

AUSTRALIA WIN BY INNINGS

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S. Africa fail in stern fight

From LAWRIE JERVIS

SYDNEY, Tues.: Australia beat South Africa in the third Test here today by an innings and 38 runs.

South Africa, with four wickets down for 77 when play began today, needed 193 to avoid the innings defeat.

The winning stand by Edean and McLean raised South African hopes, but the beginning of the end appeared when that partnership was broken.

Australia really cracked the whip from start to finish in this Test. They entered the game with grim determination to show their second Test defeat should not have happened. But it devolved once again on the speed attack — Lindwall, Miller, and Johnston — to break up the batting.

Between them they got 15 of the 18 wickets which fell to bowlers. For the match, Lindwall took eight for 112, Miller five for 81, and Johnston two for 97. Lindwall always looked menacing.

The only time the Australians looked as if they were easing up was this morning. That was when the South African middle last batsmen started belting bowlers around. It was Lindwall who put them back into their shell again.

Fine catch

McLean at last realised the promise he had shown

Gusty winds mar tennis

Gusty winds marred play in the second last day of the age tennis at Memorial Drive today.

Girls' Singles.—Under 18—F. Wald d. M. Taylor, 9-1; J. Purze d. M. Cadzow, 9-4. Under 17—R. Dunn d. J. Goodchild, 9-2; P. Greenlade d. A. Luettner, 9-5. Under 16—A. Bruggerman d. A. Loneragan, 9-8; P. Green d. C. O'Donnell, 9-6. Under 15—J. Forster d. L. Tucker, 9-3; J. Bowman d. A. Tyler, 9-8. Under 14—J. Skuce d. C. Astley, 9-7; P. Richards d. B. Roads, 9-7; V. Strachan d. J. Keen, 9-3; P. Richards d. V. Strachan, 9-7. Under 13—J. Shearer d. T. Junger, 9-4; D. O'Loughlin d. P. Brasel, 9-8. Under 12—M. Ferguson d. M. Chapman, 9-5; C. Moriarty d. R. Peirce, 9-7.

Girls' Doubles.—Under 18 Semi-finals—F. Wald-J. Shepherd, 9-2; M. Taylor-J. Allen, 9-8. Kennedy-M. Crawford, 9-8. Under 16 Quarter-finals—M. Olsen-P. Green, 9-6; M. McEherson-K. Keough, 9-7; M. Cain-J. Bruggerman, 9-7; M. Montgomery-J. Stephens, 9-8.

Under 17 Quarter-finals—P. Greenlade-R. Dunn, 9-4; J. Jeffries-M. Knox, 9-2; M. P. Ewens d. M. Green-A. Luettner, 9-4. Under 16 Quarter-finals—P. Leslie-L. Tucker d. F. Packham-J. Jackson, 9-1; M. Shepherd-O. Millhouse d. M. Cohen-M. Rymill, 9-8; J. Bowman-P. Keal d. F. Chapman-C. Astley, 9-7; D. Cross-E. Woodgate d. A. Killeit-J. Mathewson, 9-4.

Under 14 Quarter-finals—J. Wadlow-P. Dicker d. R. Scrutoun-R. Austin, 9-0; B. Roads-M. Inglis d. J. McKenzie-A. Power, 9-4; V. Strachan-C. Walsh d. R. Rundell-A. Cornish, 9-2; P. Richards-H. Specht d. R. Watts-M. Peters, 9-2.

Under 13 Quarter-finals—D. O'Loughlin-P. Brasel, 9-2; T. Junger-A. Halloran, 9-3; A. Kearney-N. Sheppard, 9-8; P. Fellow-M. Gerard, 9-8; J. Crawford-C. Miller d. M. Dayman, 9-2; J. Shearer-E. Mehrtens d. D. Brown-J. Frost, 9-9.

Under 12 Semi-finals—J. Shearer-K. Mehrtens, 9-3; Crawford-C. Miller, 9-3. Under 11 Semi-finals—M. Chapman-M. Ferguson, 9-5; C. Moriarty-R. Isenstein, 9-2; P. Loneragan-M. Bennett, 9-6; Sorrell-J. Goodchild, 9-6.

Scoreboard

AUSTRALIA	
First Innings	443
SOUTH AFRICA	
First Innings	173
Second Innings	
McGlew, c. Langley, b. Lindwall	9
Watte, c. Hole, b. Lindwall	9
Edean, lb.w., b. Miller	71
Funstun, c. Hole, b. Miller	16
Cheetham, c. Morris, b. Lindwall	5
McLean, c. Benaud, b. Lindwall	65
Murray, c. Hole, b. Benaud	17
Watkins, c. Miller, b. Johnston	48
Mansell, c. Hole, b. Benaud	9
Melle, not out	0
Tayfield, absent	0
Sundry	1
Total	232

BOWLING				
	O	M.	R.	W.
Miller	18	6	31	2
Lindwall	29	3	72	4
Ring	12	1	54	—
Johnston	14.6	—	51	1
Benaud	5	1	21	2
Fall of Wickets:	9, 10, 60, 66, 167, 167, 232, 232, 232.			

Australia wins by an innings and 38 runs.

Australians beaten again

NEW YORK, Mon.: Australian tennis professionals Frank Sedgman and Ken McGregor suffered another crushing defeat tonight at the hands of their American rivals, Jack Kramer and Pancho Segura.

Before a crowd of 3,000 tennis fans in Princeton University's Dillon gymnasium, Sedgman went down 6-2, 6-1, to Kramer, and McGregor was beaten 6-3, 6-4, by Segura.

In the doubles, Kramer and Segura scored easily 6-1, 6-4, to take the lead in the tandem play by three matches to two—A.A.P.

Miners stop work

SYDNEY, Tues.: Miners at Hebburn No. 1 pit on the Cessnock coalfields in northern NSW stopped work today in mourning for the death of the local doctor.

from start of the tour, but which had always been cut short in unfortunate ways. Just when the partnership was worth 99 McLean was out to a magnificent catch by Benaud at backward square leg. He clipped Lindwall sharply, and Benaud threw out his right hand to pluck the flashing ball from the air. Five for 167.

Murray, next in, did not know where the rest of Lindwall's over was going—but they mostly shaved the stump. Edean went without any addition to the score. He played back defensively to Miller, and a beautiful ball whipped back from the off and smacked his legs for lb.w.; six for 167. Edean in Tests here has now made 279, at an average of 55.8.

At lunch, Watkins and Murray were still waving bewilderedly at Lindwall's speed variety, with the ball beating their bats twice out of every three deliveries.

Ring's slow spinners took a belting, and with Watkins 34 and Murray 16, they had put on a 50 partnership in 40 minutes.

Ring lasted only two overs before he had to give way, under punishment, to Benaud.

Benaud's first over cost 11, but in his fifth over he collected Murray and Mansell off his third and fifth balls.

Murray attempted to hit hard, and edged the ball. He stood in doubt until Hole, who had taken the catch at first slip, appealed. Mansell tried an off-drive, and edged it also to Hole, who took his fourth catch of the innings in slips.

Watkins then threw his wicket away going for big hits. He skied Bill Johnston to extra cover for Miller to take an easy catch, and give Australia a win by an innings and 38 runs.

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Balaban, acquitted, to write book



EXPRESSIVE SERIES OF PICTURES of Joan Balaban was taken while he was telling his story to reporters today.

Will Ian Craig be in next Test?

From LAWRIE JERVIS

SYDNEY, Tues.: Will young Ian Craig (NSW) be named in Australia's team to be chosen today for the fourth Test in Adelaide?

Whether the team announced tonight tomorrow depends on what time the secretary of the Board of Control (Mr. W. H. Jeanes) receives it and how long it takes to him to receive 13 telegrams of approval from Board members.

What is most interesting to Sydney cricket fans is whom Craig would displace if chosen—Hassett, Morris, De Courcy, Benaud, or Hole.

In my opinion to consider Hassett's omission, even lightly, is ridiculous. That applies also to Graeme Hole who was batting soundly when on the wrong end of a run yesterday.

Benaud's duck must be pardoned in view of his injured mouth and uncon-

vin frame of mind as a result of the setback.

That leaves Morris or De Courcy. Morris will retain his place. I feel sure, because there is nobody to replace him.

De Courcy, though, has been twelfth man for the second and third Tests. He cannot further his claims by sitting on the fence. Either he plays in the fourth Test or goes out of the twelve to give him a chance to get some runs in the NSW-Vic. game which is played in Sydney at the same time as the Test.

He can hardly displace Benaud—although if Benaud didn't show the goods in Adelaide De Courcy could go in for the fifth Test.

So it looks as if De Courcy will be out of the twelve and Craig in.

Yet I cannot see Craig being in the actual eleven.

Going mainly on hearsay of reputed good judges who have seen Craig make his big scores—81 against SA last year and his 71 first match and 213 not out second match against South Africa this year—it appears Craig has more potential than De Courcy.

In his only appearance in Adelaide, Craig made one not out and 18 in the Shield game.

There is not the slightest doubt Craig will go to England for experience. If he kicks on, he could be one of Australia's best postwar finds.

I think the fourth Test side will be Hassett (capt.), Miller, Morris, McDonald, Harvey, Hole, Benaud, Ring, Lindwall, Langley, Johnston, and Craig twelfth.

NSW women well placed

MELBOURNE, Tues.: The interstate women's cricket carnival was continued today in hot weather. NSW, 88 and 6 for 155 (J. Christ 43, J. Rabey n.o., 42; J. Ingham 3/35, V. Hershhausen 2/24), v. SA, 60. Victoria, 9 for 248 dec., d. Queensland, 49 and 41 (J. Heaney 3/4, M. Bayliss 2/3, M. Jones 2/3).

Wilderspin down to Ayre

By HARRY HOPMAN

MELBOURNE, Tues.: Watched by four of Australia's five selectors, Queensland Ian Ayre beat West Australian Clive Wilderspin 6-4, 11-9, 1-6, 8-6 in their quarter-final of the Australian singles championship at Kooyong today.

Vic Seixas was too versatile for Geoff Brown, but the Sydney man with the big service and two-handed forehand kept the American on his toes throughout.

Brown hit some dazzling shots with his two-handed forehand, making some passing shots and attacking drives.

Brown held on well in the third set, although Seixas always looked likely to break through his service and always appeared to be holding the upper hand.

Considering his comparative inexperience, Wilderspin played particularly well. His display was marred by a number of missed op-

portunities to clinch important points when he had earned the set-up for an easy volley.

Deserved win

His early nervousness cost him his first two services of the match.

It was a fine match, with both playing hard-hitting tennis after tentative opening play.

Ayre deserved his win because he was more aggressive and sounder. He made far fewer errors off the backhand, and seldom missed an opportunity to clinch a point if a loose ball came up at the net.

Wilderspin appear to be unsettled after the interval between the third and fourth sets, and made a number of errors.

There was an upset in the women's singles quarter-finals when first-seeded

Australian Helen Angwin (SA) lost to Mrs. Fogarty (NSW). Mrs. Fogarty used the windy conditions on an outside court cleverly to defeat Miss Angwin.

QUARTER-FINALS

Men's Singles.—I. Ayre (Q) d. C. Wilderspin (WA), 6-4, 11-9, 1-6, 8-6; V. Seixas (US) d. G. Brown (NSW), 6-4, 6-4, 7-5.

Women's Singles.—Mrs. D. Fogarty (NSW) d. Miss H. Angwin (SA), 6-4, 5-7, 6-2; M. Connolly (US) d. Miss P. Southcombe (V), 6-0, 6-1.

Miss J. Sampson (USA) d. Miss B. Penrose (NSW), 6-2, 6-2. Boys' Junior Singles.—M. Anderson (Q) d. A. Cooper (V), 6-4, 9-7; E. Emerson (Q) d. D. Lye (NSW), 6-3, 1-6, 6-3; W. Gillmour (NSW) d. D. Reid (V), 11-9, 1-6, 6-4; J. Fraser (V) d. A. Marshall (WA), 6-3, 6-5, 6-3.

Girls' Union Singles.—M. Carter (NSW) d. B. Orton (V), 6-2, 6-1; J. Staley (V) d. M. Hellyer (NSW), 6-0, 6-3; M. McCalmann (V) d. K. Holstein (NSW), 6-2, 6-4; P. Warby (NSW) d. A. Shelton (SA), 6-2, 6-2.

STOP PRESS

WIDOW NOT HOME

Gwynne, 74-year-old widow ordered gaoled in Local Court last week, had moved from her home in First avenue, St. Peters, when police called to arrest her today. Rumored she was admitted to suburban hospital this afternoon.

16th FIRE

Sixteenth fire of the day is raging on Peach property mile south of Hahndorf, 20 acres pasture land and timber already burnt out and FES units from Mount Barker and Hahndorf being assisted by townsmen.

ON 'CHANGE

Elder, Smith, 24/3, 24/2; Adel, Cement, 21/3; Ampol, 9/2; APM, prof., 21/2; Colton, 4/6; Court-aids, 22/1; Cresco, 22/6; ICL new, 16/10; Pascoes, 4/9; Aust. Devel., 25/9; Hampton Areas, 8d.; Peke, 12/4; CGA, 11d.; North BH, 72/9; G. & R. Wills, 15/9; Drug Houses, 36/1; Hill 50, 25/1; M. Isa, 48/3 (LD); W. M. Corp., 14/2.

KADINA TROTS

Van Derby Handicap (2nd div.)—Merchant (5/1 on fav.), 1; Castaria (8/1), 2; Foadale Scott (7/1), 3. Radiant Globe Handicap (2nd div.)—Farm Polly (2/1), 1; Power Strike (5/1), 2; Phindon Joe (5/1), 3. Royal Nelson (9/4 fav.).

WOMEN'S CRICKET

MELBOURNE: Women's Cricket — NSW 85 and 9/156 (dec.) v. SA 59 and 3/11.

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