

Yanks Lead in Wightman Openers

Singles Wins By Gal Stars US Squad Boasting 3-0 Lead as Start

By STERLING SLAPPEY
WIMBLEDON, England — Maureen Connolly and Doris Hart raged up early singles victories but America's double team was hard-pressed to send the United States off to a 3-0 lead over Great Britain Friday in the Wightman Cup tennis competition.

Mrs. Margaret Osborne du Pont of Wilmington, Del., U. S. cup captain, and Louise Brough of Beverly Hills, Calif., had to fight back from a 1-5 deficit in the third set to beat a pair of 19-year-old English girls, Angela Buxton and Paul Hird, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5.

Miss Connolly, America's world tennis queen from San Diego, Calif., cut down Helen Fletcher in the opening singles match, 6-1, 6-3, with a powerful backcourt attack.

The California miss won the first set in 13 minutes and took a quick 4-0 lead in the second set before letting her opponent come up for air.

Miss Hart, America's No. 2 woman player from Coral Gables, Fla., was little less impressive in blowing aside Ann Shilcock, 6-4, 6-1. Only at the start of the opening set when Miss Hart lost '22 was there any semblance of a contest.

The matches were delayed four hours by rain.

Misses Connolly and Fletcher, played in a drizzling rain and their white blouses and skirts were soaked when they came off the court. The rain slowed up considerably as the program progressed and the doubles match was completed at dusk in dry weather.

Mrs. du Pont and Miss Brough found themselves having to scrap for every point from the very first.

The English girls — Miss Hird was a last minute substitute — completely outplayed the Americans in the first set and after yielding the second, 6-4, raced to a 5-1 advantage in the third.

With victory in sight, the inexperienced English girls became obviously tense and the Americans won six straight games for the match. The U. S. tandem, four times Wimbledon women's doubles champions, studied their games and waited for the excited British lassies to make mistakes.

Others on Aili's registration list include Bill Hyde, Fred Connitt, Walt Pflughaupt of Corvallis, John Kieper, Dick Brannif, Rod Love, John Brown, Mel Braman, Danny Hopp, Arnold King, John Fuller, Don Guth, Jack Quirk, John Ketchum, Al Coffey, Cecil Dalton, Curly Barker, Emmett Vinning, Dick Francis, Glenn Wilson, Bud Holt, Tom Lightle, Frank Swanson, Don Larsen, Cecil Wright, George Henningson, Jack Timmings, Melvin Riddings, Herb Hudson, C. Schmidt, Don Klum, Dick White and Red Monaghan.

All races on tonight's card will be reverse handicaps—with the fastest cars starting behind the slower ones.

Tickets for the two professional football exhibitions in Portland—Los Angeles Rams vs. New York Giants Sunday, August 8, and Rams vs. Chicago Cardinals, Saturday, September 4—are now available by contacting Harry Glickman, Dekum Warrington, Portland 4, Oregon.

Others on the Silvertown roster include Pittman, Donny George, Norb Wellman, Doners Gersbach, Hal Bourbonnais and Gail Buchheit, Catchers Harv and Keip and Bill Beard and Fielders Jay Fournier, Gary Kieper, Flager, Don Hatterburg, Dick Gentzkow, Rod Oster, Joe Brock and Red Eaden. Carl Hande is director of the club.

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They'll Do It Every Time By Jimmy Hatlo



Chisox in Player Deal Pennant Seen By Club Boss After Trades

PHILADELPHIA — The Philadelphia Athletics, Chicago White Sox and Washington Senators Friday completed a three-way swap of six players and some cash, with southpaw Morris Martin, the chief figure in the deal, winding up with the White Sox.

Paul Richards, manager of the American League leading White Sox, said Martin, "if he pitches the way we know he can, could mean the pennant for us. He's the extra pitcher we need."

Frank Lane, the super-trader of the White Sox, started the deal rolling by swapping Constantine (Gus) Keriakozos, \$60,000 bonus pitcher, to the Senators for John (Sonny) Dixon and \$20,000. The Athletics wanted Dixon so Lane had to get the 29-year-old relief specialist to do business with the A's.

Lane then wrapped Dixon in a package with another hurler, Al Sima, and promising rookie outfielder Bill Wilson and sent them along with a reported \$20,000 to the A's for Martin and outfielder Ed McGehe.

The 31-year-old Martin has won two and lost four for the A's this year but has pitched excellent ball, suffering from a light hitting support.

Keriakozos and McGehe formerly were with Seattle in the Pacific Coast League. Keriakozos makes his home in Seattle.

EDINBURGH, Scotland — Americans and Britons, who have competed against each other in practically everything from war to chess, meet here in September in an "old crock" rally.

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Wellman Holds Bat Lead At 395 Clin

Big Bob Wellman, the six-foot, six-inch Vancouver Capitano first racker continued to lead the Western International League in batting through games of Monday, June 7, with an astronomical mark of .395.

Included in the slugger's production of 45 hits were 10 doubles, 1 triple and 7 home runs, along with 50 runs batted in.

Chorlton, Vancouver, outfielder was in second place being followed by 378 marks and Harvey Storey, Salem manager held down third at 368.

Chorlton had most hits, 65; Storey most doubles, 15; Dick Greco of Vancouver most home runs, 11; Elijah Green of Wenatchee most stolen bases, 11 and Jim Hiram of Wenatchee most runs batted in, 46.

Herb Lewis of Yakima most most triples, 6.

In the pitching department Vancouver manager Bill Brenner sported the best earned run average, a sizzling 1.27, for his six-run, three-loss record. Andy Anderson of Spokane, Ted Edmunds of Yakima and George Nicholas of Vancouver each had seven victories. Top loser was Larry Borst of Salem, with seven setbacks.

Strikeout champion was Johnny Briggs of Salem with 79. But he also led on issued bases on balls, along with Gene Johnson of the Senators, each with 61.

The statistics:

Table with columns: Individual, Batting, Runs, Hits, Errors, etc. Lists statistics for various players from different teams.

Old Rook Rally Is White for Road

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Top Man



HOB WELLMAN Hitting .395

Macks Refuse Offer for A's

NEW YORK — The Mack family has flatly rejected an offer by a Philadelphia syndicate to buy the Athletics at a price that would have brought Connie Mack and his two sons, Roy and Earle, a net profit of \$2,000,000.

A highly placed baseball source informed The Associated Press Friday that this group, eager to keep the Athletics in Philadelphia, had offered Roy and Earle Mack, who control the club \$3,150,000 for the club.

Such an offer would have netted the Mack brothers a profit of \$700,000 each and their father a profit of \$600,000.

The Mack brothers gained control of the A's in 1950 after borrowing \$1,750,000 from the Connecticut General Life Insurance Co. to pay off the other stockholders. They have paid back \$600,000 of the loan.

Brooks Snatch League Lead

NEW YORK — The traffic promises to be heavy at Belmont Park Saturday afternoon when 13 colts and one filly are scheduled to battle it out in the 86th and richest of all Belmont Stakes.

Although the "test of the champion" may lack the quality of most Belmonts, it is a record-equaling field of 14 for the mile and one-half grand, considered America's premier test for 3-year-olds. Fourteen starters would jack the pot to \$126,100, with the winner collecting \$90,000.

The King Ranch pair of High Gun and Riverina, first filly to tackle the Belmont distance in 22 years, has been tabbed as the probable favorite at 5-2 odds but it would be no great surprise if Correlation had the heaviest pari-mutuel backing at post-time.

Chicago had tied the score in the fifth inning after New York moved into a 2-0 lead. The White Sox runs were scored on a bases-loaded single by Nellie Fox.

Brooklyn's relief pitcher Bob Mullin singled twice in the Dodger 6th inning, driving in two runs. But he was replaced when he gave up home runs to pitcher Gary Perkowski, Roy McMillan and Gus Bell. Perkowski's homer was his first hit this season in 14 plate appearances.

Rollins Shows Well in Meet

OMAHA — Little Rollins College and Michigan State, the Big Ten champion, Friday moved into the third round of the NCAA College Baseball World Series undefeated and will meet Saturday at 8 p. m. (CST).

They are the only two undefeated teams left in the double elimination tournament.

Michigan State, defeated Arizona 2-1 in the first night game and Rollins whipped Missouri 4-1 in the second.

In the day game Massachusetts had eliminated Oregon by a 5-3 score and Oklahoma A & M ousted Lafayette 4-2.

In other games Saturday Massachusetts and Missouri will meet at 2 p. m. and Oklahoma A. & M. and Arizona at 6 p. m.

BEVOS OPTION ROOKIE

PORTLAND — The Portland Beavers Thursday optioned pitcher Phil Page to Victoria of the Western International League.

Page, a lefthander, was signed by the Beavers last week after his graduation from Stanford University. He saw no Coast League action.

National League

New York — 010 000 111 0 4 8 8 Chicago — 100 000 001—1 3 2 Milwaukee — 000 000 000—0 5 1 Philadelphia — 000 000 000—0 5 1 Milwaukee — 100 000 001—1 3 2 Simmons and Burgess; Burdette and Crandall.

Trojans Qualify Heavily in NCAA

ANN ARBOR, Mich. — Powell Southern California, gunning for its sixth straight title, Friday sent eight men into the finals of the NCAA Track and Field Championships under a scorching sun at the University of Michigan's Ferry Field.

Coach Jess Mortensen's slick operatives, the overwhelming favorites to take the team title, had only one mild disappointment. He was Jim Lea, the defending champion in the 440 yard run. He failed to win his heat, getting home second to Ben Youtsey of Purdue, who was clocked in 48 seconds flat.

Lea, however, remained the choice in the final, mainly because his winning time of last year was 47 seconds, a clocking which Youtsey would have trouble approaching.

All told, eight of the nine Trojans who ran Friday qualified. That put 14 of their 15 men in Saturday's finals. Some events did not have eliminations, so all the entries automatically advanced.

Bill Taylor, a half miler, was the only Southern Cal man who failed to qualify — and he wasn't expected to make it, since he is on his way to the Quantico Marine base.

California and Michigan State each had five qualifiers, while Michigan, Stanford, Illinois and Yale each sent four athletes into the finals.

Jerry Church of Oregon State was fourth in the javelin event with a throw of 196-3/4.

Bob Gary of Washington State placed third in the first heat of the 220-yard dash semifinals and fourth in the second heat of the 100-yard dash semifinal.

Hogan Shoots On Saturday

SPRINGFIELD, N. J. — National Open champion Ben Hogan will go out Saturday to see if he can shoot a better round than for instance, the vice president of the United States, a blind man and a five-year-old boy.

The round will be played at Baltusrol Golf Club, where Ben defends his title starting Thursday, as part of National Golf Day.

Hogan was scheduled to match his shots against those of some 125,000 other golfers, from dubs to greens, last Saturday but had to postpone the round a week because of a virus infection.

The virus shooting against Hogan on a handicap basis went ahead, however, and took their rounds as scheduled.

Parry O'Brien In New Record

great kick but I didn't think it was better than mine." Barthel, tired and breathing rather heavily, merely said: "It's too early for me to run my best race."

Barthel has just completed studies in engineering at Harvard and this was his first real competition of the year outdoors. It was only the third time in his life that he has been beaten at a mile or his favorite event, 1,500 meters.

Santee, who may have run his last race of the season — he goes into summer training with the Marine Corps next Monday — was unofficially timed on his individual laps in 59.5, 60.0, 60.5 and 60.7.

Hefty Parry O'Brien again made a mockery of the erstwhile unattainable 60 foot shot-punk Friday night when he eclipsed that distance four times, the final toss a record 60 feet 10 inches.

Three times prior to Friday night, O'Brien, the Olympic champion and world record, had topped the 60-foot mark.

Performing in the South Pacific District A Meet, O'Brien sent the crowd into a roar when he threw 60-6 on his fourth try, thus eclipsing his previous best of 60-5 1/2, set at this same Coliseum site earlier this year. His accepted world record, set in 1953, is 59-2 1/4.

He started his 60-foot string Friday night with 60-5 1/2 on his third throw. His fifth was 60 feet 1/2 inch and then he let loose his greatest throw.

Champ Given Welcome



HONOLULU — Carl (Bobo) Olson, world middleweight champ, received the true Hawaiian welcome when he arrived here to complete final training for his June 15 Honolulu Stadium bout with Jesse Turner of St. Louis, Mo. It will be Bobo's initial appearance here since winning the world crown last year. (AP Wirephoto).