

SPORTS

VINES WINS WAY TO HIGHEST PEAK OF LAWN TENNIS

Pasadena Flash Called Equal Of Bill Tilden After Conquering Lott In Fast Title Contest.

FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Sept. 12.—(AP)—There was none left tonight to dispute the American supremacy of Ellsworth Vines, Jr., 19-year-old University of Southern California sophomore, in the world of lawn tennis.

The last of his rivals fell today when George Lott, Jr., Philadelphia's Davis cup star, went down before the coast sensation's magic racket in four thrill-packed sets at Forest Hills, 7-6, 6-3, 9-17, 7-5.

Twelve thousand spectators set up a mighty roar as Pasadena stripping who a year ago was ranked only number 8 in this country, blasted his way to the tennis heights.

It was nip and tuck every minute of the two-hour and 17 minute struggle, with Vines forced to come from behind after dropping the long drawn-out opening set.

When the two weary athletes dragged themselves from the court the expert ver comparing Vines to Big Bill Tilden who witnessed the match from the press box. They said he was the equal of the former champion in his prime.

Within an hour of the match Vines was aboard a fast train for the coast to take up his studies.

Vines, who also holds the national clay courts crown and numerous club titles, won on his tour of the east this summer, is the youngest player to win the national championship in the present century.

The lanky, good-natured youngster succeeds John Hoge Doeg of Newark, N. J., as champion. Doeg lost his chance of repeating yesterday when he was defeated by Lott in a lusterless three-set match.

DAVE MARTIN WINS CALIFORNIA TITLE AT PEBBLE BEACH

PEBBLE BEACH, Cal., Sept. 12.—(AP)—Descendant of a golfing family and worthy successor to a prized title, chunky Dave Martin of Los Angeles became California's twentieth amateur champion today with a 10-8 victory over Ernest Peiper, Jr., of San Jose in the 36-hole finals of the annual classic.

Striking the rolling fairways and slick greens of Pebble Beach with steady but not brilliant golf in the morning, the 24-year-old youth returned to the after-noon round to play the next ten holes in two under par.

Young Martin's father, Ernest and his two uncles, Hutt and George, are professionals. Coached by them from youth, he stalked the ocean-bordered course much as if out giving instructions—cool and unruffled.

The morning round gave Martin four up. Nothing spectacular marked the round. Martin's par 37 for the first nine put him one hole in the lead. Peiper had a 38. The incoming stretch saw the lad from the south go two over par, with a 39, but his younger opponent had streaks of wildness to take a 43.

As Martin tightened in the afternoon, Peiper weakened badly. Good drives and deadly approaches brought a par-shattering to Martin. His lead returned steadily. Meanwhile Peiper found the traps, the trees, missed putts and even on one occasion strayed himself. His 43 for the nine let the bars down for his rival and a dormie nine situation at the 27th resulted.

PORTLAND STARS PLAY EAGLE POINT

The Eagle Point baseball team, champions of southern Oregon, play the Portland All-Stars headed by Jimmy Ault, at the fair grounds this afternoon. In what promises to be the best game of the season in these parts. Ault will be opposed in the box by Cliff Best, now at the peak of his form for this year. The visiting team is composed of the pick of Portland semi-pro players, and are said to be fast fielders and heavy hitters, and are able to give the valley team more opposition than they have encountered all season.

A large crowd is expected to turn out to see the game, which is apt to be the last of the year here.

A majority of managers in the Southern association picked Bob Hasty, of Birmingham, as the circuit's best pitcher.

Add Warren, whose boxing exploits have carried him up and down the ladder the past two years, will desert the ring temporarily to become boxing coach at the University of North Carolina.

The Texas Aggies have opened negotiations for a football game with the University of Hawaii, to be played at Honolulu during the Christmas holidays.

MISSIONS SCORE 5-3 VICTORY OVER WOBBLY BEAVERS

Night Games
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Steady pitching on the part of Walsh tonight gave the San Francisco Missions a 5 to 3 victory over the Portland Ducks. Walsh allowed the Reds six hits, while his teammates took seven off Malla, Killen and Posedel. A fifth inning rally brought the Ducks their total runs.

R. H. E.	
Portland	3 6 0
Missions	5 7 0

Malls, Killen, Posedel and Woodall; Walsh and Ricci.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Hollywood took its fourth victory here tonight to clinch an even break on the series by winning 7 to 3 from the Senators. Vance Page, who failed to retire a man last night, started again and hurled tight ball throughout, beating Tony Freitas. It was a loose game.

R. H. E.	
Hollywood	7 14 1
Sacramento	3 9 2

Page and Severeid; Freitas and Wirtz.

COAST
The score: R. H. E.
Seattle 7 10 3
Low Angeles 2 12 2
Page and Cox; Wetzel, Moss and Hannah.

MARINE GUNMEN WIN RIFLE TITLE AT CAMP PERRY

CAMP PERRY, Ohio, Sept. 12.—(AP)—The United States marines outshot the coast guards at long range today to win the national rifle team championship for the second straight year.

The marine team of 10 men finished with a score of 2808 out of a possible 3000. The coast guards came second with 2788, the infantry third with 2709, the navy fourth with 2757, the cavalry fifth with 2749 and the engineers sixth with 2741.

The match finished the national rifle matches which have been in progress for a month.

The District of Columbia National guard team was awarded first place in the team match with a score of 2718. The Massachusetts guard team, which at first was placed at the top, finished second with a corrected score of 2714, three below its original count. The Washington state guards finished third with 2713 by outranking on the long range the Ohio National guard, which had the same score.

In the civilian classification Washington state was first with 2697, Arizona came second with 2667, while Arkansas, originally announced as second, dropped away down in the list on revised scores.

CALIFORNIA GIRLS WIN NET HONORS

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—(AP)—California was victorious in both divisions as the girls' national singles and doubles tennis championships were decided today.

In the biggest surprise of the tournament, which started Monday with fifty entries in the singles representing many states, Ruby Bishop of Pasadena, Calif., upset the top seeded star, Alice Marble, of San Francisco, 6-1, 6-4, to gain the title left undefended by Sarah Paley, of Brookline, Mass.

Unable to win the singles crown, Miss Marble later paired with Bonnie Miller, junior girl champion of Los Angeles, to win the doubles. They defeated the New York combination, 14-year-old Millicent Hirsch, Evan-der Childs high school student, and Carolyn Roberts, New Rochelle high graduate, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2, in the final.

Miss Bishop, surprised spectators by outplaying Miss Marble in every department. Miss Marble sometimes showed flashes of her former brilliance sending placements down the side line. This was true in the second set when she gained a 4 to 2 game lead. But by constantly returning, Miss Bishop forced her opponent into errors and won four games in a row to take the match and championship.

The new queen also holds the California interscholastic crown and the Atlantic junior's diadem.

Twenty new tennis courts planned at Texas A. & M. college will be colored for better visibility and to avoid sun glare.

"Bull" Elkins, Texas university quarterback and captain-elect of the cage squad, is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholastic society.

Art Weis, Birmingham left fielder, has been picked as the best all-around player in the Southern association.

Don Connors, 250-pound Indian football prospect at Oklahoma A. & M., will not be eligible this fall, due to scholastic difficulties.

Students at the summer coaching school at Texas A. & M. college numbered 200.

Mac Smith is a good tennis as well as a good golf name. Mac Smith of East St. Louis is the new singles champion of southern Illinois.

OVERTIME SETTO WON BY BOSTON

BOSTON, Sept. 12.—(AP)—The Red Sox made it two out of three in its final home series with Detroit; this year by winning today, 1 to 0, in 13 innings. Eddie Durham, who twirled for the Sox had the edge on Arthur Herring in the close battle.

R. H. E.	
Detroit	0 5 2
Boston	1 10 2

Herring and Ruel; Durham and Connolly.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Cleveland's Indians pounded three Washington pitchers today to take the second of a three-game series from the Senators, 7 to 4.

R. H. E.	
Cleveland	7 10 1
Washington	4 9 3

Ferrell and Sewell; Jones, Hadley, Marberry, Fischer and Spencer.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—(AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics and the St. Louis Browns broke even in a double-header today. The world's champions winning the first game 3 to 2, and St. Louis taking the second 10 to 2.

R. H. E.	
St. Louis	2 6 0
Philadelphia	3 6 2

Gray and Ferrell; Grove and Cochran.

(second game): R. H. E.
St. Louis 10 16 0
Philadelphia 2 9 1
Coffman and Bengough; Hoyt, Mahaffey, MacDonald and Heving.

GIANTS TROUNCED BY TEXAS ROOK

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Darkness halted the Yankees and the Chicago White Sox in a 13-13 tie in the second game of their double-header today after 10 innings of slugfests. The White Sox had taken the first over time clash, 8 to 5 in 13 innings.

R. H. E.	
Chicago	5 10 2
New York	13 13 0

Fraser, Faber and Grube; Ruffins, Pipgras and Dickey.

(second game): R. H. E.
Chicago 13 13 4
New York 13 15 2
Welland and Grube; Garaway, Andrews, Rhoads, Walls, Johnson, Gans and Jorgens, Dickey.

PIZZABURGH SEPT. 12.—(AP)—

Bill Harris, 30 year old recruit from Texas, won his second major league game today as the Pirates defeated the Giants 5 to 1. The score:

R. H. E.	
New York	1 4 1
Pittsburgh	5 12 1

Mooney, Berly and Hogan; Harris and Phillips.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—(AP)—

Johnny Welch held Philadelphia to seven hits today and the Cubs made it three straight in the series, 5 to 2. The score:

R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	2 7 9
Chicago	5 9 0

Collins and McCurdy; Welch and Hartnett.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 12.—(AP)—

Sylvester Johnson held the Boston Braves to four hits and turned in his second consecutive shut out victory for the Cardinals here today, 8 to 0. The score:

R. H. E.	
Boston	0 4 1
St. Louis	5 9 0

Zachary, Cunningham and Spohrer; Boal, Johnson and Wilson.

AUTO RACER DIES IN SPEED TRIAL

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 12.—(AP)—Jimmy Gleason, of Philadelphia, Pa., who participated in automobile races in many parts of the country for 15 years, was killed on the race track at the state fair grounds here today while trying to qualify for the 100 mile championship of the American Automobile association. Earl Younger, Asbury Park, N. J., his mechanic, was seriously injured as he hurried from the car over a cement wall into the midst of spectators, five of whom were less seriously hurt.

AMERICAN SLOOPS OUTCLASS FIELD

PORT WASHINGTON, N. C., Sept. 12.—(AP)—American sloops made a clean sweep of the first nine places in the opening race of the international star class yacht racing series here today.

Carl and John Pfing of the Great South Bay fleet sailed their boat, Wings, in first. The Vega, sailed by William Lyon of Newport Harbor, was second, and W. J. McHugh's Colleen from Central Long Island sound was third.

Judge John B. Ogden of Ardmore, one of Oklahoma's best known jurists, was runner-up in a state golf meet for lefthanders.

Sport Slants

BY ALAN GOULD

A lot of harsh things said about the United States Golf association's 1931 "seeding" or "ranking" list should be and hereby are retracted.

Only two of the first eight on the list failed to make the qualifying grade at Beverly. Whether it was because they were paired together or not, the extraordinary fact was that the two conspicuous failures, "Jimmy" Johnson of St. Paul and Phil Perkins of New York, made a total of four rounds of golf in two days, without either being able to break 90.

They were the No 1 and 3 men on the "seeding" list, which acquired no prestige thereby and which further was made to look bad when the Nos. 2, 4 and 5 men, Gene Holman, Johnny Goodman and Charles Seaver, were bounced out of the championship at Beverly in the first round.

Whether it has been exactly a feud or not, the Wright-Outimet rivalry, it seems, has developed some acute arguments among their followers in the old Bay state.

Mainly it is due to the present rating of Wright in his home state as a one-handed man and Outimet at scratch. Wright's friends contend this is a slap at the five-time state champion.

Outimet has stayed out of the Massachusetts tournament for a number of years, thereby avoiding conclusions with Wright.

The veteran's friends contend his international record is sufficient to end any argument, but the Boston delegation would have been on hand in solid formation if the luck of the national championship draw had brought Fred and Francis together.

Boy, Copy!

Bobby Jones doesn't manipulate a typewriter but he writes his own newspaper copy in long-hand and patronizes the facilities of the press tents now at national tournaments with all the ease of a veteran at the scribbling business.

Apparently he does not need editorial prodding to get his copy to the wires early. Allowing for some interruptions for debate with the journalistic professionals, he does a speedy job.

Beverly's Tough Hole.

Beverly's particular pride is its No. 6 hole, a one-shotter, 187 yards from the championship tee, craftily trapped and laid out. The club's officials pointed it out to Mr. Jones and others with unconcealed satisfaction. A very, very tough hole, indeed, they remarked.

Imagine the shock, therefore, when in a single afternoon of the national amateur championship play, George Dunlap and Jack Westland halved it in deuces; Paul Jackson of Kansas City hit the pin with his tee shot and missed an ace by six inches; and Fay Coleman sank an explosion shot from a sandtrap for another deuce.

On the same hole, Sandy Somerville, the Canadian champion, playing with Coleman, hit a spectator on the head with his tee shot, and scored a knockout.

20 GRAND BRINGS SEASON WINNINGS TO RECORD POINT

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Twenty Grand raced on to new laurels today as he carried the colors of Mrs. Payne Whitney to an easy victory in the Lawrence realization at Belmont park.

The big bay son of St. German-Bonus scored much in the same manner characterized by his hollow triumph over Sun Beau in the Saratoga cup last week, finishing the mile and five furlongs with five lengths to spare.

His closest pursuer was Mrs. Katherine E. Hitt's Sun Meadow, while another five lengths back trailed the Belair stud's Sir Ashley with the Wheatley stable's Blenheim fourth and last.

Twenty Grand went to the post at the unusually short odds of 1 to 20 and although there were few takers at that price, the crowd of 15,000 let a mighty yell as the favorite came charging down the stretch.

The victory was worth \$29,700 and boosted Twenty Grand's total earnings to \$249,325, just \$50 more than Man of War earned during his sensational career. The triumph also placed Mrs. Whitney's ace seventh on the list of the leading American money winners.

With Charley Kurtainger back in the saddle, Twenty Grand covered the distance in 2:14 1-5. He ran the first mile and one-half in 2:28, four-fifths of a second faster than Man of War's track record, but Kurtainger took him under double wraps during the final furlong.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—(AP)—

Dark Sea, the four-year-old gelding owned by Herbert M. Woolf of Kansas City, today won the \$5,000 Steger handicap at Jirahoda fields, defeating eleven of the fleetest sprinters in the west. Dark Sea, under a smashing ride by Johnny C. E. Allen, raced the mile in 1:36 2-5, just two fifths of a second short of equalling the track record.

STEAM FOR PLANES LATEST PROPOSAL

CLEVELAND, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Adaptation of steam power, oldest of modern sources of power, to the airplane, newest form of transportation, is to be put to practical test here soon.

The power is being developed in the airplane by the Great Lakes Aircraft corporation of Cleveland.

Engineers of Great Lakes Aircraft declare that developments of the steam plant for planes has been made possible only because new metals have been developed in the past few years which furnished the required tensile strength, lightness in weight and metallic hardness.

The plant would work up 2,350 horsepower, especially desirable for large transport and commercial planes and military craft.

Capt. "Kid" Brewer of the Duke Blue Devils for 1931, has been captain-elect of eight other football teams, starting in grammar school.

SALEM, Sept. 12.—(AP)—

Consideration of routes for Portland to the sea, and decision as to what course will be taken, will come before the state highway commission at its special session, tentatively set for next Thursday at Portland. The highway department here today was not informed of definite arrangements.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 12.—

(AP)—An amputation performed under jagged slate far down in a coal mine, with the surgeon lying flat upon his back, has saved the life of Aukstock Corter, 30-year-old miner.

HURRICANE DEAD AT BELIZE 700, PLANES RUSH AID

BELIZE, British Honduras, Sept. 12.—(AP)—More than 1,000 of the 16,000 inhabitants of Belize perished in Thursday's hurricane. It was estimated tonight after a survey.

MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 12.—(AP)—Appeals for relief were received here today from the stricken residents of Belize, British Honduras, where a devastating hurricane swept a path of death and injury Thursday.

A radio report to Pan American Airways today said the estimated number of deaths was increased from 400 to 700.

Pan American Airways radio carried a plea for an additional 500 pounds of medicated cotton, 200 pounds of iodine and 1,000 rolls of two-inch bandage for use in treatment of the several hundred persons injured by the storm and its subsequent tidal wave.

Ellis McLane, amateur wireless operator, contacted amateur station W2BA, and heard a call for "all possible help."

This informant said martial law was established through the city by the colonial government, to prevent looting of bodies and property.

The report said every building in the city was damaged, and that in some instances, vessels in the harbor and their crews disappeared during the height of the storm.

Meantime, Richard W. Gray, government meteorologist, here, kept close watch on a second West Indian hurricane, which whipped San Juan Thursday night, sweeping by Santo Domingo and Port Au Prince yesterday.

The storm was reported today as being near Navassa Island, off the Cuban coast, with indications that it will pass south of Jamaica if it continues its present course. It was losing intensity as it progressed westward, government storm warnings said.

DIXIE GOVERNORS GIRD FOR BATTLE OVER COTTON AID

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 12.—(AP)—Two southern governors—Boss E. Sterling of Texas and Huey P. Long of Louisiana—antagonists in a bitter fight over cotton relief legislation—counted strength tonight for a final contest Monday on the floor of both houses in the Texas legislature.

The south as a whole awaited the outcome, because of Texas' dominance as a cotton producer.

The Texas senate agricultural committee remained aloof from both factions today by reporting favorably upon two bills, one providing for the acreage reduction program advocated by Governor Sterling and the other for the cotton prohibition plan for 1932 championed by Governor Long.

Followers of the Louisiana governor saw a gain in this, as the house committee considering cotton bills was ready to report favorably Monday a bill providing for one-third acreage reduction in 1932 and crop rotation thereafter.

Governor Sterling resented the radio "invasion" of Texas by Govern-

MOSCOW, Sept. 12.—(AP)—

Joseph Lebriz, noted French aviator, and his mechanic, Rene Mesmin, were killed when their airplane Hypphen II in which they were attempting a record non-stop flight from Le Bourget to Tokyo crashed in a field near the mouth of the river Tanis, in the vicinity of Ufa, at 8 a. m. today.

Marcel Doert, co-pilot of the plane and its third occupant, saved himself by a parachute jump.

Delay in identifying the two airmen who were killed was caused by the fact that none of the populace of Ufa could understand French. A dispatch received here said, however, that all assistance was being provided for Doert by an official of the Bashkir republic who went to the scene with a doctor.

The accident occurred when the fliers had been in the air only about twenty hours after their take-off from Paris. Unfavorable weather which beset them during their entire voyage across Russia was believed to have been a contributing cause.

Fighting heavy fogs, clouds and rain from the moment they crossed the Soviet frontiers, the aviators passed Moscow last night and faced a continuation of bad flying conditions for several hundred miles. They were unreported after leaving here until word came from the catastrophe which befell them about 750 miles further on.

Two months ago the same trio barely escaped death when their motor failed. Lebriz and Mesmin took the powerless plane down in trees near Shebert, abandoning it just in time to save his own life.

GABBY STREET ACE of the Cards

South Carolina and Mississippi sandlot baseball teams will compete in the American Legion eastern tournament for championship of the east at Manchester, N. H.

Don Forsyth, little 170-pound guard, may replace Jimmy Steele as stellar guard on the Florida gridiron this fall.

Oliver Sansen, fullback who will captain Iowa's grid team this year, has won four letters in football and basketball.

Claude Wilson of Birmingham, for many years a clever boxer, has doffed the gloves and is now coaching amateur fighters.

Lefty Jenkins, who pitched a 19-inning 1-to-1 game in Springfield, Mass., formerly hurled for the Duke university baseball team.

Frank Thomas, new Alabama football coach, made his first public address before a civic club at Birmingham.

Sixty-five candidates for Tulane's Green Wave are expected to report to football Coach Bernie Bierman this season.

Henry Robertson, Oklahoma amateur golf champion, considers knicker a jinx. They brought him bad luck once, and he has worn trousers ever since.

Hotel Medford Dinner \$1.00

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NATAL, Brazil, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Three men were killed and a fourth badly injured, when a plane taking off from the Potengy river struck a bridge and was wrecked.

Springfield.—Picking of early hops started on Anderson Brothers' hop ranch.

Delake.—First unit of DeLake hotel formally opened to public inspection.

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