



UPI wirephoto  
Connors' injury to his right thumb didn't keep him from defeating Englishman Richard Lewis yesterday. Connors took the court amid the vocal protests of British fans after he failed to attend the Parade of Champions ceremonies on Monday.

*Evert in easy first round*

# Connors cool at Wimbledon

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Jimmy Connors ignored the boos and hisses of British tennis fans yesterday and easily won his first match in the Wimbledon tournament, untroubled by his injured thumb.

The American left-hander overcame Richard Lewis, a big, loose-limbed Briton, 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.

Meanwhile, in the women's bracket, top-seeded Chris Evert began defense of her title with an easy 6-0, 6-3 triumph over American Ruta Gerulaitis. Second-seeded Martina Navratilova, the former Czech now living in the United States, and third-seeded Virginia Wade of Britain also won first-round matches.

The booing the top-seeded Connors received when he stepped onto center court was believed unprecedented from the normally sedate fans at Wimbledon. It followed Connors' failure to take part in a Parade of Champions Monday to celebrate the centenary of the world's most famous tennis tournament.

The All-England Club accused Connors of discourtesy and said it would not give him a commemorative medal which had been struck for past champions. Medals were presented to 43 other Wimbledon winners.



The booing began when Connors walked onto the court with his opponent. It was renewed, louder, when he went to his baseline to start hitting up.

Connors did not pay it the slightest heed. As the match went on the mood of the 15,000 fans melted a little and his best strokes were applauded. But he got only a mild ovation at the end.

His injury — a cracked bone in his right thumb — appeared not to affect his grip on his two-handed backhand.

Lewis hit a number of fine strokes and exchanged service breaks in each of the

first two sets, but he was erratic. Connors got sharper as the match wore on and never looked like he was in danger of losing.

Connors, who wore an orthopedic splint on his thumb, said afterward the injury did not worry him.

As for the row over the champions' parade, Connors said: "I had an appointment with my doctor, and that's the truth. When I arrived in the dressing room the champions were going out on court. It was Rod Laver's turn to go next. I looked at him and..."

Connors stopped and shook his head. Asked if he would apologize to the All-England Club, Connors said: "That's a pressure question. I will have to sit down by myself for two minutes and think about it."

More than 50 Wimbledon champions were invited to a lunch and to the parade. Ten were absent and sent apologies, but the club said Connors did not even reply to the invitation.

John McEnroe, an 18-year-old from Douglaston, N.Y., scored the day's best victory, a 6-0, 7-5, 6-4 success over veteran Egyptian left-hander Ismael el Shafel.

Harold Solomon, the U.S. Davis Cupper who excels on slow clay and usually skips Wimbledon, played his first match on grass for 2½ years. It may be his last for a while. He was beaten by Steve Docherty of Portland, Ore., ranked No. 47 in the United States.

Dennis Ralston, 34-year-old Bakersfield, Calif., star, edged Trey Waltke of St. Louis, 5-7, 6-4, 6-2, 9-8.

The Wimbledon fans, who are turning the clock back a lot this week, saw Ralston play exactly the same kind of tennis as when he appeared in the final here 11 years ago.



**¼ LOIN SLICED PORK CHOPS**  
PKG. INCLUDES CENTER CHOPS lb. **1.19**  
9 TO 11 CHOPS!  
A&P... PURE  
**GROUND BEEF**  
5-LB. ROLL lb. **69¢**



**BONELESS CHUCK ROAST**  
**89¢** lb.  
CUT FROM GRAIN-FED MATURE BEEF!  
BONELESS CHUCK STEAK lb. **99¢**



**BOX-O-CHICKEN**  
lb. **43¢**  
PARTS: 3 Great Qtrs. With Back, 3 Leg Qtrs. With Back, 3 Wings, 3 Necks & 3 Gizzard Pieces  
**BANQUET... FROZEN MEAT PIES**  
4 8-oz. pkg. **1.00**  
TURKEY-BEEF-CHICKEN



**We pick the best. So you can, too.**



**ADVERTISED ITEM POLICY** Each of these advertised items is required to be readily available for sale at or below the advertised price in each A&P Store, except as specifically noted in this ad.

We pick the best fruits, vegetables, meats and poultry just for you. From around the world our buyers are constantly searching to bring you the finest products money can buy. Our meats are federally inspected, our poultry raised in controlled environments. Everything that can be done to assure you of the utmost in quality is being taken care of at A&P. Our standards are high, but we don't stop there — we guarantee every purchase you make. If it's proof you want, come on in — we do pick the best, so you can, too.



**WALDORF BATH TISSUE**  
4 roll pkg. **69¢**

**— A&P MONEY-SAVING SALAD SPECIAL! —**

CRISP SOLID HEADS OF **ICE BERG LETTUCE**

3 heads **1.00**

EXTRA LARGE **VINE RIPE TOMATOES**

3 lbs. **1.00**

SUGAR-SWEET **SOUTHERN PEACHES** 3 lbs. **1.00**



**ANN PAGE ICE CREAM**  
half gallon carton **99¢** **SAVE 30¢**

OUR OWN **ICED TEA MIX** WITH LEMON & SUGAR .32-oz. jar **1.79**

A&P QUALITY **FRUIT COCKTAIL** 17-oz. can **39¢**

MRS. FILBERT'S **MARGARINE QUARTERS** 1-lb. pkg. **49¢**

REFRESHING **PEPSI** 16-oz. btls. **8.99**

**JANE PARKER SPANISH BARS** 19-oz. size **79¢**

A&P MILD WEDGE **CHEDDAR CHEESE** 12-oz. pkg. **1.49**

JANE PARKER...FRANK or **HAMBURGER ROLLS** 8-ct. pkg. **3.100**

## Ann Page Ketchup

# 3 14oz. Bottles for \$1.00

•abortion  
•birth control  
•counseling  
•pregnancy testing  
•educational services



**Hillcrest**  
clinic and counseling service  
2709 N. Front Street  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17110 • (717) 234-4994

# FREE!

Buy any Medium Pizza at the regular price

Get Identical PIZZA FREE Little Caesars Pizza

"Across From Old Main"  
"Above My-O-My Bar"

PICK UP ONLY

This coupon expires **6-30-77** **237-1481**  
• One Coupon Per Customer At This Location Only

## Wilson's

**GREAT SAVINGS on JEANS-PAINTER PANTS-FATIGUES**



**Wrangler**  
"No Fault" Denims  
100% Cotton  
14 oz. Denims  
Reg. \$17.49 **\$14.99**

**LandLubber**  
Blue Denim Jeans with Leather Type Trim- Guys & Gals  
½ off \$9.95  
Reg. \$19.95

Save ½ on Denim Jump Suits Reg. \$34.95 **\$17.50**

All Gauze and Western Style Shirts Reg. \$5.99 **\$9.95**

We're No. 1 in Selection of Painter Pants and Fatigues. Variety of Colors in each style: Navy, Tan, Green, Lt. Blue, Yellow, White and Black Painters Just \$9.49 and Fatigues Just \$10.99.

Always Shop and Save — at **Wilson's**  
—The Customer's Store—  
234 E. College Ave.  
(under Mid-State Bank)  
Hours: 9:30-5:30 Mon.&Fri. til 8:30

FREE LAYAWAY  