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STU JACKSON

## Stu Jackson's carousel ride stops in N.Y.

One day about a month ago Stu Jackson got a call from Al Bianchi.

A call that eventually would lead to his becoming the new coach of the New York Knicks.

Not that there was anything too unusual about getting a phone call from Bianchi. He is the general manager of the Knicks, and it already had been decided that Jackson, still under contract to the Knicks, was going to have some sort of job in the Knicks organization.

Rick Pitino already had said he was leaving for Kentucky, but Jackson didn't really have a great desire to go back to college basketball. He had had enough of recruiting. Not the interaction with the kids, understand. In a sense that was what had gotten him into coaching in the first place,



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back in 1981 when he was working for IBM in Los Angeles and used to help out the University of Oregon in southern California.

No, it was the baggage that now comes with recruiting. The peripheral people you have to deal with, the hangers-on who all want something. Plus, the realization that all the time and effort you put into it, a kid often makes his decision for all the wrong

reasons. Maybe Jackson took it too personally when he lost a kid. Whatever.

He loved the last two years as Pitino's assistant with the Knicks, wanted to stay in the NBA. He also wanted to stay in New York, where his wife Janet is a doctor in residence at Westchester Community Center. He really didn't want to uproot Janet and their infant daughter and move to Lexington. He would have, if it had come down to that. But it didn't. Shortly before Pitino announced his decision, Bianchi told Jackson that no matter what Pitino decided, Jackson would have a job with the Knicks.

"I was happy with that," says Jackson.

There were rampant rumors that the new coach would be Dallas coach John McLeod, Bianchi's buddy from Phoenix. Or else Phil

Jackson, the ex-Knick who was the assistant coach of the Chicago Bulls. Or Dick Motta, the deposed NBA coaching veteran who was in Idaho, waiting for another round of coaching musical chairs. Or ex-Knick assistant Brendan Malone. Or virtually any NBA assistant who knew the way to Madison Square Garden. Anyone except Stu Jackson.

Not that he wasn't appreciated. Right from the beginning in New York he had impressed everyone with his competence and his work ethic. He was well liked and respected by the players, no small thing in the NBA. He's also a bright, articulate, black man in a league supposedly looking for blacks to move into more positions of influence. But for someone who was only 33, and never had

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Journal-Bulletin Photo by STEVE SZYDLOWSKI

WHILE WAITING to tee off in the Rhode Island Amateur at Valley Country Club yesterday afternoon, golfers practice on the putting green. Rain interrupted play.

## Butcher swinging in the rain at R.I. Amateur

By JIM DONALDSON  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

WARWICK — Bad weather is good news to Rod Butcher.

"You can use it to your advantage in a medal-play tournament," said Butcher, who did just that yesterday, shooting a thunderstorm-interrupted, 2-under-par 70 that was the low score on the first day of play in the Rhode Island Amateur at Valley Country Club.

"Some of the best rounds I've played in some of my college tournaments have been in the rain," Butcher said. "When the weather gets bad, you can figure that half the people

on the course are going to go crazy. It really bothers them.

"But I become more intense in bad weather. I think more about each shot. I've learned that, when it rains, I can go right by a lot of people."

Half the people in the field of 216 were unable to finish their round yesterday.

After one thunderstorm had delayed play for nearly an hour-and-a-half in the morning, another caused the suspension of play shortly after 5 o'clock.

Joe Sprague, executive director of the R.I. Golf Association, said play would resume this morning at 7:30 in order to determine the

low 64 qualifiers for today's scheduled second round of medal play.

By tonight, the field will be trimmed to 32, including defending champion Marc St. Martin, who does not have to qualify, for three days of match play, beginning tomorrow.

Butcher's first-round score of 70 was one shot better than three other players — Paul Quigley of R.I. Country Club, who won this tournament in 1986 and '87, Chris Cote of Valley and John Plaziak of Metacomet.

Two players, Donald Wright of Potowomut and Richard Bernard Jr., were at even-par 72, and four others — including three

from Valley — finished at 73.

Playing on their home course, Dick Joly, Richard Aglione and Richard Mancini all were one-over par, along with John Rahnone of Cranston Country Club.

Given the weather conditions, players needed every advantage they could get.

"It was unbelievable out there," said Quigley, who won the state stroke-play tournament last month at RICC.

"We had finished seven holes before the rain delay," Quigley said, "and, when we went back out there, the wind was blowing real strong."

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#### AT A GLANCE

New York Yankees' senior vice president Syd Thrift and general manager Bob Quinn have told Ron Guidry, 38, that they have no intention of bringing him up to the big leagues. The Yankees and Guidry have scheduled a press conference for tomorrow afternoon during which the Louisiana Lightning likely will announce his retirement.

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## Drewett, Tarango win Newport net openers

By MIKE SZOSTAK  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

NEWPORT — What's a little fog, clouds, thunder and rain among tennis players?

Just an excuse to hang around the Newport Casino signing T-shirts for ballboys and ballgirls and reading the local newspapers.

That was the scene at noon yesterday when the Volvo Tennis/Hall of Fame championships were scheduled to begin.

But two hours later, the line of showers drifted off shore, the sun tried to burn a hole in the blanket of haze covering this town and John Meliekas and his grounds crew hurried to prepare two grass courts.

At 2:20, Australian Brad Drewett, runnerup here a year ago, hit the first serve of the tournament.

"A couple of hours is nothing," Drewett said later. "When it gets to be 5 or 6 o'clock, then it feels like a long day."

Drewett's work day was rather brief. He blitzed Marc Flur, 6-1, 6-2, in only 55 minutes.

Jeff Tarango, who turned pro just in time for Wimbledon, also got in a day's work, beating 1987 Newport finalist Sammy Giammalva, 6-1, 6-4.



Journal-Bulletin Photo by ANDY DICKERMAN

STRIVES TO CONQUER: Brad Drewett dips to return shot in victory over Marc Flur in Newport tennis yesterday.

on the stadium court with a 7-5, 1-0 lead over Jonathan Canter when rain returned at 4:20. The Meliekas Men, not even waiting for the chair umpire to call a halt to play, scampered onto the court to remove the net and replace the blue tarpaulin.

um, Danie Visser was leading Byron Talbot, 6-2, 1-0. On the Sears Court, Glenn Layendecker held a 2-1 lead over Pat Gilbreath in the first set of their match.

Despite lightning and thunder, officials waited until 5:45 o'clock to end Day One of the 14th annual Hall of Fame Tennis Championships.

Matches will resume today at 11 a.m. on the outside courts and at noon in the stadium. Ticketholders from yesterday's abbreviated session will be admitted today.

Drewett was happy to be involved in the first match of the tournament.

"At least you know if the rain stops, you're on," the left-hander from Killarney Heights, Australia, said. "The court was in good shape. They did a good job drying it. And it wasn't too breezy out there. I come from the Sydney seaside, and wind is not a problem. I love the smell of salt."

Drewett, ranked No. 106 in the world now, didn't have to play his best to win yesterday because Flur, ranked No. 378, played what has to be close to his worst. Flur, a wild card recipient, swung his racquet like a weekend club player. He was tentative in his shot selection, he hit few solid backhands, and he pushed weak second serves into the net.

Flur played as if he had been up all night with his baby daughter, Lia, and then went back to sleep after his wakeup call.

"I don't think he played as well as he can," Drewett said, diplomatically.

## 'Rejects' to pitch for stars



By MICHAEL MARTINEZ  
The New York Times

ANAHEIM, Calif. — The irony in today's twilight at Anaheim Stadium is that the starting pitchers were once without jobs, both of them released by their former teams.

So, somewhat in triumph, Dave Stewart and Rick Reuschel will represent the American and National leagues as the best pitchers in the midseason game.

Stewart, who has 13 victories this season and was picked to start by his manager with the Oakland Athletics, Tony LaRussa, was released by the Philadelphia Phillies early in the 1988 season. Reuschel, who is 40 years old and has 12 victories, and who missed last season's game to get married, was cut loose by the Yankees in 1983 after missing the previous season after rotator-cuff surgery.

But they are here now, in the game that spotlights the best players at this point in the season, and

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# Amateur

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Quigley knows just how strong a player Butcher is, particularly after the sophomore-to-be at Florida Southern carded a dazzling 64 last month on the opening day of the prestigious Northeast Amateur at Wannamoisett.

"He's a good, young player," said Quigley, whose son Brett, a stand-out golfer at South Carolina, is just a

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year older than Butcher. "He hits the ball a long way and can bang in the putts."

The highlight of Butcher's round came on the 14th hole, a 364-yard, par-4, when he holed a wedge shot from about 110 yards for an eagle-2.

Keeping his driver in the bag most of the day while using a 3-wood off the tee, Butcher still was able to get close enough to hit short irons onto most greens on the 6,633-

yard course.

"I didn't make many mistakes around the greens," Butcher said. "My wedge game was excellent and my putting was solid."

Even-par after 12 holes when the thunder and lightning came in the morning, Butcher went back out after the nearly 90-minute rain delay and played the last six holes in 2 under par.

"When we first started, it was calm," he said. "It wasn't too bad. But on the fifth hole, it started to get windy and began raining. It rained right through the 12th hole, when the lightning started."

Butcher was able to weather the suspension of play without any problem.

A stoppage like that is tough on you mentally," he said, "because you gear yourself up to go out and play, then you have to walk off, and then you have to get yourself going again."

The 108 players who'll finish their first round this morning will be out on the course by 3:30 p.m.

# R.I. Amateur golf scores

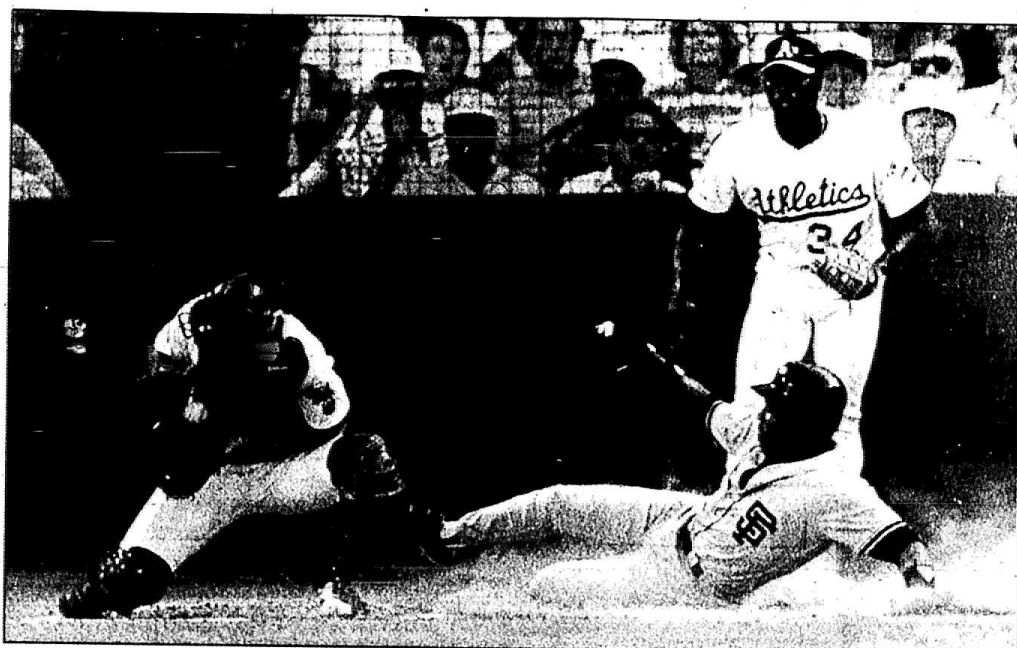
(Field not completed because of darkness)

Rod Butcher, Potowomut	35-35	70	Ted Greene, Valley	43-38	79
Chris Cote, Valley	35-36	71	Chris Hurd, Warwick	40-39	79
John Plazak, Metacomet	36-35	71	Alex Mansour, Valley	39-40	79
Paul Gugley, Rhode Island	35-36	71	Cameron Moore, Wamumetonomy	42-37	79
Richard Bernard Jr., unattached	36-36	72	Harold Najarian, Valley	39-40	79
Donald Wright, Potowomut	37-35	72	Dan Pores, Triggs	37-42	79
Richard Aglione, Valley	35-38	73	John Scharfone Jr., Montaup	42-37	79
Dick Joly, Valley	38-35	73	Ron Battista, Wamumetonomy	43-37	80
Richard Mancini, Valley	36-37	73	Dave Chase, Metacomet	39-41	80
John Rainone, Cranston	39-34	73	Nick Cox Jr., Rhode Island	40-40	80
David Cohen, Crestwood	38-36	74	Bernie Conti, Valley	41-39	80
Darren Corrente, Metacomet	37-37	74	Dan Cregan, Rhode Island	41-39	80
Kevin McLoughlin, Montaup	35-39	74	Ed Duffy, Newport	41-39	80
Cosmo Minicucci, Cranston	36-38	74	John Godinho, Pawtucket	39-41	80
Thomas Accardo, Cranston	37-38	75	Bjbj Hampton, Crestwood	40-40	80
Dave Adamonis, Pawtucket	38-39	75	Joseph Iacofano, Pawtucket	39-41	80
George Peters Jr., Crestwood	39-36	75	Paul Iacofano, Metacomet	42-38	80
Mark Battista, Cranston	37-39	76	Peter Koch, Valley	39-41	80
Jim Byrge, Triggs	36-40	76	John Pellegrino, Cranston	39-41	80
Matt Brennan, Warwick	39-37	76	Kyle Phelps, Green Valley	39-41	80
Thomas Brown, Lincoln	41-35	76	Chris Terren, Warwick	39-41	80
Ray Conley, Kirkbrae	37-39	76	Art Caraman, Country View	40-41	81
Joe Curran III, Lincoln	39-37	76	Paul Carney, Potowomut	41-40	81
Jeffrey Dantas, Triggs	36-40	76	Tad Constant, Triggs	42-39	81
Dave Devereil, Triggs	38-38	76	Tony Mansour, Valley	37-44	81
Robert Grossguth, West Warwick	39-37	76	Bernie McCrink, Triggs	41-40	81
Joseph F. C. Iacofano, Metacomet	39-37	76	Jim Squarrito, Quabnessett	41-40	81
Stephen Marshall, Woodland	39-37	76	Jeffrey Leach, Sakonnet	43-39	82
Dan Najarian, Valley	37-39	76	Mike Mansour, Valley	44-38	82
David Apuzzo, Metacomet	38-39	77	Greg Moser, Potowomut	41-41	82
Larry Buteau, Metacomet	37-40	77	Peter McGuinness Sr., Woodland	40-43	83
Marc Carrier, Valley	37-40	77	Tom Murphy, Woodland	45-38	83
David Herzog, Triggs	37-40	77	Bill Nadeau, Crestwood	41-47	83
Chris Huime, Alpine	39-38	77	Robert H. Read Jr., Ledgebrook	39-44	83
Joe Mansour Jr., Valley	39-38	77	David Sorel, Wamumetonomy	43-40	83
Dr. George Pine, Valley	38-39	77	Brad Edgerton, Wamumetonomy	43-41	84
Patrick Sheehan, Woodland Greens	38-39	77	Dean Johnson, Kirkbrae	44-40	84
Richard Walsh, Wamumetonomy	40-37	77	David D. Erode, Alpine	42-43	85
Jim Chandler, Potowomut	36-42	78	Peter Leach, Ledgebrook	42-43	85
Ken Cook, Wamumetonomy	38-40	78	Tom Matthias, Potowomut	41-44	85
Pat DiParks, West Warwick	40-38	78	Tom O'Connor, Kirkbrae	42-43	85
Robert Domin, Potowomut	39-39	78	Jeff Pine, Ledgebrook	43-42	85
Dr. Daniel Magiera, West Warwick	40-38	78	David Schachter, Crestwood	46-39	85
Lou Plazak, Valley	39-39	78	Christopher Simmons, Lincoln	42-43	85
Stephen Sampson, Crestwood	38-40	78	James Taylor, Triggs	42-43	85
John Simmons, Kirkbrae	40-38	78	Bruce Aglione, Valley	46-40	86
Jim Stallman, Rhode Island	39-39	78	Charles Blanchard, Warwick	43-44	87
Richard Arrighi, Cranston	41-38	79	Mike Clarkin, West Warwick	44-43	87
Lee Bishop, Wamumetonomy	39-40	79	Tim Duffy, Newport	41-46	87
Chris Bohac, Kirkbrae	41-38	79	Christopher Baetzel, Cranston	41-47	88
John Daves, Sakonnet	38-41	79	Russ Dufault, Montaup	45-43	88
Thomas Descourian, Crestwood	37-42	79	George Butler Jr., Quonset	49-41	90
Tom Goryl, Wamumetonomy	40-39	79	Paul Barber, Potowomut		DNF
			Gary Padone, Potowomut		DNF
			Neil Kilguss, Potowomut		DNS

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## The stars come out in Anaheim



STRIKING FIRST: The National League's Kevin Mitchell slides safely into home in the top of the first as A.L. catcher Terry Steinbach takes the throw.

## Bo provides the show as Americans top Nationals, 5-3

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Bo knows, and so does the American League goes.

Bo Jackson, the brightest of baseball's new breed, made winners of the A.L. and believers of everybody else last night. He did it all and when he was done, the A.L. won, 5-3, and had consecutive All-Star Game victories for the first time since 1958.

It was Bo's show.

He led off with a monstrous home run. He stole a base, and took two others. He drove in two runs, scored twice, saved two more with a running catch and was named the game's most valuable player.

"It'll be something special when I can sit back and tell the story to my grandkids," he said.

On the night when Jackson's multisport Nike commercial debuted on national television with the catch phrase "Bo Knows," Bo showed he knows baseball best of all.

He dominated a game that was supposed

to be ruled by the pitchers at twilight. Instead, in the twilight zone, Jackson joined Willie Mays as the only players to homer and steal a base in an All-Star Game.

"I hate to be compared to players of the past because they did their thing and I do my thing now," he said. "If you start listening to that you're the next Willie Mays or Babe Ruth, that will screw you up real fast."

And besides, someday it might turn out to

be an unfair comparison to all the others.

Jackson, who has never led off for Kansas City, made Manager Tony La Russa's gamble pay off. He opened the bottom of the first with a drive to dead center that traveled an estimated 448 feet.

Jackson's home run off Rick Reuschel made him the fifth player to lead off an All-Star Game with a home run and the ninth to homer in his first All-Star appearance.

"He's a sinkerball pitcher and I think he left a sinker out over the plate a little bit, and I was able to golf swing and get a piece of it," Jackson said.

A nice piece, too. Jackson's homer was one of the longest ever hit to that part of Anaheim Stadium.

Was that what La Russa had in mind when he put Jackson, who led the A.L. roster 21 home runs and had 23 steals, in the leadoff spot instead of cleanup?

"It's exactly what I saw the last week of

the first half. I figured he'd be exciting," La Russa said.

He was, probably too much for Reuschel. "I thought I made a good pitch. He just went down and got it," Reuschel said. "I heard about his power and strength and I saw it first-hand tonight."

So did Wade Boggs, who watched Jackson's home run from the on-deck circle.

"When he hit that ball, I said, 'Oh, my gosh,'" Boggs said.

So inspiring that Boggs followed with a home run of his own.

"I didn't want to believe it, but I saw it. Those guys are great hitters," NL Manager Tom Lasorda said.

Jackson drove in the tiebreaking run in the second, singled in the fourth and left after the sixth. By then, Nolan Ryan was on the way to being the winning pitcher and A.L. narrowed its All-Star gap to 37-22-1.

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## Dykes' tryout worth a laugh

By JIM DONALDSON  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

FOXBORO, Mass. — Find the idea of Hart Lee Dykes bouncing through the bush leagues on a bus with the Sarasota White Sox amusing?

So do lots of other people.

"The idea of Hart Lee rolling around the minor leagues on a broken-down bus a la Bull Durham cracks me up," one member of the Patriots' front-office said yesterday. "This is a guy who wants to fly first-class everywhere he goes."

"It's laughable," one prominent agent said of Dykes' tryout today with Chicago's farm team in the Class A Gulf Coast League.

"When you want to try to get leverage," the agent said, "you've got to at least make it credible. A stunt like that takes away from an agent's credibility."

It borders on the incredible to think that Dykes, the All-American wide receiver from Oklahoma State, drafted by the Patriots with the 16th pick in the first round, is seriously considering playing baseball instead of football.

Although the big left-hander's fastball has been clocked in excess of 90 miles an hour, it has been two seasons since he last played baseball.

Unlike Deion Sanders, who by next year could be a legitimate major-league outfielder, Dykes almost certainly would need — at the very least — two years of seasoning in the minors.

In the meantime, he could be making upwards of \$400,000 a year while seeing plenty of playing time for the Patriots.

The Pats have offered Dykes a three-year deal similar to the one they gave first-round pick John Stephens last year.

Stephens received a signing bonus of \$515,000 as part of a package worth about \$1.3 million. By making the Pro Bowl last season, he not only earned a bonus, but also raised his base salary this year and next, making his deal worth an average of about \$540,000.

In contrast, it's interesting to note that, only last week, the White Sox' AAA club in Vancouver of the Pacific Coast League refused to play a game because their paychecks were a week overdue.

The White Sox had drafted Dykes in 1988, but didn't bother to pick him again this year.

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Tony Fernandez denied a Toronto newspaper report that he said teammate George Bell should be traded from the Blue Jays.

"There's no one else who plays harder than him," the shortstop said prior to the 60th All-Star game. "I don't want to see George go, same as I didn't want to see Jesse [Barfield] go." Fernandez said Bell should not be held responsible for the team's poor play. "One player can't carry the ball club. They don't call us the Toronto Bell Jays."

Former University of Washington basketball coach Andy Russo has been hired as coach of the professional basketball team in Livorno, Italy. Russo considers the job and his two-year contract a step up. "The Italian pro league is acknowledged to be the second-best pro league in the world, next to the NBA," Russo said.

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## No. 1 seed Annacone defeats distractions

By MIKE SZOSTAK  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

NEWPORT — The City by the Sea. Thames Street. Bannister's Wharf. The Brick Market. The Candy Store. The Black Pearl. Cliff Walk.

Distractions galore for a guy trying to win a tennis tournament.

"It's tough coming from Wimbledon to play here. It's like going from total bedlam to total relaxation. Sometimes you forget why you're here."

The speaker was Paul Annacone, top seed of the Volvo Tennis/Hall of Fame championships and a 7-5, 6-4 first-round winner over Jonathan Canter yesterday.

Annacone is here not to relax, but to win the tournament and bank the \$25,000 check that comes with the championship. To that end, getting by the first round was crucial.

"It's always good to get through the first round," Annacone explained. "The courts here are a lot different from the courts we were playing on for four weeks in London. These courts are a lot softer and a lot slower."

So Annacone, ranked No. 45 in the world, used his match against Canter as an opportunity to reacquaint himself with the lawn on the Newport Casino's stadium court, which is notorious for its low bounce.

The Annacone-Canter match actually started Monday but was suspended because of rain with Annacone ahead 7-5, 1-0. Annacone rallied from a 3-1 deficit to take the first set

"I was a little down because I thought I was playing poorly," Annacone said. "Then I did the right thing. I started coming in on his serve. For me to be at the baseline and try to hit passing shots on a soft court is not a smart thing to do. Coming to the net is my strength. When I stayed back, he made a lot of first serves. Then I started chipping and coming in and he started missing his first serve."

Annacone was grateful to be leading at the time of the rain delay, but he was painfully aware that victory was not guaranteed.

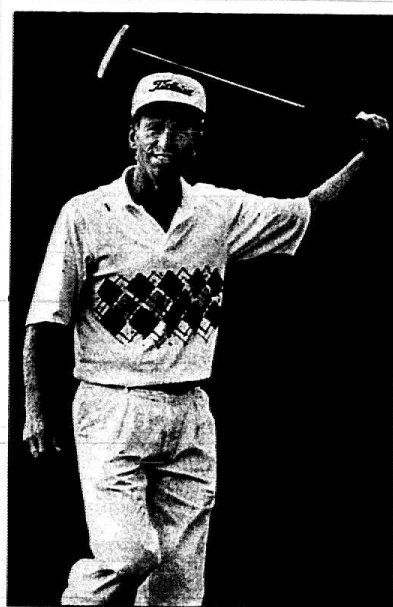
"I was ahead at Wimbledon after the first day, and the next day I lost," he said.

Annacone was up a set against David Pate when their first-round match was called because of weather and darkness. Pate rallied the next day and won.

Yesterday, five other seeded players also survived their first-round challenges under a bright sun before 1,718 spectators, but defending champion and No. 5 seed Wally Masur of Australia lost. Matt Anger of Aptos, Calif., beat Masur 6-2, 7-6 (7-4).

Johan Kriek, the 1981 champion and No. 2 seed this year, struggled to a 6-4, 6-3 victory over Javier Frana of Argentina. Derrick Rostagno, the No. 4 seed, beat Robert Van't Hof 6-4, 6-1.

Peter Lundgren, No. 6, defeated Kent Kinnear, 7-6 (7-5), 6-4, while Pieter Aldrich, No. 7, posted a 6-4, 7-5 victory over Tim Pendergast.



BEST OF THE BUNCH: Paul Quigley waves putter on 12th green en route to medalist honors in R.I. Amateur.

## Quigley Amateur medalist

By DAN DAVID  
Special to the Journal-Bulletin

WARWICK — As the second day of medal play in the Rhode Island Amateur drew to a close yesterday at the Valley Country Club, a large crowd gathered around the leader board, waiting to see what the 77 remaining golfers had shot.

Everyone wanted to know which 31 would join defending champion Marc St. Martin in today's match-play rounds. And just as importantly, people wanted to know who would win medalist honors.

Paul Quigley turned in his card and sat back quietly in a chair. Unlike those around him, the 44-year-old Barrington native, who plays out of Rhode Island Country Club, didn't seem too concerned with his opponents' scores. On the course, Quigley certainly didn't want to know about anyone else.

"I don't like to know (other scores)," said Quigley emphatically. "I like to go out and play my game one shot at a time, and I never worry about how anyone else is doing. I figure I don't have control over that, and anyway, it's hard enough controlling what I'm doing."

But Quigley, who won the tournament in 1986 and '87, was in

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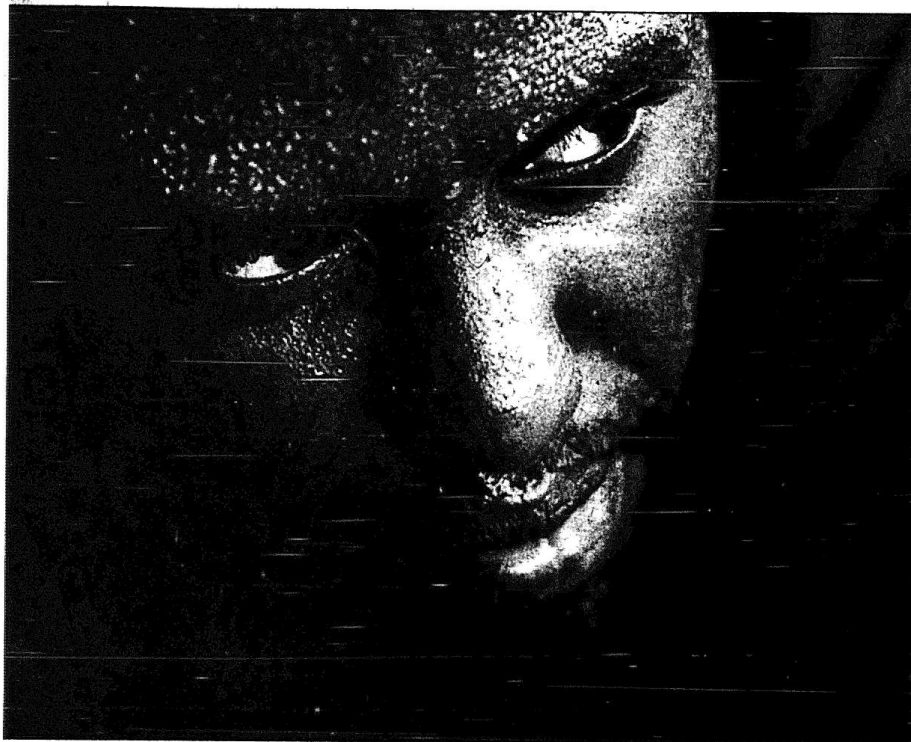
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MAKING THE EFFORT: Greg Townes perspires after a workout in preparation for his fight Saturday against Andrew Maynard.

## Townes hopes to knock opportunity down

By SEAN McADAM  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

PROVIDENCE There are no words to describe how Greg Townes feels just days before the biggest afternoon of his life.

"Excited?" says Townes, dismissing a suggestion out of hand. "Excited ain't the word for it."

No, "excited" can't begin to reflect how Townes feels about what has happened to him in the last two weeks.

Just the other day, he was waiting at a red light when he looked down at a newspaper placed on the car seat.

"I said, 'Hey, this is me they're writing about,'" Townes says. "It's like winning the lottery. It's not sinking in."

Before fate and good fortune arrived, he was a promising, but largely unknown light-heavyweight, steadily working his way up boxing's version of the corporate ladder.

Saturday, in Harrah's Casino in At-

lantic City, N.J., he'll be fighting former Olympic gold-medal winner Andrew Maynard on national television over CBS. Townes was not the original opponent for Maynard. That distinction belonged to Don Smith of Hartford, who was forced to pull out because of an undisclosed injury.

A few phone calls later, and Townes was a late, but appreciative, substitute.

"This is the chance of a lifetime," says Townes. "It's the only thing on my mind. I think about it night and day. Before I go to sleep and the minute I wake up, I've been over it a half-million times in my head. I see the fight, and I see myself winning."

"If I win, I'm on top of the world. If I lose, it's back to the drawing board. I don't want to let this opportunity pass."

Townes may be only 24, with a mere nine professional fights (8-1) to his credit. But he understands boxing well enough to know that there aren't many

second chances.

Beating Andrew Maynard (5-0) will put Greg Townes "in every boxing magazine in the country — Ring, KO, Boxing Illustrated."

It will mean a flood of calls to his manager, Vito DeLuca, with offers of big fights with bigger paydays.

Lose, and it's back to six-rounders on the undercard, picking up a paycheck wherever and whenever he can. Lose, and he becomes a name on Andrew Maynard's resume.

"It's like Rocky," says Townes, speaking of the cinematic boxer, not the real-life heavyweight. "Getting that shot you've always wanted."

For Townes, time is of the essence. He doesn't have the luxury of taking the six or eight week training period he would normally have.

"Luckily," says Townes, "I was already in training."

His weight was stable, and his condi-

tioning was good.

But as Peter Manfredi, who owns the gym on Atwell's Avenue where Townes trains, points out: "Being in shape is one thing. Being in fighting shape is another. He's ready to go six rounds at the pace he needs."

Certainly, as Townes himself freely admits, he was not ready for his last fight, which resulted in a fourth-round knockout by Greg Everett, his first professional loss.

"Very simply, I ran out of gas," he says. "I neglected to train like I should have. I sort of took a vacation."

It's a mistake he won't make again. Townes has waited too long for Saturday's opportunity to go in with less than proper preparation.

Growing up on Public Street in Providence, Townes was actually more of a football fan than a boxing devotee.

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## Ex-Friar Lindsey dead at 21

By ART TURGEON  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

Keith-Sean Lindsey, a walk-on who was credited with becoming an inspirational leader of the Providence College basketball team, collapsed and died Tuesday night after having played in an informal basketball game near his Columbia, Md., home.

Lindsey, who graduated from Providence last year, collapsed at a playground after playing one-on-one basketball for about an hour in the scorching heat around the nation's capital. He died about an hour later at a hospital.

His parents believe he died of cardiac arrest or heat prostration, but police and hospital authorities wouldn't specify a cause of death pending an autopsy.

"I loved him," former PC basketball coach Gordie

The PC community reacts. Page D-11

Chiesa said from Seton Hall University yesterday, where he was preparing to give a lecture at a hoop clinic. "I'm very saddened right now. I'm going to dedicate my talk to Keith Lindsey."

The 6-foot-4 Lindsey, who would have turned 22 on July 30, spent three years at PC after transferring from Delaware Valley College in Doylestown, Pa., after his freshman year. He made the basketball team at PC as a sophomore and senior walk-on. Lindsey spent his junior year in Switzerland as part of a student exchange program.

Lindsey, a solid B student, had been playing basketball frequently since his graduation, even while working full-time in a management training program at a local bank and taking courses toward his masters degree at American University.

"He was always talking about going into training to become a triathlete," his father, William Lindsey, said yesterday. "He felt he was in pretty good shape. I'd say he played basketball about twice a week. He was friendly with a number of people on some teams around here and was always ready to follow whenever they got a game going."

It was that way Tuesday night when, sometime after 6:30, Lindsey and a friend, another member of the bank training program, decided to go to Cedar Lane Park, about a mile and a half from his home, to play some one-on-one.

When they stopped playing in the sultry temperatures — the high for the day in the area was 96 degrees — and walked to the car, Lindsey passed out. Another witness said he may have grabbed his chest.

Police said they received the emergency call at 8:24. They rushed him to the Howard County General Hospital — located, ironically, across the street from his home — where he died without having regained consciousness. The hospital listed the time of death as 9:40 p.m.

"He was a wonderful, wonderful human being," said Chiesa. "He was the epitome of a Providence player."

Lindsey was anything but the stereotype of a major-college basketball player. For one thing, Chiesa said, he carried a grade-point average above 3.4. For another, basketball had almost nothing to do with his transfer to PC. Academia did.

"He didn't play in Delaware because he didn't choose to," his father said. "But after his first year, he wanted to improve his academics so he started writing a number of schools. But he always felt that the possibility existed of his playing at Providence."

That possibility became reality when, in his first month in Providence, Lindsey changed to get into a one-on-one game with then-assistant coach Chiesa, who was impressed with what he saw.

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##### AT A GLANCE

Olympic champion Carl Lewis will not be invited to compete in Japan because he covered up a sponsor's name on his shirt at a meet in Tokyo in May, the Japan Amateur Athletic Federation wrote to its American counterpart. "This is the first time we've seen a nation do this," TAC spokesman Pete Cava said.

Bob Gurney, the captain and 15-year veteran of the Montreal Canadiens, is studying an offer to become player-coach of a second-division hockey team in Epinal, France. "I'm talking to the team management. I'm interested in the job as player-coach because then I could play another two years and learn how to coach."

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## Favorites in Amateur on parade

By ED DUCKWORTH  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

WEST WARWICK — The cream began rising to the top in the R.I. Amateur golf tournament yesterday at Valley Country Club, where the defending titlist, the medalist, the state public links champion and the New England intercollegiate king all advanced without much trouble to the quarterfinal round.

Mark St. Martin of Kirkbrae, who claimed his third R.I. Golf Association crown last summer, led the parade of favorites through the first two rounds of match play by outstriking Chris Cote of Valley, 2-and-1, and 16-year-old David Herzog of Triggs, 4-and-2.

Also advancing were Paul Quigley of R.I. Country Club, the medalist and two-time former champion, Mike McCormick of Triggs, the public links king, and Pat Sheehan of Woodland Greens, who captured the New England college title this spring as a member of the University of Hartford golf team.

The other quarterfinalists will be Jim Bjorge of Triggs, a transplanted accountant from Portland, Ore., making his first appearance in the state shootout; Jim Chandler of Potowomut and two members of the host club — Dr. George Pirie

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— Journal-Bulletin Photo by RACHEL RITCHIE  
JOHN FITZGERALD unleashes a serve against Chris Priddy yesterday.

## Travel-weary Fitzgerald wins opener

By MIKE SZOSTAK  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

NEWPORT — He looked as if he had not shaved in a couple of days and was still in need of a good night's sleep.

But when John Fitzgerald walked on to the stadium court at the Newport Casino yesterday, he put those minor discomforts aside long enough to beat Canadian Chris Priddy in the first round of the Volvo Tennis/Hall of Fame Championships.

Fitzgerald, the No. 3 seed who arrived in town Tuesday morning after winning the Wimbledon doubles championship Sunday, defeated Priddy, 6-4, 6-4.

"The first match is always a bit hard," Fitzgerald said, echoing the sentiment of other first-round survivors. "After you play one match, it gets a little easier."

Well, not always. Top-seeded Paul Annacone had to go three sets for the 1,986 spectators before getting out of the second round. And three seeded players, No. 4 Derrick Rostagno, No. 7 Peter Aldrich and No. 8 Kelly Evernden, bit the grass.

Second-seeded Johan Kriek and sixth-seeded Peter Lundgren seemed to have an easier time in advancing to the quarterfinals.

Annacone defeated Brad Drewett, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2. Kriek beat South African Gary Muller, 6-1, 6-4. Lundgren eliminated Jeff Tarrago, 6-4, 7-5.

Christian Sacanu, the West German who bounced three-time champion Vijay Amritraj Tuesday, shot down Rostagno, 6-4, 1-6, 7-6 (7-5). Daniele

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## Giamatti: Move case from Cincy

Associated Press

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Baseball commissioner A. Bartlett Giamatti yesterday asked a federal judge to deny a request by Pete Rose to return his lawsuit against baseball to state courts.

The request was contained in a 110-page response filed on behalf of major-league baseball in U.S. District Court.

"Diversity jurisdiction is particularly appropriate here, because this case involves intense local sympathies and pressures," the filing said. Judge John D. Holcuh had given baseball's lawyers until yesterday afternoon to respond to the Cincinnati Reds manager's motion to have his suit returned to a state court in Cincinnati. Rose's lawyers now have until Monday to respond to baseball's filing.

Rose contends in his suit that Giamatti has prejudged him in baseball's investigation of gambling allegations against Rose, making a fair hearing impossible.

Giamatti had scheduled a hearing for Rose on results of the investigation. The commissioner can suspend Rose from the game for a year if he finds Rose bet on baseball and can ban him for life if he determines that Rose bet on games involving the Reds.

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## GOLF

## Amateur

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and Steve Cole.

St. Martin, a 37-year-old former professional, served notice he intends to make a strong defense of his title by beating Cole and, especially, Herzog.

"I'm pleased with the way I'm playing," he said, "because I'm striking the ball solidly. I didn't score all that well in the morning (when he was 3-over-par in ousting Cole), but I had it all together in the afternoon."

Which was fortunate for him because Herzog, a junior at La Salle Academy, matched St. Martin shot for shot and par for par through seven holes.

But after St. Martin had trapped his tee shot on the 215-yard eighth, Herzog whacked a 3-iron out of

bounds to the right. It was a fatal mistake.

St. Martin won the hole with a bogey, then halved the ninth by sinking a 15-foot par putt. He then rattled off two birdies and an eagle over the next four holes that eliminated the element of suspense.

"But I've got to tell you how impressed I was with the way Dave (Herzog) played," he said. "When I was his age I was in awe of players like Ronnie Quinn and Norm Lutz who'd owned this tournament forever. I'm sure he must have been feeling the same sort of pressure playing me, but he was very, very competitive."

"There have been a lot of good young players come out of this state in the last 10 years and Dave has a chance to reach that level, too. I feel fortunate to have beaten him because it won't be long before he'll be a dominant player."

Quigley, the 44-year-old insur-

ance executive who was medalist in the tournament, was feeling lucky, too, after escaping the first round with a 19th-hole victory over Steve Macpistol of Valley before scoring a 4-and-2 triumph over Dave Adamonis of Pawtucket.

"Any time you go down that first fairway in a sudden-death playoff," explained the 1986 and '87 champion, "you know you're in a fight. Steve was a very tough opponent."

But he was an opponent Quigley put away on the 360-yard 19th by hitting a sand wedge 3 1/2 feet from the cup and dropping his putt for birdie.

Quigley was even par in his second-round match against Adamonis. The turning point came at the 367-yard 11th where Adamonis, trying to merely to hit the fairway after Quigley had driven his tee shot into the rough, hooked a "safe" 2-iron out of bounds.

"So instead of winning the hole and pulling myself within one," explained the Pawtucket golfer, "I wound up with a double bogey and was three down. Against an opponent as steady as Paul, that's too big a hole."

McCormick, 42, the state public links champion who is parts manager for Northeast Clarkliff, sailed through his opening matches, whipping Bill Johnson of Green Valley, 4-and-3, and veteran Norm Lutz of Pawtucket, 5-and-4.

"I was 1-over in the morning and 2-over in the afternoon," he reported. "I just hope I can keep that up because I'll have to if I want to win tomorrow."

Sheehan, 19, who will enter his junior year at the University of Hartford in September, was 2-over-par in scoring a 3-and-1 victory over his friend, Rod Butcher of Potow-

mut, in the morning before ousting Matt Brennan of Warwick, 3-and-1, in the afternoon.

"I've got to the quarterfinals the last three years," he said, "but never any farther. Hopefully, things will be different this season."

Sheehan's opponent this morning will be the tournament's mystery guest, Jim Bjorge of Triggs, a certified public accountant who moved to the R.I. from Portland, Ore., last fall.

The 30-year-old Bjorge, who said he qualified for match play in the Oregon Amateur six straight seasons and never won a single shoot-out, registered a 4-and-2 victory over David Cohen of Crestwood in the opening round before dropping an 18-foot birdie putt on the final hole in beating Greg Richard of Kirkbrae.

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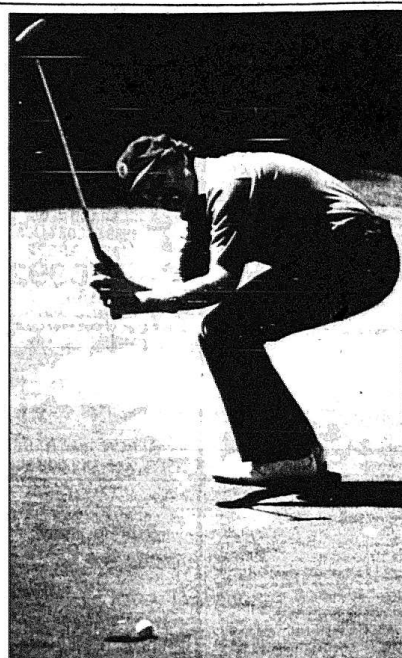
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## TODAY'S PAIRINGS

8 a.m. Quigley vs. Chandler 8:10 - Dr. Pine vs. McCormick 8:20 - St. Martin vs. Cole 9:30 - Bjorge vs. Sheehan



— Journal-Bulletin Photo by MARY MURPHY

PRETTY PLEASE? George Pine employs some body English in an unsuccessful effort to coax this par putt into the cup.

## Quarterfinals begin today in Massachusetts Amateur

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — It may be a young man's game but the 81st Massachusetts Amateur at Worcester Country Club has a veteran look entering today's quarterfinals.

Led by 52-year-old Skip Durprey, a Cape Cod dentist and the oldest surviving players are on the long-side of 30.

Joe Keller of Oyster Harbors, a loser to Kevin Johnson in the finals last year at Thorny Lea, made it to the round of eight with a pair of 1-up wins on the par-70, 6531-yard course.

The 39-year-old real estate developer advanced with victories over Tatruck's Bruce Carter and Dave Tasho of Thorny Lea.

Plymouth's Ray Richard, a 40-year-old district manager for a chain of discount golf stores, advanced with 5-and-4 wins over Pleasant Valley's Pat Dunn and Ed Gunderson of Halifax.

Charles River's Paul Heffernan, Jr., like Durprey a former Worcester Country Club member, advanced

with solid wins over Mark Greenhalgh, of North Hill and formerly Cranston (3-and-2) and Meadow Brook's Mark Bryson (6-and-5).

Heffernan, a 33-year-old marketing rep for New Balance shoes, takes on Stow's Warren Nelson, who bounced Ponkapog's Bob Bradley by starting out four under after 10 holes in his afternoon match. 11 Nelson, a 46-year-old salesman, is familiar with Heffernan's game. The pair teamed in the Champions Cup in Houston, Texas this past spring.

Thirty-one-year-old Jim McDermott, the Fall River night club owner who won this tournament in 1980 and 1984, beat Marshfield's Rich McGovern (4-and-3) and Tedesco's Jeff Fitzherbert (2-and-1).

Marshfield's Geoff Sisk, medalist with a 69 Tuesday, was the only other player under 30 to advance.

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## Evert's swan song sounding sour note



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### FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH:

● Pardon me if I can't get very nostalgic about Chris Evert's impending retirement. She is singing a song we've already heard too many times before. It started a couple of years ago at the U.S. Open, and there have been variations ever since. But the bottom line is always the same. As soon as she loses a match she invariably talks about two things — her age and the fact she is thinking of retiring. The result is, she always seems to upstage the winner.

Enough, already.

Undoubtedly, she has been one of America's greatest sports figures, someone who will live forever in tennis history. That is in the record books, and no one can take that away from her. But for too long she's been one of those people who never seems to give her opponent the credit when she loses, a part of her character that's been overlooked in her "America's Sweetheart" mystique. Some of that undoubtedly made her a great player for so long ... the feeling that, at her best, she is still the best.

But now, in the twilight of her career, it is getting grating. After she lost to Steffi Graf at Wimbledon, she said she would have liked to have played her 10 years ago. Please. What about some of the aging people she beat when she was in her prime? Unfortunately, age is part of the equation when you are a professional athlete.

The other thing that seems to be becoming more and more a part of the equation about professional athletes is their failure to retire gracefully.

● Remember when you didn't have to stand in line at the drug store?

● They should start ordering a monument in center field for Dallas Green if he can keep this rag-tag collection of Yankees in the pennant race.

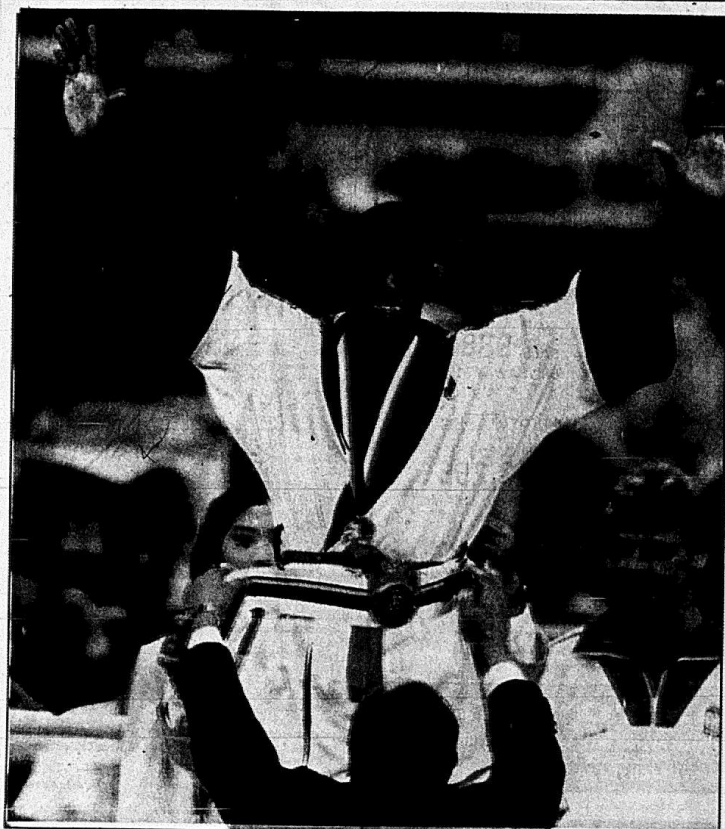
● Do you ever get the feeling that the Patriots just wouldn't be the Patriots unless there were a quarterback controversy? Plunkett and Grogan. Grogan and Cavanaugh. Grogan and Eason. Eason and Grogan. Eason and Flutie. And now we have Eason and Flutie, with a little Grogan and Marc Wilson thrown in for good measure. Does it ever end?

● I like the Orioles. Too bad they can't win.

● All you have to know about the idiosyncrasy of television sports is the recent news that NBC plans to put O.J. Simpson on "NFL Live" because, as NBC honcho Dick Ebersol says, "We ran a survey and found that 10 years after he's retired, O.J. is still the most recognizable football personality."

Beautiful.

Tell me what that has to do with being Turn to REYNOLDS, Page B-6



THRILL OF VICTORY: Andrew Maynard receives gold medal after winning Olympic light-heavyweight title.

## Maynard survives pro cons

### Olympic champ shuns the fast talk, signs with Leonard

By SEAN MCADAM  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

ATLANTIC CITY — A year ago, Andrew Maynard was fighting for his country, his family and, not so incidentally, a gold medal.

Today, Andrew Maynard is fighting for himself, and nobody else. Boxing has become his business.

Idealism has given way to capitalism. "Being an amateur and being a pro is a big difference," said Maynard, as he prepared for tomorrow's televised light-heavyweight fight against Providence's Greg Townes. "There's a lot to learn. But

the only thing I'm trying to do is be a crowd-pleaser and make a living."

A gold-medal winner at the Seoul Olympics last September, Maynard received a quick introduction to professional boxing when a promoter offered to sign him to a deal that would have left the boxer with less than half of his earnings.

"That," said Maynard, "was a real eye-opener. They offer you a big signing bonus, and that's supposed to close your eyes while the percentage knocks you out."

Maynard (5-0, all by knockout) even-

tually signed with the management team headed by Mike Trainer and Sugar Ray Leonard, since they offered him the most lucrative deal.

"Leonard seemed to be the only guy not complaining about his manager," he said in explaining his choice.

That Leonard has already made the successful transition from Olympic sweetheart to rich pro also figured in the decision. Everything Maynard might experience has already been experienced by Leonard.

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## Sox edge Twins behind Clemens

By STEVEN KRASNER  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

MINNEAPOLIS — Only one game into the second half, it's way too early to compare this season to last year's post-All-Star-break magic.

But the Boston Red Sox's 3-1 victory over the Minnesota Twins at the Metrodome last night had all the ingredients of last year's so-called Morgan Miracle, when manager Joe Morgan guided a second-half surge that netted a pennant.

The Red Sox rallied for two weird-looking eighth-inning runs off nemesis Frank Viola, in snapping a 1-1 tie and getting the second half off to a good start. The winning run was the result of two walks, an error and a single.

As a result, the Sox pulled up to the elusive .500 mark (42-42) for the first time since May 31, after falling on five previous opportunities to do so.

Roger Clemens was the beneficiary of the late outburst in subduing the Twins on a quiet two-hitter over eight innings.

The Sox' ace right-hander was wild early, going to 3-and-2 counts on five of the first nine batters he faced.

But he settled down after the fourth, allowing only a leadoff fourth-inning single up the middle by Kirby Puckett, the American League's leading hitter, and a two-out bloop single to left by Doug Baker in the eighth.

Clemens improved to 10-6, with relief help from Lee Smith (13 saves) and thanks in part to the Sox' Twins-aided eighth-inning flurry.

It all began with a walk, as Viola, who allowed only three hits in eight innings, issued a base on balls to Carlos Quintana. Randy Kauter ran for Quintana and stole second as Ed Romero was striking out.

Pinch-hitter Jody Reed also walked, and that's when a Twins trick batted and led to the Sox' win. First baseman Kent Hrbek, who wasn't holding Reed, tried to sneak in behind Reed and pick him off.

But Viola's pickoff throw glanced off Reed and rolled down the right-field line. While Hrbek set off in pursuit, Kauter raced around third, got the go-ahead from base coach Rac Slider and scored on a belly-flop slide when Hrbek's throw home was wide right.

Reed made it to third and romped home with an insurance run on a line single to left by Wade Boggs.

The Twins made things interesting in the ninth with a leadoff ground-ball sin-

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### AT A GLANCE

Center Joe Kleine, obtained by Boston in a trade last February with Sacramento, has signed a multi-year contract with the Celtics. Kleine averaged 6.1 points and 4.9 rebounds in 28 games last season.

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## Layendecker upsets Annacone at Newport

By MIKE SZOSTAK  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

NEWPORT — Glenn Layendecker, whose tennis career was in the hands of an orthopedic surgeon 2½ years ago, turned in the most spirited performance of the Volvo Tennis/Hall of Fame Championships yesterday when he upset top-seeded Paul Annacone, 4-6, 6-3, 7-6.

Layendecker, ranked 89th in the world to 45th for Annacone, blitzed the tournament favorite 7-0 in the tiebreaker and became the first player to qualify for tomorrow's semifinals.

"Reaching the semis here is good for me. This is the kind of tournament, like I said after my first match, that if I'm playing well I can win a few matches," Layendecker said.

"If maybe I get a few breaks, I can do well. It's always exciting to do that. It would be a little more fun at Wimbledon, but I'll take it here."

Johan Kriek, the second seed, also crashed and burned yesterday, losing to South African Danie Visser, 6-3, 6-2, in 49 minutes. Visser was a semifinalist here in 1986.

Kriek, never a fan of the Newport Casino's grass courts despite having won here in 1981, delivered a few parting shots before riding out of

town with a two-ton chip on his shoulder.

"I'm disgusted with the whole setup," he said. "If you get aggravated long enough, sometimes you don't feel like doing it, and today I didn't feel like doing it. I just snapped."

Kriek has complained of the soft courts at the Casino, and this year he moaned about how close the courts in the stadium are to the grandstand.

"It's tough to play a lefty here," he said. "The last time I played a lefty on that court Tom Gulikson whipped me into the grandstand. Today I was aggravated to the max and decided not to participate. That's a disgusting attitude, but that's the way I feel right now."

Kriek, ranked 38th in the world, also said he won't play that much on grass in the future, unless it's good grass. He had beaten Visser in their four previous matches, but yesterday's encounter was their first on grass.

"I'm just so aggravated with the way I'm playing right now," Kriek spat. "I never expect to win that easily." Visser said.

Layendecker, who beat eighth-seeded Kelly Evernden on Wednesday, will play either third-seeded

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PIVOTAL SHOT: Tom Sheehan blasts from sand trap onto 16th green in win over Marc St. Martin.

## Sheehan vs. Pirie in final

By ED DUCKWORTH  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

WARWICK — The best putter on the PGA Tour, believe it or not, is veteran Lee Trevino, who averages 1.714 strokes per green according to the latest statistics.

Trevino wouldn't have stood a chance against Pat Sheehan yesterday.

The best PGA Tour par-breaker is Fred Couples, who has birdied or eagled 22.1 percent of the holes he has played this season.

Couples would have been in trouble, too.

Pat Sheehan may not prove to be the next Jack Nicklaus or Curtis Strange, but, for one afternoon at least, he had old-timers at Valley Country Club shaking their heads in amazement as he advanced to the final of the Rhode Island Golf Association championship.

The 19-year-old junior-to-be at the University of Hartford rallied from a four-hole deficit with five to play and scored a 1-up victory over Jim Borge of Triggs before ousting Marc St. Martin of Kirkbrae, the defending champion, by a 2-and-1.

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# Amateur

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count in a semifinal in which he putted like a man possessed.

"He has the kind of touch," observed 1985 state champ Ed Mauro after watching Sheehan routinely roll home another 20-footer, "that safecrackers dream about."

Sheehan's opponent in the 36-hole final today will be Dr. George Pirie of Valley, a 39-year-old periodontist who often has come close but never won the brass ring.

Pirie, a seven-time winner of his club's championship who twice has claimed the RIGA Fourball title with Scott Marshall, gained his berth in the final by routing Mike McCormick, the state public links king, 5-and-4, before downing the medalist, Paul Quigley of R.I. Country Club, 2-and-1.

"I've shortened my swing a little and I seem to have better control as a result," said Pirie, who credited professional Mike Harbour with helping him make the change. "It used to be that I'd hook the ball when I was under pressure. Now I usually don't."

Pirie was two down after the first three holes in his quarterfinal round match against McCormick before he eagled the 502-yard fifth hole (driver, 5-iron, 10-foot putt) and birdied the eighth and 10th in taking command.

He finished the 14-hole match at 3-under-par, and was in a great frame of mind to face Quigley, a two-time former RIGA champion who had ousted Jim Chandler of Potowomut, 3-and-2, in a morning quarterfinal.

Pirie grabbed the lead by birdieing the fifth, sixth and seventh holes in succession, but Quigley battled back and cut his deficit to one by winning the eighth and 11th holes.

The turning point came on No. 13 where Quigley three-putted, falling two back. Pirie simply did not allow him to rally again, and he closed out the match on the 182-yard 17th by banging a 3-iron to within 31 feet of the cup for the clinching birdie.

While Pirie played the sort of solid golf only a polished veteran can

muster under pressure, Sheehan was as unpredictable as a talented-but-untraced 2-year-old thoroughbred making his first visit to the starting gate.

In the morning, he staged his unbelievable rally from a four-hole deficit on the back nine, birdieing three of the last five he played in ousting a shaken Borge on the final green.

The New England intercollegiate champion, who said he merely wanted to reach the semifinals for the first time, ran in putts of 20, 35 and 70 feet in a rally old-timers described as one of the greatest this tournament has ever seen.

"My Dad (Dan) got me to leave my old Bullye putter at home and try the new one (an offset shafted Ping) he bought," explained Sheehan. "I'd always been an average putter, I've been better than average since I switched to this model."

Sheehan was a much better-than-average putter in his semifinal-round victory over St. Martin, the defending champion who was seeking his fourth state crown and who had moved a step closer to that goal by downing Steve Cole of Valley, 3-and-1, in a morning quarterfinal.

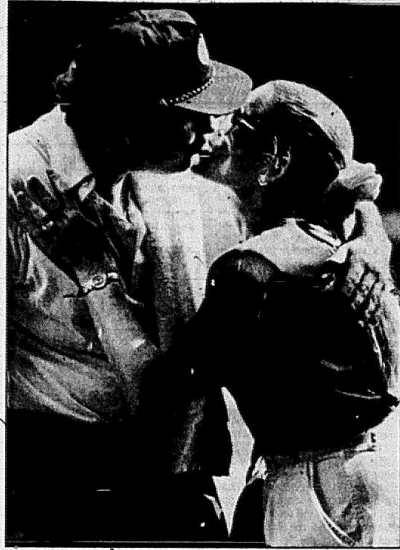
The turning point of their match, both players agreed, came on the 395-yard 13th after Sheehan, who had lost two holes in a row and held a 2-up lead, pushed his tee shot off the fairway into the base of a tree.

He punched a chip into the fairway, then drove a near-perfect 4-iron into the wind that left him with an 8-foot putt for a halving par which, of course, he dropped.

"That was the back-breaker," St. Martin admitted later. "I thought I'd win the hole with a par after hitting my second shot on the green until Pat made that iron shot and putt. It gave him back the momentum."

Still, St. Martin kept plugging and when his trap shot at the 470-yard 16th left him with a 2-foot chance for birdie, it looked for a second as if he'd at least take Sheehan to the 18th tee.

But when the unflappable collegian, who'd also hit his second into a trap on No. 16, calmly rolled a



REWARDS, REWARDS: Golfer George Pirie receives kiss from his wife Nancy after ousting Paul Quigley.

tricky downhill 20-footer into the cup for a birdie of his own, it was over for St. Martin.

17th where Sheehan nearly dropped a 40-footer for birdie before the defending champ failed to sink the 25-footer that would have taken them to the home hole.

"When your opponent is capable of putting and making the shots Patrick made," noted St. Martin, "there isn't much you can do but wish him good luck against the next guy he's going to play."

Whether it's Trevino, Couples or George Pirie.

**RESULTS YESTERDAY**  
Quarterfinals  
Paul Quigley, RICC, def. Jim Chandler, Potowomut, 3 and 2.  
Dr. George Pirie, Valley, def. Mike McCormick, Triggs, 5 and 4.  
Marc St. Martin, Kirkbride, def. Steve Cole, Valley, 3 and 1.  
Pat Sheehan, Woodland Greens, def. Jim Borge, Triggs, 1 up.  
Semifinals  
Dr. George Pirie, Valley, 3 and 1.  
Sheehan def. St. Martin, 2 and 1.  
PAIRING TODAY  
8:15 a.m. — Pirie vs. Sheehan in 36-hole final.

# King fires 67, leads Women's Open by one

LAKE ORION, Mich. (AP) — Betsy King shot a 4-under-par 67 yesterday for a one-shot lead over Marie-Laure de Lorenzi-Taya after the first round of the \$450,000 U.S. Women's Open golf championship.

King, who leads the LPGA money list with \$423,794 and has won four tournaments this year, sank a 20-foot birdie putt from above the hole on the huge 18th green of the Old Course at Indianwood Golf and Country Club for her sixth birdie of the round. She had two bogeys.

De Lorenzi-Taya, 28, a native of France who lives in Barcelona, Spain, also birdied the hole, making an 8-footer from below the hole on the 22,000-square foot green.

Jane Geddes, who won the Open in 1986, was the only other player in the field of 156 to break par over the tough 6,109-yard course north of Detroit. Geddes, who played in the morning before a stiff afternoon wind came up, shot a 70.

King, who never has won the Open, birdied the 8th, 9th, 11th and 12th holes to go four under. She took a bogey at the 16th.

King failed to reach only three greens in regulation and hit only one ball into Indianwood's tall heather. That was on the 12th hole, which she birdied with a 25-foot double breaking putt after a sand wedge to the green.

De Lorenzi-Taya, who qualified for the U.S. Women's Amateur three times, is playing in the United States as a pro for only the third time and is making her Open debut. In her last three tournaments in Europe, she won at Dusseldorf, Germany; Fourqureux, France, and was second at St. Moritz, Switzerland.

De Lorenzi-Taya arrived in the U.S. last week and, because she couldn't play in the LPGA event in Toledo, Ohio, practiced on the Scottish-type Indianwood course four times.

Her familiarity with the terrain was evident as she birdied the first hole, a 462-yard, par 5. She hit a 5-wood to within 12 feet of the pin. She played par golf over the remainder of the front nine and made the turn at 1-under 34.

On the back, de Lorenzi-Taya had two bogeys and four birdies. After three putts from 36 feet on the par-3 17th, she drove poorly on the 18th but recovered with a 3-wood that stopped 8 feet from the pin.

Geddes had two birdies and two bogeys on the front nine where she didn't miss a fairway. She missed three fairways on the back nine but twice got to two under, the last time with a 30-foot putt at the 520-yard, par-5 15th. But she had a bogey on the 16th, a 380-yard par-4, and slipped to one under.

Defending champion Liselotte Neumann of Sweden, one of more than 12 players at par, sprayed her shots but made up for it by putting only 25 times.

**Sutton shares Va. lead**  
WILLIAMSBURG, Va. (AP) — Hal Sutton, fighting to regain the form that brought him seven victories in his first five years on the PGA Tour, shot a 7-under-par 64 yesterday and tied Tim Simpson for the first-round lead of the Anheuser-Busch Golf Classic.

Sutton and Simpson both had bogey-free rounds that were one shot off of the course record over the 6,776-yard Kingsmill Golf Club.

"It took six weeks of hard, hard work to get my game to where I've never gotten it before," said Sutton, who hasn't won since 1986.

Simpson, who this season got the second victory of his 12-year career, has led the Anheuser-Busch three

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times in the past, but has yet to win it.

"There's just something about this course," he said. "It sets up well and I have good vibes here."

Sutton, who played in the morning, and Simpson, who began his round in the early afternoon, held a one-shot advantage over Tim Norris, Chris Perry and Mike Hulbert.

One shot behind them were Fuzzy Zoeller, whose last of his 10 victories came at this event in 1986, Ian Baker-Finch, the promising Australian who already has won in his first full year on the American tour, and Don Shirley.

A large group was at 67, and the pack at 68 included two-time U.S. Open champion Curtis Strange, who lives at Kingsmill, and Bill Britton, who carded the first double-eagle on tour this year when he used a 4-wood to hole his second shot on the third hole, a 514-yard, par-5.

Sutton, 31, is coming off the least financially productive season of his career. He was 88th on last year's money list, the first time he finished lower than 25th.

Sutton attributed his recent difficulties to two factors: a swing imbalance he was able to correct through long hours on the practice tee, and his attitude.

"I kind of wish I had listened to my dad," Sutton said. "When I was 26 years old, he told me I was loafing, and I said, 'No, I'm not.'"

"But let's kind of put it in perspective a little bit. I'd made more money by the time I was 24 than I had ever dreamed possible."

Sutton, who won nearly \$700,000 in his first two years on tour, said he had known for a while that he needed to achieve better balance in his swing, but nonetheless found it difficult to accomplish.

"If I would have never played good, I would have thought there was nothing wrong with me," he said. "But I know I had played at a different level than where I was at."

The change is producing results. Sutton tied for seventh at last week's Greater Hartford Open, and continued to hit it close yesterday.

Starting his round on the back nine, Sutton missed two birdie putts from less than eight feet before rolling in two short putts for birdies on the par-5 15th and par-4 16th.

He hit his shot within eight feet for another birdie on the 360-yard first hole, and eagled the third with a 25-foot putt.

Sutton added birdie putts of 15 feet at the par-3 fifth and six feet at the 6th, another birdie.

Simpson also birdied the first hole and sank a 25-footer for an eagle at the third. He added birdie putts at the par-4 fourth and the 516-yard seventh to make the turn in 5-under 31.

His back nine included short birdie putts on the 11th and 14th, both short par-4s.

## N.E. Women's Amateur

DEDHAM, Mass. (AP) — Loren Milnech made par on the second playoff hole and beat Mary Ouellette, who bogeyed it, to win the New England Women's Golf Association championship yesterday.

Milnech, of the Kittanning Club in Marion, Mass., and Ouellette, of the Bangor (Maine) Municipal course, each shot 230 for the three-round tournament at the 5,313-yard, par-70 Dedham Country and Polo Club course.

Each made bogey 5 on the first playoff hole before Milnech won on the 321-yard par 4 second hole.

# Reynolds

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any good on television? Hasn't Simpson already proven that his football ability did not translate into the broadcast booth? Doesn't NBC have any more criteria than the fact that someone shows up well in a survey? Makes you wonder.

● If I were John Marinatto I would take some time this summer to sit down with Rick Barnes and offer him a contract extension. Especially since the University of Virginia job is going to open up next year and Barnes grew up in ACC country.

● Why are there so many Yankee fans in Rhode Island? I believe it all dates back to Joe DiMaggio, the first Italian-American superstar in a state with such a strong Italian-American presence.

● John McEnroe is many things, and certainly can be his own worst enemy. But watching him play tennis is always drama. Unfortunately, Boris Becker versus Stefan Edberg is just tennis.

● Given his great career, wouldn't it have been better if Ron Guidry had retired a little more gracefully than being stuck in Columbus, Ohio, trying to prove he still had left zip on the fastball?

● One of the seemingly never-ending questions that flood the sports department here is: What is

Ahmad Rashad's real name? Why anyone would care is beyond me, but here's the answer: Bobby Moore. Now enough already.

● Yes, "Do the Right Thing," the new Spike Lee movie, is controversial. It can be viewed as advocating violence as a way of bringing about social change. It's also one of the few movies of substance to come along in a while, a welcome relief from the onslaught of sequels and other big-budget, bubble-headed movies.

● Did you really believe Frank Robinson was going to quit as the manager of the Orioles?

● One more example that the times they have a changed: Al once was the heavyweight champ who was controversial for opposing the Vietnam War. Tyson now is the heavyweight champ who is controversial because it's been written that he likes to slap women around.

● You're probably not going to believe this, and there's no discernible reason why it makes any sense. But the best-passing basketball post player I've ever seen is Tony Britto, the 7-footer from Providence who played a few years back at Campbell College in North Carolina and now is playing in the North Providence Summer League. He routinely makes passes that no big man in pro basketball can make. It's generally considered that the best-passing big

man to play the game was Bill Walton. Believe me, it's not even close.

● If I never read another contract story in sports, it will be too soon.

● Drive 55 miles an hour on Route 95 and every one on the road passes you.

● The Red Sox should not trade Wade Boggs, because they never will get equal value.

● Maybe the most amazing stat in Guidry's career is that he had 15 managers in 14 years.

● Stu Jackson is just one of many in a long list of people who have become NBA coaches without any head coaching experience at any level. A partial list includes Pat Riley, Wes Unseld, Willis Reed, Mike Fratello, Bernie Bickerstaff, Doug Collins.

● I hear where there's a Doug is a video out that has the best comedic moments from the Reagan presidency. What next? The best lines of Gorbachev for \$19.95? How about Late Tim with Margaret Thatcher? So now we have Reagan as stand-up comic. Unbelievable.

● Let's see, so far this summer we had the Pete Rose saga, an oil spill, the ridiculous Batman craze, a downtown traffic mess, mediocre weather, and mediocre Red Sox. Kind of makes you yearn for September, doesn't it?



O.J. SIMPSON: Player yes, broadcaster no



RICK BARNES: Get him signed, quick

# Woonsocket routs West Warwick

Otto Fowler hurled a three-hitter and struck out nine, and Dennis Dwyer, Jamie Masnyk, Brian Nadeau and Chris St. Pierre each had two hits as Woonsocket rolled over West Warwick, 11-1, in American League baseball yesterday.

Alegria's of Bristol rallied for two runs in the fifth and gained a 6-6 tie with Barrington at Guiteras Field. Barrington took the lead with five runs in the fifth inning. John Burke of Alegria had the two hits. Kevin Graovac had a 2-run triple and Dave Asmery a 2-run double.

Howard Rogers Post came up with seven runs in the seventh inning and broke open a close game with Johnston enroute to a 10-1 victory. Karl White hurled a 2-hitter with 8 strikeouts for the Pawtucket club. Tom Velland had a 2-run homer and 3 RBI for the winners.

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Karl White and Rogers, Hanson, Pavarotto 71 and Cof. 71

**AMATEUR LEAGUE**  
Rob Traverso led the team in two runs in a four-run seventh-inning outburst as the East Providence Knights downed the South County Sals 4-1 Wednesday. Dave McGuire added three hits for the victors. Last night, Allies turned back the

**LOCAL ROUNDUP**  
Knights, 7-3 at Providence Country Field. Tom Silva has two hits for Allies, and Jeff Silva had a pair of RBIs. Steve Hall of the Knights had four of his team's seven hits.  
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**Youth bowling**  
TAMPA, Fla. — Paul Lavole of West Warwick, competing in the National Junior Bowling Tournament, was in fifth place after the first four qualifying games yesterday. The 17-year-old had an 833 total. Eight in a row qualifying games will be rolled today and the field will be cut to 24 finalists.

**Little League**  
11-12 YEAR OLDS  
District One  
North Providence 4, North Providence West 2; Canton Americans 16, Englewood 7; Englewood 5, North Providence West 2; Canton Americans 16, Englewood 7; Englewood 5, North Providence West 2.

**Tennis**  
R.I. WOMEN'S LEAGUE  
POND VIEW 4, P.C.D.  
McCarthy-Monasteri def. Taylor-Gagnon, 6-2, 6-2; Man-Monasteri def. Ricci-Lynch, 6-3, 6-4; Caron-Robert def. Good-Cashiers, 7-5, 6-1; Don-Gen-Ann def. DeGand-Gen, 6-1, 6-2.

**Babe Ruth baseball**  
BAMBINI LEAGUE  
NORTH PROVIDENCE — West Warwick will meet North Providence in a best-of-three series starting tomorrow at 7 p.m. at Nott Park, Douglas Avenue, for the R.I. Bambino League championship. The second game will be played Sunday at 7 p.m. and, if necessary, the third game will be played Monday at 7 p.m.

**14-15 YEAR OLDS**  
District One  
Championship — Johnston 3, North Providence 2  
Warwick Nationals 7, Warwick Americans 3  
Game Tonight  
W Warwick vs. Coventry at Pawtucket, 6:30

**R.I. golf**  
ALPINE  
A — A. Santoro, 89; G. Whitman, 70; B — S. C. DiGiorgio, 104; J. Crowder, 79; C — G. DiGiorgio, 117; W. Westman, 79; D — C. A. Ragusa, 106; D. DeLano, 74.

**OWENSETT**  
M. Jenkins, 53; Stachurs, 83; H. DeAngelis, M. Torgin, 111; 34-78.

**KIRKRAE**  
A — P. Kelly, 92; J. Lanni, 73; B — L. Lubbe, 96; T. Casiro, 70; C — M. Gueffroy, 94; F. Farzan, 73; M. Scoggin, A. Luchetti, def. M. Lash, D. Ruggero, 4 and 2; M. Talar, J. Byrne, def. R. Beign, B. Caron, 1 up.

**WAMUNTO TONY**  
A — D. Barnham, 73; B — B. Schell, 69; C — D. Novick, 68; D. Hooten, 68.

**WANNAMOSTET**  
B. McCabe, 75; B. Scale, 75; O. Smith, 76.

**GLCESTER**  
A — P. Rice, M. Galt, 42 each; J. Current, 39; B — C. Fales, 55; M. Johnson, 37; V. P. C. 11; H. J. Current, 33; 9 holes. D. Stearns, 87; M. Hartley, 14; A. Ashton, 16.

**LEDGEMONT**  
L. Baw, 149; C. Colman, 150; A — P. Grant, 88; L. Baker, 72; B — E. Goodman, 104; G. Golden, 78; M. Hochman, 78; T. Schwartz, 78; C — S. Man, del. 109; T. Michaelson, 77; H. Bode, 77; D — A. Muckerman, 110; A. Frank, 77.

**RHODE ISLAND**  
S. Ramalho, 101; A. Anderson, A. McCulloch, A. Gault, 82; D. Briggs, J. Johnson, C. Falasch, T. Har, 83.

**POINT JUDITH**  
A. Ashton, 92; J. Stearns, 78; 7-71.

**PAWBUCKET**  
A — P. O'Donley, 81; P. Porton, 73; P. Cardono, 73; B — F. Gault, 100; C. Vial, 72; C — B. Jackson, 105; R. FitzGerald, 75; A. Rade, 75; D — A. Muckerman, 110; A. Frank, 77.

# Richard, McDermott gain Massachusetts Amateur final

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — Ray Richard of Plymouth gained a birth to the final round of the 81st Massachusetts Amateur championship at Worcester Country Club yesterday and will play two-time tournament champion Jim McDermott.

McDermott, 31, advanced to the 36-hole match play final with a 20-hole victory over Charles River's Paul Heffernan, Jr.

McDermott, a night club owner from Fair River and former hockey coach at Somerset High, will try to add to titles he won at Salem in 1980 and Pittsfield in 1984. A victory on the par-70, 6,531-yard course would make McDermott the first three-time winner since Ted

Bishop strung titles in 1940, 1946 and 1961.

Richard ousted medalist Geoff Sisk in the morning quarterfinals and 1988 runnerup Joe Keller of Oyster Harbors with a 3-and-2 semifinal win.

Down one heading to the last hole, McDermott drew a life when Heffernan missed a 5-foot putt for a win on 18. McDermott then got up an down from 65 feet on the 19th hole with a sand shot Heffernan called "one of the classiest shots I've ever seen."

McDermott, a former University of Massachusetts golfer, then made it to his third final this decade with a 35-foot birdie on the par-5 second hole.

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## Amateur showdown tries again tomorrow

Downpour prevents afternoon round with Sheehan 2 up on Pirie

By ED DUCKWORTH  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

WARWICK — The sun was shining when they broke for lunch just before noon.

Forty-five minutes later, when they went to the practice tee to warm up, the storm clouds were gathering and the rumble of thunder could be heard in the distance.

Shortly after 1 o'clock, when the afternoon round was scheduled to begin, the lightning was flashing and the skies pouring down untold gallons of rain.

"It'll pass," said a hopeful Joe Sprague, secretary of the R.I. Golf Association. "They'll be playing in an hour or so."

Maybe, but not at Valley Country Club. Not yesterday, where a 2½-hour giant of a thunderstorm washed out the second round of what might have been a corking good match between 19-year-old Pat Sheehan of Woodland Greens and Dr. George Pirie of the host club for the State Amateur championship.

Sheehan, a junior-to-be at the University of Hartford who claimed the New England Intercollegiate crown this spring, will carry a 2-up lead over Pirie into the final 18 that has been rescheduled for 7:45 a.m. tomorrow.

"We didn't push for Saturday because the course has been closed to members all week," explained Sprague. "Also, there was so much rain it's possible they might have been taking preferred lies. But the course should be much better on Sunday after it has another 24 hours to dry."

Neither Sheehan, the RIGA's 1986 junior champion, nor Pirie, making his second appearance in the final in 20 years, was critical of the decision.

"When it gets wet here, it really gets wet," said Pirie. "I'm happy we didn't even try to play this afternoon because conditions wouldn't have been right."

Sheehan, who had predicted the match would be postponed, said he might spend the day off caddying for his friend, Rod Butcher, in the club championship at Potowomut.

"He's been carrying my bag the last two days," said Sheehan. "I guess I owe him."

But Sheehan said he hoped to squeeze in a practice round of his own, which is something Pirie also was planning to do.

"It gives me an excuse with my wife (Nancy) to play again," he said with a laugh.

Sheehan led by as many as three holes yesterday morning before Pirie registered back-to-back birdies.

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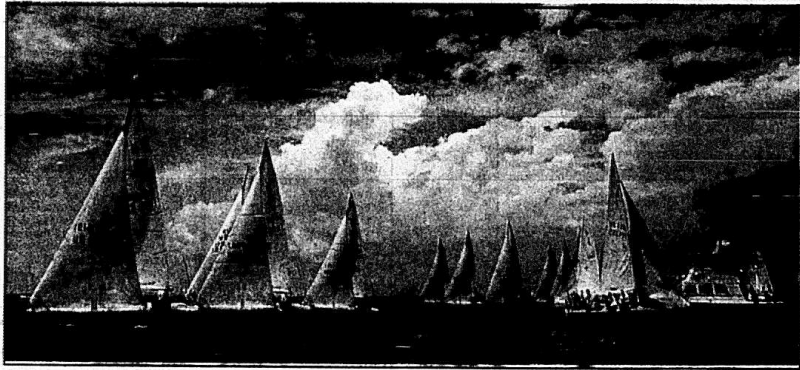
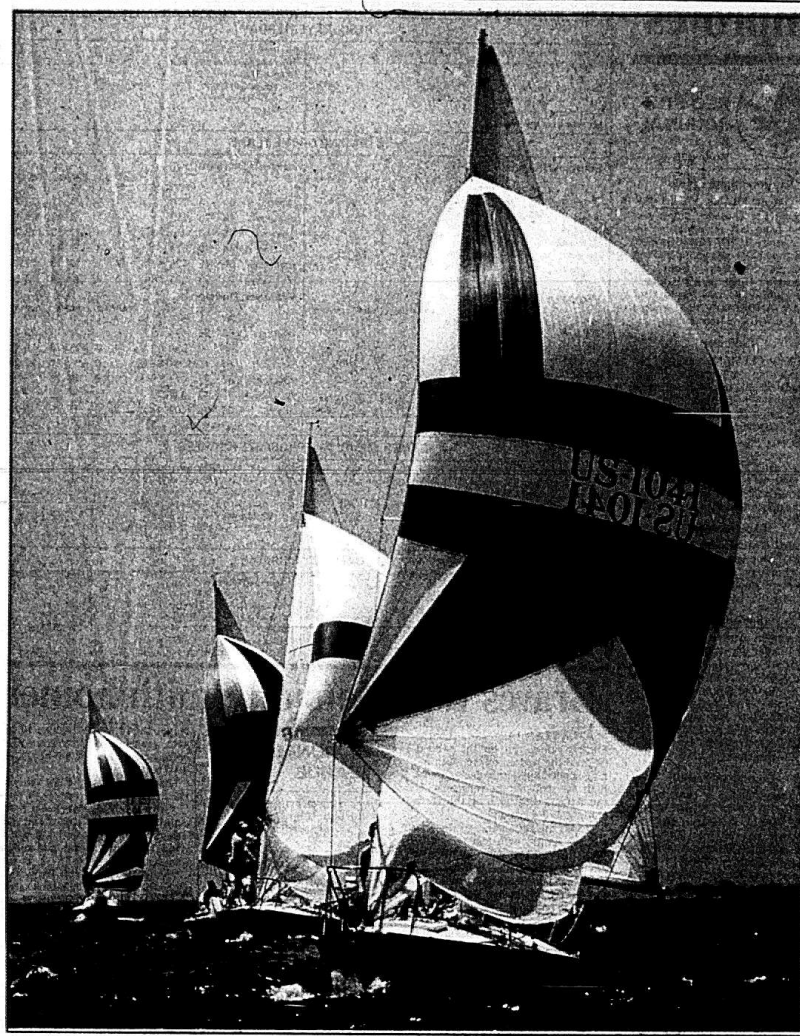
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4:30 p.m.	(2)	Anheuser-Busch Classic	

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## Majestic day on Narragansett Bay

A large group of J-24s (above) takes off for the start of their race in the Newport Volvo Regatta yesterday under sunny skies, which turned nasty as the race progressed. Later in the race (top) the boats are shown as they approach a change of course. Story on Page B-8.

## Another finest hour today for Virginia Wade

Hall of Fame inductee enjoyed her first on Wimbledon's 100th anniversary

By MIKE SZOSTAK  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

NEWPORT — Virginia Wade deserves the recognition she will receive this afternoon when she is inducted into the International Tennis Hall of Fame.

She was, in fact, one of the dominant players of the 1970s. Ranked in the Top 10 for 13 years. Grand Slam singles or doubles champion seven times. Winner of \$1.5 million in prize money.

But the irony of Wade's appearance at the Newport Casino today — she and the late Gerald Patterson of Australia will be inducted during a ceremony at 1:45 before the semifinals of the

Volvo Tennis/Hall of Fame Championships — is that had tennis not welcomed professionals in 1968 and had Wade not won the first U.S. Open that year, she might have quit the game and thus not have been around to win Wimbledon in 1977, her finest hour.

"When I started to play full time, I was already 22. I sort of expected to play for two years and then have to go and do something else," Wade said during a recent interview at the Casino. "Fortunately for me the timing was that tennis went open right at that stage and it really began to blossom, so that there was no need."

Virginia Wade, born July 10, 1945, in

Bournemouth, England, grew up in Cape Town and Durban, South Africa. Her father was an Episcopal archdeacon there. The Wade family returned to England when she was 15. She played club tennis but never dreamed of making a career out of the sport.

"I came out of a totally non-tennis environment," Wade explained. "I was expected to go to school and to university, so there was absolutely no way from a family background point of view that I could even consider becoming a tennis player. You didn't even think in terms of tennis is

## Surging Sox keep Twins on skids 5-0

Boddicker hurls 3-hitter; Esasky hits key homer

By STEVEN KRASNER  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

MINNEAPOLIS — Apparently, the Boston Red Sox left a second-half wake-up call.

And the Minnesota Twins slept through theirs. That's one way to look at the Sox' second straight post-All-Star break victory over the Twins at the Metrodome, by a 5-0 score last night.

The Sox excelled in every phase of the game as they improved their record to 13-42, the first time since May 25 they have been over the .500 mark. And they're now in second place in the American League East.

Pitching? Mike Boddicker continued his resurgence with a brilliant three-hitter. In his last three starts, the veteran right-hander, who has corrected a flaw in his delivery and altered his pitching philosophy, is 3-0 with a 1.21 earned-run average.

It was only Boddicker's second complete game and second shut-out — in 33 starts for the Red Sox. It also accounted for Boddicker's fourth win in the five decisions, raising his record to .500 (7-7) for the first time since he was 2-2 on May 3.

Hitting? Nick Esasky got the Sox off and winging with a two-run homer in the first off loser Allan Anderson. Center fielder Kevin Romine contributed two hits, Rick Cerone knocked in two runs and shortstop Luis Rivera chipped in with a clutch two-out RBI single.

Defense? Romine robbed Kirby Puckett of an RBI hit in the third, a key play in the game.

And Minnesota first baseman Kent Hrbek took a mid-game snooze, helping the Red Sox' cause in a two-run sixth-inning flurry that pretty much cemented the Twins' eighth straight loss.

All of a sudden there are smiles and laughter in the Red Sox' clubhouse.

"I think the feeling around here is like last year," said Mike Greenwell. "We got off to a fast start in the second half last year, and the guys came back this year thinking we could do it again."

Well, maybe the Sox won't win 12 in a row after the All-Star break, or 19 out of 20, as they did last season.

But they have roared out of the gate with two consecutive wins. And sterling starting pitching has been a major factor.

Roger Clemens limited Minnesota to one run, scored without benefit of a hit, and two hits overall in eight innings Thursday night.

Last night, Boddicker was superb. He allowed only singles to Al Newman (third inning), Kirby Puckett (sixth) and Brian Harper (seventh).

His only spot of trouble came in the third when a two-out walk to Dan Gladden and Newman's line single to right put runners at first and second.

Romine, though, came to Boddicker's rescue. He came racing in and with a bellyflop dive, he snared Puckett's bloopier a split-second before it could hit the turf.

"I didn't think he had a chance to catch it," said manager Joe Morgan.

"When he first hit it, I thought it would be a hit," said Boddicker. "I knew he didn't hit it well, but usually

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## In the corner

Vito DeLuca is best known in Rhode Island as a "loyal soldier" for crime boss Raymond "Junior" Patriarca. This afternoon, DeLuca will work the corner for a promising Providence boxer, Greg Townes. "When I saw (DeLuca) on TV (as Townes' manager), I was amazed," he said. "What the hell is he doing there?" said Nicholas Ferranti Jr., associate director of the Rhode Island Racing and Athletic Commission. Story on Page A-1.

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## Dibble on DL, plans no appeal



BASEBALL JOURNAL

Reliever **ROB DIBBLE** isn't happy about his second league-ordered suspension, but he's most upset about an injury-forced break from pitching.

The Reds' setup reliever was given a three-day suspension Thursday by National League president **BILL WHITE** for his role in a brawl Saturday in New York. Dibble doesn't plan to appeal the suspension, which will be served when he comes off the disabled list. The Reds put him on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 10 because of tendinitis in his right elbow.

Dibble also was one of four players — two on the Reds, two on the Mets — to receive fines from White. He is \$6-3 with a 2.52 E.R.A. and has struck out 92 in 114 innings.

Trainer **LARRY STARR** said Dibble barely twisted his arm in the fight, causing further damage.

The injury, however, troubles him more.

"Everything was going my way for a while," said Dibble, who leads the majors with 46 appearances. "You ask yourself, 'Why me?'"

Dibble has been one of the most effective setup relievers in baseball. He is 6-3 with a 2.52 E.R.A. and has struck out 92 in 114 innings.

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### Himes gets extension

White Sox general manager **LARRY HIMES** has received a one-year extension on his contract through the 1990 season. Himes, in the third year of a three-year contract, agreed to the extension, which included a raise.

### Spring training revisited

**KEITH HERNANDEZ**, coming back from a broken kneecap, said his four-day rehabilitation assignment to Class A St. Lucie "was like spring training." Met manager **DAVE JOHNSON** said Hernandez' second spring isn't over yet. Johnson thinks he will use Hernandez on alternate days "for a while."

### McDonald, O's close

The negotiations between the Orioles and **BEN McDONALD**, their No. 1 pick in the June amateur draft, appear moving close to a contract agreement.

McDonald and his father met with Baltimore general manager **ROLAND HEMOND** and team president **LARRY LUCCHINO** Thursday in Baton Rouge. La. Larry McDonald has been representing his son, a right-handed pitcher from Louisiana State University, since he was the first player taken in baseball's free agent draft.

"We were on our way back from the West Coast and it was a chance to swing by," Hemond said.

The two sides had not met since June 26. McDonald's father has been asking for a 3-year, \$1-million contract for his son. The Orioles have offered McDonald \$255,000 to \$275,000 as a signing bonus with a guarantee of his being called up to the majors in September.

### Martin in hot water

Federal tax agents are throwing a brushback pitch at **BILLY MARTIN**, now living a quiet farming life in upstate New York.

A \$35,564 tax lien has been filed against Martin by agents working out of the IRS district office in Buffalo.

The lien against the former New York Yankees manager was filed in the Broome County Clerk's office in Binghamton. Martin is identified in legal papers as Alfred M. Martin of Port Crane.

The lien resulted from "an outstanding balance from Mr. Martin's 1987 personal income taxes," said spokesman **TERRY DUNFORD**.

### Comeback of sorts

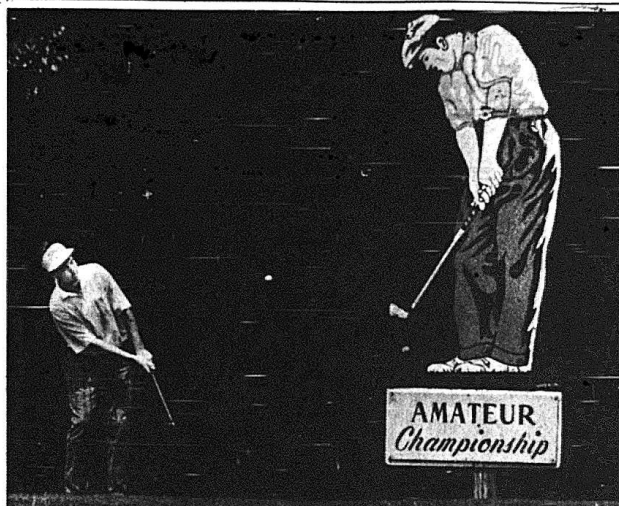
Baseball pitching legend **DENNY MCCLAIN** will play in a baseball game Saturday, but he'll play either first base or be a designated hitter.

Baseball's last 30-game winner said he can no longer pitch. "My arm already hurts every day of my life," he said.

The 45-year-old radio talk show host will debut with the Dodgers of Detroit. Mer's Senior Hardball League. "It'll be fun, but it's been a long time since I swung a bat," McClain said.

McClain was released from federal prison in 1987 after serving more than two years on convictions of loan sharking, gambling and cocaine dealing.

WIDE REPORTS



BEFORE THE STORM: Pat Sheehan chips near the practice green just before yesterday's afternoon round of the State Amateur championships was to have begun. Rain delayed play until tomorrow.

## R.I. golf

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on the 13th and 14th holes, cutting his deficit to one.

He fell two down on the 54th-year 18th when his tee shot took a 90-degree bounce from the left side of the fairway into the woods, forcing him to hit a safe second back into play.

"I didn't play too well on the front nine," Pirie said. "But I felt like I was a lot more competitive on the back, even though I got a couple of tough breaks."

Pirie said he wasn't concerned about the day-and-a-half delay between rounds.

"I don't think it'll affect either of us," he said. "Pat may not be 39 like me, but he's a good player who has won his share of tournaments, so I don't think he'll be nervous."

Sheehan agreed. "You've got to make the shots to win no matter when it is you play," he said. "I'm looking forward to Sunday."

Maybe then the RIGA will find a winner of the longest final in the history of the State Amateur.

## Providence Open golf pairings

PRO-AM ENTRIES  
TOMORROW AT TRIGGS GOLF COURSE  
Shotgun start at 9:30 a.m.

(First round tees at 9:30 a.m. Second round tees at 10:30 a.m.)

1A — Dave Barak, Joe Tencore, Frank Callender, 1B — Eric Kirby, Steve Pether, Paul Lewis, 2A — 58 DALLAGHER, George DeWitt, John McDonald, 2B — Walter Lee, Max O'Leary, Bob Mourachian, 3A — Vince Bennett, John Hadden, 3B — Ben Stewart, Jeff Weir, Tom Vines, 4A — Guy Newberry, Don Kelly, Bill Vaneau, 4B — Bob Mitha, Don Lapach, John Hadden, 5A — Frank Eaton, Mike Sullivan, Al Adams, 5B — John White, Steve Herring, A. 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## Pirie attains long-sought golfing goal

Says victory over Pat Sheehan for state amateur title is his biggest thrill

By PAUL KENYON  
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WARWICK — It wasn't easy by any means. In fact, Pat Sheehan made it downright difficult. About as tough as ... well, about as tough as pulling teeth.

But that simply made the work Dr. George Pirie turned in yesterday that much more satisfying. Pirie, for two decades one of the top golfers in the state, finally won the brass ring, capturing the State Amateur title with a hard-earned 1-up thriller over Sheehan in the 36-hole final at Valley Country Club.

The 39-year-old Pirie, playing on his home course before many of his family and friends who have followed his career, began the day facing a two-hole deficit through 18 holes, the point where the match had been when halted by a thunderstorm on Friday.

He trailed 3-down after 24 holes before a rainstorm halted play for the 10th round. Pirie pulled even for the first time when he won the 28th hole, built his lead to 2 up through the 33rd, but then had to survive bids by Sheehan to win each of the last three holes. Sheehan won only one of those holes, when he birdied the par-5 34th (16th) to get back within one. Sheehan could have pulled even on the 35th, but a five-foot putt for par to win the hole slid below the hole. It wasn't until Sheehan's eight-foot putt for birdie on the final hole went inches to the left side that Pirie finally could claim the title he has sought for so long.

"This is the greatest day of my life," the 39-year-old periodontist said after shedding a few tears on the final green. "My number one goal in golf all my life has been to win the State Amateur."

The victory obviously meant a lot to Pirie.

He has been one of the state's premier players for two decades. Twice before he had reached the semifinals in this tournament. He has won the State Four-Ball Championship twice with partner Scott Marshall. Countless times he has been a contender for titles, not only in-state but out-of-state, as well. For a number of years, he planned his vacations around the New England Amateur.

This year, Pirie put extra effort into the state amateur. He had the advantage of having the event on his home course. (His victory is the third year in a row that the championship has been taken by a player from a club where he is, or has been, a member. Marc St. Martin did it last year at Kirkbrae, Paul Quigley the year before at Metacomet.)

For the last two months, Pirie has taken lessons, many times at 6:30 in the morning, from his childhood friend, Mike Harbour, now the head pro at Potowomut.

"There was a lot of pressure," Pirie admitted. "A lot of people told me the day off (because of the bad weather Friday) would help me. But it meant one extra day to keep the knots in my stomach, another night of struggling to get to sleep."

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THINGS GET BETTER: A missed putt on the 16th green brings a grimace to the face of Dr. George Pirie yesterday at the Valley Country Club but he was all smiles later in winning the Rhode Island Amateur golf championship.

## Sox loss is good effort wasted

By STEVEN KRASNER  
Journal-Bulletin Sports Writer

MINNEAPOLIS — This one hurts. Twice the Boston Red Sox had this game won, the second time after they crawled out of the coffin with a two-out game-tying ninth-inning home run by pinch hitter Mike Greenwell.

It looked like the game was in the bag in the eighth — a one-run lead with closer Lee Smith on the mound. It looked like it was in the bag again in the 11th — a one-run lead with Rob Murphy on the mound.

But light-hitting Tim Lardner wound up bagging a 4-3 victory for Minnesota.

After the Sox elected to pitch to Lardner, a .190 hitter, with runners at second and third and one out in the bottom of the 11th, the Twins' catcher foiled the strategy with a two-run game-winning, broken-bat single over third baseman Wade Boggs.

Gary Gaetti scored easily from third. Carmen Castillo got a slow break off second, but he slid home safely, beating a weak and wide-left throw from left fielder Randy Kutcher.

As a result, Ed Romero's tie-breaking single off the glove of first baseman Kent Hrbek in the top of the 11th meant nothing, except to make this loss even more depressing. So the Red Sox, who won the first two games of this series, wound up having to settle for a split. And they fell back under .500, at 43-44, and slid to seven games behind the first-place Baltimore Orioles.

"We ruined this series today, that's what we did," growled manager Joe Morgan, tearing off his uniform and throwing it, piece by piece, into his equipment bag for the trip to Texas.

"That was a good effort wasted," said Morgan.

Indeed, the Red Sox had yet another solid starting pitching effort, this one from John Doherty. The right-hander hurled seven shut-out innings, allowing only six hits.

Doherty worked out of a first-and-second, non-out jam in the third, and a second-and-third, two-out spot of trouble in the sixth in blanking the Twins.

The Sox, though, weren't having any greater success with Minnesota starter Shane Bieber.

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### Yaz in the Hall

Carl Yastrzemski will be inducted into baseball's Hall of Fame next weekend, the culmination of a sterling 23-year career with the Red Sox. Bill Parrillo, Steven Krasner and Art Turgeon take a look at Yaz past and present in a special Yastrzemski package, reliving the highs (and lows) of his days with the Sox and catching up on what he's been doing since his retirement.

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## At last, Pugh wins a title he doesn't have to share

Victory over Lundgren in Volvo is his first in singles competition

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NEWPORT — Yes, Jim Pugh can play singles, too.

Just ask Peter Lundgren, and the 3,510 spectators who were on hand for the Volvo Tennis/Hall of Fame Championships at the Newport Casino yesterday.

Pugh, one of the best doubles players in the tennis world, won his first Grand Prix singles title when he beat Lundgren, the No. 8 seed, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2, in the best match of the tournament.

Winner of 17 men's doubles championships in his career, Pugh, 25, had failed three previous singles finals. His singles ranking was No. 63 after Wimbledon, where he lost to John McEnroe in the third round.

"This was a big one for me, a big achievement," Pugh said after collecting a check for \$25,000. "This shows me that I can win in singles, too."

Pugh, the two-listed racket swinger from Palos Verdes, Calif., this completed a remarkable week. He and teammate Rick Leach had lost the Wimbledon doubles final to John Fitzgerald and Anders Jarryd eight days ago. Last Monday he and

Jana Novotna of Czechoslovakia won the mixed doubles crown at Wimbledon. Then Pugh caught a flight from London. He arrived here at 4 a.m. last Tuesday.

Because of the logjam on the Wimbledon schedule, Pugh almost withdrew from the Hall of Fame tournament.

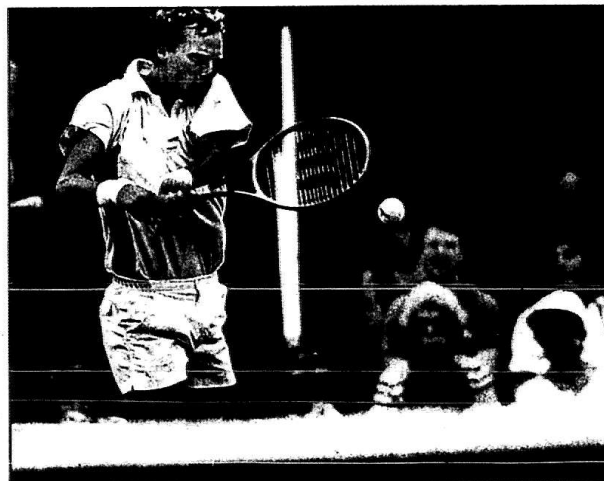
"I thought about dropping out. I didn't know if I could get a Wednesday start, and I knew I had to play Monday and wouldn't arrive until late Monday night or Tuesday morning. I didn't know if I would have enough time," Pugh said.

"But then I got a call Monday morning and they said I could have a Wednesday start."

Pugh beat Tim Wilkison, Matt Anger, Christian Saccau and Daniele Visser en route to the final. He struggled against Wilkison and blamed jet lag but won his next three matches in straight sets.

Pugh couldn't wait to play Lundgren, the hard-hitting No. 46-ranked Swede who had beaten him in the final in San Francisco two years ago.

"This was so important for me," Pugh said. "I got a stomach ache at about 10 o'clock last night and had



VERY DETERMINED: Jim Pugh uses a two-fisted backhand to return the ball to Peter Lundgren at Newport yesterday. Pugh went on to win his first professional singles tournament.

—Journal-Bulletin Photo by TIMOTHY C. BARMANN

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"But I've never concentrated as much as I did today. I wanted it so much," he continued. "I think my background as a surgeon helped. You have to perform under pressure and you have to block everything else out and concentrate. That's what I did."

Sheehan, who had staged a sensational exhibition all week on the well-kept Valley greens, looked as if he was going to be too much for Pirie when play resumed yesterday. Beginning with a 2-up margin, he kept the pressure on Pirie by starting with four straight pars. Pirie matched the first three, but three-putted the par-4 4th (22nd) for a bogey and fell 3 down. Pirie made clutch putts on the next two holes, rolling in a 16-foot birdie putt on the par-5 fifth and a 6-footer to save par on the par-3 sixth. But Sheehan matched both, knocking in a seven-footer to equal Pirie's birdie on the fifth and a five-footer to match the par on the sixth.

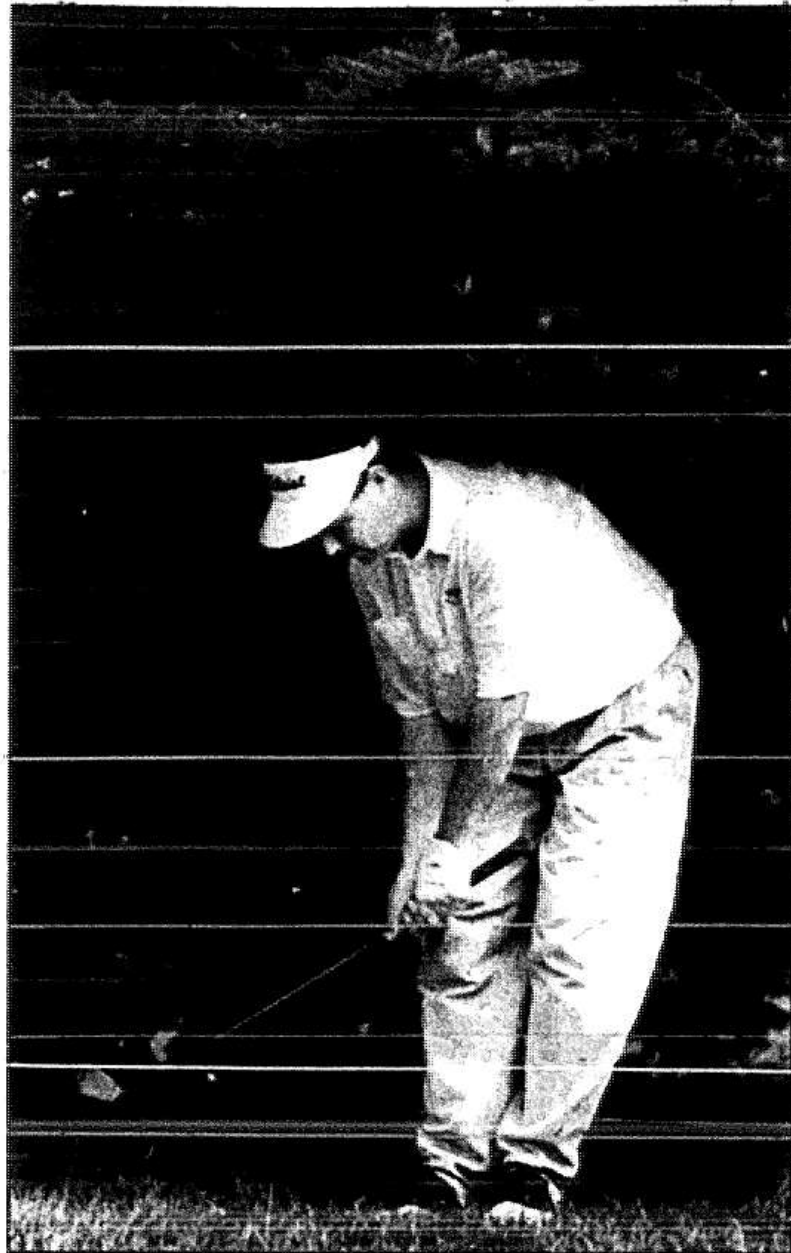
Still, Pirie kept plugging. He hit 16 greens in regulation on the day and was 1-over for the final 27 holes. Yesterday, he made 15 pars, 2 bogeys and one birdie.

Sheehan's putting finally began looking mortal down the stretch. A four-footer for par hit the hole and spun out on the 7th (25th), dropping his lead to two holes. He missed the green with his approach at the 9th (27th) and lost the hole. When he three-putted from 60 feet on the 10th (28th), the match was back to even. Pirie took the lead for the first time when Sheehan three-putted from 40 feet on the 12th (30th), and moved to 2 up when Sheehan drove into a pine tree on the 13th and had to chip out. On all those holes, Pirie was hitting greens in regulation and making pars.

Sheehan reached the 470-yard, par-5 16th (34th) in 2 and won it with a birdie, drawing within one.

The 17th might have been the key. Both players missed the green on the 182-yard par-3. Pirie flying about 20 yards over. His chip back went through the green and to the fringe on the other side. But he chipped back within four feet and made the putt for a four. Sheehan was just over the green, chipped five feet short and missed the putt, settling for a halve.

Pirie made routine par on the par-



—Journal-Bulletin Photo by MIC SMITH

**UP A TREE:** Pat Sheehan chips out from under a tree at the 13th hole yesterday, dropping two strokes behind George Pirie, who went on to win his first state amateur golf title.

5 final hole, while Sheehan was within eight feet for birdie. But he pushed the putt that could have tied it to the left.

When Sheehan picked up Pirie's marker, which was less than one foot from the hole for par, ending the match, no one was happier than Pirie's wife, Nancy. She ran onto the green to kiss the new champion. She admitted she was having a tougher time handling the pressure than her husband. She had been taking pills because of stomach problems.

"I ran out. I took the last one on the 17th hole," she said.

Pirie spent a considerable amount of time on the final green. After his wife, and his father, Jack, who has followed him through most of his tournaments, a steady stream of well-wishers came up and offered their congratulations. Through it all, there was one constant topic.

Now, Pirie's name will be on the championship trophy. Right there with Kosten, Allen, Quinn, Santilli, Lutz, Mauro, Campanelli, Abrams, Quigley, St. Martin. All of them career amateurs who have made Rhode Island golf special through the years.