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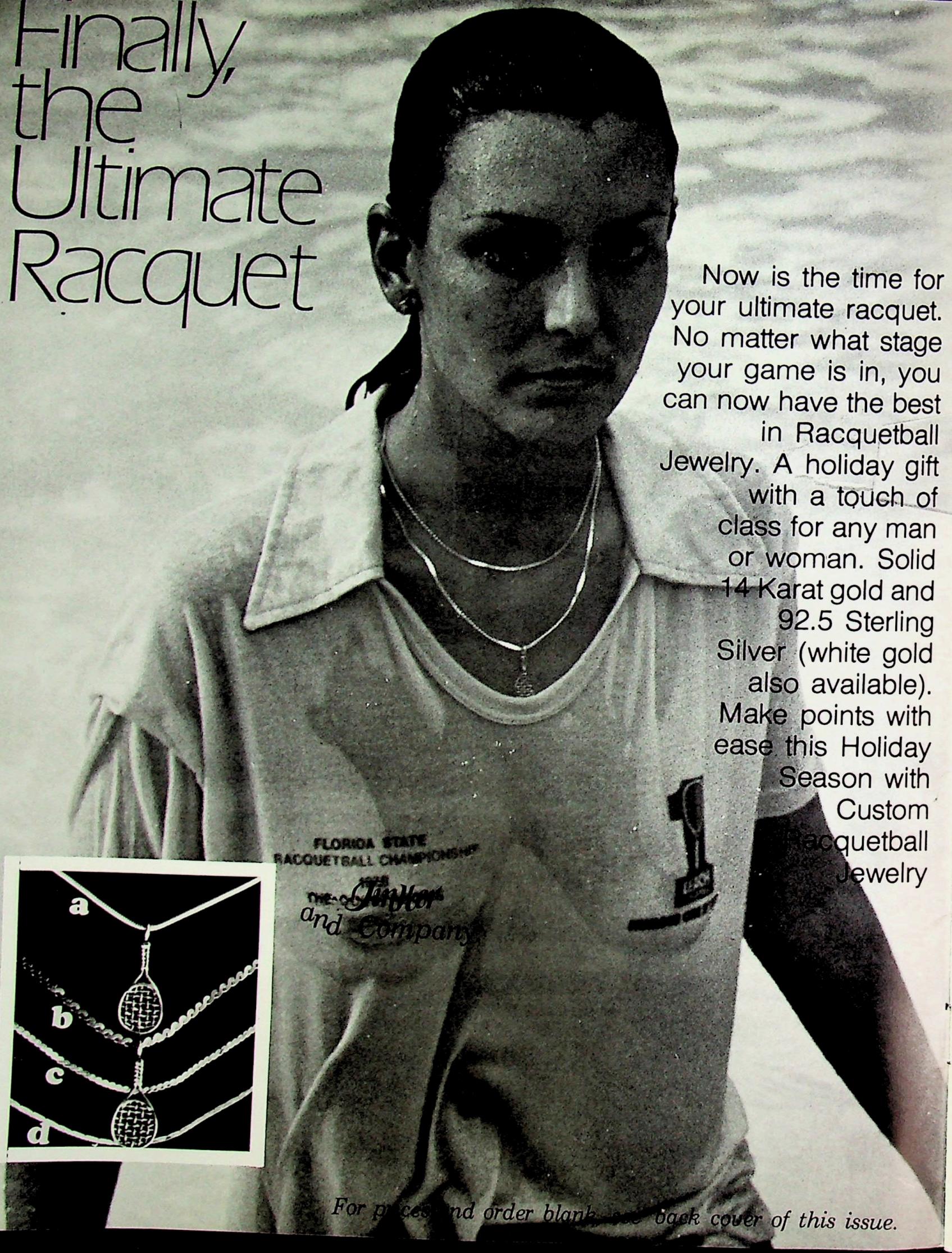
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From the SSR Staff

Welcome to Sunshine State Racquetball.

The SSR staff sincerely believes Florida is one of the hottest areas in the nation for racquetball. And, each year seems to be a little more feverish than the last one.

SSR is an outgrowth of the popularity and interest racquetball has cultivated in Florida. And, because it sprang from racquetball, SSR promised to repay the sport by putting as much back into it as can be done.

SSR dedicates itself completely to the promotion of racquetball and the players in the Sunshine State.

Who will benefit most from this dedication? You, the player.

SSR is offering Florida racquetballers the very best in state-wide communication, recognition of personal achievement, advance and final tournament information, instruction for novice and advanced players alike given by the state's finest, IRA and USRA news, space for reader opinions and, finally, a personal touch that is unequalled by any other medium.

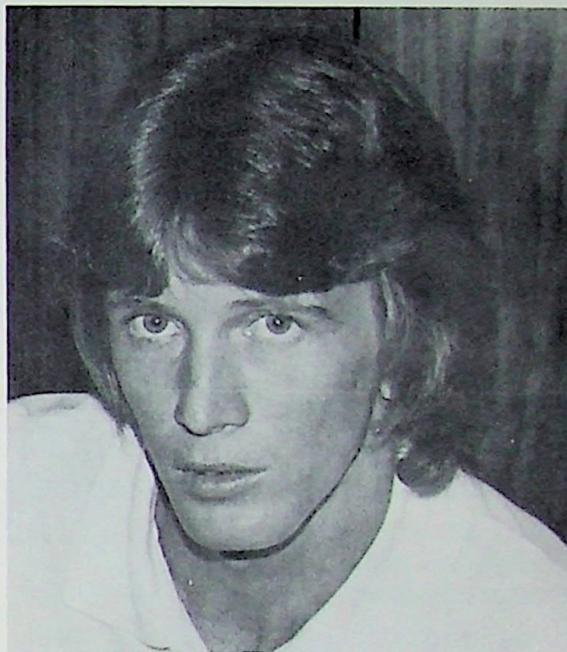
In short, SSR is your magazine.

The staff truly hopes we can all work together to promote racquetball to its apex in Florida.

When any gain is made in Florida racquetball, we all gain.

Please note:

Tournament directors are invited to supply SSR with advance and final information. Results should be complete from at least, the quarterfinals on. Preferably, all results should be forwarded. Include first and last names and all match scores. Also, make special note of any major upsets of



Editor/Publisher Jim Adkins

early rounds which are not furnished. A brief summary of events and any pictures are also welcomed.

A calendar of upcoming events will run each month in SSR and this service is free to all tournament directors.

Qualified players are invited to submit manuscripts on any aspect on racquetball. A \$20 payment will be made for all accepted material. Prospective contributors should call SSR for clearance before starting any article. Acceptable length is 750-1,000 words and any series of articles will be paid on a monthly basis.

One of the features not present in this month's SSR is Club Notes, which is hoped to be included very shortly. This feature will incorporate any club news managers may have regarding ladder play, club tournaments or special events, naming of new pros, assistant pros or managers, etc. SSR suggests that each club manager delegate an employee or club member to act as secretary and compile these notes.

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State Tournament

Keith Dunlap topped Mike Fatolitis 13-21, 21-12, 11-7 to take first place in the men's open racquetball championship for Florida, at Jacksonville's Racquetball Club.

Dunlap, the pro at JRC but since moved on to Memphis State University, stopped Rick Stevens 21-6, 14-21, 11-8 in the semifinals. Fatolitis meanwhile was defeating Matt Mathews, 14-21, 21-18, 11-9.

Mathews took third with a 21-15, 21-13 decision over Stevens.

Mathews and Fatolitis teamed for the open doubles title. But runners-up Gary Zetrouer and Jim Adkins were forced to forfeit the championship match because of a broken foot to Zetrouer.

Zetrouer's injury occurred during a victory in the semis over Stevens and Van Dubolsky, 21-6, 21-16.

Mathews - Fatolitis advanced to the finals by trimming Kenny Hendricks - Frank Johnson 21-17, 21-5, in the other semi.

Barbara Faulkenberry took the women's open singles title, 4-21, 21-10, 11-4 over Cile Adkins. Faulkenberry beat Nancy Hornack 21-12, 21-19 and Adkins knocked off Audrey Simpton 19-21, 21-16, 11-3 in the semis.

Simpton took third, 21-6, 16-21, 11-6.

Fred Blaess took the senior singles title, 21-14, 21-5, over Bill Koenig. Larry Bauer was third and Mike Mojer fourth.

Moyer came back to capture the masters singles crown, 21-8, 21-14 over Fred Koran, Gordon Ira finished third and fourth went to John Hinkamp.

The women's B singles division was won by Virginia Morales, with Connie Prescot second.

Men's B singles went to David Mathews. Randy Watkins was second, Paul Fritsch third and Scott Nelson fourth.

Faulkenberry and Adkins teamed for the women's open doubles championship. They defeated Hornack-Nelson, 16 and 14, in the final.

Junior champ was George Deeb, 21-11, 21-6 over Sergis Gonzales. Malon Brown finished third with Rick Taylor fourth.

Deeb-Grass took the junior doubles title over Gonzales-Brovich.

Senior doubles champs were Areit-Swanson, with Koenig-Lane second. Carlton-Duda took third and Winter-Kantor took fourth.



Dunlap's aggressiveness achieved the title for him

SSR WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS OUR APPRECIATION TO THE JACKSONVILLE RACQUETBALL CLUB FOR HOSTING AN EXCELLENT USRA STATE RACQUETBALL TOURNAMENT.

Florida State Racquetball League

1. The league's teams will be divided into 2 divisions, being North and South. At the end of the regular season, the top two teams will enter the playoffs to determine the overall league champion.
2. A league match will consist of six singles and three doubles matches (2 out of 3 games). One league point will be awarded for each team victory in singles and doubles. Ties in the standings will be broken by (1) comparing league points and, if there is still a tie, (2) the winner of head-to-head matches.
3. All teams paying the league franchise fee will be included in the league's schedule. Before the first match, each team captain will furnish the league commissioner with a roster.
4. Once a person plays in a league match for a particular team, he must remain with that team. Players cannot switch from team to team during the season unless he has relocated and established a new divisional residence. However, they are not obligated to play for the same team when the next season starts.
5. The captain of the home team is responsible for calling his opponent two weeks in advance of the match to confirm it. The captain of the winning team must send the results on the official form to the league commissioner within one week after the match.
6. Team captains are expected to manage a ladder so that their players have a ranking. Before each match, captains rank their singles players and doubles teams on the basis of their ladder because matches are organized so that the #1 player (or doubles team) plays the #1 player, the #2 player plays the #2 player, and so on. A player can play both singles and doubles. Thus, each team will field 6 players per match.
7. USRA rules apply to all league matches. Unless the captains vote otherwise, the Seamco 558 will be the official ball. Except when the racquetball court is completely enclosed, all matches will be refereed.
8. This year one player from each team will participate in the All-Star Match. Suggestions are welcome regarding the format of the match and the selection process. Whatever system is employed will be simple and will guarantee every team at least one representative.
9. Individual plaques will be given to the players in the league championships. Special shirts will be given away at the All-Star Match. We hope to give out awards for players on the third and fourth place teams. The franchise fees, and the financial assistance provided by manufacturers will determine how much money can be spent on awards.
10. The commissioner must be notified immediately when two teams fail to play their match as scheduled.
11. Until additional league officials have been named, questions or problems concerning the league should be directed to:

Jim Adkins or Mike Mojer
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We urge that all interested parties make an effort to contact Mojer or Adkins as soon as possible to insure a spot in the league. Appoint someone as your representative to head up your cities team. We feel it will be great fun and competition for all.



Orlando Championships

EKTELON



RACQUETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS

In a match which previewed the Florida USRA Chamioship. Mike Fatolitis and Keith Dunlap squared off in the final of the Ektelon/Natural Light Beer Championship at the Racquet Ball in Orlando.

But unlike the result a week later, Fatolitis was the winner, recording a 21-15, 21-18 decision.

"Fats" had beaten Percy Philman in the quarter-finals and Bob Phillippe 21-13, 21-8 in the semis. Dunlap topped Rick Stevens in the quarters and host pro Jim Adkins 21-15, 21-8 in the semis.

Adkins rebounded to trim Phillippe 16-21, 21-14, 11-4 for third in the 42-man field,

which included the top 10 players in Florida. (193 *Players comprising 282 entries competed in the Tournament.*)

Phillippy upset top-seeded Kenny Hendricks in the quarters, the same point Adkins knocked No. 2 seeded Matt Mathews.

In the Women's Open, Cile Adkins did husband Jim one better by taking the title, 21-13, 21-15 over Debby Drury. Doniza Zetrouer finished third as Julie Knight forfeited due to injury.

John Stanford emerged from a crowded field of 84 to claim the Men's B title. Stanford trimmed Scott Nelson in the semis and then turned back Randy Watkins in the final.

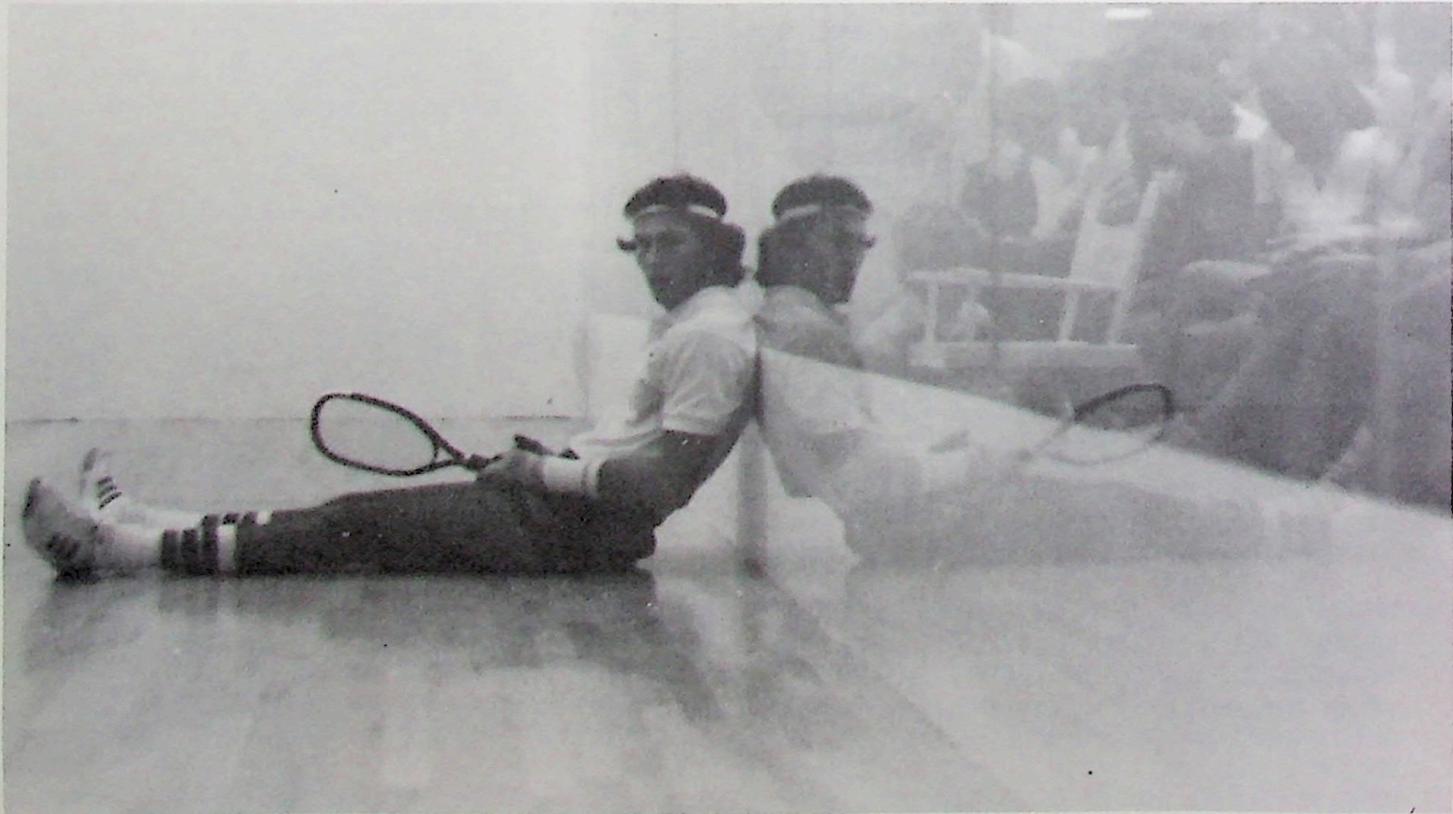
Dave Reep defeated Nelson for third.

Mike Mojer was the Seniors champ. The recently retired Air Force officer beat Larry Bauer in the final. Collie Carlton was third and Tom Krause fourth.

Masters titlist was Tom Zetrouer with John Hinkamp runner-up, Eugene Glenn third and Mike Wohl fourth.

In the Women's B final, Knight stopped Rene Fish, but hurt her arm and had to forfeit her match for third in the Women's Open. Mary Andrews was third and Barbara Lazar fourth.

Andy Warden took the Men's Novice while Jane Meilleur won the Women's Novice.



(Fatolitis, during a time-out seems relaxed and assured about the outcome)

NATIONALS

Marty Hogan was probably thinking, "Thanks, I needed that."

Hogan, the dominant force in racquetball for the last few years, had just ended the only frustration of his young career by taking his first USRA Men's National title, 21-12, 21-20 over Charlie Brumfield.

Hogan was unbeatable a year ago — until the final of the national championship. That's when Davey Bledsoe scored a stunning upset.

This year, Hogan suffered his only lapse during the Greshan stop of the Colgate Men and Women's Pro/Am Racquetball Tour when he lost in the final to Brumfield.

But this time around, Hogan stayed in command. He gained the championship without losing a game.

Hogan stopped last year's national amateur champ Jerry Zuckerman in the round of 16, 21-10, 21-15. He then disposed of Rich Wagner 21-18, 21-13 in the quarterfinals, Ben Koltun 21-19, 21-6 in the semis and then Brumfield, five times the national champ.

Brumfield, seeded second behind Hogan, had to struggle to get past Mike Yellen in the semis. The Brum won the first game 21-16, but dropped the second 21-17. In the tiebreaker, Brumfield eluded the upset 11-10.

Brumfield also was pressed hard in the 16s as Don Thomas took him to three games, before losing in an 11-10 tiebreaker.

The two biggest upsets came in the first round. Larry Meyers shocked Bledsoe 3-21, 21-19, 11-0 and Thomas trimmed Steve Strandemo with an 11-10 tiebreaker.

Meyers was ousted in the 16s by Jay Jones, 4 and 19. Thomas also fell in the 16s after battling Brumfield for three games.

RESULTS:

(Round of 16):

Hogan def. Zuckerman 21-10, 21-15;
Wagner def. Morrow 21-10, 21-17;
Koltum def. Rish 21-17, 21-13;
Serot def. Campbell 21-15, 21-14;
Yellen def. McCoy 21-9, 21-14;
Hilecher def. Keeley 21-1, 21-17;
Jones def. Meyers 21-4, 21-19;
Brumfield def. Thomas 21-8, 17-21, 11-10.

(Quarterfinals):

Hogan def. Wagner 21-18, 21-13;
Koltun def. Serot 21-7, 21-17;
Yellen def. Hilecher 14-21, 21-17, 11-5;
Brumfield def. Jones 21-19, 21-13.

(Semifinals):

Hogan def. Koltun 21-9, 21-6;
Brumfield def. Yellen 21-16, 17-21, 11-10.

(Final):

Hagan def. Brumfield 21-12, 21-20.



(Brumfield showing some of his still competitive form that takes him to the #2 spot in the nation.)

Women's National Championships

Shannon Wright could do no wrong.

In fact, the manner in which she swept to her second straight USRA Women's National Racquetball Championship out did Marty Hogan's trek to his first title.

Wright was a whirlwind, allowing only as many as 11 points once in eight games. She limited opponents to an average of just under 7.5 points per game.

The final tally showed: Susie Dugan stopped 7 and 10 in the round of 16, followed by Rita Hoff 4 and 7, Jannell Marriott 18 and 2, and Jennifer Harding 3 and 8 in the final.

Wright was quick to establish herself in the final, helped along by Harding's weak backhand returns of service.

The top upset came when Karen Walton tripped up Peggy Steding 21-8, 17-21, 11-4 in the quarterfinals. Steding was seeded second behind Wright.

Walton's championship hopes soon wilted as Harding, third-seeded, scored a 21-18, 21-18 victory in the semis.

Marriott, seeded No. 4, knocked off Laura Martino and Gainesville's Martha McDonald before being eliminated by Wright in the semis.

RESULTS:

(Round of 16):

Wright def. Dugan 21-7, 21-10;
Hoff def. Green 21-4, 21-7;
McDonald def. Carow 11-21, 21-17, 11-10;
Marriott def. Martino 21-9, 21-10;
Harding def. Greer 21-18, 21-19;
Williams def. Pasternak 21-4, 21-11;
Walton def. Souser 18-21, 21-16, 11-16;
Steding def. Deshinger 21-7, 21-5.

(Quarterfinals):

Wright def. Hoff 21-10, 21-4;
Marriott def. McDonald 21-17, 15-21, 11-3;
Harding def. Williams 21-2, 21-15;
Walton def. Steding 21-8, 17-21, 11-4.

(Semifinals):

Wright def. Marriott 21-18, 21-2;
Harding def. Walton 21-18, 21-18.

(Final):

Wright def. Harding 21-3, 21-8.

National Amateur Championships

Californians Jeff Bowman and Alicia Moore captured the top prizes in the amateur half of the USRA National Racquetball Championships, but Floridians as a group left a marked impression on the tournament field.

Advancing the furthest were Cile Adkins of Orlando and Barbara Faulkenberry of Clearwater, who lost in the final of the women's open; doubles 21-10, 21-11 to Barb Tenneson and Ev Dillan, both of Minneapolis.

Faulkenberry, who has since moved to Colorado Springs, Colo., to attend the Air Force Academy, reached the women's open quarterfinals before bowing to eventual champion champion Moore.

In the men's open doubles, brothers Keith and John Dunlap, both now of Memphis, were stopped in the semis by Stan Wright and Steve Trent.

Competing in the men's open singles were 245 hopefuls.

Keith Dunlap and Orlando's Jim Adkins both reached the round of 32. Dunlap lost to Wright, last year's runner-up. Adkins was beaten by Don Thomas, who lost in the semis to eventual winner Bowman.

Gainesville's Matt Mathews lost to Bowman in the round of 64.

Moore topped Linda Prefontaine of Eugene, Ore., 21-18, 20-21, 11-7 for the women's open championship.

Bowman defeated Bobby Bolan of Tempe, Ariz., 21-5, 12-21, 11-0 for the men's open title.

The men's open doubles went to Houston's Mark Malowitz and Jeff Kwartler, 21-17, 21-15 over Wright and Trent.

Bill Schmidtke of Minneapolis won the men's senior singles. Charlie Garfinkel of Buffalo and Bill King of Radford, Pa., teamed to win the men's senior doubles.

Also, San Diego's Bud Muehleisen took the men's masters singles title.



Fla. Racquetball Assoc.:

Racquetball in Florida for many years has been suffering growing pains, but now I think that finally it has reached young adulthood. We have needed a central clearing house for tournaments and for basic racquetball information of interest to all of us in Florida. I think now with the efforts of Jim Adkins and his new magazine and with the fine cooperation between the two racquetball organizations in Florida, we will have a program that will benefit all of the racquetball players in Florida and still allow there to be healthy competition between two fine groups. We will work together to space tournaments and, if possible, arrange state championships to be in separate parts of the state in any given year. When you think about it there are many things that can be done now, probably will - we hope so.

Play more racquetball!
Sincerely,

Gordon H. Ira, Jr., M.D.
IRA State Chairman



Racquetball Update:

First of all, I would like to introduce myself as Florida's new USRA President. My name is Jim Adkins, and I am presently the Manager of The Racquet Ball in Orlando. I think my profession and close contact with the sport of Racquetball, will allow me to do a great deal for you, the player. I am organizing a State Racquetball League for inter-club competition. I feel this will help to bring our players a little closer together. I also, am presently contacting a few organizations for possible sponsorship of our USRA State Tournaments. These possibilities could bring forth the best State tourney ever held.

I am extremely honored to have been asked to take this position, and look forward to helping Racquetball grow in Florida. I feel I have much to offer and am looking forward to directing by interest for the benefit of Racquetball.

Jim Adkins, Pres.
USRA Florida Chap.

P.S. There will be a meeting at The Racquet Ball, in Orlando on November 11. The purpose of this meeting will be to pick the new reps. of our regions, and to discuss happenings for the coming year. Any interested party is welcome to sit in, and be heard.

Racquetball Bulletin:

SSR is happy to announce that the two National organizations are going to coordinate and come together for the betterment of Racquetball in Florida. Gordon Ira (IRA Pres.) and Jim Adkins (USRA Pres.) have met and decided to let you, the people, decide where you like respective State Singles and Doubles tournaments. We feel the Rating Chart will aid in the making of decisions as to the locations of tournaments around the state. Both Assoc. Presidents would appreciate your returning these charts. The following clubs are considered because of their spectator viewing for Semi-Final and Finals matches. We would also appreciate your thoughts on the possibility of having the State Singles and Doubles tournaments in separate parts of the state. We consider the state to be divided into three sections, of which are listed below. Northern, Middle and Southern.

PLEASE RATE THE FOLLOWING R/BALL CLUBS ACCORDING TO CHOICE: (1,2,3,4)

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Respectfully,
Gordon Ira (IRA), Jim Adkins (USRA)

Florida Player Profile

The staff of the SSR is happy to announce that one of our own Floridians has achieved a victory that we all should be proud of. Bob Phillippe has many titles, but none as prestigious as this. To place second in the nation in today's caliber of new players is amazing. We should all be proud of Bob's 2nd place victory. We're sure that Bob will continue to make us proud.

RESULTS 17 AND UNDER

(First Round):

Hawkins def. Schafer 18-21, 21-9, 11-2;
Peck def. Kaihlanen 17-21, 21-20, 11-9;
Christiensen def. Witt 21-6, 21-13;
Davidson def. Richardson 21-13, 21-9;
Cohen def. Lewis 21-8, 21-18;
Harvey def. Mathewson 21-1, 21-1;
Nitishin def. Rankin 17-21, 21-14, 11-8;
Phillippe def. Wickham 13-21, 21-19, 11-3.

(Quarterfinals):

Hawkins def. Peck 21-11, 20-21, 11-2;
Davidson def. Christiensen 9-21, 21-9, 11-5;
Harvey def. Cohen 21-12, 10-21, 11-10;
Phillippe def. Nitishin 21-11, 14-21, 11-2.

(Semifinals):

Hawkins def. Davidson 21-13, 21-10;
Phillippe def. Harvey 21-15, 21-3.

(Finals):

Hawkins def. Phillippe 21-15, 21-3.

(Third):

Davidson def. Harvey 20-21, 21-6, 11-2.

(Consolation):

Wickham def. Schafer 21-10, 21-15.

Photo: Mike Zeltman

Omega 40 Courts will soon open as the Daytona Beach area's first full-facility racquetball club.

Opening in early 1979 in Ormond Beach, Omega 40 Courts will offer racquetball and handball enthusiasts a wide variety of amenities, including 10 air conditioned courts, Nautilus, saunas, steam room, swimming pool and jogging track. Instructional clinics will be available for all levels of play.

Omega 40 Courts, located at the intersection of West Granada (SR 40) and Old Kings Road just minutes north of Daytona Beach, will be open seven days a week.

Various memberships plans are obtainable for the individual and for the family.

Persons wishing more information on Omega 40 Courts should contact owner/manager Steve Xynidis or director Harvin Clark by calling (904) 672-4044 or by writing Omega 40 Courts, P.O. Box 1141, Ormond Beach, 32074.



Omega 40 Courts Slated To Open By 1979.

What's my Number?

Florida State Ranking System (or is it?)

My name is Van Dubolsky and I've been playing racquetball or some variation thereof for over ten years. Since I moved to Florida in 1970 I have had the pleasure of meeting and playing with hundreds of different people. I have been lucky enough to play the game at all levels, from Saturday morning doubles to local, state, regional, and national tournament competition. I've had some victories I'll always remember and some losses that I'd just as soon forget, and I think I've won and lost games and matches from every possible position. (Although I'm not the kind of person who keeps accurate records . . . (Ahem) I just happen to know that over the last ten years I've won 1,876,549 games of racquetball while losing 801,249!) Anyway, I've always wondered where I stood with respect to the rest of the world's players.

Keeping track of total lifetime wins doesn't seem like a reasonable way to establish a ranking system but up until now it's all we racquetballers have really had. It seemed reasonable to me that if tennis could have a system at a local, state, and national level, why shouldn't racquetball? We know that it's fairly well established at the professional level, as any casual racquetball fan can tell you what Marty Hogan or Charlie Brumfield's numbers are; but what about the rest of us?

With these thoughts as a background I began to formulate a plan for a rating system. The first order of business was to decide at what level players should be ranked. Since it's usually easy enough to rate players ability-wise in your own family, while it's almost impossible to rank players world-wide, why not at least work towards a compromise? That's exactly what I decided to do when I made an attempt to establish a Florida State ranking procedure. The main purpose behind establishing this system would be to allow Florida based players to be assigned objectively arrived at numbers that could be used to compare them with other competitors in their respective division. Pre-established numbers would minimize seeding problems in future tournaments especially if those rankings were produced through some sort of objective system.

In creating the ranking system I used the following parameters:

I decided to use all tournament performances in Florida where invitations had been sent to clubs and organizations and individuals in most major racquetball centers in the state. I picked January 1978 as a starting point with the IRA State Championships in Ft. Lauderdale as the first recorded event.

The actual rating system is fairly simple: Divisions are considered separately and numbers are arrived at as follows: The winner of each division gets #1 while the runner-up receives #2. If there is a play-off for third, the winner gets #3 and the loser of that match #4. The fifth spot goes to the person who lost to the eventual champion in the quarterfinals while the #6 goes to the player who lost to the runner-up. (#7 goes to the person who lost to the #3 player while the #8 goes to the #4 "loser".) The #9 spot is given to the player who was defeated by the eventual champion in the round of 16, and so on as far back as you care to go.

With this in mind I began to rank Florida's players. With only one tournament to work with it was relatively easy. With a second set of tournament results I compiled a new set of numbers and then correlated them with my first set. Since most of the participants played in both events it still seemed to work but as 1978 progressed and my list of tournaments grew, the task of producing meaningful numbers got harder. Many people have only played in a few tournaments and some excellent "known" players have no numbers at all simply because of lack of participation in 1978 events. Some highly ranked players have recently moved, and seeding still becomes a problem when known, highly ranked, out-of-state players enter Florida tournaments. Finally, as of right now, subjective decisions must be made as to what constitutes a state-level event versus just a local get-together.

Even with all the inherent problems, I've still managed to come up with numbers for just about everyone who has played in 1978 tournaments. Next month I'll publish a list of the tournaments considered in the rankings so far this year, and the names and numbers for the major divisions. (P.S. I just won my 1,876,550th game today and I'm no longer concerned with my world standing; I've got my Florida number.)

Tournament Results

Florida

Sportrooms of Sabal Chase was host to the Miami Racquetball Championships June 23-25.

RESULTS

Men's Open:

Joe Icaza def. Frank Johnson 21-15, 15-21, 11-6

Men's B:

Robert Mendez def. Alex Ramos 21-17, 21-16

Men's C:

Tinker Hewitt def. John Morris 21-11, 21-18

Men's Novice:

Bob Rosenblatt def. Noel Gonzalez 21-13, 21-15

Men's Seniors:

Mike Wohl def. Frank Harney 21-7, 21-10

Men's Masters:

Wohl def. Melvin Mitchell 21-13, 21-3

Golden Masters:

Carlos Sena def. Don Keils 21-19, 21-8

Women's Open:

Lynn Jennette def. Pam Harrison 21-19, 13-21, 11-9

Women's B:

Dee Lewis def. Harrison 21-17, 21-10

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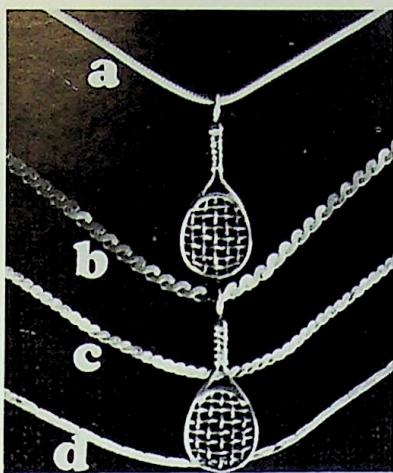
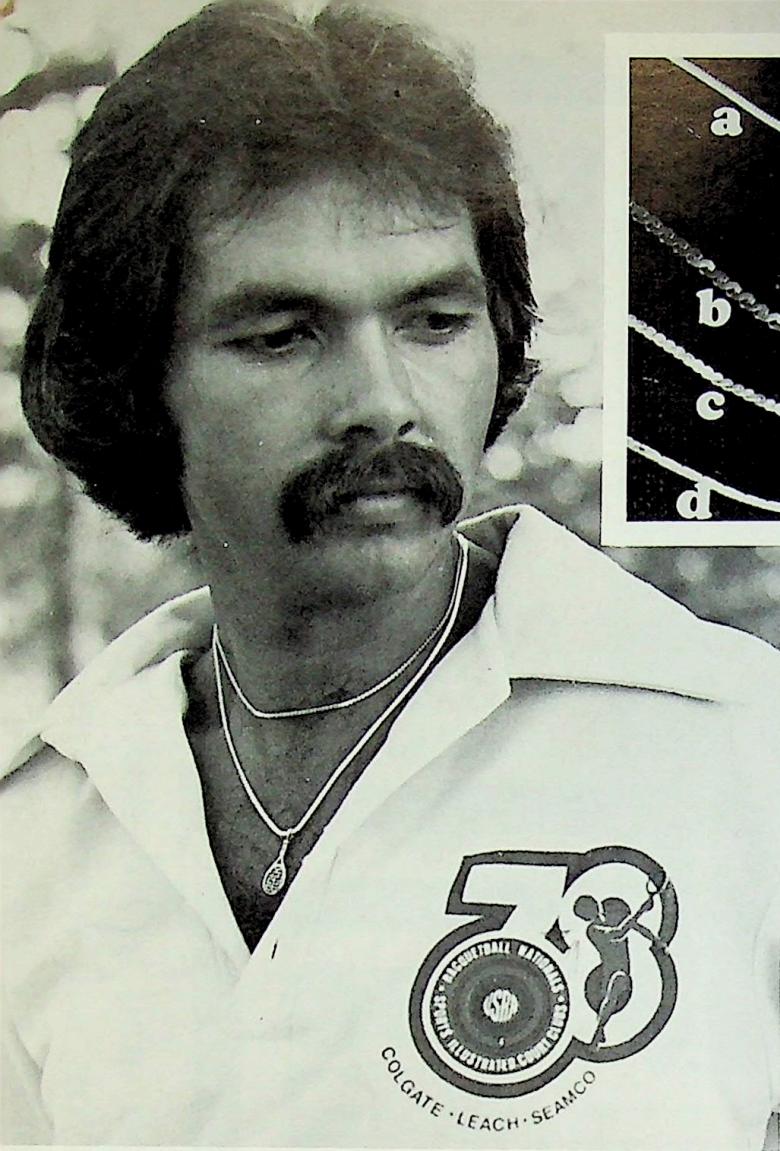
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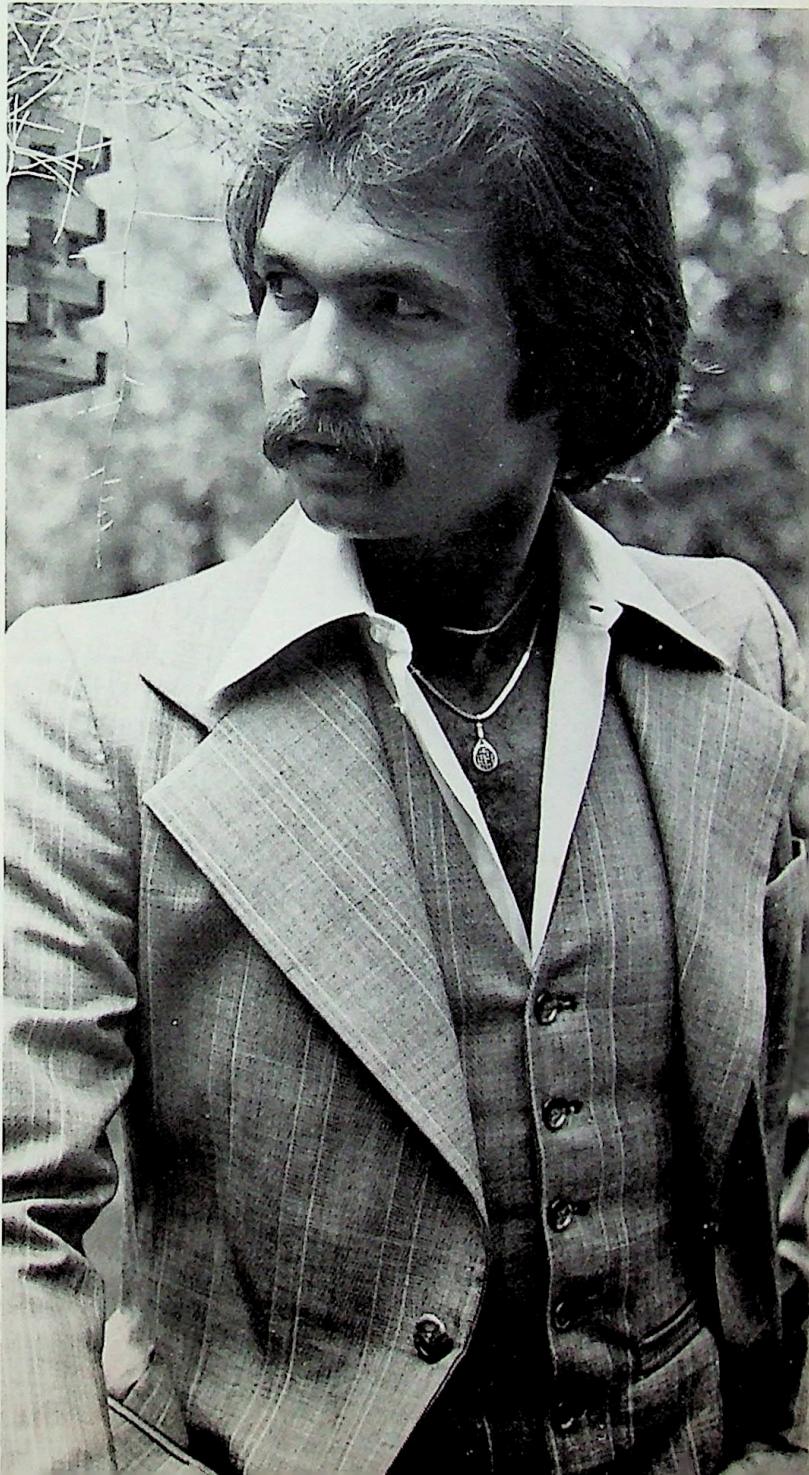
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