

Gonzales Snares National Net Title After Amazing Comeback

Pancho Beats Ted Schroeder

Thrilling 1st Set Ends at Record 18-16

By Gayle Talbot
 FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Sept. 5.—(AP)—Apparently hopelessly beaten after losing the longest set ever played in an American championship tennis final, Pancho Gonzales of Los Angeles made an amazing comeback today to defeat Ted Schroeder in five thrilling sets and retain his title.

Scarcely one of the 13,000 in the stadium could have given Pancho a ghost of a chance after he dropped a gargantuan opening set 18-16 and submitted weakly in the second, 2-6. But from somewhere the big Mexican-American summoned the guts that enabled him to overcome his fellow Davis Cup ace, 6-1, 4-2, 6-4. In the final three sets and send the crowd home babbling.

It was a genuine thriller-diller, as it had promised to be. Enough drama was packed into the first set alone to do a half-dozen finals. Pancho's almost unbelievable rally came near being an anti-climax after that one.

It required an hour and 18 minutes to play. There was not a service break until Schroeder finally busted Pancho in the 33rd game. The points in the gigantic affair were 104 for Schroeder, 101 for Gonzales. Thirteen thousand hearts pounded and spluttered right to the final point.

The longest previous set in a championship final was played in 1930, and saw Johnny Doeg win it from Frank Shields, 16-14. That one, too, was a contest between two players with great serves that almost defied breaking.

Mrs. Margaret Osborne Dupont, 21-year-old Wilmington, Del., matron, became a two-time women's champion by roundly outwitting Doris Hart of Jacksonville, Fla., 6-4, 6-1, in a final that consumed only 45 minutes.

Miss Hart, 23 and possessed of an exciting set of strokes when she is "right," didn't have it today and went down without much of a struggle after leading 2-0 and 4-3 in the initial set, from there on she was too erratic, especially from her backhand, to give the champion any bad moments.

Officials Meet Due Tonight

The first meeting of the Salem Football Officials association for 1949 has been called for tonight, 7:30 o'clock, at the chamber of commerce. President Harold Hauk asks that all who expect to officiate in football games this season be present to help set up the association's program for the campaign.

An election of officers for 1949 also is to be held, according to Hauk. The meeting will be as brief as possible.

Logger Snares Salmon Jackpot

ASTORIA, Sept. 5.—(AP)—John C. Hoikka, a young Rosburg, Wash., logger who counts on extra earnings from fishing derbies, picked up \$1,500 in prizes today for a 48-pound, ten-ounce Chinook salmon taken in the Columbia river. It gave him a \$1,700 total for a few days of sport.

Hoikka collected \$1,000 from the annual Astoria contest and \$500 from the Chinook, Wash., derby. He caught the big salmon Friday and already had picked up \$200 in daily prizes.

Derby officials estimate there were 5,000 boats on the lower Columbia for the Labor Day final.

BROWNS WIN OPENER
 BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 5.—(AP)—The champion Cleveland Browns came roaring from behind with \$1 points in the last quarter today to tie the Buffalo Bills, 28-28, in the local All-America conference football opener before 31,839 in Civic stadium.

DOUGLAS VICTOR
 SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Sept. 5.—(AP)—Dave Douglas, of Newark, Del., fired a dazzling 33-33-66, seven under par, today to win the \$5,000 Ozard open golf tournament with a 54-hole total of 203.

Douglas pocketed \$1,000 first place money in beating out Jim Ferrer, San Francisco, the leader after 36 holes, by three strokes.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo

"JOE? JOE JUKE? NO... I SAW HIM YESTERDAY—MAYBE IT'S JOE BORAX—NO! JOE BILGE? WHY WOULD HE SEND ME A CARD? JOE...? HMMMM... JOE? I DON'T KNOW ANY JOSEPHINE—HMM—"

"HE KNOWS SOOO GUYS NAMED JOE... DRIVING HIM NUTS, FIGURING WHICH JOE IS HAVING A GOOD TIME..."

"THE GUYS WITH TRICK NAMES ALWAYS SIGN THE FULL NAME—BUT NOT A JOE—NAMED JOE..."

"HE BET ON A HORSE NAMED JOE LAST WEEK THAT GOT LOST IN THE BACK STRETCH..."

"IF JOE WAS ASKING FOR A TOUCH, HE'D SIGN NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER..."

LOCAL IRRITATION
 NO. 2,347...
 THANK TO JIM MAYOCK,
 274 GEORGE AVE.,
 WILKES-BARRE, PENN.

Odom Dies, Records Cantrell Again Set as Races Finish Cracks Marks

By James J. Strebig
 CLEVELAND, Sept. 5.—(AP)—The National Air Races ended today in flaming death for distance flyer Bill Odom during a wild dash won by Cook Cleland at a record 397 miles an hour.

It was Cleland's second victory and second record in the Thompson trophy, \$40,000 premier event of closed course competition. He won a total of \$19,100 including lap prizes.

Save for the tragedy back of the stands and out of sight of the 72,000 paying spectators, the close of the three day program was a glory filled afternoon. Pilots smashed speed marks with every drop of the checkered flag.

Bill Brennan of Oshkosh, Wis., set a new midjet plane mark in the Goodyear trophy race with 177.3 mph. He won \$7,000 first prize money in "Buster," a plane built by his boss, Steve Wittman of Oshkosh. Wittman set records with it a dozen years ago. The old Goodyear mark of 169 mph was set a year ago by H. R. Salmon of Van Nuys, Calif., who finished fifth today.

The next mark to fall was in the Allison jet trophy dash from Indianapolis, Ind., when Lt. Walter C. Rev of San Bernardino, Calif., flashed over the 259 mile course at 594.3 miles an hour. The old mark was 495 set in 1947.

Then a pair of air force fighters—North American F-86 Sabres—flew the fastest closed course event in history. Capt. Bruce Cunningham of Hammond, Ind., assigned to Andrews air base, Md., came in first with an average speed of 586.1 miles an hour.

Race officials said it probably will not be recognized because Cunningham cut his plane as portions of the tail surface tore off. He finished the race and then made an emergency landing.

The Thompson race tragedy that Bill Odom was only the second in the four flown since the war despite the tremendous jump in speeds since the 1930's. (Further details on Odom death will be found on page one).

TUESDAY'S BROADCASTS

Pacific Daylight Time

Kilocycles: KSLM 1290, KOCO 1450, KOIN 970, KGW 620, KEX 1190

Hour	Station	Program	Hour	Station	Program	Hour	Station	Program	Hour	Station	Program
6:00	KSLM	News	9:15	KOCO	Country Music	10:30	KOIN	Top Traders	11:30	KGW	News
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Look and Learn

By A. C. Gordon

1. What was the Mason-Dixon Line, and why was it so called?
2. Which state in the Union leads in the production of hardwood?
3. Who was called the "Washington of South America"?
4. What American President of little education was noted for the perfection of his literary style?
5. What animal's name means "river horse"?

ANSWERS

1. Boundary line between Maryland and Pennsylvania, surveyed by Charles Mason and Jeremiah Dixon, English surveyors, in 1763-67.
2. Arkansas.
3. Simon Bolivar (1783-1830).
4. Abraham Lincoln.
5. Hippopotamus.

The Nation's Top Comics

DAILY AND SUNDAY in Your Home Newspaper

BLONDIE

WHEN SHALL WE GET MARRIED, COOKIE?
 OH LETS NOT WORRY ABOUT THAT FOR A WHILE
 LOOK, DADDY, I'M ENGAGED... JIMMY GAVE ME A RING!
 IT'S A SQUIRT-GUN RING!
 I THINK THEY'RE MORE FUNKY THAN DIAMOND ENGAGEMENT RINGS

DICK TRACY

EASY BOYS—THEY'RE AS LIMBER AS DISH RAGS.
 DONE UP EH? AND NOW TELL US—HOW DID YOU TWO ACES GET BOTTLED UP IN THERE? AND WHERE'S PARCE?
 MEANWHILE, AT THE STATEWIDE BROADCASTING STUDIO OF SPIKE DYKE... SPIKE, YOU'RE WANTED ON THE PHONE.
 HELLO (CLICK) (CLICK) HELLO—
 AHA, HE'S THERE. THAT IS ALL I WANT TO KNOW.

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

YOUR BRAVERY AND QUICK THINKING SAVED MY SHOW—YOU'VE EARNED THIS REWARD—AND THE THANKS OF EVERYBODY—
 THANK YOU FOR THE THANKS, MR. ROADIE—BUT I COULDN'T TAKE NO MONEY FOR JUST YELLING "FIRE, FIRE"—
 BUT I INSIST—
 TAKE THE MONEY, KID—YOU EARNED IT THE HARD WAY—YOU RISKED YOUR LIFE AND—
 HONEST, I WAS ONLY HELPIN' ZERO—HE WAS THE HERO—
 HE GOT HIS POOR FEET BURN'T, BUT HE DON'T WANT NO MONEY—YOU KNOW THE WAY HE'S WAGGIN' HIS TAIL. THAT HE'S GLAD HE COULD HELP THE NICE FOLKS WHO HELPED HIS—

BUZZ SAWYER

I'M AWFULLY SORRY THAT JUNIOR MISBEHAVED.
 WE'LL GLADLY PAY FOR THE DAMAGE HE'S DONE, SIR.
 WHY, YOU BUNGLING IDIOT! THE DAMAGE HE'S DONE WILL RUN INTO MILLIONS! HE'S CAUSED FRONTIER OIL TO HIRE OUT ON BRAGG'S OIL PROCESS. YOU'RE FIRED!
 AND YOU, WRIGHT—YOU'RE THE BLOCCHEAD WHO HAD THE WHITE SAVVY HERE—YOU'RE FIRED, TOO! GET OUT!

MICKEY MOUSE

OH!—THERE'S A ROOM CLERK NOW! HEY!...
 ...A COUPLE OF GHOSTS ARE HAVING A GUN FIGHT UPSTAIRS!
 AND WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH GHOSTS?
 AFTER ALL... I'M ONE, MYSELF, YOU KNOW!

RIP KIRBY

HERE'S MY PROBLEM, HONEY... UNTIL RECENTLY, I HAD A CLIENT IN TEXAS... A YOUNG WOMAN WHOM I NEVER SAW...
 JEANNIE WAS A CAR-HOP AT A DRIVE-IN RESTAURANT...
 ...THAT WAS HER FIRST MEETING WITH ALDEN STONE, THE ONLY SON OF WELL-TO-DO PARENTS...
 YOU'RE A NORTHERNER, AREN'T YOU?
 YES... BUT I LIKE THE SCENERY AROUND HERE! NOW ABOUT A DATE TONIGHT?

GASOLINE ALLEY

IT'S BETTER, BUT IT'S STIFF.
 DOES IT HURT ANY MORE?
 NO, BUT IT'S STILL GOT A CROOK IN IT.
 THAT ISN'T SO BAD.
 IN FACT, IT WILL COME IN HANDY.

BARNEY GOOGLE

CHEER UP, SIR? CHECK YOUR HAT, SIR?
 YE BE DURN KEERFUL, YE DON'T GIT IT MIXED UP WIF ALL THEM OTHER HATS, OR I'LL TARN YE ACROSS MY KNEE!

lively, full-bodied flavor

WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT CHEWING GUM

HEALTHFUL REFRESHING DELICIOUS