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Doug Oster, the picture editor for the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, made the short drive to Latrobe (Pa.) Country Club, where he photographed Jerry Palmer overlooking the par-3 10th hole.

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