

# Kiersky's 72 Wins U.S. Seniors Title In Playoff

## Haggerty Nipped By Single Stroke

By AL RAMBERGER JR. A dazzling display of steadiness over the tricky 6,190 yards at ancient Apawamis in Rye won the CQ U.S. seniors' championship for Frank Kiersky of Chicago yesterday.

The 29-year-old vice president and P.R. man for Coca Cola in the midwest fired a near perfect 72 to survive a lousy playoff and resolve a tie created at 142 Westview when the trio wound up two days of play at Westchester C.C. and Apawamis — one round on each course.

Dave Goldman, a 58-year-old touring professional from Dallas who wears the Western and International Seniors' crowns, was the main contender of the other two. He twice "pulled up" on putts to bogey the two par-3s on the back nine and ended with 73-73 — 77.

Southway George Haggerty, 61-year-old Detroit barrier who won last year's championship with a 145, finished the playoff with 73-73 — 77 as he was short of his laurels following Wednesday's gallant comeback with a 68.

Kiersky, who fled for the runway spot at 148 a year ago drove particularly well and was never in serious trouble yesterday as he hit 18 par-3s, had one birdie and one bogey. Playing methodically, the 1965 U.S.C.A. Senior and 1964 American Senior was exact par through the first nine, then birdied the 10th after chipping to within 5 feet.

It was at the ninth, however, that the new champion got his biggest break. Ahead of Goldman by one stroke after Kiersky was off the green, to the left, in 3, Goldman followed a fine-iron shot, then caught the cup but the ball rolled 4 feet past the pin.

Kiersky clipped to within 6 feet and got his putt for par-5. Goldman, who was put to par by putting quite strongly enough all about the hole, then bogeyed but missed his birdie-putt when the ball clung to the edge.

The Chicagoan overtook the green at the 17-yard 16th for his lone bogey — by which time he had the match in control especially because Goldman also needed bogey-4 at the 17th and now trailed by 3 shots.

Goldman originally fell back to 4 by bogging the fourth and sixth with 58 but halved his deficit at the 45-yard seventh when he ratched in a 55-foot putt, then the ratched putt at the sixth kept him from drawing even.

Both suited the 10th, the Texan chipping nicely and sinking a 12-footer. But Goldman was down again after 3 putting the



Left to right (standing): Frank Braca, snackbar, football and assistant baseball coach; Pete Sg...

## Nancy Egan, Dietz Honored At Rye Neck Sports Dinner

More than 400 students, faculty and parents attended the 11th annual Sports Award night at Rye Neck High School last night.

## McDermott's Basketball Camp Slated

Jim McDermott has released dates for two basketball camps he will conduct this summer.

## Mets Draft Steve Broege Of Westlake

THORNSWOOD Steve Broege, Westlake's brilliant senior outfielder, was drafted by the New York Mets.

## Art Naclerio Paces Mixed Bowl League

In Westchester League Bowling this week, M. Goldberg's 547 led the series category, as he led the Rebels to a 3-1 victory over the Fathers.

## Village Kiwanis Baseball Schedule For Tomorrow

JUNIOR FLEA LEAGUE Junior league football will be played at 7 p.m. today at Capt. J. M. Gorman's house.

## Sports Calendar

FRIDAY Baseball Wolves vs Bears, Babe Ruth League, Flint Park, 5:30 p.m.

## Tri-County At Brae Burn Mrs. Bower Fires 77, Ties With Mrs. Doppelt

Mrs. Albert Bower of Pelham, the Metropolitan golf queen, won the Women's Tri-County season inaugural — although not outright — yesterday.

Mrs. Manny Doppelt of the local Brae Burn club shared honors, both gross and net, as the best in the first formal association tournament ever held at the new Purchase club.

A draw earned Mrs. Bower the top gross prize with Mrs. Doppelt setting for second after a draw of 76-78. The Pelham player, who was beat to turn out in a 2-over-par 27, needed a birdie-4 on the final hole for an incoming 40 to gain the lead.

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