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Donnie Roberts wins Pike County (Ohio) Crown

Twenty-two-year-old Donnie Roberts won the 1965 NHPA Sanctioned Pike County Horseshoe Tournament. This was the third time that Donnie has won the Pike County Championship. Gary Roberts, Donnie's 17-year-old

brother was the runner-up.

To win the title Donnie had to pitch a 3 best of 5 game set with his brother Gary. In the first game Gary pitched 72.7 per cent ringers to defeat Donnie 54 to 27. Donnie got a better start the second game to edge Gary 51 to 46 with 65.8 per cent ringers. This made the set even with one win each. The third game Gary beat Donnie 51 to 36 firing a record 73.4 per cent ringers. This gave Gary a 2-win to 1-win edge over Donnie in the set. In the fourth game Donnie pitched 70.7 per cent ringers to defeat Gary 51 to 41. The set was now even at 2 wins each. The next game would decide the championship. The game was close all the way but Donnie set a 70.0 per cent pace that edged Gary 52 to 45 and gave Donnie a 3 to 2 edge in the set for the championship.

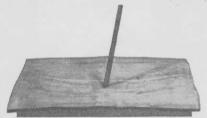
In Class B, Eli Reno took three straight games from Roy Jennings by

scores of 50 to 18, 50 to 38, and 50 to 14 to win the class.

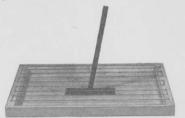
Verda Hickman became the women's champion by defeating Dora Vance 2 straight games by scores of 50 to 12 and 50 to 22 in a 2 best of 3 game set. Verda pitched 41.3 per cent ringers to win the class.

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Florida Fall & Winter 1965-66 Tournaments

- Nov. 13-14, 1965 FLORIDA STATE (Florida Residents Only) John H. Rademacher, Plant City, Def. Champion, SANSONE PARK, PLANT CITY, FLA.
- Jan. 24-29, 1966 MANATEE COUNTY FAIR OPEN Managed by Bradenton Horseshoe Club Waldo Hagy, LasVegas, Nevada, Def. Champion.
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Other tournaments are being planned, but to date these are the only meets definitely scheduled. All pitchers are welcome at any and all of these contests. For further information contact John H. Rademacher, State Secretary, P. O. Box 1589, Plant City, Florida.

Stinson's 10-1 Record Wins Him Northwest Open Title

Frank Stinson of Minneapolis, Minnesota racked up 10 wins and sustained one loss to win the annual Northwest Open tournament held at the Ramsey county fairgrounds in St. Paul, Minnesota. Andy Paglarini, defending champion was high qualifier with 84 ringers and 268 points in 100 shoes.

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT	T	A-1 DIVISION		
W	L %	W	L	%
F. Stinson, Minn10	1 68.	7 B. Lybeck, N. Dak11	0	64.5
A. Engebretson, N. Dak. 8	3 63.	A. Kiekhoefer, Minn 9	2	59.7
A. Paglairini, Minn 7	4 69.	B D. Olson, Minn 8	3	59.7
M. Lange, Iowa 7	4 64.	7 G. Sogge, Minn 6	5	61.6
J. Paxton, Iowa 6	5 68.	C. West, Minn 6	5	59.6
J. Anzaldi, Minn 5	6 62.	E. Peterson, Minn 6	5	55.0
A. Holter, Minn 5	61.5	W. Gullickson, Minn 6	5	50.1
B. Trollen, Wis 5	6 60.	J. Johnson, Minn 4	7	52.7
H. Knutson, Minn 5	6 60.	Leo Reinhardt, Minn 4	7	48.7
J. Yernberg, Minn 4	7 58.	B. Andrusko, Minn 3	8	49.0
G. Magnuson, Minn 3 8	8 56.	C. Hallum, Minn 2	9	47.7
J. Kiekhoefer, Minn 1 10	0 53.	R. Lundberg, Minn 1	10	45.6

Trophy winners in other divisions were as follows: A-2: Al Mischke 7-0; Hank Filzen 4-3; Frank Schneider 4-3. A-3: Arnold Otterness 6-1; Noel Lanes 5-2; Harold Garlie 4-3. B-1: Cy Andrews 5-2; Daryl Siebert 5-2; Chuck Morse 5-2. B-2: Dave West 7-0; Vic. Tissek 5-2; Bob Anderson 4-3. B-3: Emil Volkers 6-1; Harris Nelson 5-2; Bob Winterhalter 5-2.

COVER PICTURE... The Connecticut State Association is one of the many groups that have made tremendous strides in horseshoe pitching activities in the last several years. Pictured are the top three players in the 1965 Connecticut state tournament. Left to right, Larry Lang, second place: Sherman Green, 1965 state champion, and E. King.

Knauft Blazes Trail To Win Washington Inland Empire

Henry Knauft of Spokane, Washington retained his crown for the second year by winning the 4th annual Washington Inland Empire Handicap tournament held on the Pasadena park courts in Spokane. Mike Schmauch of Opportunity, Washington was runner-up with Chuck Workman of Lewiston, Idaho in third place. Dean Curry, state champion of Idaho was among the competitors. The tournament was sanctioned by the NHPA. Due to intermittent rains during the meet ringer percentages were much lower, because of wet courts. Knauft was able to post the high single game for the meet having a neat 87.5 percent game.

	%		
Henry Knauft	75.1	Wally Rehard	59.3
Mike Schmauch	46.8	Dayton Martindale	51.6
Chuck Workman	51.6	Howard Shatto	58.4
Perle Stratton	61.3	Dean Curry	50.3

Top Spot In West Virginia Open Goes To H. Reno, Buckeye Ace

Harold Reno, Ohio Buckeye sharpshooter and former world champ, bested Al Zadroga, Sr. of Pennsylvania in the final play-off game 51-20 to win the 1965 West Virginia Open tournament played at Parkersburg, West Virginia. Danny Kuchcinski of Erie, Pennsylvania lost to Zadroga in the first play-off match 50-32. Dale Carson of Baltimore, Maryland. defending champion was off stride and finished in ninth place.

CLASS A		CLASS B			
W L	%		W	L	%
H. Reno, Ohio13 2	82.5	G. Sebring, Pa	7	0	68.0
A. Zadroga, Pa	76.3	C. Gilmore, W. Va	6	1	60.6
D. Kuchinski, Pa	74.3	L. Rose, Ohio	4	3	54.0
J. Solomon, Pa	81.1	A. Deem, Jr., W. Va	3	4	62.0
H. Shriver, W. Va10 5	71.0	J. Kuchinski, Jr., Pa	3	4	57.5
G. Mihalic, W. Va 8 7	66.7	F. Bennett. Ohio	2	5	60.4
A. Deem, Sr., W. Va 7 8	71.1	R. Wade, W. Va	2	5	59.1
J. Potter, Pa 7 8	68.4	J. Reno, Ohio		6	48.2
D. Carson, Md 7 8	66.5				
A. Lindquist, W. Va 7 8	64.4	CLASS C			
W. Riley, W. Va 6 9	66.9		W	L	%
G. Anderson, W. Va 6 9	65.1	T. Hersty, W. Va	6	1	55.7
H. Tuttle, Ohio 4 11	67.4	B. Sergent, W. Va	5	2	55.3
J. Wilcoxen, W. Va 4 11	58.3	A. Copeland, Ohio	5	2	54.3
C. Falk, Pa 2 13	63.4	J. Parson, W. Va	4	3	47.9
C. Bruce, Pa 1 14	60.4	C. Daggett, W. Va	3	4	42.4
		A. Pratt, W. Va		6	39.6
		H. Hennen, W. Va		6	39.6
		F. Umbel, W. Va	1	6	37.1

H. Reno Winner of Manchester, N. H. "World Warm-Up"

Meet

The "Warm-Up" meet held at Manchester, N. H. provided a sample of the skill and competition scheduled for the world tourney at Keene, N. H.

As expected, midwest pitchers predominated, but growth of the game in New England was obvious as many local players did well in the middle and lower classes.

Four win and one loss records were posted in class 'A' by world champ Harold Reno, Floyd Toole, of Arkansas, Curt Day of Indiana, Ray Martin of Illinois and the popular Canadian champ, Elmer Hohl.

Based on total points and percentages, cash was divided among the top two in each flight with 1st, 2nd and 3rd place trophys awarded to Day, Reno and Toole.

Day bested Martin in 154 shoes for the longest game while high percent-

age honors went to Hohl as he threw a 93.4% at Gale.

Fred Lavett won 53-38 in the class 'B' playoff with Lee Jacobs. A couple of local favorites, George Sylvain and Brian Burke, tied for top place in Class 'CC' with Sylvain copping the playoff win.

Amos Whittaker of Orange, Mass. was the top New England pitcher while Art Wayne of Manchester took New Hampshire honors.

Surprise of the tournament was the strong showing of the sixteen year old Canadian, Ross Stevenson as he swept thru class 'CC' without a loss.

The tourney also marked the return to good health of Ed Paquin, ex New Hampshire champ, after a lengthy layoff.

With every tournament much necessary, but, "behind the scenes" effort is

required, thus many thanks to all who contributed.

The committee is particularly grateful to Indiana's Mrs. Wilhoite, Curt Day's daughter Margie, Sandy Spain and Lucille Ballard who so efficiently maintained the tourney records.

maintained the tourney re	cor	us.			
H. Reno, Ohio	4 3 3 1	1	% 82.6 77.3 77.4 72.9 72.0 66.6	CLASS A-2 W L C. Day, Ind	% 84.7 84.6 81.7 69.9 67.2 53.1
CLASS B F. Lavett, Calif	6 4 3 2 2	L 1 1 3 3 4 5 5	% 62.6 55.4 55.9 55.8 49.2 55.4 53.8 52.4	CLASS BB W L R. Miller, Ohio 6 1 W. Wilhoite, Ind 5 2 T. Early, N. Y. 5 2 D. Weik, Conn 5 2 B. Herfurth, Mass 3 4 D. Majewski, Conn 1 6 H. Wolfe, Ohio 1 6 H. Franke, Ill 1 6	% 61.5 59.4 63.9 65.3 48.4 56.5 52.8 48.0
CLASS C R. Stevenson, Canada S. Green, Conn. M. Merritt, Mass. G. Roeder, Canada H. Johnson, Mass. J. Nicholl, Ohio C. Richardson, Mass. L. Glass, Ohio	5 5 3 3 3 2	L 0 2 2 4 4 4 5 7	% 61.8 57.2 54.3 59.0 57.8 51.6 53.6 42.0	CLASS CC G. Sylvain, N. H. 5 2 B. Burke, N. H. 5 2 E. Remillard, N. H. 4 3 M. Donovan, N. H. 4 3 W. Hyland, N. Y. 3 4 A. Kerr, Ohio 3 4 E. Paquin, N. H. 2 5 D. Hohl, Canada 2 5	% 52.1 50.0 49.5 48.7 45.2 43.2 41.7 40.3

POMONA "F" OPEN — Southern California

	W	L	R	SP	%
Ray Faulkner, Fullerton	7	1	164	436	37.6
Floyd Brown, Exeter		2	154	414	37.1
Mel Lingenfelter, Canoga Park		3	141	366	38.5
Henry Thompson, San Gabriel		3	143	394	36.2
Jerold Royster, Ontario	5	3	135	372	36.2
Joe Holder, Pico Rivera	5	3	129	416	31.0
Ronnie St. Thomas, Bell Gardens	2	6	81	388	20.8
Lyle Augspurger, Torrance	1	7	92	396	25.7
Joe McNamara, Los Angeles	0	8	73	368	19.8

WESTERN OPEN - South Gate, California

VI VI	V	L	R	SP	%
Gerald Schneider, Bell12	2	1	629	840	74.8
Jim Weeks, Norwalk10)	3	630	856	73.5
Jonas Snyder, Chula Vista10)	3	567	854	66.3
John Walker, Chula Vista 9	9	4	588	880	66.8
Frank Esperanza, Oxnard	3	5	476	788	60.4
Ralph Randall, Barstow		6	515	792	65.0
Ed McFarland, Hacienda Heights	7	6	571	894	63.8
Charlie Merrell, W. Covina	6	7	542	864	62.7
Don Shubert, Los Angeles	6	7	538	918	58.6
Waldo Hagy, Las Vegas	5	8	501	870	57.3
Wally Shipley, San Gabriel	4	9	415	734	56.5
Norman Smith, Culver City	4	9		730	54.1
Pat Brady, Torrance	3	10	391	744	52.5
Joe Dawsey, Oxnard	0	13	Forfeited		0

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Gullickson Scores High In Red River Valley League

Grandin Garage, second-half winners, beat Fritz Sporting Goods of Fargo in the best-of-three championship series in the Red River Valley Horseshoe League at Fargo, N. D.

Grandin dropped the opener, 225-221, before winning 226-224 and 269-229,

in the three-man team, 50-shoe count-all event.

It was Grandin's first title since 1962. Fritz had won either the regularseason or playoff title the last five years. Reidar Haakenson led Grandin with 107, 89, 98 followed by Marvin Howard 75, 57, 56, Willis Wiger 62, 55 and Harold Oien 67.

Will Gullickson hit 93, 83, 75 for Fritz followed by Erling Erickson 75, 70

and 64 and George Nordstrom 77, 66, 66.

Gust Magnuson of the Black Co., team took the Class A league handicap tourney by edging Gullickson. Both hit 5-1 records, but Magnuson collected more points. Division winners include Erling Erickson, Class B; Julian Larson, Class C and Lyle Olson, Class D. Magnuson was the top average pitcher for the season and Wes Myhre was the most improved, jumping his average 12 points over a year ago.

Bruce Twedt of Fargo and Mike Kovash of Moorhead won titles in the first all-city Fargo-Moorhead tourney. Twedt, 14, posted a 3-0 record in the division for 13 and 14-year-olds. Ron Anderson of Fargo was runnerup. Kovash, 8, took the 8 to 12-year-old division by defeating Roger Gullickson in the last

game of the round-robin tourney.

Wilbur Kabel Winner of New Rome, Ohio Open Meet

CLASS A W. Kabel, New Madison 5 G. Roberts, Lucasville 4 L. Linigar, Un. Furnace 3 S. Manker, Martinsville 2 D. Roberts, Lucasville 2 J. Knisley, Bremen 0	L 1 2 3 3 5	% 68.4 59.8 62.4 54.6 63.5 53.1	CLASS B M. Gardner, Urbana C. Young, Columbus R. Redding, London K. Dawes, Good Hope T. Harris, London C. Johnson, Lyndon	4 3 2 1	L 1 2 2 3 4 4	% 62.2 63.3 57.1 62.7 53.7 51.6
CLASS C L. Rose, Columbus	L 1 2 3 4 5	% 55.3 53.9 49.7 44.6 41.2 41.7	CLASS D C. Redding, Columbus J. Pillion, Casstown J. De Weese, Wash. C. H. R. Miller. Springfield J. Boesch, Columbus L. Matthews, Columbus	4 3 2 2	L 1 2 2 3 3 5	% 56.1 52.5 48.7 48.8 50.9 49.4
CLASS E F. Redding, W. Jefferson 5 H. Roshon, Baltimore 4 T. Harris, London 2 F. Bennett, Greenfield 1 R. Moore, New Rome 1 H. May, Dayton 1	L 0 1 3 4 4 4	% 52.7 47.4 49.1 47.5 42.7 37.9	CLASS F E. Lomax, Columbus V. Pyles, New Rome L. Yerian, Galloway C. Hodges, Columbus F. Park, Columbus L. Kunkler, Bremen	4 2 2 1	L 0 1 3 4 4	% 38.2 42.9 38.1 35.7 30.1 31.3

Pickaway Ringer Round Up — Circleville, Ohio

Donnie Roberts of Lucasville, O. copped 7 straight to win Class A at the Circleville, O. Pickaway Round Up early fall tournament. Runnerup Jim Knisley of Bremen lost only to Roberts 51 to 45.

Knisley topped the 77 entrants in qualifying with 84% and 266 pts.

Bob Redding of Kiousville had 84% and 264.

Tom Pearce, W. Jefferson, won 5 straight decisions with 62.7% to take Class B. Bill Jones of Circleville was runnerup with 3 and 2.

Robt. (Midge) Johnson of Columbus was the Class C winner with 6 and

1, Francis Redding of W. Jefferson was 2nd with 5 and 2.
Class D was taken by John Wilks of Circleville with 7 and 0, Chet Peters of Ashville had 4 and 3 for second.

CLASS A					
	W	L	R	SP	%
Donnie Roberts, Lucasville	7	0	362	508	71.3
Jim Knisley, Bremen		1	353	492	71.7
Leonard Lenigar, Union Furnace		3	328	476	68.9
Kenny Dawes, Good Hope	4	3	319	484	65.9
Robert Redding, Kiousville		4	265	410	64.6
J. D. Rhymer, Stoutsville	2	5	246	430	57.2
Ted Harris, London		6	296	498	59.4
Clark Johnson, Lyndon		6	248	436	56.9

Harold Reno Clinches Southeastern Classic With 15-0.

Harold Reno of Sabina, Ohio clinched the Southeastern Classic championship with 15 straight victories in that annual event staged at Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Robert Toney of Lynchburg, Virginia was runner-up with a

14-1 record.	ingers	SP	W	L	%
Harold Reno, Sabina, Ohio	.747	932	15	0	80.2
Robert Toney, Lynchburg, Va		1070	14	1	72.7
Roger Norwood, Knoxville, Tenn		948	12	3	66.0
Walter King, Asheboro, N. C.	.683	1084	11	4	63.0
Dale Carson, Baltimore, Md	.614	920	9	6	66.7
O. D. Lebow, Knoxville, Tenn	.701	1062	9	6	66.0
Glynden Moore, Elon College, N. C	.648	978	8	7	66.3
Howard Lunsford, Pfafftown, N. C	.642	1008	7	8	63.7
Woodrow Thomas, High Point, N. C	.523	862	7	8	60.7
James Bullion, Forest, Va	.566	1004	7	8	56.4
Darrell Eller, Thomasville, N. C	517	906	5	10	57.1
Conrad Murphy, Winston-Salem, N. C	.511	914	5	10	55.9
Gurney York, Harmony, N. C	.560	978	4	11	57.3
Charles Jarnigan, Knoxville, Tenn	469	894	3	12	52.5
John Corns, Winston- Salem, N. C	525	962	2	13	54.6
Howard Hester, Winston-Salem, N. C	406	864	2	13	47.0

North. Calif. "E" Championship Won by Garcia

Bob Garcia, southpaw from Los Gatos, Calif., captured the Northern California Class E Championship. The tournament was held on the Golden Gate courts in San Francisco.

	W	L	%		W	L	%
Garcia, Los Gatos	4	1	31.8	Watson, Golden Gate	3	2	19.8
Stanford, Gilroy				Crossman, Vallejo	3	2	24.1
Conrad, Golden Gate				Melton, L., Gilroy	2	3	28.8
Westbrook, Vallejo			26.3	Anderson, Los Gatos	1	4	18.7
Keller, Vallejo			28.8				

Pringle In Play-off Victory Over Kalb For Northwest Ohio District Crown

Art Pringle of Williston, Ohio defeated Melvin Kalb of Bucyrus, Ohio to win the annual Northwest Ohio District tournament held at the Wauseon fairgrounds in Wauseon, Ohio.

CLASS A		CLASS B	
WL	%	W L	%
D. Pringle, Williston 6 1	53.8	E. Baldwin, Wauseon 6 1	55.9
M. Kalk, Bucyrus 6 1	59.3	E. Stein, Portage 6 1	56.0
C. Espen, Bowling Green 5 2	58.5		49.6
J. Lind, Wauseon 5 2	52.7		41.0
P. Rohrs, West Unity 3 4	46.2	are also constant that the second con-	42.0
C. Mays, Kenton 2 5	45.5		38.9
L. Ellwood, Ada	44.3	R. Stuckey, Archbold 1 6	42.0
Li Litti oodi aada iiii	36.9	J. Shadley, Ada 1 6	42.0
D. Wose, Wauseon 0 7	00.0	J. Shauley, Ada 1 0	42.0
CLASS C		CLASS D	
CLASS C	L	CLASS D W	L
W	L 0	W	L 0
S. Kalb, Chatfield	L 0 1	M. Walker, Toledo 7	0
S. Kalb, Chatfield	1	M. Walker, Toledo	0
S. Kalb, Chatfield	1 3	M. Walker, Toledo	0
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S. Kalb, Chatfield	1 3 4 4	M. Walker, Toledo 7 E. Wyse, Wauseon 6 H. Shultz, Delta 5 D. Van Pelt, Wauseon 3 L. Krauss, Wauseon 3	0
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S. Kalb, Chatfield	1 3 4 4 4	M. Walker, Toledo 7 E. Wyse, Wauseon 6 H. Shultz, Delta 5 D. Van Pelt, Wauseon 3 L. Krauss, Wauseon 3 R. Welker, Wauseon 3	0

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A Note From The 1965 World Champion

The thrill of winning a world horseshoe pitching championship cannot be expressed in words, but through words, I can say "thank you" from the bottom of my heart for all the notes of cheer, congratulations, hand shakes and best wishes that I received at Keene, New Hampshire and for all the cards of congratulations that I have received from players and friends from all over the United States and Canada.

My wife, Hilda and I have travelled many miles through many states during the last six years to attend World tournaments and have enjoyed the many acquaintances and the warm hospitality of all the people we have met.

My sincere wish is that some year in the near future, we may have the part of returning that hospitality at a World tournament in Canada.

Sincerely,

Elmer Hohl

Weatherbee Play-off Victor Over Tulk To Win Wyoming Tri-State

The Tri-State was held in Cheyenne, Wyoming on August 15th. Dick Weatherbee of Colorado Springs, Colorado won Class A by beating Jim Tulk of Greeley, Colorado in the playoff. Class B was won by Ted Chase of Laramie, Wyo; Sonnenberg of Colorado won Class C and Harlin Jensen of Nebraska in his first tournament, took Class D without defeat. Gene Stauffer of Nebraska won 2nd place in Class B by ringer percentage in the playoff. Standings below first in each class was decided by this method, when tied in wins.

CLASS A				CLASS B			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
Weatherbee, Colo	9	1	64.7	Chase, Wyo	8	0	50.7
Tulk, Colo	9	1	61.6	Stauffer, Neb	4	4	47.7
Fleharty, Neb	7	3	52.4	W. Dilley, Colo	5	3	48.4
Wyatt, Neb	6	4	53.1	R. Dilley, Neb	5	3	47.8
Banks, Colo		2	56.1	Arnold, Wyo		3	44.5
Palmer, Wyo	4	3	56.2	Schwall, Colo		3	43.9
Rowley, Neb	3	4	51.1	Niedenthol, Colo	2	3	43.4
Laughlin, Wyo		4	50.1	Beebe, Colo	2	3	41.5
Berg, Colo	3	4	47.9	Palm, Wyo	2	3	40.3
C. Schott, Colo	3	4	47.5	Smith, Colo	2	3	39.5
Jensen, Neb	2	5	48.9	Botkin, Wyo	1	4	35.2
W. Patton, Wyo	2	5	44.8	Gorham, Colo	1	4	35.2
Mason, Colo		5	38.3				
S. Patton, Wyo	1	6	46.0				
F. Engle, Colo	0	7	36.0				
CLASS C				CLASS D			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
Sonnenberg, Colo	7	0	41.9	H. Jensen, Neb	5	0	32.8
R. Engle, Colo	5	2	35.6	Childs, Neb	4	1	31.8
Fuller, Colo		2	34.8	G. Patton, Wyo	3	2	26.8
Telford, Colo		3	37.9	Robb, Wyo	2	3	23.6
Rindschadler, Wyo	3	4	36.9	Ruhl, Neb.	1	4	20.9
Neher, Colo.		5	28.0	Wm. Patton, Wyo		5	14.0
R. Schott, Colo		6	28.0				
Carlson, Colo.		6	23.8				

Gilmore Tops In Lawrence County (Pa.) Tournament

The weatherman gave the New Castle Horseshoe Club of New Castle Penna. a nice sunny horseshoe pitching day when Clyde Gilmore of Volant won the Championship Title of Lawrence County at the George Washington Courts. Gilmore had to beat Clair Bruce of New Wilmington twice to get the first place Trophy. At the end of five games, Bruce was tied for first place with Bob Morris of New Castle with five wins apiece and no losses and two more games to be played. Morris lost to Vernon Brightshue 49-50 which put Morris out of the running. Gilmore who had 5 wins and 1 loss beat Bruce making their record even 6 wins and one loss apiece. Then came the play-off game with Gilmore jumping out ahead and staying there for the entire game, game ending 50-33.

Trophies were awarded to first and second places by the New Castle Horseshoe Club. First and second place trophies were also awarded in Class B which played on Saturday in cold rainy miserable weather.

Chuck Fulerton of New Castle won five straight games to win Class B. Opal Corbett of New Castle won four, losing only to Fulerton to win second place.

Oxnard, California Sports Festival Open

GROUP 1				
W	L	R	SP	0%
Jim Weeks, Norwalk 5	_ 0	216	298	72.4
Gunnar Hansen, Baldwin Park 3	2	182	300	60.6
Jessie Gonzales, San Luis Obispo 3	2	184	310	59.3
Harry Morse, Beaumont 3	2	159	282	56.3
Russell Hart, Santa Maria 1	4	89	256	34.6
Ray Butler, Oxnard 0	5	107	282	37.9
GROUP 2				
W	L	R	SP	%
Gerald Schneider, Bell 5	0	237	330	71.8
Frank Esperanza, Oxnard 4	1	219	342	64.0
Andy Anderson, San Francisco 3	2	217	350	62.0
Clarence Cummins, Orcutt 2	3	208	338	61.5
Clarence Pearcy, La Habra 1	4	179	334	53.5
Joe Dawsey, Oxnard 0	5	130	266	52.6
PLAYOFF				
W	L	R	SP	%
Gerald Schneider, Bell 3	0	151	202	74.7
Jim Weeks, Norwalk 2	1	140	198	70.7
Gunnar Hansen, Baldwin Park 1	2	124	210	59.0
Frank Esperanza, Oxnard 0	3	106	190	55.8

Oxnard, California Sports Festival Class "B"

	W	L	R	SP	%
Harry Morse, Beaumont	9	1	248	476	52.1
Wally Shipley, San Gabriel	8	2	217	440	49.3
Don Shubert, Los Angeles	7	2	199	422	47.1
Joe Dawsey, Oxnard	6	3	214	466	45.9
Fred Pearcy, La Habra	4	5	182	474	38.3
Byron Smith, Port Hueneme	4	5	167	466	35.7
Ernest Knord, Galeta	3	6	195	458	42.5
Russell Hart, Santa Maria	3	6	152	432	35.1
Norman Goyette, Oxnard	2	7	183	478	38.2
Al Perez, Oxnard	0	9	82	374	21.9

In Memoriam

The horseshoe world lost one of its most valued members last month with the death of Willson D. Hubbard, known to his friends as "Bill," of Baker, Montana.

Only one week before his death he had been appointed N.H.P.A. Regional

Director for the Rocky Mt. States.

A native of Nebraska and a long time resident of Montana he is survived by his widow, two daughters, a brother, two sisters and eight grandchildren. He was 71 and still an active player at the time of his death. Interment was in Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, D. C.

He organized the horseshoe club in Baker, Mont. and helped organize the Montana State Association and served as President of both groups at one time. He was also a member of the Florida State Association and the Bradenton Horseshoe Club where he spent the winter months during the past few years. Bill also played in several World Tournaments in Murray, Utah.

George Scott, 70, of Indianapolis died after a lengthy illness on Sept. 25. He was a real pioneer in the game of horseshoe having been a member of the

National Association and the Indiana State Association since 1920.

Although Mr. Scott had not been an active player for many years he always maintained his interest in the game and the 1965 Indiana State Tournament was the first he had ever missed, and was always one of the first to obtain his NHPA membership each January. A willing worker he always aided tournament officials in any capacity he could at every tourney he attended.

Surviving are his widow, two brothers, four sons, one daughter, 16 grand-

children and one great grandchild.

Eleanor Zimmerman, wife of Indiana and NHPA member Leo Zimmerman of Ft. Wayne, Ind. died suddenly in September. Her husband was a member of the newly organized New Haven Horseshoe Club, one of the newest affiliates of Indiana State Association.

The sympathy of the N.H.P.A., the state associations and the local clubs

is extended to the bereaved families.

Hugh Rogers In Title Win at Cedar Fall, Iowa

Hugh Rogers of Cedar Falls, Iowa topped the field in the annual Cedar Falls. Iowa tournament held at the Island park courts in Cedar Falls. He led the field with 5 in a row. Harry Page was second with 4 and 1.

CLASS A		CLASS B	
W	L	W	L
H. Rogers, Cedar Falls 5	0	A. Matheney, Anamosa 5	0
H. Page, Waterloo 4	1	C. Hopkins, Ottumwa 4	1
J. Paxton, Ottumwa 2	3	O. Trimble, Cedar Rapids 3	2
D. Dixon, Des Moines 2	3	A. Burgess, Marshalltown 1	4
C. Spier, Waverly 1	4	H. Huntley, Cedar Rapids 1	4
F. Rogers, Waverly 1	4	D. Stull, Traer 1	4
CLASS C		CLASS D	
W	L	W	L
R. Burgess, Marshalltown 5	0	O. Trimble, Cedar Rapids 3	0
P. McElroy, Ottumwa 4	1	H. Huntley, Cedar Rapids 1	2
M. Diehl, Waterloo 3	0		2
M. Dieni, waterioo	2	A. Durgess, Marshalltown 1	hid
H. Paxton, Ottumwa 2	3	A. Burgess, Marshalltown 1 R. Baldwin, Clarence 1	2
	3 4		

South Gate — Southern California South Gate "G" Open

	W	L	R	SP	%
Lyle Augspurger, Torrance	8	0	122	348	35.0
Sam Davis, Downey	7	1	120	390	30.7
Ronnie St. Thomas, Bell Gardens	5	3	96	402	23.8
Joe McNamara, Los Angeles			73	466	15.6
Art Haggerty, Huntington Park			84	424	19.8
Andy Woloshun, South Gate		5	106	440	24.0
Cliff Vannoster, South Gate	3	5	62	456	13.5
Carl Hovey, Torrance	1	7	51	398	13.0
Ray Victor, Huntington Park	0	8	48	448	10.7

South Gate "B" Open — Southern Calif.

	W	L	R	SP	%
Clarence Pearcy, La Habra	7	0	230	442	52.0
Harry Morse, Beaumont	6	1	228	404	56.1
Wally Shipley, San Gabriel			214	398	53.7
Bill Jones, South Gate		4	216	438	48.8
Al Rogers, Long Beach		4	188	414	45.4
Willis Sims, Long Beach	3	4	155	382	40.5
Eldon Carrier, Downey	1	6	145	390	37.1
Ross Faulkner, Huntington Park	0	7	84	341	24.6

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Floyd Toole "Arkansas Traveler" Regains Title In **Tournament of Champions**

Floyd Toole of Little Rock, Arkansas, regained his title in the "Tournament of Champions" tournament held at Kansas City, Missouri by winning all of his games. His high ringer percentage game of 86.5 was against Ray Cavin of St. Joseph, Missouri. All players were awarded cash prizes and trophies according to placement in the finals.

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT

		0%				
Toole, Ark11	0	80.3	Reheis, Kan	5	6	65.0
Tamboer, Kan 8	3	73.4	Candy, Kan	5	6	64.5
Lattray, Mo 7	4	72.5	Winston, Mo	4	7	64.4
Carmack, Mo 7	4	71.0	Pinion, Mo	4	7	64.1
Dixon, Iowa 6	5	68.4	Cavin, Mo	2	9	64.8
Baker, Mo 5	6	65.6	Knouft, Kan	1	11	51.3

WESTERN INDIANA — Frankfort, Indiana

			CLAS	S A			
GROUP ONE	w	L	%	GROUP TWO	w	L	%
C. Day, Frankfort	5 4 3 2 1 0	0 1 2 3 4 5	84.9 75.7 72.1 74.7 68.3 61.0	K. Van Sant, Cayuga J. Kemple, Rushville C. Reel, Kokomo E. Sharp, Mulberry E. Billingsley, Lafayette G. Weber, Lebanon	2	0 1 3 3 5	79.2 74.5 71.9 66.2 64.5 68.3
CLASS B	w	L	%	CLASS CC	w	L	%
W. Wilhoite, Lebanon R. Wood, Indpls R. Boyer, Muncie A. Quebe, Kirklin K. Achors, Frankfort R. Wilson, Wilkinson	5 4 2 2 1	0 1 3 4 4	63.3 63.0 59.4 58.7 50.4 48.0	B. Baker, Crwfdsvl W. Seibold, Huntington E. Mendenhall, Noblesville P. Van Sickle, Indpls J. Shuck, Sharpsville L. Hill, Speedway	3 2 2	1 2 2 3 3 4	59.5 60.9 57.2 51.4 49.3 42.5
CLASS C	w	Τ.	0%	CLASS D	w	I.	0/_
CLASS C R. Mc Kinniss, Lafayette B. Flaugher, Lebanon C. Hanson, Russiaville G. Sharpe, Frankfort R. Billingsley, Crwfdsvl. C. Haffner, Crwfdsvl	W 5 4 3 3 1 0	L 1 2 2 4 5	% 46.9 48.9 48.9 40.6 34.3 31.4	M. Gillespie, IndplsA. Moore, WabashW. Hickson, FrankfortH. Coffman, LafayetteE. Cast, Frankfort	4 3 2 1	L 0 1 2 3 4 5	% 42.4 41.9 34.2 35.5 33.7 27.8
R. Mc Kinniss, Lafayette B. Flaugher, Lebanon C. Hanson, Russiaville G. Sharpe, Frankfort R. Billingsley, Crwfdsvl.	5 4 3 3 1	1 2 2 2 4	46.9 48.9 48.9 40.6 34.3	M. Gillespie, Indpls A. Moore, Wabash W. Hickson, Frankfort I. Neal, Logansport H. Coffman, Lafayette	5 4 3 2 1	0 1 2 3 4	42.4 41.9 34.2 35.5 33.7

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA 'B' CHAMPIONSHIP

GROUP ONE				GROUP TWO			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
Wynn, Arroyo Viejo	4	1	51.4	Jensen, Seaside	5	0	57.7
Sanitate, Los Gatos	4	1	50.8	Walker, Los Gatos			
Fulwider, Santa Rosa	3	2	45.7	Ludlow, Los Gatos	3	2	45.6
Taggart, Golden Gate	3	2	44.9	Dovell, Arroyo Viejo	2	3	44.6
Vice, Santa Rosa	1	4	38.0	Strickland, Seaside	2	3	38.6
Saathoff, Mosswood	0	5	36.7	Westbrook, Vallejo			

NORTHERN INDIANA	TC	DUR	NAMENT — Wabash, In	dic	ana
CLASS A	L	%	CLASS B W	L	%
I. Rookstool, Syracuse 6	1	60.7	R. Davis, Fort Wayne 7	2	47.1
C. Reel, Kokomo 5	2	64.8	J. Shuck, Sharpsville 5	3	57.9
W. Seibold, Huntington 4		62.7	V. Huffman, Poneto 5	3	49.6
D. Wright, Columbia City 4	3	62.3	C. Hanson, Russiaville 4	3	57.0
R. Pence, Gary 4	3	61.8	K. Renkenberger, Avilla 4	3	53.0
N. Adams, Claypool 2	5	58.2	R. Feller, Amboy 3	4	50.0
D. Salsbery, Sharpsville 2	5	55.9	N. Farr, Swayzee 1	6	48.0
A. Jessup, Fort Wayne 1	6	46.6	J. Pauley, Elkhart 1	6	40.8
CLASS C			CLASS D		
W	L	%	W	L	%
M. Swanson, Mulberry 6	0	60.1	I. Sampson, Muncie 5	1	50.8
Cl. Nelson, Jonesboro 4	2	55.8	L. Frazier, Millersburg 4	2	55.2
R. McKinniss, Lafayette 3	3	50.3	R. Hunter, Wabash 4		53.5
B. Flaugher, Lebanon 3	3	48.0	L. Overholser, South Bend 4	2	45.1
C. Denigan, Jonesboro 2	4	48.7	A. Moore, Wabash 3		49.3
R. Davis, Russiaville 2	4	39.3	E. Edwards, Kouts 1	5	42.9
G. Kingma, Lafayette 1	5	47.8	E. Bussard, Marion 0	6	38.6
CLASS E			CLASS F		
W	L	%	W		
V. Wray, Valparaiso 6		45.5	T. Eader, South Bend 6	1	30.0
R. Wolfinger, Elkhart 4	3	41.8	K. Bales, Kouts 5	2	30.3
W. White, Lafayette 4	3	41.4	C. Richardson, Lebanon 5	2	25.6
C. Richards, Wabash 4	3	35.2	S. Surridge, So. Bend 4	3	27.4
N. Maywhoor, Ft. Wayne 3	4	38.1	F. Kingma, Lafayette 3	4	28.3
Whitmore, N. Manchester 3	4		V. Martin, Kouts 3	4	27.8
R. Grable, Columbia City 3			W. Bales, Knox 1	6	23.7
A. Corson, Decatur 1	6	33.6	F. Sharpnack, Marion 1	6	22.4

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Cavin Captures Falls City, Nebraska Open Championship

In spite of being upset by Marvin Reheis of Kansas, Ray Cavin of St. Joseph, Missouri came through with flying colors to capture the annual Falls City Open championship played at Falls City, Nebraska. High single game honors went to Cavin, who posted an 83.3 percent game. Fred Lavett of Seaside, California was awarded the prize for the player coming the farthest distance. Trophies were awarded to the first three places in each class.

CLASS A Ray Cavin, Mo Charles Killgore, Mo Marvin Reheis, Kan Wayne Trautwain, Mo Lillard Pinion, Mo Horace Gilmore, Mo Harry Strahm, Mo Dean Prichard, Kan	6 5 4 4 4 3 2	1 2 3 3 4	% 72.7 63.0 64.1 67.7 70.5 59.9 66.0 57.1	CLASS B Loren Cain, Mo	5 4 4 4 4 4 3	3 3 3	% 55.9 60.0 60.2 56.1 55.8 49.4 51.9 40.3
CLASS C Vernon Nordgren, Neb Dale Seybert, Neb Holly Woods, Neb Jim Acock, Mo Stanley Brickey, Mo G. L. Gutshall, Mo Bill Graves, Kan.	7 6 5 4 3 2		56.8 57.0 47.9 45.9 32.2 47.8 28.9	Gail Nielsen, Neb	5 2 2 2 2	0 3 3 3	% 36.4 45.8 35.6 36.8 34.6 34.7

CLASS E

	W	L	%
Gary James, Iowa	5	0	46.3
Carl Grotrian, Neb	4	1	43.9
Elmer Grage, Neb	3	2	40.5
Dale Koso, Neb	2	3	29.7
Doyle Derrick, Mo	1	4	22.0
Milton Harman, Neb			

South Gate "G" Open — Southern Calif.

	w	L	R	SP	%
Sam Ishizuka, Oxnard	6	1	133	470	28.2
Sam Davis, Downey		2	157	466	33.6
Joe Holder, Pico Divera	5	2	139	494	28.1
Al Perez, Oxnard		3	139	496	28.0
Lee Forest, Los Angeles		4	121	494	24.4
Ronnie St. Thomas, Bell Gardens	3	4	109	470	23.1
Dan Salinas, Oxnard		5	100	516	19.3
Ray Victor, Huntington Park		7	88	498	17.6

Baldwin Park Doubles - Southern Calif.

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Gunnar Hansen, Ealdwin Park — Russell Hart, Santa Maria	5	
Jim Weeks, Norwalk — Joe McNamara, Los Ángeles		
Clark Bell, Covina — Charles Siebert, Fullerton	4	
Clarence Cummins, Orcutt — Oscar Sandberg, Glendora	4	
Ed McFarland, Hacienda Heights — Ron St. Thomas, Bell Gardens	4	
Clarence Pearcy, La Habra — Eldon Carrier, Downey	4	
Wally Shipley, San Gabriel — Earl Mang, Buena Park	2	
Fred Pearcy, La Habra — Harold Carden, Baldwin Park		

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Oxnard, Calif. Sports Festival "C"

GROUP 1				
W	L	R	SP	%
Joe Dawsey, Oxnard 7	0	150	278	53.9
George Farrell, South Gate 5	2	139	316	43.9
Russell Hart, Santa Maria 4	3	139	352	39.4
Ernest Knorp, Galeta 4	3	122	320	38.1
Eldon Carrier, Downey 4	3	118	364	32.4
Oscar Sandberg, Glendora 3	4	120	336	35.7
Al Perez, Oxnard 1	6	76	318	23.8
Dan Salinas, Port Hueneme 0	7	81	334	24.2
GROUP 2				
W	L	R	SP	%
Al Rogers, Long Beach 7	0	138	272	50.7
Sam White, Azusa 6	1	144	346	41.8
Ray Butler, Oxnerd 4	3	143	314	45.5
Willis Sims, Long Beach 4	3	125	292	42.8
Norman Goyette, Oxnard 3	4	131	332	36.4
Fred Burfiendt, Camarillo 2	5	85	324	26.2
Mel Lingenfelter, Canoga Park 1	6	101	336	30.0
Sam Ishizuka, Oxnard 1	6	78	300	26.0
PLAYOFF				
· W	L	R	SP	%
Al Rogers, Long Beach 3	0	67	134	50.0
George Farrell, South Gate 2	1	57	142	40.1
Joe Dawsey, Oxnard 1	2	65	130	50.0
Sam White, Azusa 0	3	51	150	34.0

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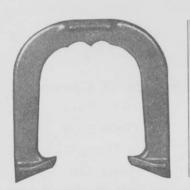
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POMONA "C" OPEN — Southern Calif.

GROUP 1				
W	L	R	SP	%
Don Shubert, Los Angeles 5	0	168	290	57.9
Willis Sims, Long Beach 3	2	137	272	50.3
Larry Hahn, W. Covina 3	2	130	272	47.7
Carl Dennis, Lynwood 3	2	132	284	46.4
Henry Thompson, San Gabriel 1	4	96	268	35.8
Clem Birkenbach, Baldwin Park 0	5	147	330	44.5
GROUP 2				
W	L	R	SP	%
Bill Jones, South Gate 5	0	163	290	56.2
Sam White, Azusa 3	2	154	290	53.1
Bill Shoemaker, Monrovia 3	2	145	288	50.3
Ed Mitchell, Hollywood 2	3	174	342	50.8
Fred Pearcy, La Habra 2	3	131	294	44.5
Eldon Carrier, Downey 0	5	111	284	39.0
PLAYOFF				
W	L	R	SP	%
Don Shubert, Los Angeles 3	1	144	290	49.6
Willis Sims, Long Beach 2	2	136	298	45.6
Bill Jones, South Gate 1	2	90	184	48.9
Sam White, Azusa 1	2	85	180	41.6



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Donnie Roberts Wins District Horseshoe Title

Donnie Roberts, 22-year-old Pike County Champion, won the NHPA sponsored Southeastern Ohio District horseshoe tournament last week-end at the Pike County Horseshoe Courts in Waverly. In the qualifying round Donnie threw 76 ringers out of 100 shoes to become the high qualifier. Also, in the field of qualifiers were Clark Johnson, the Ross County Champion, and Walter Allison, the defending champion. Harold Wipert and Gary Roberts rounded out class A.

Donnie went through the class without a loss. He averaged 72.5 per cent ringers to set a new tournament record. Donnie set another tournament record when he threw 79 per cent ringers against Harold Wipert of Ross County. In the final game against Walter Allison, Donnie came from behind 49 to 30 and won the game 50 to 49. Gary Roberts was the runner-up in Class A with a 3 and 2 record.

Pete Turner from Chillicothe won Class B. Ed Forbes was the runner-up in that division. In Class C Roy Jennings of Pike County finished in a tie for first place with John Turner of Chillicothe. In the play-off Roy was the

winner.

CLASS A				CLASS C			
		L	%		W	L	%
D. Roberts	5	0	72.5	R. Jennings	2	1	35.0
G. Roberts	3	2	61.6	J. Turner			41.3
C. Johnson				C. Mannering			
W. Allison				W. Daily	1	2	36.1
H. Wipert	2	3	48.3				
CLASS B							
	W	L	%				
P. Turner	1	0	45.0				
E. Forbes			42.0				
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Tassell Sweeps Field To Win Valencia County (New Mexico) Meet

Glenn Tassell Morarity tournament champion again came through to take all four games in the Valencia county fair tournament held in Belen, N. Mex. Tassell a former resident of Iowa and Des Moines champ scored 44.5% with 99 ringers in 200 pitches in strong winds and blowing sand. Joe Helms three year state champion and three year county fair champ was unable to participate due to illness. Tassells best game was against Joe Robertson of Clovis where he scored 106 points with a 60 per cent ringer average. Tassell also received the high qualifiers trophy for his 123 points and 72 per cent ringer average with 6 double ringers in a row. Another feature of the afternoon was the awarding of the merit achievement trophy which went to Ralph Brandt for his accomplishment in promoting the tournament. The presentation was made by Otis Henson president of the club and B class champ.

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