

INSIDE BASEBALL for Little Leaguers

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One of the most difficult situations a catcher must face is that of trapping or blocking pitches which bounce into the dirt. It is easy for such pitches to bound away from him if he doesn't take advantage of his equipment. He can drop to his knees so that his chest protector will stop or smother the ball in case it takes a bad hop to keep him from getting his hands on it instantaneously.

He should try to catch as many balls as possible with the fingers of the catcher's mitt pointing up. However, the fingers of both hands should be pointing down when it is necessary to dig balls out of the dirt.

It is good practice for catchers to play infield positions at regular intervals during batting practice in order to learn how to follow bounding balls and field them properly, because almost all throws to home plate from the outfield come in on the bounce, in addition to the pitches which hit the ground before reaching them.

Trabert Favored Over Grant in Tennis Tournament

ATLANTA — Top-ranked Tony Trabert and little veteran Bryan Blythe Grant were to resume their tennis battle today as the weeklong National Clay Courts tennis championships neared the halfway mark.

For Wimbledon champion Tony Trabert, the match was only another in the climb to his second Clay Courts title but the partisan crowd was pulling for Grant to give his younger opponent a tough battle.

Grant, who snared the first of three Clay Courts crowns in 1930, the year Trabert was born, showed flashes of his old brilliance Tuesday but could not match the Trabert power while piling up a 6-2, 1-0 edge before rain halted play.

The little shotmaker, for whom the tourney courts are named, broke through Trabert's serve in the seventh game of the first set to win by a love score but the rest of the match was virtually a foregone conclusion.

Trabert, who breezed by Willis Erwin, Augusta, Ga., 6-0, 6-0, in his first appearance in the tourney, was to meet stiffer opposition should he get by Grant in the person of Mike Green of Miami, the nation's second-ranked junior player.

Second-seeded Ham Richardson of Baton Rouge, La., also took the courts for the first time Tuesday and advanced quickly to the fourth round via a bye, forfeit and a 6-2, 6-2 decision over Barry McKay, Akron, Ohio.

Other seeded players advancing without much trouble were Eddie Moylan, Trenton, N.J.; ranked No. 3; fourth-seeded Bernard Tut Bartz, San Angelo, Tex., the defending champion who wrested the title from Trabert last year.

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Kramer Plans Pro Offer For Tony Trabert

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"Frankly, I'm very much interested in signing Trabert to a pro contract, granting he has a big year," the young Los Angeles promoter, one of the game's greatest players, added today. "I can offer him as good a contract as I did Frank Sedgman—\$75,000."

Kramer, whose tour has suffered during the last two years for need of new blood, said he had discussed the idea with various tennis promoters around the country.

"They all insist that I would be a better drawing card against Trabert than Pancho Gonzales," he said. "This seems to be the lineup they want and so I can't afford to be modest about it."

Kramer has been on the sidelines during the past several months while Gonzales fattened his tennis reputation at the expense of Sedgman, Pancho Segura and others. Sedgman, who underwent an appendectomy yesterday, doesn't figure in future plans.

"Trabert's Wimbledon victory gave him a tremendous boost," big Jake said. "Now if he can win the Nationals at Forest Hills and help up keep the Davis Cup, he'll really be ripe. He can make a good pile of dough in two years."

Trabert has announced his desire to go into professional tennis, when his record warrants.

PEASE SIGNS

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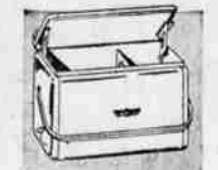
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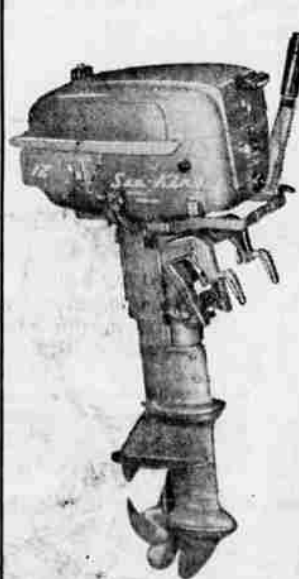
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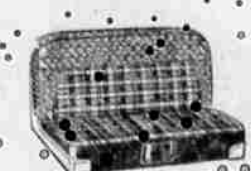


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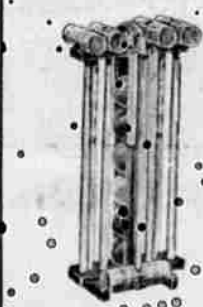


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