

BIG BILL TILDEN WILL PLAY AGAINST FRENCH

Star Reinstated on Request
of Opponents

HERRICK TAKES A HAND

Ambassador Takes Action to Bring
About Return to Cup Match
After Week of Banishment

PARIS, July 25.—(AP)—Big Bill Tilden is going to play against France for the Davis cup after all. He was reinstated this afternoon just as suddenly as he was yanked out a week ago. He was brought back into the fold to please the French, according to Samuel H. Collium, president of the United States Lawn Tennis association, who took personal responsibility for removing the ban which the New York committee imposed.

During the week of banishment, French tennis officials went to United States Ambassador Myron T. Herrick and it was through his importunities that the reinstatement was brought about.

When informed that Tilden was to play, Rene LaCoste, his French rival, said that his decision not to go to the United States to defend his American championship in September would not be affected. LaCoste had announced his decision to default the United States title immediately after the United States Lawn Tennis association declined to accede to a plea from the French federation that Tilden be allowed to play.

In making his totally unexpected announcement Collium issued the following statement:

"In response to the most urgent requests of the French Lawn Tennis federation that we should not deprive tennis lovers of their opportunity of seeing one of the greatest players in the world in competition, I have decided to assume the responsibility of authorizing Mr. Tilden to play Tilden on the Davis cup team."

Cables Association

Communicating his action to the United States Lawn Tennis association at New York, President Collium cabled:

"French misunderstood our position and have brought pressure to bear on our ambassador who says from the standpoint of international relations it is important accede their request."

"Considering it to be the best interest of our association I have issued the following which I trust meets with your approval."

The statement given above was then quoted.

Tilden, for his part, would say nothing. Until a late hour tonight he took the position that he had

not been officially informed and therefore had nothing to say.

Collium had more of a smile on his face as he made the announcement than has been observed since his arrival.

Money Important

People in New York he said did not understand the feeling which has arisen in France over Tilden's disbarment.

Partly this feeling is a sporting one that the French won the Davis cup from the strongest team America could put into the field against them and naturally if they hold it or lose it this week they would like to have it known they again beat or were defeated by the American's best, Collium pointed out.

But there is another aspect of the question, an aspect inseparable from amateur as well as professional undertakings in the realm of sports money. Especially to care for their first Davis cup crowd the French built a large stadium and without Tilden they certainly would not be able to fill it this year, Collium said.

Events Outlined

NEW YORK, July 25.—(AP)—Here in brief are the important developments in the case of Bill Tilden who now, in view of the latest turn in events is to play against the French in the challenge round starting Friday.

July 25—charged with violation amateur-player writer rule of United States Lawn Tennis association in writing about British championship in which he was a competitor, was removed from them by President Samuel H. Collium following cabled "recommendation" from U. S. L. T. A. officials at home.

July 26—French Tennis federation urges U. S. L. T. A. to reinstate Tilden.

Italians Beaten

July 21—President Collium understood to have reserved right to nominate Tilden for challenge round on own responsibility as United States wins right to play France by beating Italy straight matches although minus Tilden.

July 22—President Collium cabled U. S. L. T. A. from London that he had replied to French request that Tilden be allowed to play by saying "charges must stand." Advisory committee of association cabled endorsement.

July 25—President Collium announces Tilden will play and says pressure brought to bear by American ambassador to France to bring that about.

Many Machines Busy

SALEM, Ore., July 24 (AP)—Thirty flax-pulling machines are now in operation in the Willamette valley, reports received here today said. These machines are doing the work previously accomplished by 15,000 men by hand. Virtually all of the flax produced in the Willamette valley this year has been contracted by the state prison plant.



EUGENE BOY LEADING IN STATE GOLF EVENT

Dick Neer Takes 74 in Match
at Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., July 25.—(AP)—Dick Neer, junior member of the Eugene Golf and Country club, today led a field of more than 100 starters in the qualifying round of the annual Oregon state junior boys' amateur golf championship tournament, when he traversed the 18 holes of the Tualatin course in 74 strokes. Neer shot a 39 going out and cut four strokes off that number on the second nine.

The Portland boys, Tab Boyer and Albert Bohrer, both of Eastmoreland, tied for second medal honors with 77 strokes apiece. Neer's low qualifying mark bettered that made in the caddies' division, a section of the tournament introduced today to take care of professional players who had entered unwittingly in the amateur meet.

The low mark in the caddie event

was 75, Bruce Beverly of Multnomah making the three-score and 15. Ed Halsey and M. Zimmerman, both of Multnomah, tied for second with 76 strokes. Zimmerman achieved considerable fame a week or so ago when he shattered the Multnomah course record with a brilliant 69.

BEAVERS FLOOD MINE

BUSY ANIMALS LIFT LEVEL OF
MINNESOTA LAKE

MARBLE, Minn.—(AP)—The industrious habits of beavers came near throwing several hundred iron miners out of work when the water level in Little Oxide lake was raised until it flooded the Patrick mine.

The beavers, not satisfied with the water level of the little lake, constructed a dam across its outlet last year and this year they added still more to the dam until water flooded the shops and grounds of the mine. The Minnesota fish and game commission came to the rescue, destroying part of the dam. Ten minutes after the work had been completed, the colony of beavers was back at work repairing the damage.

ATHLETICS TAKE TWO TILTS FROM WHITE SOX

Cleveland Wins Doubleheader
First Time in Season

DETROIT BEATS CHAMPS

St. Louis Browns Annex Two
Games From Washington, 6
to 5, and 12 to 8

AMERICAN LEAGUE	
W.	L.
New York	27 27 713
Philadelphia	37 37 606
St. Louis	51 46 526
Chicago	43 50 482
Washington	41 53 456
Cleveland	42 53 442
Boston	37 54 407
Detroit	37 55 430

CHICAGO, July 25.—(AP)—A four run rally in the ninth gave the Philadelphia Athletics the second game of today's double header with the White Sox, 5 to 4, after they had won the first, 15 to 0.

First game	
R.	H.
Philadelphia	16 12 0
Chicago	0 6 1
Batteries:	Ehmke, Perkins and Cochran; Lyons, Connally, Adkins, Leopold and Cruise McCurdy.
Second game	
R.	H.
Philadelphia	8 14 2
Chicago	7 10 1
Batteries:	Earnshaw, Bush, Rommel and Cochran; Blankenship, Lyons and Cruise.

Cleveland Wins
CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 25.—(AP)—Cleveland won a double-header for the first time this season by beating Boston today 10 to 2 and 15 to 5 behind Miller and Shaute.

First game	
R.	H.
Cleveland	10 2 1
Boston	2 9 1
Batteries:	Morris, Stuyton and Heving; Miller and L. Sewell.
Second game	
R.	H.
Cleveland	15 12 1
Boston	5 9 1
Batteries:	Simmons, Settlement, Griffin, Taitt and Hofmann; Shaute and Autrey.

Detroit Takes Double

DETROIT, July 25.—(AP)—Detroit hit Johnson, Thomas and Campbell opportunely to defeat New York 10 to 7, in the second game here today, giving the home team a clean sweep of its double header against the world champions. The Tigers won the opener, 3 to 1.

First game	
R.	H.
New York	2 4 1
Detroit	3 5 2
Batteries:	Pipgras and Grabowski; Stoner, Vangilder and Woodall.

Second game R. H. E.
New York 7 11 2
Detroit 10 12 0
Batteries: Johnson, Thomas, Campbell and Collins; Bengough, Carroll, Smith and Woodall.

Browns Victors
ST. LOUIS, July 25.—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns won the second game of a double header from Washington, 6 to 5, here today, after taking the first game 12 to 8.
First game R. H. E.
Washington 7 14 1
St. Louis 12 13 0
Batteries: Hadley, Macberry, Brown and Kenna; Crowder, Beck, Coffman and Schang.
Second game R. H. E.
Washington 5 10 0
St. Louis 6 12 0
(12 innings) Batteries: Jones and Ruel; Stewart, Ogden and Manion.

PADDOCK CASE BOBS UP AT OLYMPIC CONCLAVE

Heated Discussion Fails to
Bring Protest

By ALAN J. GOULD
AMSTERDAM, July 25.—(AP)—Working out with markedly improved results on scattered fronts, the American Olympic forces indulged in one of the most satisfactory sessions yet on a day featured by arrival of some of their foremost rivals—the Finns led by peerless Paavo Nurmi—and flavored by unexpected revival of the Charley Paddock case.

The California sprinter who donned his baby blue trunks today at the Hague in a special workout arranged for a small American contingent apparently cannot avoid the spotlight. Just when American officials considered his case closed it bobbed up again, this time before an executive group of the international Olympic committee on the initiative of General Kentish, British delegate, and also the Norwegian representative, informally.

It is understood a somewhat heated discussion was aroused over Paddock's status, the latter being defended by the old Yale sprinter, General Charles H. Sherill who is famous as the inventor of crouching start and is the American member of the committee.

Whatever transpired, however, failed to develop a formal protest or even official consideration of the sprinter's status before the main meeting of the international committee today this body having nothing to do with eligibility affairs, but Kentish nevertheless laid the matter before Edstrom, the Swedish head of the international Amateur Athletic federation.

Radio Talk Argues
Paddock's motion picture activities, which formed the basis of

the American probe prior to the team's departure were not the subject of the inquiry by Kentish, who produced clippings from London newspapers dealing with a two-month-old radio talk by the sprinter on the 1924 Olympic one hundred meter final.

Misunderstanding over the talk apparently has just been aired in England although it was declared a dead issue by Americans after Paddock flatly denied describing an alleged frameup on the part of the Yankee finalists to handicap Abrahams, the British hundred meter winner, with repeated false starts.

Paddock's story is that he discussed on the air how Abrahams might have been framed, but used it only as an illustration to show the contrast between such methods and the actual sporting start which took place. Jackson Scholz, who was in the same race, finishing second, corroborates Paddock's explanation.

Paddock an Lloyd Hahn, a score of others, including all the hurdlers, high jumpers and 400-meter runners, had a good workout at the Hague where the track was some improvement over the practice field near the stadium. Paddock tried a fast 150 meter around a turn and also starts. Hahn worked 1200 meters under the ever watchful eye of his coach, Jack Ryder.

ITALIA PROBE PLANNED

MUSSOLINI DECIDES INQUIRY
WILL BE MADE

ROME, July 24.—(AP)—As soon as everything humanly possible has been done to find the still missing members of the dirigible Italia, a complete investigation into all phases of the polar disaster will be made by Italy, Premier Mussolini informed the council of ministers today.

Such inquiry, the premier declared, "will naturally be made in Italy and by Italian personalities. Any other hypothesis is absurd and offensive and whatever it might be and wherever the proposition came from it would be immediately rejected."

HILT ESCAPES BURNING

CHANGE IN WIND SAVES TOWN
FROM FLAMES

MEDFORD, Ore., July 24.—(AP) A change in the wind early today saved the lumbering town of Hilt, Cal., from destruction by a forest fire. The flames advanced to within four miles of the city limits and burned over ten thousand acres of timber land.

Every able-bodied man in Hilt—

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they numbered about 100. The regular train went out to collect the mail. Tonight it was believed that the train was under control and still racing to the north and toward the Oregon coast.

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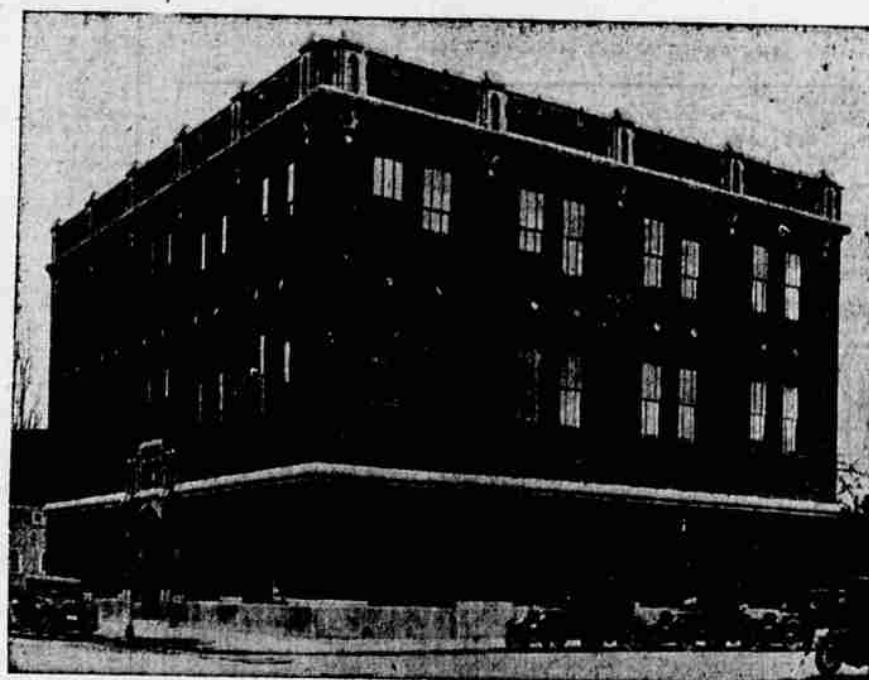
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