

Voshell and Kumagae Defeat Tilden and Richards-Carpentier to Fight Levinsky

Brooklyn Man In Star Role On Clay Courts

Tilden Beats Richards in Singles Match by Score of 2-6, 7-5, 6-3

By Fred Hawthorne

Brooklyn, city of churches and perambulators, has been bitten by the lawn tennis germ, particularly that part of the borough known as Flatbush, which accounts for the fact that some five hundred persons turned out yesterday afternoon to witness the special exhibition matches on the clay courts of the Terrace-Kings County Tennis Association, at Avenue J and East Seventeenth Street, Flatbush.

The fact that Tilden was making one of his few remaining appearances on American courts before going overseas next Saturday was the advantage which was undoubtedly the lure that drew a goodly portion of the gallery, yet it was Voshell whose work stood out most prominently yesterday. In the doubles match between Voshell and Kumagae, pitted against Tilden and Richards, the first named was the dominant figure all through the struggle.

There were periods, particularly in the third and fourth sets, when Tilden and Richards, in turn, flashed tennis that showed us the supreme heights of skill with a racquet and ball. But in the main it was Voshell's tremendous hitting overhead, coupled with his unusual steadiness, in spite of the countless chances he was continually taking, that resulted in the defeat of Tilden and Richards by a score of 6-0, 6-3, 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.

The work of Kumagae was not of such a sensational nature as that of the other three players, for Ichiya was kept busy guarding the back of the court most of the time, but the little son of Nippon was only a shade behind Voshell in effectiveness. Many times he tricked Tilden for the points by driving at wonderful pace with a heavily topped ball that dropped sharp into midcourt, catching the Philadelphian half way up to the net.

Previous to the playing of the doubles match, Tilden defeated Richards in a singles struggle, the sets going 2-6, 7-5, 6-3. The tennis was dazzling in the brilliant way in which both men brought off rare volleys and remarkable angles. The total of games showed Tilden with the best of the day, winning every point was fought out at a sizzling pace. The indoor champion's service was a deadly attacking weapon, the "bullet" delivered and the high-bounding reverse stroke used alternately. Richards did his best work from his favorite volleying position inside the service court lines, and Tilden did most of his wizardry to pull out the match.

In the first two sets of the doubles match the former national doubles champion was in a terrific erratic. Tilden was plainly not concerned on the game, and his mind seemed to be elsewhere, perhaps at Wimbledon, where he will face the greatest players of Europe next month. Certainly the last half of the match the Philadelphia and Richards went after the tennis in earnest, and then it was a rare tie-breaker in the final set. Voshell and Kumagae steadied down after a period of temporary unrest and batter it out their points by tremendous smashing and driving.

Tesreau Makes Homer And Helps Nine to Win

Jeff Tesreau made a home run in leading his "Bears" to an eleventh victory over the Bacharach Giants by a score of 4 to 3 at Dyckman Field yesterday. The former Giant pitcher was found for seven hits, while "Speed King" Redding was touched for ten safeties. Redding beat the "Bears" in the preliminary game by 4 to 2.

The score by innings: (Second Game) R. H. E. 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 10 4 10 4

Belmont Park Entries. FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds and up...

When a Feller Needs a Friend



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Metropolitan Will Feature Opening At Belmont Park

The historic Metropolitan Handicap, a gallop of a mile for three-year-olds and upward, will feature the opening of the spring meeting of the Westchester Racing Association at Belmont Park this afternoon.

New York's racing public may regret, momentarily, the switch from Jamaica where the thoroughbreds held forth for the last seven days. Certainly Belmont Park can scarcely hope to form vindicated in such consistency as ruled throughout the first metropolitan meeting in the sector. Never before in the history of racing did a greater percentage of favorites win brackets than at Jamaica and the more favorites that win, of course, the more popular must the sport be with the masses.

The racing at Jamaica was highly successful in every particular. The competition was fine. Handicapper Voshell brought together the fields so well that every day witnessed a number of blanket finishes. Which was the more remarkable when it is remembered that the class of thoroughbreds there was somewhat below Eastern standards. Jamaica was forced to conflict with Pimlico for three days and the stables that shipped up from Baltimore went directly to Belmont Park.

Secretary Earlecker has provided a well balanced program to supplement the Metropolitan handicap. The secondary feature is the New York Steeplechase at about two miles, for which five horses have been entered. There will be a mile gallop for three-year-olds and upward, a five and a half furlong sprint over the straight course for three-year-olds and upward and two straight sprints of four and a half furlongs for two-year-olds.

Eight high class performers have been entered for the Metropolitan. Sam Hildreth holds the strongest hand with four—Purchase, Mad Hatter, Thunderbolt and Corn Tassel. Harry Payne Whitney will be well represented by a pair of his fine three-year-olds, Wildair and Dr. Clark. K. K. Mumford's six-year-old Star Master, and Commodore J. K. L. Ross's four-year-old gelding, Billy Kelly, will complete the field unless others are added.

European Champion to Meet U. S. Boxer by July 26

Articles Call for Twelve or Fifteen Rounds at Weight of 175 Pounds

By W. O. McCleehan

Georges Carpentier, champion heavyweight of Europe, signed articles yesterday to box Battling Levinsky, American heavyweight, not later than July 26. This announcement was made last night by Jack Curley, who will promote the bout. The men will box either in New York City or New Jersey. The articles call for twelve or fifteen rounds with or without a decision.

Jack Curley declared that Carpentier was hurt by the insinuations that he feared to risk a bout with any of the American fighters. He declared, further, that Carpentier was willing to sign articles for a bout with Dempsey for the title as soon as the American champion could clear himself of the charges of draft evasion.

The articles stipulate that the men will weigh 175 pounds ringside, which is about the normal weight for each man. This is a bit unusual, as there never has been any weight limit in the heavyweight division. By rules and by established customs of the ring a heavyweight is anything heavier than a middleweight. Why the weight stipulation was made was not explained by the promoter.

The American fight fans will welcome Carpentier's decision to meet Levinsky, as they will not believe that he would have much of a chance with Dempsey. Of course Dempsey knocked Levinsky kicking in a very brief space of time, but Levinsky is one of the clearest of the heavies and will give the goliath champion an acid test. If Carpentier can knock out Levinsky in the heavyweight situation will be something else again.

"Carpentier is risking in this bout everything," announced Curley. "If he loses he will go back to France. If he wins he will claim the right to meet Jack Dempsey. This bout is an answer to the unjust criticisms and the insinuations that Carpentier was only looking for the easy money."

It is highly probable that the bout will be held in New York City for fifteen rounds to a decision provided Governor Smith signs the Walker boxing bill.

The matter of the exact time and place is still in abeyance. The articles provide that Curley notify the board of the exact time and place four weeks prior to the bout in order that they may start training near the arena site.

Eleanor Smith Has Big Day in Girls' Open Track Meet

Miss Eleanor Smith, holder of several championships at both swimming and diving, thrilled more than 2000 persons by her feat of foot in the open girls' track and field games held by the Morningside Athletic Club Girls' Auxiliary at Macomb's Dam Park, yesterday. She won the 100-yard title run and her brilliant sprinting finish gave the Morningside club girls a victory by inches in the 400-yard relay race. The relay was run in 1:01 2-5, equalling the American record.

Miss Kahl, also of the Morningside organization, ruled a strong favorite for the title, but through a poor start finished in fourth place. Miss May Kuhl, her Department A. A. was one champion coach, Miss Smith, with Miss Edna McBride, Morningside A. C. third.

The summary: 100-yard run (novice)—Won by Miss Marion Goebel, Morningside A. C. second, Miss Edith L. Driscoll, Federal Reserve Club, third. Time, 0:28 3-5.

100-yard run (championship)—Won by Miss Eleanor Smith, Morningside A. C. second, Miss May Kuhl, her Department A. A. third. Time, 0:19 2-5.

400-yard relay—Won by Miss Edna McBride, Morningside A. C. second, Miss Eleanor Smith, Morningside A. C. third. Time, 1:01 2-5.

100-yard dash—Won by Miss Edna McBride, Morningside A. C. second, Miss Eleanor Smith, Morningside A. C. third. Time, 0:19 2-5.

Why HOWE RED TUBES Won't Leak at the Valve Base. Howe Red Tubes are guaranteed against leakage at the valve base.

Kramer Defeats Spencer Twice In Bike Races. Frank Kramer won his sixth straight track race at the Velodrome in Newark yesterday afternoon when he defeated Willie Spencer in two straight heats of a mile match.

California Crews Win. REATLIE, Wash., May 23.—University of California won six annual three races over Lake Washington course here last night when the University of Washington shell was swamped two miles after start.

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Reekie and Harding Win From Travers And Braid on Links

William Reekie and S. F. Harding defeated Jerome Travers and William Braid in the best ball golf match over the course of the Upper Montclair Country Club yesterday.

Nothing went right for the Brooklyn player and he won only four points in the six games, yet in the third set he again came back, cutting off Braid's returns by great court covering at the net position.

The crew of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, which has only tasted defeat at the hands of Syracuse University this year, will be an added star in the Childs Cup race, which is one of the feature events of the American Henley regatta on the Schuylkill River, Philadelphia, next Friday and Saturday afternoons.

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Fred Anderson Wins Harlem Tennis Club Title, Beating Behr

Frederick C. Anderson, of Brooklyn, won the annual lawn tennis tournament of the Harlem Tennis Club yesterday afternoon by defeating Allen Behr, of Yonkers, in the final round by a score of 6-4, 0-6, 6-3, 2-6.

The match had been postponed from a week ago last Saturday because of rain. Rarely do two players perform so unevenly as was the case yesterday, when Anderson and Behr struggled for the first leg on the new Harlem Challenge Cup. Neither man seemed able to hold control of his strokes far more than one set at a time.

Navy Enters Crew In Friday's Race For Childs Cup

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The board of stewards is also considering the addition of a special race on Saturday afternoon, the Harvard Syracuse and Union Boat Club combinations, which cannot be on hand for the events on Friday.

Oscar Phillipson, the Pastime Athletic Club runner, defeated a field of 104 runners in the Sergeant Griswold memorial five and a half mile handicap road run held by the Pennant Athletic Club, of the Bronx, yesterday. Sergeant Griswold lost his life while serving overseas with the 105th Infantry, and the pistol shot that sent the runners on their way was fired by Father Duffy, who was chaplain of the old 89th Regiment soldiers in France.

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92d St. Y. M. H. A. Wins Team Honors in Meet

The Ninety-second Street Young Men's Hebrew Association, with a total of 29 points, captured the senior basketball trophy in the monthly games of the Yorkville Athletic League at Macomb's Dam Park, the Bronx, yesterday.

Surprises occurred, notably the defeat of Kaufman's Gels, local boy, state and jump champion, and Sam French, the mile runner.

The Lincoln Giants won two doubleheaders at the Catholic Prosemyr grounds yesterday afternoon. In the first they defeated the Long Island City nine 11 to 10 and in the second trimmed the Paterson club 13 to 2.

The summary: 1-0 Phillipson, Pastime... 4:15 29:26 2-0 Phillipson, Pastime... 5:00 30:17 3-1 Berger, Unattached... 5:28 30:58

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AT SYRACUSE R. H. E. Syracuse... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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