## Sports

## Ashe lashes out at U.S. tennis players

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Torture is par for this course

 htick stone walls or their luanhing stone faces. Golf is, in civilized climates, played upon the choiosest real estate, in overpianeded nur-)

 pasyurs and on barren waste, unitit tor hiking
or hiding,
hill Gowing, without seenery, might as well be The eame here is played in places where the
sky hides in the water and the endless gray is broken only by patches of living brown. game becomes torture to even the most ac. complished golfer, as the Scots obviously meant it to be.
golfer lean against? Such a place is Muirfield, home of the
116 th British Open, or, to indulge the local In the ' 87 British Open, a lot of big
names have something to prove. Page 8 . conceit, The Open, which is to say that any Muirfield is considered the fairest of th courses used for the British Open. What that means is that it is not supposed to be won by
a cipher. Twelve times it has hosted the toura cipher. Twelve times it has hosted the tour-
nament, and its champions list includes Harry nament, and its champions list includes Harry
Vardon, Ted Ray, Walter Hagen, Henry Cotton, Gary Player, Jack Nicklaus, Lee Trevino and Tom Watson.
Pot bunkers, like open sores, are scattered
across the course, some six feet deep and cross the course, some six feet
doorless. The rough is waist high.
The course is quite The course is quite deviously designed in
concentric circles, clockwise out, counterconcentric circles, clockwise out, counter
clockwise in, so that no matter which way the wind is blowing, it is never at the golfer
back. Without wind-and there has been very lit-
tle in practice rounds-Muirfield is nothing e in practice rounds-Muirfied
but a bunch of 300 yard putts.
"With no wind " said Nick "With no wind," said Nicklaus, "this isn't going to be the most difficult situation in the
world, but no course is difficult without the
wind,"
When Nicklaus won in 1966, he used a ne-iron off nearly every tee, contradicting his kept low, a truth in almost all British Open and a reason that only 33 of the 153 entrants his year are Americans.
to play bump and Doug Sanders defined British Open golf forever. "In Britain," he said, "you skip the ball hop it, bump it, run it, hit under it, on
it and then hope for the right bounce." it and then hope for the right bounce." hit the
Most younger American golfers, who her
ball high and far, do not have the tolerance ball high and far, do not have the tolerance nor the inclination to suffer so much for so
little.
"It "It depends on what's important to you," who's in his first British Open. "Nicklaus has you win here. That is not so important to some." Simpson was not coming until he
Scott

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INSIDE


## U.S. Olympic Festival opens

Glenn Goodman struggles with John Smith (above) in Olympic Festival wresting com-
petition. Smith won the match. Page 3.

## Sox send down Karkovice

The White Sox send catcher Ron Karkovice and pitchers Joel Mckeon and Bryan Clark

## Cubs set for second half

 The Cubs are set for the second half-and are the San Francisco Giants, their op-ponent for the next four games. Page 4 .

## Van Berg wins No. 5,000

 Trainer Jack Van Berg has a winner at Ar-lington Park Wednesday and becomes the ington Park Wednesday and becomes the
By Bill Jauss
Chicago Tribune
INDIANAPOLIS-U.S.S. men
are floundering badly in world
tennis competition because
many of them are spoiled, lazy
and don't work hard.
Tennis folks around the world
have been leveling those charges
lately. On Wednesday, Arthur
Ashe reluctantly agreed.
"Americans are not as hungry
as players in countries where
tennis is a way out,", said former
Wimbledon champion Ashe,
who conducted a clinic Wednes-
day for 2,000 kids at the U.S.
Clay Courts tournament.

| Shriver wins, Turnbull loses in Newport, R.I. Page 7. <br> To illustrate his point, Ashe referred to his former UCLA doubles partner Ian Crookenden, now tennis coach at Wake Forest. <br> "Ian tells me that he recruits all foreign players," said Ashe. "He says, Americans are spoiled, they can't be coached and they don't try. <br> "I may be 5 percentage points off in this, but I understand that one-half of the tennis scholargoing to foreign players. They |
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## SOX FANS



Lifelong White Sox fans Sara Sheehan (from left), daughter Sara and granddaughter Laura.

## One big, happy family

By Bob Logan
Jacob Rifkin wanted to be a real American.
That's why this Russian immigrant became a That's why this Russian immigrant became a at Ellis Island.
Now Now, nearly 90 years later, a fourth genera-
tion of Rifkins is growing up to root for the
Whe White Sox, the team Jacob Rifkin adopted as
his favorite. A skoilled. tailor like Jacob could make a good
A sing in 1914, the year he settled in Elgin after living in 1914 , the year he settled in Elgin after
spending time in New York and Cleveland. Before long, Rifkin and his eldest son, Ben, were riding tory, murtaniplied a million times, is one
His story, masen why baseall has flourished despite the
reandals and strikes that have hit the game and
scandal ccandals and strikes that have hit the game and
the Great Depression that hit this country in
and he Great Depression that hit this country in
the 1930. Whereer they setted, immigrants
ook their families to the ballpark, turning loytook their families to the ballpark, turning loy-
alty to one team into a tradition to be passed alty to one team into a tradition to be passed
along from father to son. Gradually, mothers, daughters, aunts, uncles. and assorted cousins joined in seeking fun at the old ballpark.
Before he died at 80 in 1967, Grandpa Rifkin Before he died at 80 in 107 , Gry in action at
found the kind of demoracy Comiskey Park that made his heart swell with
pride: He got to buy a bag of peanuts for Will pride. Me potident of the American Leaguu.
Haridge, presider
"Only in America," Jacob Rifkin told his son. "Where else could a Jewish immigrant tailor from Russia do something like this?"
Actually, his peanut purchase for the family questing a bas games was a ritual. By requesting a bag, too, Harridge was letting the
man in the adjoining box know that they were With minor changes in detail, the Rifkin With minor changes in detail, the Rifkin
chronicles can be used to explain the lifelong
emotional ties to the White Sox shared by emotional ties to the White Sox shared by countless other fans, including Jacob's son,
Ben, 70, an attorney who still lives in Elgin, Ben, 70 , an attorney who still lives in Elgin,
sharing the same law office with his son, Jeff;
Charles Bedrosian, 40 , who lives in Cub terri Charles Bedrosian, 40 , who lives in Cub terri-
tory on the city's Northwest Side; and Laura Sheehan, 12, from Oswego, who caught Sox
fever from her grandmother. All these people grew up in swiftly changing totally different worlds, but one common thread binds them together through the years.
They're Chicago White Sox fans. Diehard Sox fans. Loyal, patient, permanent fans. On that fans. Loyal, patient, permanent fans.
point, theres no generation gap in the Rifkin
Bedrosian and Sheehan families.

Jeff Rifkin (left) and his father, Ben, were $\begin{gathered}\text { Tribune pholo by Ovie Carer } \\ \text { fater }\end{gathered}$ Jeff Rifkin (left) and his father, Ben, were
fortunate to be around for the Sox's 1959
pennant, but Jeff's son, Jake, is still waiting.

Working-class people supported this team ight from the start in 1900, when Charles A. omiskey transierred his Minneapolis franchise League. The crafty Comiskey stole the "White Stockings" nickname that originally had elonged to the Cubs (it was shortened to
Sox" in 1902) and made sure plenty of 25 "Sox" in 1902 ) and made sure plenty of $25-$
cent bleacher seats were available for blue-collar cent bleac
fans.
The Old

The Old Roman's gesture solidified Sox sup-
port in the steel mills, slaughtertouses and ories that flourished on the booming South Side at the turn of the century. Jacob Rifkin learned that the Comiskey welcome mat was out during a brief stop in Chicago before he
settled in Elgin. As soon as he could afford it, acob came back to the ballpark, and his desendants will keep on coming.
Mary Frances Veeck, widow of former Sox
wner Bill Veeck, ner Bill Veeck, agrea corking man s

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## OSU drops top receiver

Carter signed with agents
By Jody Homer
Cris Carter, the all-time
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and signing a contract with an
$\begin{gathered}\text { Buckeye Athletic Director }\end{gathered}$
Rick Bay, speaking at a news
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Indiana's Steve Alford and
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Northwestern's Jennifer Averiil } \\ & \text { win Big } 10 \text { honors. Page } 9 .\end{aligned}$
agreement with Lloyd Bloom
$\begin{aligned} & \text { and Norby Walters, agents of } \\ & \text { Vorld Entertainment and Sports }\end{aligned}$
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$\begin{aligned} & \text { In addition to a } \$ 5,000 \\ & \text { promissory note, Carter received }\end{aligned}$
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ever actions a long period of time"
$\begin{aligned} & \text { that the university had no choice } \\ & \text { but to declare Carter ineligible, }\end{aligned}$
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$\begin{aligned} & \text { Carter, a } 6 \text {-foot-3-inch, 194- } \\ & \text { Cors }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { pounder, was one of the stars on } \\ & \text { a Buckeye team expected to }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { contend for the national cham- } \\ & \text { pionship this year. He caught } 66\end{aligned}$


Cris Carter won't be making catches for Ohio State.
passes last season for 1,066 yards and 11 touchdowns, all
school records. For his career Carter had 168 catches and 27 "There will be a lot of Ohio State football games after Cris
Carter" Bruce said by Carter," Bruce said by phone
late Wednesday from Athens, Ga. "I was naturally hurt, disap pointed, kind of mad. I was an-
gered that someone would do that to our football program and play, don't you think? got to feeling the line, h? apply to him, but they do. This was almost a criminal act. It
would be like a coach giving kid money before he came to
school. It's a form of prostitu

## Hall-of-Famers reveal

 pitching's inside storyChicago Tribune
Feller
ALAND-Fireballing Bob Feller, the big strikeout artist of
his generation, has this advice for today's major--league pitchers:
"Go Stillman's Gym and take Go to Stillmanns Gym and take get a black belt in karate and take
sprint lessons. The way things are going, they're going to have to be very good at the 100 -yard dash." Hall-of-Famer Feller made
those observations during the Allthose observations during the All-
Star festitivies in response to the growing beanball rhubarbs. In
Chicago, of course, it Chicago, of course, it was Andre
Dawson vs. Eric Show of the Dawson vs. Eric Show of the
Padres. But there were other incidents last week: Willie Wilson,
Kansas City, vs. Ken Schrom Kansas City, v. Ken Schrom,
Cleveland; Brett Butler, Cleveland, vs. Danny Jackson, K.C.; and Mark McGwire, Oakland's. rookie
sluger, vs. the Boston Red Sox. slugger, vs. the Boston Red Sox.
Bart Giamatti, the former Yale Bart Giamatti, the former Yale
professor who is is his rookie season as the National League president, has declared war on the
beanball and has instructed his beanbails to eject all pitchered plotumpires to eject all pitchers plot-
ting and committing such
mayhem. mayhem. Bobby Brown, the Ameri-
Dr. can League boss, hasn't issued
comparable proclamation, al though the good doctor has an-
nounced he is against fighting on
the field. Brown, of course, is an more expert than Giamatti or on the continuing battle between pitchers and hitters.
A former Yankee infielder, of the brushback pitch. Feller, who had a 98 -mile-an-hour fastball, sent him sprawling into the
dirt on more than one occasion "There is no easy solution,"
"Than one "There is no easy solution,"
Brown explained. "Pitchers will always throw inside and hitters will always go down. Our worry is By coincidence, Feller and By coincidence, Feller and
Brown were together here last Sunday during an old-timers
game. Said Feller to Brown: "'m game. Said Feller to Brown: "I'm
sorry, Bobby, but you had to go
down. You were crowding the plate." Brown smiled, then replied: "I nderstand. You weren't the only

Alford, Averill named top athletes in Big 10


## Carter

Contin
tion." In a statement, Carter said, "I r
gret the actions I took that make necessary for Ohio State to declare
me ineligible. I did not realize at the time the consequences that
would result or the pain I would cause." Berry, a member of the
Robert Bert
faculty at the Booston College School of Law, was at the news conference
representing Carter. He said federal representing Carter. He said federal
charges, such a tax evasion, could
be brought against Carter, who was testifying before a federal grand jury
in Chicago looking into the dealings in Chicago looking into
of Walters and Bloom.
Berry said he favored having Ohio
State appeal Carter's case to the NCAA due to "extenuating and, to
an extent, bizarre circumstances."
Berry said George an extent, bizarre circumstances.
Berry said George Carter intro-
duced his brother to Bloom and
Walters and Walters and then encouraged him
to sign. Berry said he believed George Carter was in the employ of
Walter and Bloom when he Bay said the Buckeyes wouldn't
take Carter's case to the NCAA admitting, "it's a tough situation when you've got someone in your
own family telling you what to do." Published repports of Carter's sign-
ing surfaced early this year. An in ing surfaced early this year. An in-
ternal investigation by the Ohio
State athletic depaty State athletic department found
Carter innocent of any wrongdoing. "I asked him explicitly if he knew
Norby Walters, and he said he did,"
Bay said "I asked him if he had Bay said. "I asked him if he had
taken money from him, and he said
he did not. I asked him if he had signed a contract, and he said he One of Carter's attorneys, Kevin
Sharkey, told Bruce of Carter's involvement during a meeting Friday-
Bruce suspended Carter in April during the final days of spring prac-
tice for violating team rules. Bruce refused to be more specificic, but said
at the time it had at the time it had nothing to do
with agents. After spring drills, Car-
ter was reinstated poenaed to appear before the grand
jury.
Bruce advocated registering agents
with the state and preventing them from operating in a state if they lines. League wanted to do collegeg fooll-
ball a big service, they wouldn't take anyone who "ealt with an agent,"
Bruce said. "I think the NFL can help our cause a lot."
Once the ineligibility of a player

\section*{| Carter's statistics |  |  |  |  |
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| Year | Rec. | Yards | Avg. | TDs | <br> | 86 | 66 | 1,066 | 16.4 | 11 | 72 |
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| Totals | 165 | 2,664 | 16.2 | 27 | 72 |
| Ohio State record |  |  |  |  |  | Onio State record}

is declared by the school, that play-
er then can petition the NFL for a supplemental draft, as Carter might
However "just because somebody
is made ineligible doesn"t necesority made ineligiole doesnt necessarily,
maid them eligible for the draft,"
said Ni Director of Informatio Dick Maxwell. "First, we'd get to
gether information from the playe
and then we'd decide if and then we'd decide if, indeed, he
should be allowed [to get into a
draft]." Maxwell wouldn't elaborate on
what sort of information the what sort of information the league
would look for before making its
decision. If a supplemental draft is held for
Carter, the Indianapolis Colts would
have the first have the first choice, followed by
the Kansas City Chiefs and Atlanta
Falcons The Falcons. Th. Dears would be the they would lose their first-round
pick in the 1988 draft. In addition to losing a gifted play-
er, Ohio State's record might get Wome retroactive losses.
Whight get
Wher or not the Buckeyes will have to forfeit last thear's Big 10 vic-
tories will be determined by the

The Ohio State case will not be
decided in isolation. Jowa's Ronnie
Harmon and Purdue's Rod Wood son also were alleged to
to early with Walters.
"We have been discussing this
issue for a while because we have a number of situations of this sort,
and it's unprecedented," said Big 10 "There's issioner Wayne Duke. unprecedented, so it's something
we're In the first week in June, the presidents of the conference schools 10 meeting concerning the agents

The issues of forfeiting games and agents were discussed. No decisions were made.
The presidents asked the conference office to "continue our active
involvement in this and involvement in this and to keep,
them apprised of the situation,"
Duke said Duke said.
The commi
bility of forfeits could be discusssed
again at

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