

US Team Named for Cup Defense

Aussies Rout Italian Squad

'Punch', Schroeder Picked for Singles

By Gayle Talbot
RYE, N.Y., Aug. 15 (AP)—The United States today picked a four-man Davis cup team to defend the International tennis trophy against an Australian squad which showed its muscles by completing a 5-0 sweep over the Italians in the interzone final.

Even as the Italians were winding up their rout at the Westchester country club here, the U. S. lawn tennis association announced in New York that this would be the American lineup in the challenge round at Forest Hills, Aug. 26-28.

Richard (Pancho) Gonzales of Los Angeles, U. S. singles champion; Ted Schroeder of La Crescenta, Calif., Wimbledon titleholder; Bill Talbot of New York and Gardnar Mulloy of Coral Gables, Fla., National doubles champions.

Australia's Billy Sidwell probably clinched a singles berth in the payoff struggle against the Americans by the brilliant manner in which he swept aside Marcello Del Bello, 6-1, 6-1, 6-0, today. He needed only 50 minutes to wrap it up.

Frank Sedgman, the 22-year-old Australian champion, started off indifferently and then turned on the full fury of his big game to drive Gianni Cuculli, the Italian ace, from the court under a hurricane of placements, 1-6, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2.

Cliff Sproule, non-playing captain of the Australian team, was informed of the U. S. selections while the second match was in progress.

"I can't say it comes as any surprise to us," he commented. "The word has been around for several days that Gonzales would be picked over Frankie Parker to play the singles."

"Neither does the news alarm us. We have been preparing on the assumption that would be the American side. We will name our team tomorrow."

Roseburg Sets Hoss Program

ROSEBURG, Aug. 15 (Special)—Horses and horsemen are pouring into the Douglas County fairgrounds here for the 10-day racing meet which begins Wednesday and carries through August 27. The meet is being presented by the Umpqua Jockey club, under auspices of the Douglas County Sheriff's posse.

The first Douglas county fair in 87 years will be held in conjunction with the last three days of the meet, August 25-27.

Post time for the races will be 7:30 p.m., and pari-mutuel wagering will be conducted each night. Seven races will be run nightly, for quarterhorses as well as thoroughbreds.

Some of the finest racing stock in the Northwest has come in for the program, according to Jockey club officials.

McNeil Pigeon Snared Honors

A bird owned by Cecil McNeil took top honors as the Salem Pigeon club resumed its racing season Sunday with a flight from Maupin to Salem. The close-to-100 birds in the race were released from their Maupin coops at 6:30 a.m. and McNeil's entry reached his destination at 10:37 a.m., averaging 690.87 yards per minute. Second place went to J. Gunnell's bird with a time of 661.24 per minute. The Harry Evans bird was third via 651.15.

A number of the birds failed to show up but are expected in within the next few days.

The club has slated two races for next Sunday, one starting at Maupin and one at Arlington.

DEFAULTS HIT TOURNEY

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 15 (AP)—With two of the favorites winning by default the field in the first National Junior Girls Golf tournament was reduced to 16 today at the Philadelphia Country club.

Marlene Bauer, Los Angeles, and Barbara McIntire, Toledo, O., moved into the second round when their first round opponents failed to make an appearance.

CYCLE JOCKEY WINS

PORTLAND, Aug. 15 (AP)—Motorcycle Jockey Roy Andros, Stockton, Cal., won the Pacific Coast 25-mile racing title Sunday. He covered the distance in 19:51.35 minutes on the dirt Portland Meadows oval.

They'll Do It Every Time



By Jimmy Hatlo



Beavers, Seattles to Open Series in Portland Tonight

By The Associated Press
A Coast league series which could mean a great deal to Portland's aspirations for a first division berth in the standings opens in the Beaver park Tuesday night at eight o'clock. The Seattle Rainiers, now a game and a half ahead of Portland, are in for the series. In fifth place with an even .500 mark, the Rainiers are but 10 percentage points ahead of Portland.

The Beavers in turn are but 3 1/2 games ahead of the oncoming San Francisco Seals.

Other series in the league this week find Sacramento at San Diego, Hollywood at Oakland and San Francisco at Los Angeles. The Rainiers are 5 1/2 games up on the second place Seals, discounting the outcome of Monday night's scheduled Sacramento-San Diego game at San Diego. The leading Rainiers are 10 1/2 games ahead of Portland.

Either Red Lynn or Hal Saltzman will do the pitching for Portland in the Tuesday night opener.

Preppers Open Shrine Drills

PORTLAND, Aug. 15 (AP)—Fifty-four boys snapped through workouts at two high school football fields today in preparation for the All-Star Shrine's hospital game here Aug. 27.

State Squad Coach Mel Ingram started signal drills in the inaugural with Rich Riggs of Medford and Don Donovan of Grants Pass carrying the attack load.

The ex-high school stars tried on new uniforms they will wear in the Multnomah Civic stadium clash. The state team will wear crimson and white. The Portland city stars will be clad in lemon and green.

Coaches of both squads reported the boys in top physical condition.

Attempt to Rob Salem Offices Ends in Arrest

A series of attempted break-ins—one of them successful—at offices in two Salem business buildings over the weekend was Monday solved by city police Monday night.

Wesley M. Byrd, on parole from San Quentin prison in California, will be returned here from Portland today on a district court warrant charging burglary not in a dwelling. He was apprehended there Monday on another charge.

Two dollars in small coins were taken when the second floor of offices of the Jewelry Supply company, 381 State st., were ransacked. The break-in, made by forcing open a door, was reported Monday morning. Investigating officers found marks where doors and transoms of five other offices on the same floor had been jammed without success. The offices were those of Frank H. Strubbe, A. H. Schneider, Stores Collections bureau and Woodman Accident agency.

Look and Learn

By A. C. Gordon

1. What is the approximate mean altitude of the United States?

2. How many drops of liquid will the ordinary teaspoon hold?

3. Which extends farther south, Florida or Texas?

4. Of what political party was George Washington a member?

5. In what state are the most magnificent specimens of tree growth that have ever been found?

ANSWERS

1. 2,500 feet above sea level.
2. Eighty drops.
3. Florida.
4. Federal party.
5. California.

LEFTY MEET STARS
FRENCH LICK, Ind., Aug. 15 (AP)—Norman James, 38-year-old hosiery broker of Hickory, N. C., shot his age twice today to win medal honors in 18-hole qualifications for the National Left-Handed Golf tournament. His 76 was four over par.

GUERRILLAS RETREAT
SECOND CORPS HEADQUARTERS, Kastoria, Greece, Aug. 15 (AP)—Greek army leaders said Sunday communist guerrilla forces are beaten in the Vitsi area and government troops are driving north and west to seal the Albanian border.

NEW WHIFF KING LOOMS
PINE BLUFF, Ark., Aug. 15 (AP)—The Pine Bluff Cardinals wonder if their ace right-hander, Eddie Albrecht, isn't destined to be organized baseball's strikeout king this season.

The 170-pound fireballer, property of the St. Louis Browns, has whiffed 311 batters while working 272 1/3 innings in the class C Cotton States league.

MRS. DUPONT VICTOR
MANCHESTER, Mass., Aug. 15 (AP)—Mrs. Margaret Osborn DuPont of Wilmington, Del., reigning national champion and 1947 Wimbledon champion, today won both the singles and doubles championships in the 22nd Annual Essex County Club Women's Tennis tournament.

Today's Pitchers

National league: Philadelphia at Brooklyn (night) — Heintzelman (12-3) vs. Newcombe (11-4) or Branca (12-4). New York at Boston (night) — Kennedy (8-8) or Zabala (2-5) vs. Spahn (14-9). Pittsburgh at Cincinnati (night) — Werle (8-4) vs. Fox (4-12). St. Louis at Chicago — Lanier (9-3) vs. Dubeil (4-8).

American league: Detroit at Cleveland — Trucks (14-8) or Gray (7-7) vs. Venton (3-4). Chicago at St. Louis (night) — Gumpert (14-12) or Odetrowski (6-7). Washington at New York (night) — Scarborough (8-9) vs. Byrne (10-1). Boston at Philadelphia (night) — McDermott (5-3) vs. Coleman (10-11).

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Pacific Daylight Time

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