

TILDEN DISPLAYS TENNIS MASTERY IN BEATING VINES

41-Year-Old Star Can Trim Any Player in World Says 'Eily' After Exhibition Match Draws \$29,760

By GAYLE TALBOT (Associated Press Sport Writer)
NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Take the word of H. Ellsworth Vines, Jr., who sampled the old master's fire for three sets last night, the greatest tennis player in the world at the moment is Bill Tilden, 41 years old and spry.

"There isn't a man in the game, amateur or professional who would stand a chance against him in match play," declared the convinced "Eily" after Tilden had taken him over the humps by scores of 806, 603, 602, in Vines debut as a professional at Madison Square Garden.

"I thought I'd faced some services, but that first ball of Bill's has the others backed off the boards," said the 22-year-old Californian, almost reverently. "It was as if before I knew it and how it twisted!"

He didn't exaggerate. A few minutes before the crowd of nearly 17,000 that packed the Garden had sat amazed as Vines, a great national champion only two years ago, had tried desperately to stem Bill's thunderous service by bracing both hands on his racket. Even then he couldn't keep it in the court.

The audience had seen Vines drive shot to Tilden's backhand, a forcing shot, and tear in for the kill as he was wont to do when he ruled the world's amateurs. And they had seen the youngster's bat nearly knocked from his hand, the ball going flying askew, from the fury of Big Bill's backhand return.

Tilden Shows Stuff.
It was with a marvelous show that Big Bill, the showman, had saved up for the unveiling of Vines. He had the sort of audience he liked, with plenty of stiff shirts in the side boxes, and he gave them the works. Vines played some noble tennis himself, particularly in the opening set, but it takes more than that to hold off a Tilden.

Where Ellsworth was forced to depend almost entirely on his own scorching service, which felled him sadly at times and his blistering deep-court shots, Bill matched him there and then dazzled him with an assortment of phenomenal shots and court deceptions that left no doubt of the ultimate result. Tilden's beautiful half-volleys, his "gets" of balls that seemed lost and the effortless ease with which he covered court were something to see.

Praise for Vines.
Pleased as he was with himself after the match, however, Tilden was generous in his praise of his newest sparring partner.

"Vines played wonderful tennis," considering the fact he was unfamiliar with the indoor surface," he said. "He'll get used to it as he goes along and he'll have the old man humping. He was at a terrible disadvantage tonight."

Vines wasn't downhearted at his failure to win a single set in the first go-round. He had an idea he would do better as he and Bill got better acquainted. He even predicted he might take a set in their next match at Philadelphia.

But any disappointment he might have felt doubtless was leavened by the awe of the crowd that paid to see him start out. There was \$29,760 of new money in the firm's treasury, and that will buy a lot of tennis balls.

"Big Bill" Supreme—Vines



"There isn't a man in the game, amateur or pro who would stand a chance against Tilden in match play," said Ellsworth Vines (left) after his defeat last night by Tilden (right) in their professional match in New York. (Associated Press Photos.)

HARD-FOUGHT BATTLES COMING FRIDAY WHEN LOCALS FACE INDIANS

By Harold Grove.
Two great basketball games will be seen here tomorrow night when the Medford Junior high meets the Roseburg Junior high in a preliminary to the Medford high school-Roseburg high school game. The preliminary is scheduled for 7 p. m., and main game for 8 p. m.

The Roseburg Junior high-Medford Junior high game is hoped to be a battle of "little giants." Ray Henderson's squad is made up of "Irishmen" who are willing to go the limit in saving their team from defeat.

Immediately following this game the battle of the bigger boys will be on. Guesses on the outcome are few, but predictions for what sports gossips term "a good old scrap" between the two teams are plentiful. Roseburgites who live in Medford claim that Medford is all washed-up and that the Indians will trim Medford.

Little is known about the strength of the Roseburg cagers, but they are expected to give Medford the surprise of her life.

The Tigers ended their week's practice sessions with a light practice today. Starting lineups are as yet indefinite.

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AMATEUR SPORT WILL SEE BOOM IN COMING YEAR

1934 Marks Beginning of Preparations for Olympics of 1936 to Be Held in Germany—Teams to Travel

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Amateur athletics give prospect of booming in the United States in 1934. This is because the year marks the beginning of preparations for the Olympic games of 1936 to be held in Germany. Also because American teams have been invited to compete in various nations this year.

Friendly international relations prevailing in amateur sport and the respect for American methods and competitors abroad is demonstrated by the fact that the A. A. U. has, at this time, invitations to send a track team to Sweden, and a swimming team to Japan. In addition, it is expected the winners of the 1933 A. A. U. women's basketball crown will visit England for the international championships.

To Arrange Tryouts.
Then too, the Olympic committee, at a meeting in February, will arrange for tryouts for the eleventh Olympiad, select coaches and managers and recommend the members of the team to represent the United States.

Despite the unbalanced economic conditions, there was no diminution of interest in amateur athletics in 1933. Over 50,000 registered athletes competed in sanctioned open events and hundreds of thousands participated in novice and closed events under the auspices of the A. A. U. and its allied bodies.

Chicago Capital.
Because of the century of progress, Chicago became the sports capital of the country last year. The A. A. U. was called upon to arrange the most ambitious sports program ever attempted. More than 40 national championships were conducted and over 150 separate competitions were held in practically every sport.

Special features of 1933 were the advancement made by southern track and field athletes, the growth of interest in amateur ice hockey and the supremacy of the mid-west in amateur basketball and wrestling.

Dance, Rogue Elk, Saturday night, January 20.

Wild Run of Cards Gives Gottlieb and Schenken Crown in Bridge Tourney

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—(AP)—The first annual pair championship of the United States Bridge association passed into history early today with one last, wild run of cards that swept aside the hopes of favorites and neophytes alike.

Michael Gottlieb and Howard Schenken, two of the most formidably consistent players in the game, walked off with the cup with a total of 666½ match points—40 points better than their nearest opponent.

A. M. Barnea and Edward Hymes, Jr. also of New York, were second with 626, and next were Mrs. Ely Culbertson and Albert H. Morehead, also consistent leaders throughout, who had 607½.

Culbertson himself was swept into the also-rans as a result of the day's play, though he started the session at the top. Hand by hand, he saw his margin swept away, and he and Theodore A. Lightner could do no better than eighth place and 593½ points.

The regional champions who came to the contest from a half score cities, placed only one entrant in the first 10-A. P. Stockvia and Leroy Turtell of Washington, who seventh with 594.

With the pair event out of the way, tournament kibitzers began speculating on the probable winner of the major team of four event, beginning today. All the cities represented in the pair contest will again be present and possibly a few others. A team has arrived to represent Portland, Ore.

Demonstration of an electrical kiltzer showing card-by-card play by means of colored lights was called off by the bridge association, which announced the machine was not yet ready.

Yesterday's play swung to wild extremes, largely due to weird distribution on almost every deal. One of the most startling results was reached on the following, whereon W. E. Brownback and C. C. Lockett of St. Louis scored 2940 against Ely Culbertson and Theodore A. Lightner:

North (Lockett)
S-A K J 10 7
H-K 10
D-A
C-A K 10 5 2
West (Culbertson) East (Lightner)
S-5 S-6 3
H-Q J 9 6 2 H-5 4 3
D-K Q 7 2 D-9 8 6 3
C-J 7 4 C-Q 8 6 3
South (Brownback)
S-Q 9 8 4 2

COPIES NEW LAWS AVAILABLE NOW IN CODDING'S OFFICE

Copies of new laws passed by the special session of the legislature which adjourned December 9, have been received by District Attorney George Coddling's office. They go into effect March 10—90 days after the end of the session.

One of the laws—the Jackson county budget emergency measure—has been in effect since passage. The act clears away legal obstacles arising in the creation of the last budget from the heavy expense of the Bank-Fehl turmoil trials.

"The Care of the Insane" law, which shifts the expense from the county to the state for the care of mental unfortunates is of importance to this county, as the annual bill for the item ranged in the past from \$1500 to \$2500.

The dance hall law provides for the operation of dances in restaurants, cafes and other places, that have licenses for sale of beer and wine. The law fixes 1 o'clock as the closing hour for such establishments. The law also provides for the issuance of permits by the county clerk.

The new laws cover the following subjects, county budget changes, dance hall and dance regulations, circuit court fees, finances, farm produce, intangible tax, income tax, care of insane, liquor and liquor tax, motor license fees, motor vehicle regulation and the milk control law.

Head COLDS

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Oklahoma Outlaw Killed By Police

WELLINGTON, Kan., Jan. 11.—(AP) A man identified from photographs as Joe "Red" Carson, about 35, wanted at Pawhuska, Okla. for murder and jailbreak, and suspected leader of a southwestern gang of bank robbers, was shot and killed in a gun fight with officers when he resisted arrest here today.

TEACHER KEEPS TITLE OF POCKET POOL QUEEN

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G. Gates	180	182	188	530
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Handicap	24	24	24	
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E. Nichols	171	130	160	461
S. Sherwood	199	156	160	515
R. Singler	131	130	145	406
H. York	139	119	97	340
Boes	123	149	128	412
Handicap	124	124	124	
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