassler; Davis, Dyer and Severeid.

Second game— R. H. E. Detroit ..... 6 11 2 St. Louis ..... 7 9 1 Leonard and Woodall, Bassler; Wingard, Danforth, Vangilder and Severeid.

Mrs. Carey Wins State Of Washington Golf Title. SEATTLE, Aug. 29.—Mrs. C. C. Carey won the women's golf championship of Washington today on the links of the Seattle golf club, defeating Mrs. H. O. Young, Pacific northwest titlist, 6 and 4. Both are of Seattle.

CLUB PERCENTAGES

Table with columns for League (Pacific Coast, National, American), Club, Won, Lost, Pct.

Busy Luncheon Hour Is Enjoyed By Lions Club

Because of the number of special guests at the Lions club luncheon Friday William Teutsch, who is engaged in the extension work of Oregon Agricultural college, obligingly volunteered to postpone his address until a later day. The noon hour was nearly consumed by affairs of the club. The new highway sign, which will be placed a few days, was on display during the luncheon.

Announcement that charter night would be observed Saturday, Sept. 27, was made by Carl Benson, president of the recently organized Silverton club. Eric Merrill, of Eugene, deputy district governor of the Lions club, was present and spoke briefly. Some of the incidents that led Cecil Rhodes to establish the Rhodes scholarship fund were related by Arthur Rosebraugh, son of W. W. Rosebraugh, a member of the club. Rosebraugh will leave early next week for England, where he will study at Oxford for the next three years. Mr. Rosebraugh was named Oregon student for the Rhodes scholarship last spring. He was prominent in college activities at the University of Oregon, where he was graduated this year. Mr. Rosebraugh is a member of Phi Beta Kappa fraternity. The trust fund was established in 1904 by Mr. Rhodes and consists of a fortune of over \$30,000,000. Two students from each state are selected every three years to be educated abroad. Miss Marian Emmons, who has been studying violin in Chicago for the last two years, delighted the club with two selections. She was accompanied by Miss Ruth Bedford.

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