

IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

TILDEN TAKES BRITISH TENNIS SINGLES TITLE

Defeats American Rival In Three Straight Sets in Final

WIMBLEDON, England, July 5. (AP)—Bill Tilden won the British tennis singles championship today for the first time since 1921, defeating his sensational young countryman, Wilmer Allison, in the final in three straight sets.

The dashing young Texan who on Monday eliminated the defending champion, Henri Cochet of France, was no match for Big Bill who was playing in rare form. Allison put up a gallant battle, storming the net at every opportunity, but Tilden's fitness, great variety of strokes and experience were too much for him. Tilden's furious service also stood him in good stead, winning several love games for him.

King and Queen Present

Big Bill after several lean years in which his great French antagonists dominated this and the other classic tournaments, ascended the throne of Wimbledon in dramatic fashion in the presence of the king and queen, who arrived at the stadium while Tilden and Allison were warming up.

The American champion was the master of the situation throughout, taking the lead at the start, beating off Allison's challenger in the desperately fought second set and then taking the third for the match and championship.

Moody-Ryan Team Wins

Mrs. Helen Wills Moody and Miss Elizabeth Ryan captured the women's doubles championship, defeating Sarah Palfrey of Boston and Edith Cross of San Francisco, 6-2, 9-7.

It was Mrs. Moody's second Wimbledon championship of the year, she having taken the women's singles yesterday, defeating Miss Ryan, 6-2, 6-2.

Mrs. Moody and Miss Ryan now are supreme as doubles team, having won the French championship a few weeks ago as well as taking the Wimbledon crown today.

Crowd Cheers Youngsters

The sensational play of Little Sarah Palfrey in a losing cause, especially during the thrilling second set, captured the imagination of the big gallery which cheered her every shot. In general the crowd seemed to be on the side of the youngsters although it was fairly clear from the outset that they were doomed to defeat.

ANGELS BOOST LEAD TO FOUR WHOLE GAMES

(By Associated Press) Southern California teams feel the most prosperous in the Pacific Coast league today as a result of the holiday bills, in which Los Angeles and Hollywood cleaned with a bang by winning doubleheaders.

The Angels increased their league lead to four games, with ten to play, by downing Portland twice, 10 to 6, and 6 to 5. Yerkes, former Duck, held Portland to 2 hits in the first contest.

Stars Win 5-in-Row

The Stars continued their winning streak to twelve games, made it five in a row from Oakland, and went into third place in the standings, trimming the Acorns twice 10 to 9 and 9 to 6. Oakland's five-run rally in the ninth failed to win the first. Craghead and Yde met on the mound in the second.

Sacramento aided the Angels' rise by dropping two to the Missions, 7 to 3, and 17 to 6. Herman Piliette worked on the mound for the Reds in the morning, and Bert Cole in the afternoon. Monroe and Camilli each got two homers for the Missions in the latter game.

Tight pitching was the feature of the double-header at Seattle. The Indians won the first, 6 to 5, with Kallio in the box, and San Francisco took the second, 5 to 2, with Jimmy Zinn keeping the Redskins tamed.

Police Seek Trio For Trigon

PORTLAND, July 5, (AP)—Police sought three men today for questioning in connection with the death of Hugo W. Carelson, Warren, Ore., who died in a hospital last night after being found suffering shock and partial paralysis.

A physician who examined him said he had suffered a spine injury, apparently having been thrown from an automobile. Police said he had been drinking at a party with three other men.

MORE FAIR WEATHER SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5, (AP)—The weather outlook for the week beginning July 6, was announced here today by the United States weather bureau as follows: Far western states: Fair weather, except for considerable cloudiness and fog on the coast. Temperatures will be near the seasonal average.

CHEAP GAS

PORTLAND, July 5, (AP)—The thousands of motorists who were forced to "shell out" for their 1928 automobile license so they could enjoy the Fourth, found some consolation in the price of gasoline yesterday. Retail gasoline dealers pumped motor fuel for 12 1/2 to 14 1/2 cents.

Cleveland Indians May Win Pennant



By AL DEMAREE (Former Pitcher N. Y. Giants) The Cleveland Indians are on the warpath in the American League. They are so full of fight and as dangerous this year as the old tribe was in the days of Napoleon Lajoie and Tris Speaker.

They showed their potential strength last year when they surged into third place.

Many factors enter into the Forrester City team's success: The able management of the old fox, Peckinpugh; the brilliant all-around work of Earl Averill; the able performance of Lew Fonseca; the rejuvenation of Joe Sewell; the fine work of Bib Falk and last but by no means least, the continued great pitching of Wesley Ferrell, one of the most phenomenal youngsters ever picked up by a baseball scout.

John McGraw always claimed it took two or three years' experience around a big league club to develop a major league pitcher. But Ferrell apparently is another Walter Johnson. He jumped in last year and won twenty-one games with a third place club.

Look out for the Indians. They are dangerous this year.

League Standings

COAST.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Los Angeles	52	36	.596
Sacramento	49	40	.551
Hollywood	48	42	.533
San Francisco	47	43	.522
Oakland	46	44	.511
Missions	44	46	.489
Seattle	38	52	.422
Portland	34	56	.378

NATIONAL.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Brooklyn	41	27	.6029
Chicago	44	29	.6027
New York	37	33	.529
Cleveland	36	33	.522
Boston	35	35	.500
Pittsburgh	32	37	.464
Cincinnati	27	42	.391
Philadelphia	25	39	.396

AMERICAN.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Philadelphia	50	27	.649
Washington	46	29	.614
New York	42	29	.597
Cleveland	35	35	.500
Detroit	34	33	.507
St. Louis	30	43	.413
Boston	29	44	.398
Pittsburgh	29	42	.402
Chicago	26	42	.382

St. Peter's Cathedral in Rome occupies an area of 327,069 square feet.

YOUNG CORBETT IS CONQUEROR OF CHAMPIONS

Scores Decisive Victory Over Young Jack Thompson

By RUSSELL J. NEWLAND Associated Press Sports Writer SAN FRANCISCO, July 5. (AP)—Conqueror of two champions and general disturber of the peace within the welterweight ranks, Young Corbett, smiling Fresno lad, today possessed one of the remarkable records of pugilistic history—a king without a throne.

Corbett climaxed a brilliant career yesterday by soundly thrashing the present champion, Young Jack Thompson, Oakland negro, in a ten round non-title bout here before a wildly cheering holiday crowd that accounted for a gate around \$35,000.

Less than five months ago in San Francisco, the stocky Fresno southpaw won a ten round decision over Jack Fields, then ruler of the 147 pound ranks.

Whips Two Title Holders

It too, was an over-the-weight match so the 24-year old Italian has achieved the amazing feat of whipping two title holders within half a year without having a championship to show for it.

Whereas his fight with Fields was close, he won as he pleased from Thompson. Starting from the opening round, he gave the negro an artistic beating throughout most of the bout. In the ninth, he draped the dusky title holder on the canvas for a nine count and battered him about the ring in the closing session.

Gong Saves Kayo

The gong saved Thompson from a possible knockout in the fateful round he went down from a left to the body. Groggry but game, he got up and fell into a clinch. Corbett strove to get the fight to put over a finishing blow but the gong cut his efforts short.

Usually a defensive fighter and counter puncher, Corbett became the aggressor against Thompson. He won the first four rounds hands down, the negro noticeably bewildered by his opponent's left handed style.

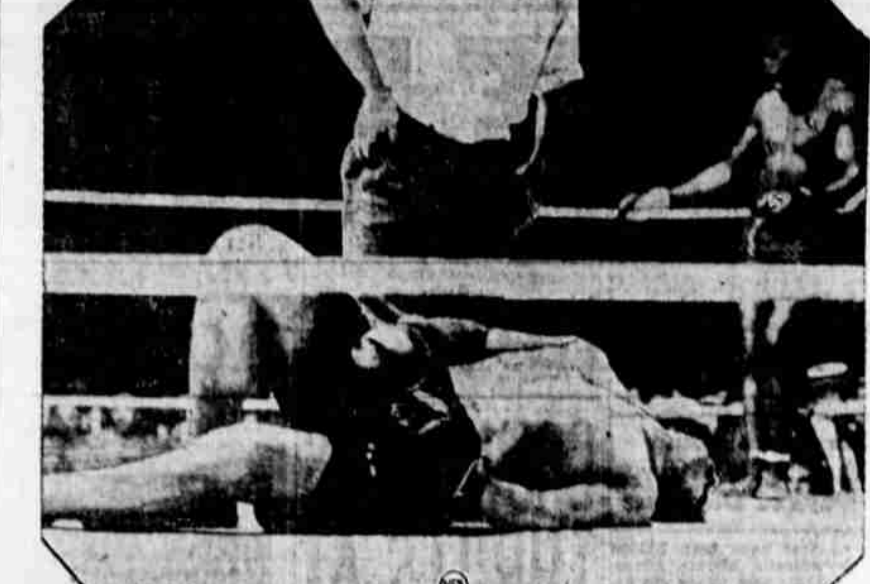
The champion's best showing was in the fifth when he found the range and scored several times with rights to the jaw. He also landed the harder punches in the eighth, although his edge was but slight. The sixth session appeared fairly even.

Corbett weighed 148 1/2 pounds and Thompson scaled in at 145 pounds. It was the Fresnoan's third victory over the Oakland fighter, two having been chalked up before the latter won the title last May. They also fought a ten round draw. Corbett's record is exceptional in that he has been defeated only three times in his more than a hundred fights.

BIRD OF A FISH

TOLEDO.—Stacy L. McNary is probably the only fisherman in the world who went casting and caught a bird. He cast out his line with dexterity into a stream at Grayling, Mich. The hook caught in something that gave out a cry. He reeled in as fast as he could, but had a hard struggle before he brought his catch to shore. It proved to be a hawk. He later caught some fish.

—And Another Fight Ended in a Foul



The bigger they are the harder they fall . . . and here you see how the mighty Signor Primo Carnera looked when he sprang his 262 pounds of bulk over the resined canvas after a terrific left hook let loose by George Godfrey, giant negro heavyweight. In the fifth round of their fight at Philadelphia. But Referee Tommy Reilly called the blow a foul and disqualified Godfrey, who is shown standing in his corner. Angry fans precipitated a near riot when the decision was announced.

Athletics and Robins Holding League Leads by Small Margins

By S. Fullerton, Jr. (AP Sports Writer)

The traditional mid-season date for determining pennant winners, July 4, is past with the Philadelphia Athletics and Brooklyn Robins at the top of the American and National league standings, but their margins of leadership are so slim that the tradition must be discounted considerably if it is not to be tossed into the discard.

Brooklyn's margin daily grows slimmer as the Robins and the Chicago Cubs add more games to their totals without advantage to either, while the Athletics lead was cut to almost nothing yesterday when they split a doubleheader with the Boston Red Sox while Washington registered the day's most important gain by taking two games from the New York Yankees.

Senators Threat A's

As Sad Slim Jones and Fred Marberry hurled a pair of fine games to defeat the Yankees 5 to 0 and 7 to 3, Washington moved up in the standing to a place just one game and one percentage point behind the leaders while New York dropped to 3 1/2 games back of the Senators.

The Athletics got only ten hits off Boston's pitchers in their two games, but Ed Rommel held the Red Sox in the second to win, 4 to 2, where four Philadelphia mound aces had failed to keep the Sox from gaining a 7-5 victory in the opener.

Robins Split Bill

The Robins dropped a 5-4 decision to the New York Giants in the morning when Hughie Critz connected with one of Vance's tosses in the eleventh inning to drive in the deciding run. But they came back in the afternoon to gain a 5 to 2 victory behind Bill Clark's effective pitching.

The Cubs reversed the process, battering out a 16 to 1 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates before lunch but failing to hit Kramer in the afternoon and losing, 6 to 1.

The Cards, pounding the Red Sox hurlers to the tune of 18 to 4 and 6 to 2, placed themselves only a half game behind the

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE SCORES

At Portland, first game:	
Los Angeles	10 13 0
Portland	0 2 1
Yerkes and Hannah; Fullerton and Woodall.	
Second game:	
Los Angeles	6 11 1
Portland	5 12 2
Barfoot, Delaney, Ballou and Skiff; Chesterfield, Casarella, Walters and Palm, Woodall.	
At Seattle, first game:	
San Francisco	5 3 8
Seattle	6 10 0
McDougall and Gaston; Kallio and Cox.	
Second game:	
San Francisco	5 8 2
Seattle	2 7 2
Zinn and Lenebaky; Llamanski, Kunz and Borreani.	
At Los Angeles, first game:	
Oakland	9 12 2
Hollywood	10 12 1
Edwards, McQuaid and Lombardi; Rhodes, Johns Hulvey and Severid.	
Second game:	
Oakland	1 9 1
Hollywood	2 6 0
Craghead and Reed; Yde, Bauser and Severid.	
At San Francisco, forenoon:	
Sacramento	2 11 0
Missions	7 12 3
Thomas and Koehler; H. Piliette and Brenzel.	
Second game:	
Sacramento	6 9 0
Missions	17 18 1
Keating, Smith, Gould and Wirtz; Cole and Brenzel.	

Miss Walsh Adds Three New World Records to List

DALLAS, Texas, July 5, (AP)—Stella Walsh, Cleveland motorist, was possessor of three new world track and field records today, dependent on A. U. recognition of the marks she established in the national meet here yesterday.

Then she ran away from the field to set a prospective world record of 25.2 seconds for the 120 yard event, finishing fifteen yards ahead of her closest rival, Florence Wright of Chicago.

The Cleveland girl rounded out a strenuous day by leaping 18 feet, 9 1/2 inches, bettering the world record of 18 feet 7 1/2 inches set at the last Olympic games.

Mildred "Babe" Didrikson of Dallas, 17 years old, bettered the world records in the baseball and javelin throws. She hurled a regulation baseball 258 feet, 10 1/2 inches, and tossed the spear 132 feet 5 inches. She, too, broad-jumped farther than the established record, leaping 18 feet, 8 1/2 inches, for second place in the event.

Records Official

The Milrose Athletic club relay team, New York city, won the 449 yard event, finishing in 49.4.

Judges expressed the opinion that the several records established yesterday would be declared official.

Team honors went to the Illinois Athletic Association, which scored 30 points.

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TENNIS MEET DRAWS CROWD

Moore Park a Popular Place Despite Many Other Events

The second day of the first annual Southern Oregon tennis tournament opened today with the semi-finals being played off. A large crowd of Medford people are here to attend the three-day event, which opened yesterday.

Preliminaries Over

Preliminary and elimination matches were played off yesterday, and in spite of the many other attractions the day offered, a large crowd viewed the games at Moore park all day. This morning's matches started off bright and early and the semi-finals will no doubt be completed this afternoon.

The finals will be played tomorrow and the championship tennis players of southern Oregon will be announced and the trophies and cups awarded to the winners.

The Scores

In the ladies' singles, played Friday, the following scores were made:

Vivian Coss, Medford, won 6-0, 6-1, from Catherine Gaylord, Klamath Falls.

Mary Edmiston, Medford, won 6-4, 6-4, from Mrs. Gordon Dixon, Klamath Falls.

Doris Jones, Klamath Falls, beat Mrs. Ballantyne, Bend, 6-1, 6-4.

Helen Edmiston, Medford, won from Vivian Gertson, Bend, 6-3, 5-6.

Robertson Wins

In the men's singles, played yesterday also, H. Robertson, Klamath Falls, won from Garfield, Medford, 7-5, 6-4.

R. Bailey, Medford, beat M. Ballantyne, Bend, score not given.

D. Ballantyne, Bend, won by

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