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WIMBLEDON FINALS

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Neil Fraser left, and Rod Laver came into the Centre Court to battle for the Mens Championship at Wimbledon, the most coveted title in the whole world of tennis. Nearest the camera, Fraser serving.

Laver muffed the back-hand return; point to Fraser.

Fraser serving. Incidentally, it was the first final between left-handers in modern times. Again, point to Fraser.

Laver at the far end. Both men are Australians, so the Cup was destined for Down Under, whatever happened.

Laver's smash had Fraser helpless. All the same, Fraser led two sets to one, and it was now Match Point.... Fraser's passing shot did the trick. At his seventh Wimbledon attempt, he won the title.

The Duke of Edinburgh presented the Trophy and recommended Fraser to fill it with champagne and celebrate. He was also congratulated by the Duchess of Kent. Fraser may well go down to history as the last winner of an all-amateur Wimbledon title.