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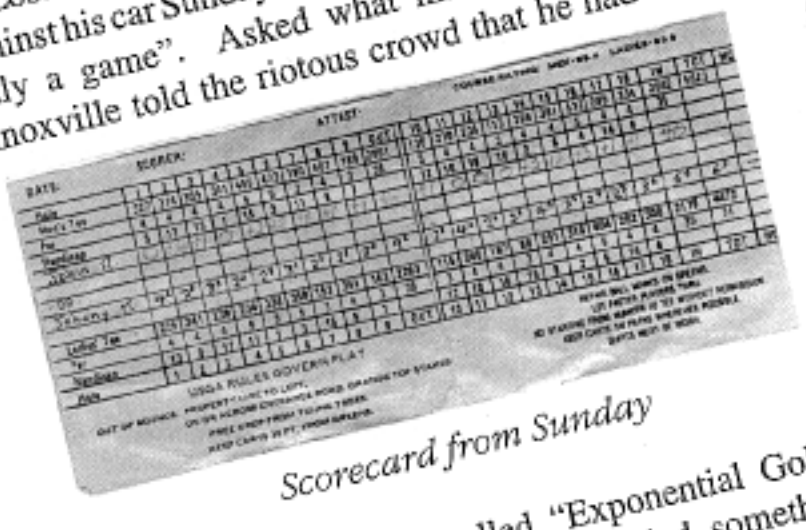
Johnny K. Scorches Lost Creek Club

Duffer Drills a New Hole

Knoxville, TN — Local duffer Johnny Knoxville stunned fellow golfers with an astounding score of 63 at Lost Creek Golf Club in New Market. Leaning against his car Sunday, Fairstein cooly remarked, "It's only a game". Asked what made the difference, Knoxville told the riotous crowd that he had developed a new technique called "Exponential Golf". When pressed for details he mumbled something about "junior high algebra", refusing to give away his secret. This reporter scooped the story when Knoxville dropped his scorecard (shown above) as he climbed in his dark blue Itchypussy car. Knoxville scorched Lost Creek's already burnt greens and fairways with a driving charge, scooping up divits as big as cow pies and leaving ball marks you could lose a horse in. To this reporter, Knoxville's low score is remarkable. Only a year ago he was shunned by his own friends for repeated duffs, shanks, and pulled putts. A row of snowmen and X's usually marked his scorecard. But now Knoxville is philosophical, "Those days are gone, I now have the secret to golf!".



Scorecard from Sunday

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Labor Letter

A Special News Report on Pe And Their Jobs in Offices, Fields and Factories

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