

KENTUCKY GOLF HALL OF FAME

Dave Peege



2016
Nomination

Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame

2016 Nomination Form

NOMINEE'S NAME

Peege Richard Dave D
Last Name First Name Nickname (if applicable) Middle Initial

NOMINEE'S DATE OF BIRTH

1963 06 24th
Year Month Day

RESIDENCE

Years Kentucky Resident (minimum 5 years required) 53

Current Residence
4615 OAK Pointe Drive Louisville Ky 40245
Address City State Zip

STATUS

- ☐ Amateur
☒ Professional
☐ Deceased (please provide date of death _____)

KEY AREAS (check all that are applicable)

- ☒ Playing Achievements
☒ Contribution/Promotion of the Game
☐ Contribution to Junior Golf
☐ Teaching of the game
☐ Golf Course Architecture
☐ Turf Grass Research
☐ Golf Course Management/Maintenance
☐ National Recognition

SUPPORTING MATERIALS

Required

- ✓ One page type written biography of nominee
- ✓ Two (2) Letters of Nomination

Suggested

- ✓ Newspaper articles
- ✓ Photographs

Dave Peege Career Golf Resume

- 4 Time Kentucky Open Champion 1983, 1985, 1990, 1993

Pro Career

- PGA Tour Member 1992, 1993
 - Stats: Top Ten Driving Accuracy; Top Ten Save Saves
- Canadian Tour Member 1987, 1988
 - Stats: 1987 12th Money List
 - 2nd Lowest Stroke Avg. 68.98 for the year → 1988 17th Money List
- Winner of 10 Professional Events (non PGA Tour)

College Career Ole Miss University

- First Team All American 1984, 1985
- Fred Haskin Award Runner Up (National Player of the Year) 1984
- SEC Championship Winner 1983 → SEC Player of the Year 1984, 1985
- First Team All SEC 1983, 1984, 1985 → SEC Freshman of the Year 1982
- Ole Miss Male Athlete of Year 1984 (Only Golfer to Date to Win the Award)
- Ole Miss Individual Golf Records
 - 7 Time Collegiate Tournament Winner → Most Top 5's in a Season (9) 1984
 - Most Top 5's in a Career (17) 1982 – 1985 → Most Top 10's in a Season (10) 1984
 - Lowest Single Round (62) & Current Course Record (Gator Inv.)
 - Lowest 2 Round Score (131) → Lowest 3 Round Score (203)
 - Most Tournament Wins (7)
- Ole Miss Team Records
 - SEC Champions 1984 → 4th NCAA Championship 1985

Amateur

- Western Amateur Runner Up 1985
- 4 Time Winner of Kentucky Amateur Tournaments
 - Kentucky State Two Man
 - Daniel Boone Invitational (2) → Shelbyville Invitational
- Junior Golf
 - PGA National Junior (4th) 1977, 1979
 - Insurance Youth Classic (Top 10) 1980
 - PGA Junior Cup National Team 1980
 - Kentucky State Junior Champion 1980
 - Kentucky State Championship Team (Trinity High School) 1978, 1979
 - 4 time winner of Local High School Tournaments
 - Kentucky All State Team 1980, 1981

Recognitions

- Ole Miss University Hall of Fame (2000)
- Trinity High School Hall of Fame (2005)

June 20, 2016

Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame Committee:

I am writing this letter in support of Dave Peege's nomination to the Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame.

I have known Dave for 40 years and he has always been one of the prominent and best Kentucky players in our generation. Dave has had an illustrious career on the golf course, winning championships as an amateur and a professional.

Dave has won the Kentucky Open 4 times, second only to current Hall of Fame member Jack Ryan. His battles for the titles with other Kentucky Hall of Fame Members Jodie Mudd and Larry Gilbert were epic. Dave also had one of the most illustrious college careers in NCAA and Ole Miss University history. He won the SEC Championship in 1983 as a sophomore, he was a 3 time SEC First team selection, 2 time First team All American and runner-up for the Fred Haskins award (National collegiate player of the year) in 1984. Dave still holds several Ole Miss University golfing records including being awarded the Ole Miss Athlete of the Year award in 1984. Dave is still the only golfer to win this award in Ole Miss history. Dave has since been inducted into the Ole Miss Hall of Fame in 2000.

After his collegiate career, Dave went onto the Canadian tour for 2 years, finishing in the top 20 money list both years. After a few years of trying the PGA Tour School Qualifying, he broke through in the Fall of 1991 and was a PGA Tour member in 1992 and 1993.

After 1993, Dave decided the Tour life was not his passion. He became a PGA Club Professional apprentice for 2 years at Big Spring Country Club. Then followed this up as a teaching Professional for several years. Dave currently is in the automobile industry where he still resides in Louisville, KY. as he has for his entire life. Dave has always given back to the game since he retired, whether by teaching junior clinics or assisting with the Trinity High School golf team where he is also a Hall of Fame member.

Being inducted into the Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame is a great honor, I believe Dave Peege's golfing accomplishments are more than worthy and he will make a great addition to this prestigious club.

Thank You for Your Consideration.

Best,



Steve Stallings

Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame Committee

It is my pleasure to write this letter as a recommendation supporting Dave Peege's nomination to the Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame.

Fortunately, I was able to follow Dave's career and supply him with equipment as a professional golfer in my days at PowerBilt. He was a successful golfer with the ability to finish in big events. An example of that is his four wins in the Kentucky Open, the second most in the history of this prestigious event. This is more wins than Hall of Famers and legendary players Frank Beard, Bobby Nichols, Gay Brewer, Jodie Mudd, Steve Flesch, & Larry Gilbert. Hopefully, this accomplishment, in itself, would merit Hall of Fame consideration.


Dave's career certainly covered more than the Kentucky Open. He was a successful player at Ole Miss achieving First Team All American honors in 1984 & 1985. Also, he was SEC Player of the Year in those same years. During his career at Ole Miss, Dave won seven collegiate events, including the SEC Championship in 1983. As of today, he is still the only golfer to be named Male Athlete of the Year at Ole Miss.

His amateur and Junior record in Kentucky was outstanding as well. He won a number of events and was named to the Kentucky All State Golf Team in 1980 and 1981.

Dave turned professional in 1987 and competed successfully on the Canadian Tour and others. He joined the PGA Tour in 1992 and 1993.

Today Dave resides in Louisville with his family. He has remained active by teaching junior clinics and lending his expertise to the Trinity High School golf team. He is a fine person and is more than deserving of consideration to be a member of the Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame.

Thank You

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Phil Armbruster", written in a cursive style.

Phil Armbruster

Peege leads wire to wire to win Open

8-24-85
Winner holds off 3 foes with a 74

LEXINGTON, KY., SATURDAY, AUGUST 24

By Gene McLean
Herald-Leader staff writer

When Dave Peege heard that the Kentucky Open was going to be played at Lakeside Golf Course, he smiled to himself. It was where he shot his first round of golf under 70. It was where his golf game really began to take off.

"You know, I really love this place," Peege said. "I really thought I could win here. This place is really special for me."

Even more so now. Yesterday, Dave Peege, who led after every round, rolled in a 2-foot knee-knocker on the 72nd hole to win the Kentucky Open by one stroke.

Peege, who had rounds of 68, 68, 69 and a 2-over 74, finished the tournament with a 9-under-par total of 279.

Finishing second at 280 were Louisville pro Ted Schulz (69-71-69-71), and Peege's playing partners Howard Logan (72-66-69-73) and Jim Vernon (70-70-68-72).

For being low pro, Schulz pocketed the top prize of the tourney, \$3,000.

But this was Peege's day.

"I had all year to think about that Ted Schulz was the Kentucky Open champ (in 1984) and I wasn't," Peege said. "That just put a fire under my seat. I took great pride in being the Kentucky Open champ (in 1983). I identified myself that way. Last year burned me."

"This really was a special win for me. It's my last tournament as an amateur and I wanted to go out the right way — with a victory."

Yesterday, though, wasn't the best of golf days for Peege. He started the day with a 2-shot advantage over Logan, a 3-shot edge over Vernon and a 4-shot lead over Schulz. And he needed every shot. He struggled all day to hold all of them off.

"I didn't play great golf," Peege said. "I had something wrong with my golf swing. But I won and that's what



Herald-Leader

Dave Peege tries to coax a putt

Peege hangs to capture Op

"That putt on No. 8 really boosted my spirits," Peege said. "That felt like an eagle. I felt like I was going to win it after that."

Then came Schulz and the second scare. When Schulz, playing in the group ahead of Peege, birdied No. 12, he dropped to 10 under par for the tournament and tied Peege.

But Peege survived again. On No. 14, Schulz hit his 1-iron to the right, dumped his wedge in the trap and blasted out about 20 feet past the hole. Then he proceeded to 4-putt for a

Peege edges Stephens in playoff for Kentucky Open Crown

Dave Peege let a three shot lead slip away on the final three holes of regulation play, then bounced back to birdie the third hole of a playoff with Pat Stephens to win the 1983 Hillerich & Bradsby Kentucky Open.

Peege, the current Southeastern Conference champion, and Stephens, the reigning Southern Amateur king, toured the Hunting Creek Country Club layout in even par totals of 216 for the three rounds and led an amateur sweep of the top four places. 1983 State Amateur champion Ted Schulz and three-time State Amateur titlist Jimmy Brown of Paducah tied for third place at 217.

Host club assistant professional John Phillips took home the \$3,000 Low Pro prize as his 219 total left him two shots ahead of Brad Fabel of Madisonville and Eddie Mudd of Louisville.

A record field of 272 players was trimmed to 162 by three Sectional Qualifying events. Qualifying rounds survivors joined exempt players to do battle for \$11,500 in prize money and \$6,000 worth of amateur merchandise prizes.

Hillerich & Bradsby sponsored the Kentucky Open for the seventh consecutive year and offered a special bonus for the players to shoot for. A \$10,000 cash prize was offered to the first player making a hole-in-one on the 155-yard twelfth hole. Louisville amateur Mike Campbell did score a hole-in-one during the 1983 Open but unfortunately for Mike it came on the 178-yard second hole instead of on

shot over professional Brad Fabel, who spent much of his summer playing in the PGA's Tournament Players Series. Stephens was tied at 70 with Bowling Green Country Club professional Trey Stiles. Schulz and Jeff McGill were at 71 along with amateurs Nick Pearl of Radcliff and Scott Beard of Louisville. Brown was tied with three fellow amateurs—Harcourt Kemp, Mark McDaniel and Phil Krick Jr.—at 72 as amateurs claimed nine of the top twelve spots after the opening round.

Two of the pre-tourney favorites were off to rough starts. National Club Professional champion Larry Gilbert of Doe Valley Country Club, a three-time Kentucky Open winner, struggled to a 77 while defending champion Steve Rogers of Bowling Green triple-bogeyed the final hole to fall six shots off the pace at 74.

Round Two - August 17

Peege shot an even par 72 and stretched his lead to two shots by the end of the day. Stephens was alone in second place at 142 with Schulz in third a stroke farther back. The nearest professional challengers were McGill and Phillips, tied with Brown for fourth place five shots off the lead, so it appeared that an amateur would wear the Kentucky Open crown for the fourth time in five years.



Both Stephens and Schulz were in a run at Peege during the day but a key birdie on the 15th helped Dave maintain a lead. Stephens drew even on the 15th birdie but then bogeyed #17 to fall behind by two within one shot on a couple of occasions but dropped back after hitting his tee shot on #15.

1981 Kentucky Open champion Phil Krick, head professional of Bowling Green Country Club, might have won the Kentucky Open record for most players passed in one opening round 82 left Phil in 117th place before he finished with a three under par (his best round) and vaulted to 25th.

Final Round - August 18

Two spectacular rounds by the eventual winner and runner-up, highlighted the final round.

Peege maintained his lead throughout the first 15 holes. Stephens appeared to be in great trouble but led Stephens and Schulz into the final holes—a very testing finish at Hunting Creek. Dave bogeyed the 16th and 17th holes, but Pat moved within one shot after bogeying #16 and birdieing #17 and #18, two shots coming to the wire.

A hooked tee shot on the 18th left Dave in big trouble before the long par four hole. Stephens hit in spectacular fashion with a two iron around the tree of the green, leaving him in a position to wrap up the win with a two-putt. His first putt (from 10 feet) was within six feet. Schulz left a 30-foot birdie putt but missed after a couple of inches. Stephens left a four-footer for his par. Stephens' six-footer for the win slid into the hole and Pat's par four footer sent him and Dave to the 18th hole.

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Mr. Dave Peege
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Louisville, KY 40222

Dear Dave:

Being selected as a member of the 1985 All-American Collegiate Golf Team is an honor you richly deserve!

It was great seeing you and having you at the 21st Annual Gala. I hope you enjoyed your stay in New York and your visits to Winged Foot and Deepdale Golf Clubs.

Here's hoping you enjoy a long and successful career. If you're ever in need of assistance, please don't hesitate to give our office a call.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM DENIS FUGAZY
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Senior, Louisville, Ky.

Nominee For 1985 Player of the Year

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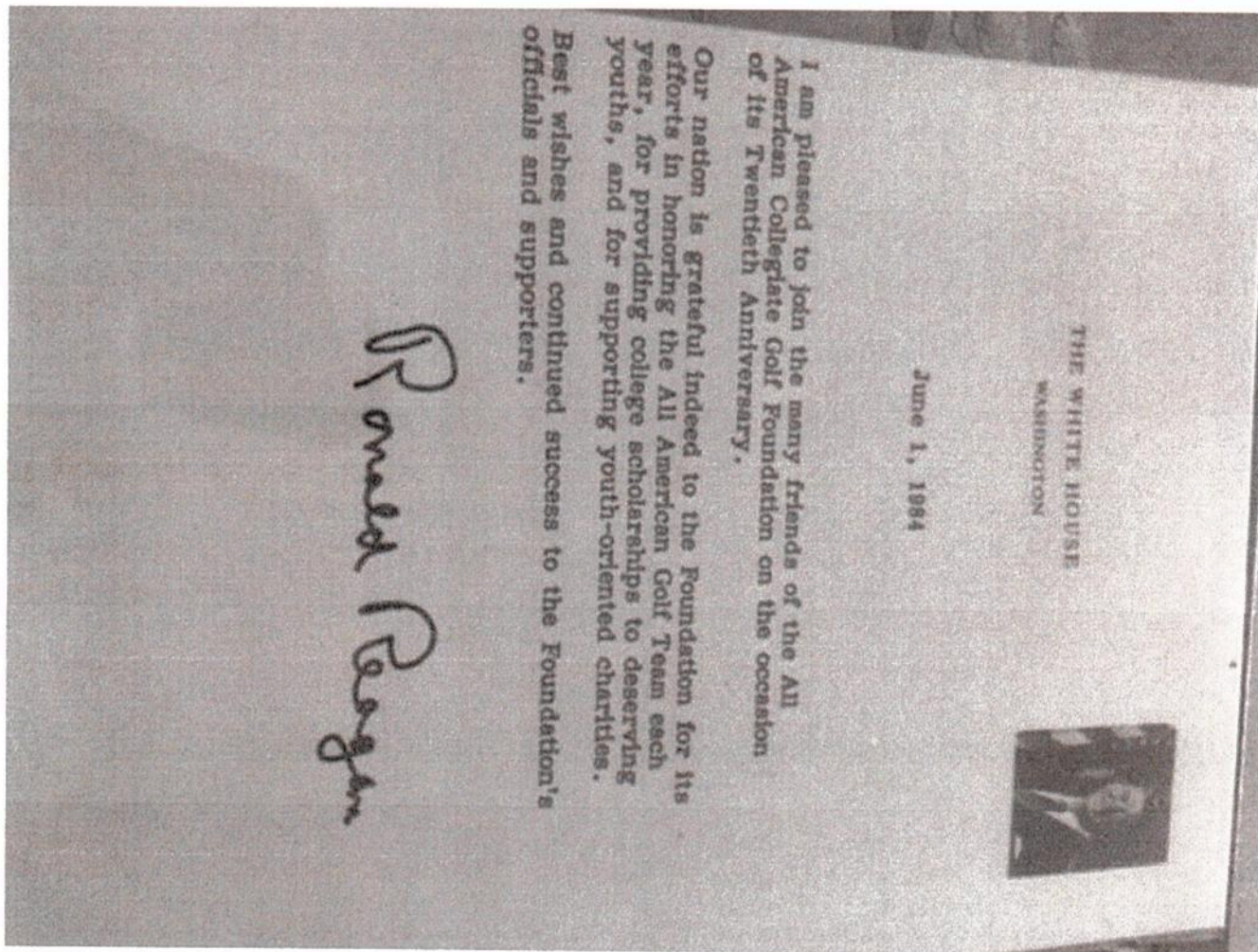
- ✓ Winner of 1984 (Fall) LSU National & 1985 Gator Invitational, Runner-Up at 1985 Imperialakes
- ✓ Leads Team with 71.8 Stroke Average in 1984-85
- ✓ 1st Team All-American in 1984
- ✓ 1984 SEC Player of the Year, Unanimous 1st Team All-SEC
- ✓ Runner-Up, 1984 SEC Championships, SEC Medalist, 1983 SEC Freshman of the Year, 1982
- ✓ Ole Miss Nominee For SEC Male Athlete of the Year, 1984
- ✓ Winner of 8 Career Medalist Titles
- ✓ Holder of 7 Ole Miss Records: Single-Season Victories (3, 1983-84), Most Top 10 Finishes (10, 1983-84), Most Top 5 Finishes (9, 1983-84), Most Rounds Under Par (22, 1983-84), Most Rounds Par or Better (27, 1983-84), Season Stroke Average (70.8, 1983-84), Low 3-Day Total (203, 1983-84 & 1984-85), Low Single Round (62, 1984-85)

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THE RECORD BOOK

1984 COLLEGE RESULTS

MEN

ALL-AMERICAN INTERCOLL.: Brigham Young; Philip Parkin, Texas A&M.
 AMERICAN INV.: UCLA; Duffy Waldorf, UCLA.
 ANDY BEAN-GRENELEFE INTERCOLL.: Houston, Scott Dunlap, Florida.
 ATLANTIC COAST: North Carolina; Davis Love, North Carolina.
 BAHAMA INTERCOLL.: Gullford, Keith King, Gullford.
 BALL STATE INV.: Louisville; Jim Kincaid, Wittenburg.
 BIG EAST CONF.: St. John's; Pat Fogarty, St. John's.
 BIG 8: Missouri; Scott Verplank, Oklahoma State.
 BIG 10: Ohio State; Mike Ingram, Indiana.
 BIG SKY: Nevada-Reno; Danny Moore, Boise State.
 BORDER OLYMPICS: Texas; Paul Thomas, Texas.
 CHARLEY ANGELO INV.: Steve Elkington, Houston.
 CHRIS SCHENKEL: Oklahoma State; Scott Verplank, Oklahoma State.
 COLUMBIA LAKES INTERCOLL.: Houston; Philip Parkin, Texas A&M.
 COUGAR CL.: Rick Fehr, Brigham Young.
 ECAC CONF.: Central Conn.; Ed Weber, Ramapo.
 FLORIDA INTERCOLL.: Florida; Woody Austin, Miami.
 FLORIDA GATOR INV.: Florida; Dave Peege, Mississippi.
 FLORIDA SOUTHERN INV.: Florida; Fred Wadsworth, South Carolina.
 FRIPP ISLAND (S.C.) INV.: Ball State; Bob Baughn,

PAN AMERICAN INTERCOLL.: Brigham Young; David Peege, Mississippi.
 PAN AMERICAN CL.: Texas Christian; Jeff Wilk, Oklahoma City.
 PANHANDLE INV.: Mississippi; Ben Bates, Trc State (Ala.).
 PENNICK INV.: Houston; Kyle Cooty, Texas.
 RAFAEL ALARCON INTERCOLL.: Brigham Young; Peter Persons, Georgia.
 ROLLINS INV.: Brevard-A Team; Greg Jones, Brevard.
 SAM HOUSTON/JAMES McIVER: McLennan; F Morris, Paris JC.
 SEMINOLE INV.: Florida State; Brian Kamm, F State.
 SHERATON-NICHOLLS STATE INTERCOLL.: McNeese State; Keith Harris, McNeese State.
 SOUTH CAROLINA INV.: South Carolina; Fred Wadsworth, South Carolina.
 SOUTHEAST CONF.: Mississippi; Dave Peege, Mississippi.
 SOUTHEASTERN INTERCOLL.: (Sr. Div.) George; Bob Wolcott, Georgia; (Jr. Div.) Lennan; Warnock, Alexander City.
 SOUTHERN CONF.: Furman; Ed Kirby, Furman.
 SOUTHERN INV.: (Sr. Div.) Troy St. (Ala.); (Jr. Div.) Lennan; Bi.
 Tennyson, Ball State; (Jr. Div.) Alexander C.
 Community College, Mike Warnock, Alexander C.
 SOUTHWEST CONF.: Houston; Steve Elkington.
 SOUTHWEST ATH.: Southern Univ.; Paul Moor, Southern Univ.



Members of the 1984 All-American Collegiate golf team are (from left) Chris Perry, Ohio State; John Inman, North Carolina; Philip Parkin, Texas A & M; Steve Elkington, Houston; Rick

Fehr, Brigham Young; Dave Peege, Mississippi; Sam Randolph, Southern California; Scott Verplank, Oklahoma State, and Bob Wolcott, Georgia.

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THE 1984 ALL-AMERICAN COLLEGIATE GOLF TEAM

The 1984 All-American Collegiate Golf Team is one with a strong international flavor. It's also a team of "firsts." For the first time in the history of All-American Golf, two foreign players, Philip Parkin of Wales and Steve Elkington of Wollongong, Australia, were chosen to the elite nine-man team. The homes of this year's All-Americans stretch nearly across the world, from Wales to North Carolina to California to Australia.

Parkin played for Texas A & M, and Elkington for the NCAA champion University of Houston and was runner-up for the individual title.

For the first time Texans didn't dominate the Team. Scott Verplank, the youngest member at 19, is from Dallas but plays for Oklahoma State. Minnesota (Chris Perry), California (Sam Randolph), Kentucky (Dave Peege), Washington (Rick Fehr), Tennessee (Bob Wolcott) and North Carolina (John Inman) claim the others.

Perry, who was voted Player of The Year, is a three-time All-American and is the only returnee from last year's team. Chris won five tournaments this year, giving him 14 career victories for the Ohio State Buckeyes.

FIRST TEAM

Steve Elkington	University of Houston	Junior
Rick Fehr	Brigham Young University	Senior
John Inman	University of North Carolina	Senior
Philip Parkin	Texas A & M	Sophomore
Dave Peege	University of Mississippi	Junior
Chris Perry	Ohio State University	Senior
Sam Randolph	University of Southern California	Sophomore
Scott Verplank	Oklahoma State University	Sophomore
Bob Wolcott	University of Georgia	Senior

Members of the 1984 Team almost completed a "Grand Slam" of amateur golf. Parkin is the reigning British Amateur Champion, while Perry went to the finals of the U.S. Amateur before losing to Jay Sigel.

Four seniors, Perry, Rick Fehr, Bob Wolcott and John Inman; three sophomores, Sam Randolph, Parkin and Verplank, and two juniors, Peege and Elkington make up the team. They have won 34 tournaments, including three conference championships, Verplank, Big 8; Elkington, Southwest, and Fehr, Western Athletic Conference.

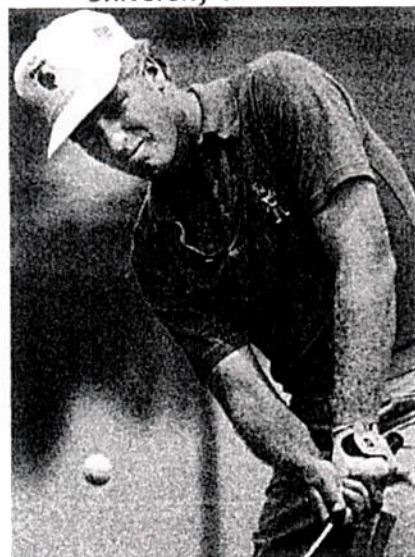
Fehr was a First Team All-American in 1982 but only Second Team last year. He was a member of the U.S. Walker Cup Team in 1983.

John Inman was the first representative of the University of North Carolina to win the NCAA individual title. John shot a 17-under-par 271 on the Bear Creek Masters course in Houston to erase Masters Champion Ben Crenshaw's previous 273 record which Ben shot in 1971 at Tucson. Inman's brother, Joe, a tour pro, made All-American in 1969, except he did it playing for Wake Forest.

And Dave Peege (pronounced Peggy) became the University of Mississippi's first All-American and its best player since Dr. Cary Middlecoff performed for Ole Miss.

One can't pick the future stars of this talented team, but it's a certainty that some will go on to become big stars on the PGA Tour. You can look it up from the roster of former All-Americans.

Steve Elkington
University of Houston



Junior, 21, 6ft.-2in. and 185 pounds.
Hometown: Wollongong, N.S.W. Australia

After winning every tournament in his age bracket in Australia and New Zealand since he was 14, Steve Elkington decided to focus his skills on the Doug Sanders Junior in Houston in 1980. He won there, too.

Dave Williams, who has coached 15 NCAA champions, said about a year later he got a letter from Elkington, asking Williams if he could get a scholarship. "I told him all I could give him was his tuition," said Dave, "so Steve agreed to come to Houston."

The husky blond bomber repaid Williams and the University of Houston the last week of May when he shot 13-under-par 275 to pace the Cougars to their 15th NCAA team victory. Elkington,

Davis Love, Jr., who was a very good PGA Tour professional and now teaches the game.

A prodigious hitter, young Love won the long driving championship as a yearling with a belt of 293 yards in 1983 at Fresno.

People and colleagues make a fuss about Love's awesome drives, but they forget that he's very straight, too.

"I'd say my accuracy percentage is about 80 percent," said Davis. "I'm more proud of that than I am my distance."

Love beat the best collegians in the All-Star Classic last fall and also the Mid-Atlantic. He was second in the Palmetto and Tar Heel and third in the Hilton Head and Gamecock tournaments. He was never out of the top 10 and carried a 71.3 stroke average for Coach Devon Brouse and his Tar Heel team.

Last year was also an outstanding one for Love. He won the Atlantic Coast Conference and the Grenelefe Invitational. He was eighth in the NCAA Championship. In addition, he won the coveted North-South Amateur.

Love's strong suit is his ability to strike consistent shots. "I usually hit a lot of greens, so I have a lot of birdie opportunities. Sometimes my putting goes bad but I guess that's a natural thing with all players," he said.

Dave Peege
University of Mississippi



Senior, 5ft-9in., 188 pounds. Age 21
Hometown: Louisville, Kentucky.

At the beginning of this season, Dave Peege made a pact with fellow All-American Steve Elkington to return to New York as repeat All-Americans.

"I made things tougher when I hurt my hand, so I was really pressing when we played our first tournament," he revealed. "I won the LSU Invitational by three against a strong field and knew I was on the right track."

Peege (pronounced Peggy) solidified his position by winning the Gator Intercollegiate. He shot an incredible eight-under-par 62 and won by six shots.

He was second twice and made the top 10 eight times. He compiled a 71.2 stroke average for 30 rounds, including six consecutive rounds in the 60s.

For these accomplishments he was voted Southeastern Conference Player of the Year.

Peege, the Fuzzy Zoeller of the collegiate ranks, turned serious and gave a "lot of credit" to his teammate, Darren Cole.

"He inspired me by being such a fine player" said Dave. "Maybe he was an intimidating factor because I knew I had to play better than Darren to be a candidate."

Peege, the best player to come out of Ole Miss since two-time U.S. Open Champion Cary Middlecoff, says he likes to have fun and joke around when he plays. Perhaps that's why he looks up to Fuzzy, who lives a short way from Louisville.

Dave, who says he may be a pro by the time of the All-American Dinner, also credits his coach, Ernest Ross, for his improvement.

"I've gained confidence over the last year and now I'm not happy unless I win the tournament," he said. "I'm a good putter but can be a bad putter. I've got to gain consistency. I feel I've got to be under 30 putts a round to play very well. I think I need more experience in putting on fast greens. I know I can do it. Now I have to go out and do it."

Sam Randolph
University of Southern California



Junior, 6ft-1in., 170 pounds. Age 21
Hometown: Santa Barbara, California.

With tough Duffy Waldorf in the field, Sam Randolph had to shoot some fancy numbers to win West Coast tournaments. So he did. He shot 67-67-66=200, 16 under par, to win the Fresno Pepsi Classic; 68-67-135, 9 under, to win the Southern California Intercollegiate at Torrey Pines, where the PGA pros play the Andy Williams Open; and 212, 4 under, on the tough North Ranch course to win the USC Southwestern Invitational. He broke his own record at Fresno and won by 10 shots.

The long-hitting Randolph, whose father, Sam Sr., is the head pro at La Cumbre Country Club in Santa Barbara, has done well when not winning. He was second in the Butler National and Pacific Coast Intercollegiate and third in the Pac-10 Conference.

Sam is one of four repeating All-Americans and one of the three juniors on the 1985 team. He was runner-up to Scott Verplank for the U.S. title and then lit up the lights when he tied for 18th in the prestigious Masters. He shot 290 despite going five-over par while playing the 18th hole four times.

USC Coach Randy Lein reports that Randolph, as a Trojan, has played in 38 tournaments and made the top 10 in 32 of them. He has 10 career victories and is on track to pass Trojan greats Al Geiberger, Dave Stockton, Craig Stadler and Scott Simpson.

Trevor Dodds
Lamar University



Dodds
Just when we thought we did it all, he did it again.
Senior, 6ft-11in., 185 pounds. Age 25
Hometown: Windhoek, South West Africa.
Trevor Dodds scored a unique double—he made First Team All-American and also the Academic All-American Team.
Dodds earned a 3.2 grade point average out of a possible 4.0 while majoring in General Business and Industrial Engineering.

Another unusual aspect about this young man is that he never played on grass fairways until seven months before he entered Lamar University in Beaumont, Texas.

He began playing golf late in life—at 15. His father, Raymond, a 3 handicapper, was his mentor. "Back home, we played on sand fairways and sand greens," he said. "I had an opportunity to go to Johannesburg to improve my game. That was the first time I played on grass."

Trevor Dodds showed golfing skills, finishing second in the South African Junior Championship. He also played well in the South African Amateur and came to the attention of his current coach, Gregg Grost, who was playing the South African pro tour.

"When I came here I had no idea of how to chip or have a short game. When I played with Gregg for the first time, I think he got the shock of his life," said Dodds, smiling.

The turning point in Trevor's career came in the 1983 NCAA Championship at Fresno. "When I shot a 67, which was the

lowest round of the tournament, that gave me confidence that I could play with the best of them," he said.

Dodds won the Butler National Invitational and the Henry Homberg. He was in the top three in eight of his 12 outings.

Trevor was runner-up four times in the John Burns in Honolulu, the Morris Williams, the All-America and the Southland Conference. He added thirds in the Andy Bean and Hal Sutton Invationals.

Steve Elkington
University of Houston



Senior, 6ft-2in., 185 pounds. Age 22
Hometown: Wollongong, Australia.

Steve Elkington got ready for the important spring season by finishing second in four fall tournaments. He turned things around by winning the Southwest Conference, the prestigious All America at Houston and the Henry Homberg.

A repeater from last year's First Team All-American, Steve trailed by six shots heading into the final round of the conference championship, then won by three shots after a brilliant 66. He won the All America in Houston by six.

Elkington's worst finish was fourth and he was never over par until the seventh tournament when he was struck down by a heat stroke and briefly hospitalized in Laredo for the Border Olympics.

Steve, who learned the game from his parents in his native Australia, has also played well in pro tournaments. He was low amateur in the recent Colonial Invitational and the Houston Open. In two years, he has never missed the cut in four PGA tournaments.

"I'm pretty proud of that," he said. "I

feel that got me over the hump playing against the pros."

The big Aussie, who was runner-up in last year's NCAA Championship while leading his Houston Cougars to the team title, is undecided about his future in golf although he knows he's going to turn pro.

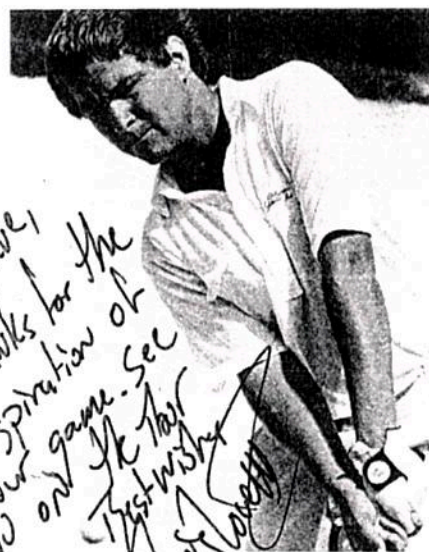
"Right after the All-American dinner I'm going home to visit my folks," he said. "I haven't been back there in two years. While I'm there I'm going to work hard on my game."

Coach Dave Williams calls Elkington one of his best players and young men and expects Steve to be an outstanding pro like many of Williams' proteges.

Elkington says his putting has improved from last year. "I guess my whole game has matured," he says, "but I've got to keep working on my techniques... the basics."

Elkington, who was captain of the U.S. team in the matches against Japanese collegians, was undefeated personally and led the squad to victory.

Davis Love III
University of North Carolina



Junior, 6ft-0in., 180 pounds. Age 21
Hometown: St. Simons Island, Georgia.

As a freshman in 1983, Davis Love won the first college tournament he ever played in. He's been winning ever since.

"I was in school about three weeks when I won the North Carolina State Invitational. That inspired me to continue to play well," he said.

Love said he has played golf ever since he could walk. "I grew up with a club in my hand," he recalls. A lot of this early guidance was the work of his father,

I have thanks for the inspiration of your game. See it this way. Trustworthy Davis Love III

thought Parkin was good enough and gave him a scholarship to Texas A & M.

Parkin, the reigning British Amateur champion, was the first foreigner to be chosen First Team All-American along with Australian Steve Elkington. "It's unbelievable," said the personable Parkin, flashing a happy smile. "Imagine, I'm the first Welshman to make it."

Philip made it with two victories and a strong record of top five finishes. After an initial win in the Columbia Lakes Intercollegiate, he defeated the best American golfers in the All-American

**Philip Parkin
Texas A & M University**



Sophomore, 22, 6ft. and 165 pounds.

Hometown:

Newtown Powys, Wales, United Kingdom Intercollegiate, one of the top three tournaments in the country. Philip shot a 12-under 276 on the Bear Creek Masters course. It erased Bobby Clampett's record and was the first time anyone had broken 280 for 72 holes there.

He was runner-up in the Southern Intercollegiate, Guadalajara and Pan American, fourth in the Harvey Penick and sixth in the Andy Bean Intercollegiates. He was 37-under par for these events.

Dave Peege (pronounced Peggy) had a 70.2 stroke average in Fall tournaments but the 1983 Southeastern Conference champion didn't win a tournament. "I knew I had to win tournaments if I was to have any chance of making All-American," he said.

Peege embarked on a winning campaign and six times he tied for first place. He batted .500, winning three and losing three in playoffs. Dave won the tough Pan American Intercollegiates in Monterey, Mexico, by four shots. Then after he won the prestigious Gator

Classic, he said, "That proved to me I could play with the best." Dave then added the Red Carpet event in Vicksburg. Now he said: "Winning makes you believe in yourself; it's one of the powers of the mind."

Peege missed a double in the Southeastern Conference championship when he lost a playoff to Emlyn Aubrey of LSU. He also lost playoffs in the Mississippi and Panhandle Intercollegiates. He had four other top 10 finishes, including a fourth in the Dixie and ninth in the Chris Schenkel Intercollegiates.

Peege, who won the 1983 Kentucky Open against the pros, had par or better 25 times and 11 rounds under 70. He had a 70.8 average for 34 rounds.

He is the first All-American to represent Ole Miss and the best player since Dr. Cary Middlecoff, according to coach Ernest Ross.

Asked when he began golf, Dave replied, "My father stuck a club in my hand when I was 2. At 5 I began playing executive courses. He progressed to win the Kentucky State Junior twice and the Kentucky High School title.

**Dave Peege
University of Mississippi**



Junior, 20, 5ft.-9in. and 185 pounds.

Hometown: Louisville, Kentucky

Jack Nicklaus is a man who sets records but the Golden Bear has one less because of Chris Perry's outstanding play for Ohio State. Perry, who won five tournaments this year, has amassed 14 collegiate victories in his career, the most ever by a Buckeye golfer.

Perry, who has the unusual distinction of being the team captain for three years, received collegiate golf's highest honor when he was chosen the 1984 Player of The Year. He richly deserved the distinction with five victories, including his third consecutive Northern

Intercollegiate title.

He won the Minnesota State Amateur for the second straight year and also the Northeastern Amateur. He was also runner-up in the Big Ten Championship, the Spartan Invitational and Butler Invitational.

**Chris Perry
Ohio State University**



Senior, 22, 6ft.-1½in. and 188 pounds.

Hometown: Edina, Minnesota

Last summer, Jay Sigel beat him in the finals of the U.S. Amateur Championship.

This is the third straight year in which Perry has made first Team All-American and he is the only returnee from last year's elite squad. He made All Big Ten three straight years and won the Les Bolstad Award for the lowest scoring average in the Big Ten.

Buckeye coach Jim Brown said Perry averaged 71.64 for 42 competitive rounds. "His worst score all year was a 76, which is good, considering some of the weather we get," Brown said.

Chris was taught the game by his father, Jim Perry, who pitched 17 years in the major leagues and won the Cy Young Award in 1970 while pitching for the Minnesota Twins. Chris' uncle, Gaylord Perry, won two Cy Youngs.

Chris said his biggest improvement "was getting total control of myself. I'm more willing to accept a bad shot."

"Sam Randolph is USC's Trojan Horse," according to coach Randy Lein. Lein's assessment is a good one inasmuch as Randolph won five tournaments and was in the top five in five others this spring. For his accomplishments, Sam was voted Pac-10 Player of The Year for the second time.

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Peege returns from disaster to win Open

Louisvillian blows 3-shot lead,
but defeats Stephens in playoff

By Mike Fields

Louisville Courier-Journal Staff Writer

PROSPECT — Dave Peege has never lacked for confidence in his golf game. Brash, talkative and with a bit of a swagger in his walk, the 20-year-old Louisvillian exudes self-assurance.

Indeed, if Peege were any less sure of himself and his swing, he wouldn't be the new Kentucky Open golf champion. Even at that, after yesterday's final round at Hocking Creek, I can't imagine him more like a survivor than a champion.

All he did was pick off one of the many contenders in a four-day, 72-hole

a 25-foot birdie on No. 17. Then the 20-year-old from Richmond tied Peege by trailing in a 4-footer for par on the 54th and last hole of regulation play.

"I never realized I had a three-shot lead," Peege said. "All I was trying to do was get over the two pars coming in and I thought that'd be enough. But I just couldn't get any more to drop."

The playoff with Stephens was any thing but anticlimactic. A few hole golfers took par on the first extra hole. Stephens, however, beaten after his third hole for shot on the but I down a wedge ball, Stephens drew the ball and followed two holes.

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While doing this he also found time to participate in the Hurstbourne Country Club Junior tournament and to win it for the second year in a row. He shot a 74-76-150, with 80-82-162, up on the Ex. 9 in the 9-10 title match. In a play-off, 71. Eric Bin Tyra. took the prize won

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final hole of the fourth however, the amiable 16-year-old buried his plane rough behind the losing on a par-4, he the ball beyond the green cond shot. A pitch and a worth a par and a tie for ditch and two putts meant tie for fifth and a playoff. ight say it was a little bit said. "I needed to get 'up

He got up with a chip shot within three feet of the cup. "But it was a downhill putt," said Peege. "It wasn't a gimme."

Maybe not, but Peege, who plays at Hurstbourne Country Club in Louisville, took it anyway. When the ball plopped into the cup, Peege plopped into a tie for fourth with Randy Watkins of Jackson, Miss. Both shot 9-over-par 297s.

(Other American boys who will play in Caracas are Rick Fehr of Seattle, Wash.; Tracy Phillips of Tulsa, Okla., and Tim Robinson of Corona-do, Calif.)

"I don't think there's any doubt that it has to be the highlight of my golfing career," said Peege.

Not that his trophy case is bare. Last May he outplayed Trinity teammate Scott Beard for medal honors at Seneca Park in the East Jefferson County Boys' Golf Regional. And although he struggled in the State Meet at Ft. Knox, he was one of four members of Trinity's second

consecutive state championship team. In the Kentucky Open, competing against amateurs and professionals, Peege finished tied for 19th. The numbers deceive; after 18 holes he was only one stroke back.

"I think my problem there was I just got tired," he said.

The itinerary in Caracas should be demanding. Peege and his nine teammates, including the five girls (none local) who qualified in Georgia, will play three rounds of match play. Last year the U.S. won 17-1.

At night, they will be entertained by the U.S. ambassador to Venezuela and various Venezuelan politicians.

It is the golf, however, that interests Peege. Mention that some local observers believe he is one of area's finer prospects and he says, "Well, anybody who is not even a good player dreams of going pro, so I've had my dreams, too."

"But my idol is Jodie Mudd (the State Open winner from Butler High School, who is also an amateur) and even though he's going to dominate golf in Kentucky for a long time, he's got a long way to go before he's even on the tour."

"I can't worry about the pros or college yet. I've still got to worry about making it at Trinity High School."

That shouldn't be a problem.



Staff Photo

Viva, Dave!

Trinity High junior Dave Peege will be one of 10 American golfers competing in the Venezuela-U.S. Junior Cup Matches in Caracas next month.

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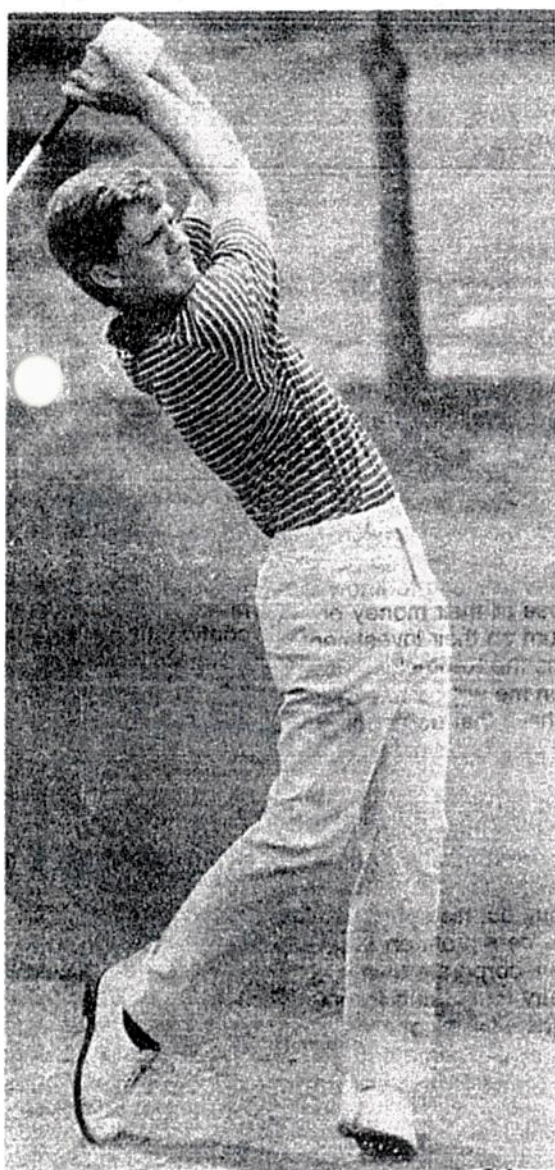
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Reb golfers Darren Cole (l), Dave Peege were named SEC Co-Players of the Year

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Sharon Barrett, 17, Spring Valley, CA	81-81-75-76-313
Kris Hanson, 17, Granite Falls, MN	77-81-85-75-318
Holley Morris, 16, Golden, CO	82-79-80-79-320
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JoAnne Pacillo, 17, Torrance, CA	79-78-78-86-321
Lynn Stiffler, 17, Waycross, GA	83-80-80-80-323
Denise Bratzler, 16, Carson City, NV	79-83-82-80-324
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Thanks for your talents - thanks for your sportsmanship and for your cooperation. You will be invited to participate in the 27th Porter Cup.

Please reserve July 24th thru July 27th, 1985. There will be more information available after February 1, 1985.

Best of luck, success and happiness.

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Scott Verplank, Dallas	68
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Dave Peege, Louisville, Ky.	69
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Larry Silveira, Oakley, Calif.	69
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Porter Cup Amateur

At Lewiston, N.Y.

Rocco Mediate, Pa.	70-65-135
Jerry Haas, Ill.	70-68-138
Tom Knapp, Fla.	71-67-138
Randy Sonnier, Texas	73-65-138
Chuck Taylor, Va.	73-65-138
Billy Varn, Fla.	68-70-138

Others

John Inman, N.C.	72-67-139
Scott Verplank, Texas	68-71-139
Dave Peege, Louisville	69-71-140

Cup amateur

Lewiston, N.Y.

Danny Mijovich, Ont.	72-67-68-207
Jerry Haas, Ill.	70-68-70-209
Dave Peege, Louisville	69-71-68-208
Dillard Pruitt, S.C.	69-71-68-208
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Niagara Falls Country Club

Peege trails by 1

GOLF — Dave Peege, a University of Mississippi student from Louisville, was among five players one stroke off the pace in the Porter Cup amateur tournament at the Niagara Falls Country Club. Peege had a two-under-par, 205, after shooting a 68.

Leading the tournament is Danny Mijovich of Warrendale, Ontario, who

PORTER CUP — Danny Mijovich of Willowdale, Ontario, shot a 67 to beat Scott Verplank by two shots in the amateur tournament at Lewiston, N.Y. Bob Lewis of Warren Ohio, was two more strokes back, despite a closing round of 66 in the four-day tournament.

Louisville's Dave Peege, the Kentucky Open champion and an All-American at Mississippi, faded to a 74 and finished in a tie for sixth, eight shots behind Mijovich.

Porter Cup Amateur

Final at Lewiston, N.Y.

Dan Mijovich, Ontario	72-67-68-67-274
Scott Verplank, Texas	68-71-69-68-276
Bob Lewis, Jr., Ohio	73-69-70-66-278
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Peege qualifies for final 16 match play

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Dave Peege moved into the final 16 headed for match play in the tournament at Benton Harbor, Mich.

Verplank, 21, of Dallas finished with a six-under-par 278 for 72 holes of medal play, two better than Ohio State All-American Clark Burroughs on the 6,830-yard, par-71 course at Point O' Woods Golf Club.

The Texan set the tournament record last year with a 270 before losing in match play. This year's match play begins today and the tournament concludes Sunday.

Peege, finished with a 284 total after round of 70 and 89 yesterday, tying him for fifth. He meets Jim Benepe of Sheridan, Wyo., today in match play.

Verplank, who won the recent Sunnehanna Amateur and finished as the low amateur in the U.S. Open this year, became the first Western Amateur player to win outright medalist honors back-to-back since Ben Crenshaw did it in 1972 and 1973. Crenshaw, now a pro, went on to win the overall championship in 1973.

"It's always great to be medalist, but all I was trying to do was make the sweet sixteen," he said. "I didn't care if I was medalist or 16th. I accomplished that goal."

Peter Persons of Macon, Ga., who finished third in stroke play, said he wasn't surprised by Verplank's effort.

"Scott is the best (amateur) player in the country bar none," he said.

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Peege in final four

THE COURIER-JOURNAL, SUNDAY, JULY 14, 1985

Louisville's Dave Peege moved into the semifinal round of the 83rd Western Amateur golf tournament yesterday in Benton Harbor, Mich.

Peege defeated Jim Benepe of Sheridan, Wyo., 2 and 1 in the first round of match play at the 6,830-yard, par-71 Point O' Woods Golf and Country Club. In the second round he downed Len Matlack of Ponte Vedra, Fla., 3 and 2.

That set up Peege's semifinal duel today with Keith Goyen of Brigham Young University. Goyen birdied the 18th hole in the second round to defeat BYU teammate Jonathan Baker 2-1.

Goyen, of Scottsdale, Ariz., and Baker, of Mesa, Ariz., were tied going into the 18th hole of the quarterfinal round.

But Goyen, a two-time Western Athletic Conference selection, sunk a 25-foot putt to oust Baker.

Scott Verplank of Dallas, low scorer during medal play, takes on Jerry Haas of Belleville, Ill., in today's other semifinal match. Verplank posted a 3 and 2 final victory over Billy Anderson of Bristol, R.I., while Haas edged Davis Love of St. Simon's Island, Ga., 2 and 1.

The championship final also will be played today.

Peege loses on last hole in Western Amateur final

■ Oklahoma State All-American Scott Verplank dropped a key second shot eight feet from the pin on the 18th hole as he defeated Dave Peege of Louisville 1 up for the 83rd Western Amateur Golf Tournament title in Benton Harbor, Mich.

Peege had battled back from a three-hole deficit after the first nine holes at the 6,830-yard, par-71 Point O' Woods Golf and Country Club.

Verplank, 21, of Dallas, was ahead 2 up after six holes and the current U.S. Amateur champion and two-time Western medalist went 3 up when Peege three-putted No. 9.

Peege managed to pull even before his second shot on the 18th drifted far to the right while Verplank put his second shot close to the pin. Peege took a bogey five while Verplank two-putted for a par and the championship.

Verplank hit 16 of 18 greens in regulation against Peege. "On this golf course, I would take that every day," he said.

"He hit great shots every hole," said Peege. "I gave him all he could handle, but he played better as far as being consistently solid. That's why he is one of the best amateurs in the last 15 to 20 years. I never saw Hal Sutton [a two-time Western Amateur champion] play, but I don't think you can get much better than Scott."

Verplank reached the champion ship round with a 1-up victory yesterday morning over Jerry Haas of Belleville, Ill., who three-putted the 18th hole. Peege made the final with a birdie on the 20th hole, the

week. I can play whenever I want" because of the exemption granted players who win tournaments.

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Peege to defend B

By LINDA YOUNKIN
State Journal Sports Writer

Dave Peege just finished a college golf career at the University of Mississippi that included All-American and All-Southeastern Conference honors and this fall he plans to try his hand at the professional tour.

But this weekend, he'll be at Frankfort Country Club to defend his title in the 36th Annual Daniel Boone Invitational Golf Tournament. The tournament begins Friday and ends Sunday.

A Louisville native, Peege had originally planned to play in the Southern Amateur this weekend, but

he decided to bypass that tournament.

"I made the finals of the Western Amateur last week, and it was too much driving from Michigan to North Carolina," Peege said. "I wouldn't have been able to have a practice round, so I decided not to play in it. I played 140 holes of golf last week, about twice as many as you play in a tournament, which is usually 72 holes. I played a lot of golf."

Peege lost the Western Amateur to Scott Verplank in match play.

Besides the Western, the only other tournament Peege has played

in this summer is the Western Amateur which

"I've been to get me in the last play

Logan, Peege lead Boone

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GOLF — Howard Logan and David Peege share the Daniel Boone Invitational tournament lead after

Backers feel Louisville's Peege has right stuff for PGA Tour

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B.C. Open

At Endicott, N.Y.

Joey Sindelar, \$54,000	66-71-69-68-274
Mike Reid, \$32,400	67-71-69-68-275
Bill Glasston, \$20,400	68-72-69-67-276
Bruce Lietzke, \$13,200	66-72-68-71-277
David Lundstrm, \$13,200	70-68-69-71-278
Pat Lindsey, \$10,800	70-68-69-71-278
Ken Green, \$9,675	70-70-69-70-279
Jay Delsing, \$9,675	73-62-72-72-279
Mac O'Grady, \$8,400	72-70-69-69-280
Andy Magee, \$8,400	67-72-70-71-280
Lonnie Nielsen, \$5,957	68-69-71-73-281
Gene Sauers, \$5,957	72-69-70-70-281
Jeff Sanders, \$5,957	70-70-73-68-281
Wayne Levi, \$5,957	75-67-71-68-281
Dave Eichelberger, \$5,957	74-68-71-68-281
Mark Hayes, \$5,957	70-69-73-69-281
Howard Twitty, \$5,957	75-67-70-69-281
Greg Powers, \$3,651	70-70-72-70-282
Don Pooley, \$3,651	67-76-69-70-282
Mark Lye, \$3,651	70-70-72-70-282
Gil Morgan, \$3,651	70-70-71-71-282
Leonard Thompson, \$3,651	70-71-70-71-282
Mike Sullivan, \$3,651	70-71-70-71-282
Bob Tway, \$2,340	72-71-71-69-283
Steve Jones, \$2,340	74-68-70-71-283
Vance Headner, \$2,340	72-69-69-73-283
Doug Tewell, \$2,340	68-67-74-74-283
John Fought, \$2,340	70-69-69-75-283
Peter Oosterhuis, \$1,863	72-72-72-68-284
Scott Simpson, \$1,863	71-71-73-69-284
Tim Simpson, \$1,863	68-72-70-74-284
Jay Haas, \$1,863	74-70-70-70-284
Tom Purizer, \$1,863	73-68-74-69-284
Larry Ziegler, \$1,447	73-70-72-70-285
Mike Donald, \$1,447	70-69-75-71-285
Pat McGowan, \$1,447	69-69-75-72-285
Richard Zokol, \$1,447	69-74-70-72-285
Willie Wood, \$1,447	72-69-72-72-285
Scott Hoch, \$1,447	71-73-73-68-285
Loren Roberts, \$1,080	69-75-72-70-286
Jodie Mudd, \$1,080	71-70-73-72-286
Erett Upper, \$1,080	66-73-74-73-286
Jeff Hart, \$1,080	74-66-73-73-286
George Burns, \$1,080	68-71-73-74-286
Dan Forsman, \$1,080	70-72-70-74-286
Dave Peege, \$793	72-72-74-69-287
Frank Conner, \$793	71-72-74-70-287
Bobby Wedkins, \$793	69-73-76-69-287
Jim Hallet, \$793	69-70-75-73-287
Rod Curl, \$793	73-69-70-75-287
Terry Snodgrass, \$703	69-73-72-74-288
Steve Elkington, \$703	69-70-75-74-288
Mark Calcavecchia, \$703	69-67-76-76-288
Rick Dalpos, \$703	76-67-70-75-288
Mark Wiebe, \$672	68-73-77-71-289
Larry Rinker, \$672	71-72-73-73-289
Peter Jacobsen, \$672	69-74-72-74-289
Kenny Knox, \$672	71-71-73-74-289
Tim Morris, \$672	69-73-72-75-289
Bruce Soulsby, \$630	71-73-76-70-290
Ken Brown, \$630	72-71-77-70-290
Fred Couples, \$630	71-71-76-72-290
Phil Blackmar, \$630	71-72-74-73-290
Denis Watson, \$630	67-73-77-73-290
Chip Beck, \$630	76-68-72-74-290
Chris Perry, \$630	71-73-71-75-290



Billy Reed

Courier-Journal sports editor

LEXINGTON, Ky. — This summer's most interesting national golf story has been the Western Open victory that made Scott Verplank the first amateur to win a Professional Golfers' Association Tour event since Gene Littler took the 1954 San Diego Open.

Dave Peege fires a four-under 68 for a one-stroke lead in Kentucky Open. Story, Page D 4.

Only 20 days before that historic triumph in sudden death over Jim Thorpe, Verplank had won the Western Amateur title by defeating Louisville's Dave Peege 1-up in match play at Benton Harbor, Mich.

Today's question: If Verplank already is good enough to beat the pros, can Peege be far behind? The answer: Probably not, which is why a syndicate of Louisville businessmen is getting up more than \$100,000 to bankroll Peege on the PGA Tour.

No matter how he finishes in the 1985 Kentucky Open currently being

contested at the Lakeside Golf — a 68 yesterday put him in the heading into today's second round. Peege will turn pro as soon as last putt on the last hole hits the top of the cup.

"I'd like to go out a winner," Peege said. "If not, well, I've worked hard and I've always wanted to win."

Once he turns pro, of course, doesn't necessarily mean you see Peege's name listed among participants in next week's Tour event, the B.C. Open in Scott, N.Y.

Unless he's lucky enough to receive a special invitation from one of the tour's owners.

See PEEGE

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Peege hopes to join fellow Kentuckian

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tournaments, a rookie pro must go to the PGA Tour Qualifying School in October and be one of the 50 low qualifiers in order to get an approved playing card for next year's tour.

"The hardest thing is to get your card," Peege said. "Once you turn pro, you just start to prove yourself all over again. But I've tried to prepare myself mentally. The way I look at it, a guy with a positive attitude has a better chance than someone who approaches it timidly."

Nobody ever has accused Peege of being timid. One of his financial backers describes him as "the cockiest kid you ever saw."

And a Louisville pro goes even further, saying Peege was so obnoxious a few years ago that he came within a whisker of punching Peege out during a tournament at Audubon Country Club.

While acknowledging that he "used to be a hothead," Peege insists he matured a lot at the University of Mississippi, where he graduated this spring as an All-American.

A player whom Peege would like to emulate, both in shotmaking and temperament, is Fuzzy Zoeller of New Albany, Ind., who has won a U.S. Open and a Masters while be-

coming one of the game's most popular players.

"Attitude is everything," the new Peege said. "You have to know how to manage yourself and the golf course. Fuzzy's a good example of that. My golf coach at Ole Miss, Ernest Ross, told me to be nice to people and never act like you're better than the next guy."

A 1981 graduate of Trinity High, Peege played on three consecutive state championship teams, but never won the individual championship. As a junior, he was second to Buddy Bryant, who turned out to be his roommate at Ole Miss.

After being named Southeastern Conference Freshman of the Year in 1982, Peege blossomed in '83, winning both the SEC individual title and the Kentucky Open in a sudden-death playoff over Pat Stephens.

He was both the SEC Player of the Year in '84 and the Ole Miss nominee for conference Male Athlete of the Year. In both '84 and '85, when he averaged subpar golf, Peege made the NCAA All-America team.

This summer he had intended to play in several major amateur tournaments. However, when he didn't make the U.S. Walker Cup team that will compete in the biennial matches against Great Britain and Ireland, he decided to turn pro after the Ken-

tucky Open because "there were no tournaments for me to play in."

So now Peege at least will have time to ponder the immediate and all its ramifications.

The leap from amateur golfer to pro is even tougher than, say, going from college football to the National Football League. A lot of excellent players find themselves unable to cope with the travel, the pressure and the weekly paycheck.

Consider the example of Louisville's Jodie Mudd, who was a "can't-miss" PGA Tour player after winning all sorts of local and national amateur titles including the Kentucky Open in 1981.

Now in his fourth year at Louisville, Mudd only lately has begun to show the necessary consistency, mental toughness. And he was named the Scott Verplank of his class.

"I've talked to Jodie," Peege said. "I hope that I can be patient. The biggest problem is the time I played somewhere every week in college and a lot in summer. I feel I can handle it."

So, apparently, does the 12 backers put together by Dan Conner, the former U.S. Open champion of Kentucky basketball player, who has a five-year package for all

Louisvillians Dave Peege and Jodie Mudd shot 69 and 72, respectively. Mudd won \$1,080 with a total of 286 while Peege was one shot behind and made \$793 with his first back.

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SPORTS BEAT

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Peege wins spot on PGA Tour; U of L's Buchanan is All-South

Dave Peege of Louisville yesterday earned the right to play on the PGA Tour next year. The three-time Kentucky Open champion shot a 67 in the sixth and final round of the \$100,000 PGA Tour qualifying tournament at Haines City, Fla., to finish among the top 48 and earn his playing rights for next year's tour.

After passing more than 30 players in the final round, Peege finished in a tie for 36th and earned \$763. His 108-hole score of 1-