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BOBBY LOCKE WINS SOUTH AFRICAN OPEN GOLF TITLE

A good gallery turns out for the South African Open Golf Championships at Port Elizabeth. The high winds give many players some heart rendering moments in the rough. The feature of this year's championship is the excellent performance of the amateurs. Among them is 18 year old schoolboy H.R. Dorrington, runner up in the Amateur Championships. The crowd of course has its own criticism to make of each golfer's play, but what an easy game it is when you're merely looking on. They come in useful sometimes though, at least Bob Grimsal thought so when they found his ball for him. This is another shot that had gone with the wind. MacAlvey's in trouble too but he chips out to the pin, a peach of a shot. Mac's card looks like bad news though. On the home green Transvaal Amateur Champion T.Bochoff lays it dead. Hollander puts one on the line but it fades away. And here's Bobby Locke with a score of 293. He finishes ten shots ahead of the field to retain the championship.