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COVER PICTURE . . . This month we are proud to present the "dean of the NHPA state secretaries," Mr. Sam Goodlander, secretary of the Ohio State Association. Sam has been its secretary for many years and does an outstanding job in all its activities. He also has been assisting in the statistical work of the World Tournaments. He willingly lends his assistance to clubs outside of the Ohio state jurisdiction, and particularly the new indoor courts at Dayton, Kentucky.

Nevada State Association Season's Tournaments

CLASS C AND WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT - Reno, Nev. May 9, 1970

CLASS C — Larry Hammond 22.6; Lance Astor 27.6; Jerry Nelms 19.0.

JUNIORS — Richard Baglin; Rick Hammond; Amanda Astor.

WOMEN — Peggy Nelms 6.4; Jessie Astor 11.2; Stephanie Kearns 5.5.

DOUGLAS COUNTY OPEN - Gardnerville, Nevada - May 17, 1970

CLASS A — Boyce Miller 37.1; Cliff Jones 40.6; Earl Davenport 36.9.

CLASS B — Lance Astor 22.2; Ed O'Rayeh 23.8; Larry Hammond 22.2.

CLASS C — Jerry Nelms 22.5; Louie Polish 24.5; Ron Latvaho 20.1.

JUNIOR BOYS — Dennis Simpson; Rick Hammond; Rich Baglin.

JUNIOR GIRLS — Betty Nelms, Alice Mankins.

WOMEN — Jessie Lewith 10.6; Donna Atkinson 11.2; Jessie Astor 12.7.

LAKEVIEW OPEN - Washoe Valley, Nevada - May 30-31, 1970

CLASS AA — George Palmer 39.2; Boyce Miller 35.8; Earl Davenport 33.0.

CLASS A — George Wilfon 26.3; Earl Wood 24.4; Dave Costa 23.2.

CLASS B — Red Warren 21.0; Gordon Hunter 19.0; Bob Jones 17.9.

CLASS C — Karl Wilfon 12.5; Joff Trescart 9.4; Jack Prien 8.9.

JUNIOR BOYS — Dennis Simpson 28.4.

WOMEN - Group 1 — Jessie Astor 11.0; Donna Atkinson 3.6; Regina Weimar 3.5. **Group 2** — Gay Wilfon 6.6; Stephanie Kearns 5.0; Peggy Nelms 10.0.

SPARKS OPEN - Sparks, Nevada - June 6-7, 1970

CLASS A — George Palmer 42.5; Jim Randall 47.4; Boyce Miller 36.0.

CLASS B — Augie Fragale 30.8; Herb Beeler 30.4; Cass Bower 29.3.

CLASS C - Group 1 — Terry Parker 22.4; Lance Astor 30.6; Tom Kitcher 19.1. **Group 2** — Larry Hammond 25.0; Norm Gregory 20.5; Jerry Nelms 26.6.

CLASS D - Group 1 — Ed Lorgarmasino 14.3; Frank Lepori 22.9; Joff Trescart 13.7. **Group 2** — Raleigh Atkinson 22.0; Fred Weaver 23.7; Carey Weaver 11.2.

WOMEN — Gay Wilfon 18.2; Marge Hammond 10.5; Donna Atkinson 7.8.

CARSON VALLEY OPEN - Put on by the Stewart Indian Colony, Reno, Nev. June 20 - 21, 1970

GROUP 1 — Monty Jones 39.9; Norm Simpson 37.9; Boyce Miller 36.1.

GROUP 2 — Floyd Mattney 35.8; Lance Astor 33.1; Fred Weaver 21.5.

GROUP 3 — Harold Wheeler 23.9; Jerry Nelms 23.1; Al Perkes 19.3.

GROUP 4 — Joff Trescart 21.2; Kee Dale 14.5; Jim McConnell 8.3.

WOMEN — Jessie Astor 16.6; Gay Wilfon 15.2; Marge Bower 9.4.

RENO OPEN - Put on by Reno Horseshoe Pitchers Club - July 18, 1970

CLASS B — Cass Bower 29.0; George Wilfon 27.2; Fred Weaver 23.7.

CLASS C — Al Perkes 25.2; Joff Trescart 25.2; Dennis Simpson 21.3.

CLASS D — Robin Cridelich 11.0; Rick Hammond 4.4; Chick Suschena 9.5.

WOMEN — Stephanie Kearns 9.8; Jessie Astor 12.2; Gay Wilfon 7.8.

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NOTICE! Effective January 1, 1971

It finally had to come.

The subscription rate of the Horseshoe Pitcher's News Digest was raised to \$3.50 by official action of the NHPA convention in South Gate after a lengthy floor discussion of costs, mailing problems and future plans.

The new rate will go into effect January 1st, 1971 at which time the rate for both renewals of present subscriptions and new subscribers will become \$3.50.

The Digest began publication in 1956 with eight page issues at the subscription rate of \$2.50. During the ensuing years the size of the magazine has increased to 32 and 36 page issues and the costs of printing and mailing have risen steadily until total costs have far outstripped income despite an increase of subscribers which has more than doubled.

Improvements will come with the new rate. Considerable money is being spent on a new addressograph system which will speed up the mailing and tighten up the record keeping of subscribers.

Considerable difficulty has been experienced in the past due to the troubles the United States postal service is having with the handling of its mail. It may be necessary for the Digest to go to first class mailing, which will double the postage bill. In any event, it is almost certain postal rates will rise again in the near future.

In the future the Digest will contain more pictures and there will be more 36 page issues with special articles. The retirement of NHPA Secretary Bob Pence from his daily job in the steel mills, will enable him to give Digest Editor Ellis Cobb more help with the magazine.

It is extremely important that names and addresses of subscribers be complete and correct when they reach the NHPA office. Also anyone who moves should inform the Digest at once of his new address.

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Walker Triumphant In Redwood Empire (Calif.) Open**CLASS AA**

	W	L	%
J. Walker, Chula Vista	11	0	74.1
C. Chapelle, P'tlnd, Ore.	9	2	61.2
T. Turner, Los Gatos	9	2	57.1
J. Pratt, Sacramento	8	3	61.3
V. Zelmar, Campbell	6	5	54.8
F. Lavett, Seaside	6	5	49.7
H. Vinsant, Eureka	5	6	56.5
K. Ludlow, S. Clara	5	6	47.2
B. McNally, Hayward	4	7	52.6
A. Gates, Pacific Gr.	2	9	39.5
K. Turner, Los Gatos	2	9	37.1
C. F. Goldsmith, Eureka..	0	11	37.2

CLASS A

	W	L	%
R. Briggs, Oakland	8	1	35.0
M. Turner, Los Gatos	7	2	39.7
C. Dedrick, Eureka	7	2	32.3
L. Gayet, S. Rosa	6	3	34.4
R. Long, Eureka	6	3	33.0
W.R. Williams, Eureka ..	4	5	24.2
W. Burchett, Eureka	4	5	21.5
G. Hyde, Eureka	2	7	13.6
A. Vinsant, Eureka	1	8	3.9
J. Larson, S. Rosa			forfeit

JUNIOR BOYS — Walter Ray Williams, Jr., Eureka, Calif. 3-0-64.3; Alvin Vinsant, Eureka, Calif. 2-1-53.2; Jeffery Williams, Eureka, Calif. 1-2-26.9; Russell Zelmar, Campbell, Calif. 0-3-13.2.

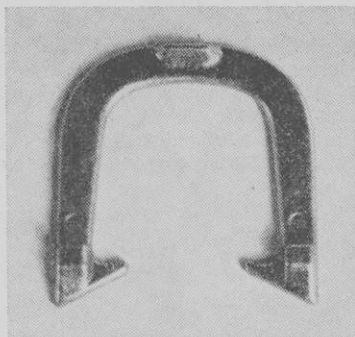
WOMEN — Pat Turner, Los Gatos, Calif. 5-0-44.1; Esther Williams, Eureka, Calif. 4-1-34.4; Ann Gayet, Santa Rosa, Calif. 3-2-20.5; Stella Gates, Pacific Grove, Calif. 2-3-16.1; Karen Ward, Scotia, Calif. 1-4-11.0; Juanita Vinsant, Eureka, Calif. 0-5-4.0.

JUNIOR GIRLS — Debbie Williams, Eureka, Calif. 5-0-35.2; Cindy Williams, Eureka, Calif. 4-1-26.0; Billie Cox, Eureka, Calif. 3-2-4.2; Barbara Williams, Eureka, Calif. 2-3-3.9; Charlene Vinsant, Eureka, Calif. 1-4-3.0.

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COMING EVENTS

Dec. 5 — City Parks tournament, City Park courts, Mesa, Arizona.

Feb. 13-14, 1971 — Annual Valley of the Sun Open tournament, Mesa City park courts, Mesa, Arizona.

Jan. 23-24, 1971 — Second Annual Youth Fair Men's Open tournament, 7475 Kendall Drive, Miami, Florida.

Feb. 20-21, 1971 — Fifth Annual Open tournament, for benefit Variety Children's Hospital, Lummus park courts, Miami, Fla.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHEDULE

Jan. 17, 1971 — Annual Meeting at 1:00 p. m. Location - Baldwin Park.

KENTUCKY TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

December 5 & 6 — Day-Bell Open, Dayton, Kentucky. Entry fee \$6.00.

January 23 & 24, 1971 — Day-Bell "Icicle" Open, Dayton, Kentucky. Entry fee \$6.00.

March 6 & 7, 1971 — Day-Bell "Harry Henn" Memorial Open, Dayton, Kentucky. Entry fee \$6.00.

In all cases deadline for entry is the Saturday preceding the tourney date. Mail entry with percentage and entry fee to Daniel Webb, 1321 Licking Pike, Cold Spring, Kentucky 41076. Phone: (606) 441-3106. Classes of eight and six with trophies awarded in each class to first and second place. NHPA sanctioned and sponsored by the Kentucky Horseshoe Pitcher's Assn.

1970-1971 Florida Tournament Schedule

Dec. 12, 1970 — FLORIDA OPEN — Orlando, Florida - Write John H. Rademacher, P. O. Box 1589, Plant City, Florida 33566.

Jan. 9, 1971 — PLANT CITY OPEN — Plant City, Florida - Write: John H. Rademacher, P. O. Box 1589, Plant City, Florida 33566.

Jan. 23, 1971 — MIAMI YOUTH FAIR MEN'S OPEN — Miami, Florida, Write: Tony J. Whittle, 1420 S. W. 82nd Avenue, Miami, Florida 33144.

Jan. 26-30, 1971 — MANATEE COUNTY FAIR OPEN — Palmetto, Florida, Write: Earle Johnson, Rt. 3, Box 6, Manatee, Florida 33505.

Feb. 20-21, 1971 — 5th ANNUAL VARIETY CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OPEN — Miami, Florida, Write: Tony J. Whittle, 1420 S. W. 82nd Avenue, Miami, Florida 33144.

Mar. 4-6, 1971 — STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL OPEN — Plant City, Florida, Write: John H. Rademacher, P. O. Box 1589, Plant City, Florida 33566.

Mar. 8-13, 1971 — SUNCOAST OPEN — Bradenton, Florida, Write: Earle Johnson, Rt. 3, Box 6, Manatee, Florida 33505.

Mar. 15-20, 1971 — DESOTO OPEN — Bradenton, Florida, Write: Earle Johnson, Rt. 3, Box 6, Manatee, Florida 33505.

Apr. 17-18, 1971 — FLORIDA STATE (Closed) — Orlando, Florida, Write: John H. Rademacher, P. O. Box 1589, Plant City, Florida 33566.

All persons desiring to enter any of the above tournaments are encouraged to apply early as some of these may be limited in participants. All out-of-state entries must submit a qualifying score of 100 shoes pitched.

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Jim Solomon — Dormont, Pennsylvania Open Winner

Jim Solomon showed signs of his former self in capturing the annual Dormont, Pennsylvania Open. Ringer percentages were very low during this tournament due to rain and high winds. Jim was very tough when he had to be, especially in the play-off game with Sam Sutton.

Jack Rainbow of Aliquippa won Class B by defeating Frank Kilinsky and Clyde Falk in a three-way play-off.

CLASS A				CLASS B			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
Jim Solomon	5	2	66.9	Jack Rainbow	5	2	63.7
Sam Sutton	5	2	71.5	Clyde Falk	5	2	56.4
Oscar Engle	4	3	72.2	Frank Kilinsky	5	2	62.9
Al Zadroga	4	3	69.6	Ed Blum	4	3	56.6
Dale Carson	4	3	69.1	Charles Semans	3	4	62.1
Clyde Martz	2	5	68.0	Pete Shalonis	3	4	56.1
Richard Maroni	2	5	64.0	Vince Sedlacek	2	5	48.4
Howard Shriver	2	5	63.8	Jake Fiore	1	6	48.4

CLASS C — Oattie Reno 7-0-56.9; Robert Johnson 6-1-55.6; John Swyers 4-3-47.1; Cyrl Enders 4-3-45.6; Pete Vlachos 3-4-56.1; Glen Sebring 2-5-44.7; Robert Myers 1-5-40.5; Paulin 0-6-39.5.

CLASS D — Ponick 7-0-42.7; Cover 5-2-33.2; Combs 5-2-32.2; Rose 5-2-30.2; James 2-5-29.7; Drake 2-5-25.8; Ufolla 2-5-28.6; Locke 0-7-19.2.

Curt Day Wins Indiana - Ohio Open at Muncie, Indiana

Curt Day took top honors at the Indiana-Ohio Open at Muncie, Indiana with Wilbur Kable, New Madison, Ohio coming in second. Bill Holland, Indianapolis, won the Junior division and Bonnie Seibold, Huntington, the Ladies.

CLASS AA Finals

	W	L	%		W	L	%
C. Day, Frankfort, Ind.	3	0	85.6	Chumbley, Frank'n, Ind. ..	1	2	76.1
W. Kable, N. Mad'sn, O. ..	2	1	77.8	H. Reno, Sabina, Ohio	0	3	72.6

GROUP AA-1

	W	L	%
W. Kabel, Ohio	4	1	80.8
H. Reno, Ohio	4	1	80.1
J. Knisley, Ohio	3	2	73.4
G. Grubb, Ind.	2	3	72.8
R. Maylahn, Wis.	2	3	65.5
P. Focht, Ohio	0	5	72.4

GROUP AA-2

	W	L	%
C. Day, Ind.	5	0	83.4
O. Chumbley, Ind.	4	1	78.6
G. Riffle, Ohio	3	2	74.0
H. Anthony, Ohio	2	3	74.4
B. Davis, Ind.	1	4	65.6
S. Manker, Ohio	0	5	70.2

CLASS A — R. DeHart, Ind. 6-1-65.8; L. Lenanger, Ohio 6-1-66.4; R. Colvin, Ind. 5-2-65.2; R. Sheppard, Ind. 5-2-58.9; B. Flaughner, Ind. 2-5-57.7; J. Witschger, Ohio 2-5-48.4; B. Rambo, Ind. 1-6-50.5; R. Bennett, Ohio 1-6-41.3.

CLASS BB — L. Fisher, Ind. 6-1-62.7; E. Buehner, Ohio 5-2-59.6; I. Rookstool, Ind. 4-3-60.6; C. Andrews, Ind. 4-3-58.1; H. McCoskey, Ind. 4-3-57.6; J. Shuck, Ind. 3-4-55.5; Z. Campbell, Ohio 2-5-49.3; M. Wisehart, Ind. 0-7-39.0.

CLASS B — H. Hollandbeck, Ind. 7-0-50.7. H. Holland, Ind. 6-1-52.8; Clarence Nelson, Ind. 4-3-48.3; J. Flowers, Ind. 3-4-42.1; E. Parshall, Ind. 3-4-40.4; J. Gall, Ind. 2-5-48.3; J. Holloway, Ind. 2-5-42.9; G. Kline, Ohio 1-6-36.8.

CLASS CC — J. Johnson, Ind. 6-1-56.8; L. Hinkle, Ind. 6-1-53.4; F. Passmore, Ind. 5-2-52.1; E. Gotschall, Ind. 4-3-56.3; D. Riffle, Ohio 3-4-50.8; Chas. Nelson, Ind. 2-5-45.4; B. Detamore, Ind. 2-5-44.7; H. McFatridge, Ind. 0-7-39.4.

Indiana Open — (Continued)

CLASS C — V. Huffman, Ind. 7-0-54.1; J. Pierson, Ind. 6-1-47.9; R. Hoff, Ohio 4-3-49.8; W. Barker, Ind. 4-3-48.0; A. Yount, Ind. 4-3-46.7; G. Mendenhall, Ind. 2-5-44.9; T. Eader, Ind. 1-6-42.7; F. Sumpter, Ohio 0-7-34.7.

CLASS DD — M. Gillespie, Ind. 6-1-45.4; H. Pearson, Ind. 5-2-47.7; L. Dearing, Ind. 5-2-46.4; C. Sisson, Ind. 4-3-44.0; W. Kelsey, Ind. 4-3-39.6; B. Hall, Ind. 3-4-37.1; P. Cunningham, Ind. 1-6-35.3; M. Gunyan, Ind. forfeit.

CLASS D — F. Dellinger, Ind. 4-1-44.8; J. St. Myer, Ind. 4-1-40.4; R. Reid, Ind. 3-2-44.6; A. Whitmore, Ind. 3-2-34.2; R. Sanson, Ind. 1-4-32.4; W. Adams, Ind. forfeit.

CLASS EE — C. Maly, Ind. 5-0-40.4; R. Weaver, Ind. 3-2-35.8; W. Gilbert, Ind. 3-2-32.9; V. Varvel, Ohio 2-3-32.7; G. Loy, Ind. 2-3-27.5; J. Nunemaker, Ind. 0-5-29.6.

CLASS E — J. Isaacs, Ind. 7-0-24.1; R. Melling, Ohio 5-2-28.6; K. Owsley, Ind. 5-2-26.0; H. Cole, Ohio 4-3-24.1; N. Price, Ohio 2-5-18.6; B. Goldsberry, Ind. 2-5-14.3; A. Seavers, Ind. 1-6-20.9; S. Dearing, Ind. 1-6-17.9.

JUNIOR CLASS A — B. Holland, Ind. 5-0-78.8; M. Seibold, Ind. 4-1-83.8; G. Bussard, Jr., Ind. 3-2-65.7; J. Anthony, Ohio 2-3-56.6; M. Cunningham, Ind. 1-4-52.2; T. J. Cool, Ohio 0-5-40.1.

JUNIOR CLASS B — M. Holland, Ind. 5-0-54.6; J. Passmore, Ind. 4-1-47.3; D. Bussard, Ind. 2-3-36.0; T. Gall, Ind. 2-3-27.2; A. Gall, Ind. 1-4-30.2; D. Riffle, Ohio 1-4-24.9.

LADIES — B. Seibold, Ind. 4-0-55.9; C. Cool, Ohio 3-1-29.7; C. Loy, Ind. 2-2-35.3; K. Melling, Ohio 1-3-25.4; P. Melling, Ohio 0-4-12.3.

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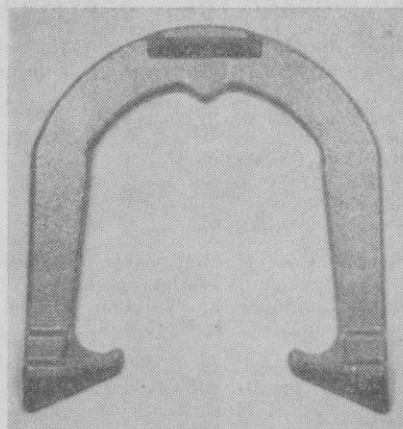
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Ottie's team of D. Roberts, S. Conley, L. Rose and H. Jarrels won our last season's first round with Ottie holding the scratch high for several weeks.

Being a policeman and horseshoe pitcher, I'm proud to be associated with such a fine person.

Harry Chadwick

Columbus, Ohio

Stan Manker Takes Scottsburg, Ind., Indoor Tournament

Stan Manker, Martinsville, Ohio wins Scottsburg Indiana Indoor Open Tournament Crown after a playoff game with Russ DeHart, Greenwood, 55-49.

CLASS AA

	W	L	%		W	L	%
S. Manker, Mar'ns'vle, O...	6	1	73.8	W. Wilhoite, Lebanon	4	3	66.4
R. DeHart, Greenwood	6	1	76.2	E. Murphy, N. Albany	2	5	66.9
O. Chumbley, Franklin	4	3	77.9	R. Colvin, Utica	2	5	60.6
M. Seibold, Hunt'gtn	4	3	72.7	J. Stone, Beech Grove	0	7	61.6

CLASS A — H. McCoskey, Pekin 7-0-69.2; B. Rambo, Jeffersonville 6-1-60.3; J. Stevenson, Louisville, Ky. 3-4-56.4; V. Huffman, Poneto 3-4-54.0; R. Bennett, London, Ohio 3-4-49.5; J. Noble, Louisville, Ky. 2-5-55.2; C. Goble, Brownstown 2-5-52.3; C. Seibold, Huntington 2-5-47.6.

CLASS BB — C. Mull, Scottsburg 6-1-53.1; L. Hinkle, Middletown 5-2-51.5; J. Johnson, Decatur 4-3-57.8; T. Eader, South Bend 4-3-45.7; G. Thomas, Madison 4-3-44.2; J. Morgan, Scottsburg 3-4-53.3; M. Gillespie, Indianapolis 2-5-41.4; C. Bennett, Jeffersonville forfeit.

CLASS B — L. Dearing, Greenfield 8-0-48.1; G. Zollman, Scottsburg 6-2-45.8; J. Hammons, Crawfordsville 6-2-45.2; B. Reid, Scottsburg 6-2-43.1; A. Thompson, Pekin 4-4-39.6; A. Burch, Scottsburg 3-5-35.5; B. Kinney, Crothersville 2-6-31.6; M. Stevenson, Louisville, Ky. 1-7-33.6; B. Wells, Scottsburg 0-8-23.5.

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Al Lord Bags 14 For New England Title

The New England tournament was held at Marcotte Park, Lewiston, Maine, Sept. 5, 6, 7, under somewhat adverse weather conditions. Al Lord had a 14-1 record to win the 1970 title.

The averages did suffer but no one complained and all seemed to have a good time. Meet was sponsored by the Land A Horseshoe Club.

CLASS A

	W	L	%		W	L	%
Albert Lord	14	1	68.6	Clinton Simmons	8	7	63.2
Walter Piletz	12	3	67.5	Porter Clark	6	9	58.1
Norm Rioux	12	3	67.3	Charles Richardson	5	10	61.8
Ed Domey	10	5	64.5	Nelson Brake	5	10	62.2
Don Weik	10	5	69.8	John Renfro	5	10	59.3
Ed Saltus	9	6	63.8	Bernard Herfurth	4	11	60.3
Paul Tobey	8	7	64.6	Lou Saltus	2	13	54.3
Russ Sweeney	8	7	64.6	Francis Lewis	1	14	50.7

CLASS B — Roland Boudreault 7-0-56.7; Herby Masse 6-1-59.2; Mel Merritt 5-2-59.7; Lee Cameron 4-3-57.0; Zymund Berdinka 3-4-48.2; Phil Johnson 2-5-47.9; Larry Croteau 1-6-51.8; Paul Drowne 0-7-43.7.

CLASS BB — Arthur Tyson 6-1-56.8; Howard Stewart 5-2-50.6; Herb Swedburg 4-3-53.3; Robert Fitzwilliams 4-3-46.3; Lloyd Putnam 3-4-50.8; Rosaire Tardiff 3-4-48.5; Joe Johnson 2-5-41.8; Daniel Beane 1-6-45.5.

CLASS C — Donald Harrison 7-0-51.9; Francis McDonald 4-3-45.2; Marcel Courtois 4-3-42.2; Grandville Gressel 4-3-42.3; Ray Benson 3-4-43.5; Pat Gallant 3-4-41.2; Paul Dumont 2-5-38.4; Wendall Burton 1-6-35.4.

CLASS CC — Dom Pepin 6-1-48.5; Gerald Moore 5-2-46.5; Harry Reid 5-2-44.8; Clyde Hewett 4-3-43.6; Leonard O'Connell 4-3-40.2; Ray Dulmaine 3-4-44.6; Ray Roux 1-6-37.7; Merle Belargeon 0-7-33.1.

CLASS D — Roy Whittemore 7-0-47.1; Gerry Bonnevie 5-2-39.8; Bob Traquair 5-2-37.7; P. Ducharme 5-2-35.3; F. Lengyel 4-3-29.2; Sam Raymond 2-5-28.6; V. Williams 1-6-31.0; Rene Rodrigue 0-7-20.0.

CLASS DD — N. Bailey 7-0-39.8; A. Chickering 6-1-36.4; R. Fleming 4-3-39.3; F. Wagner 4-3-35.0; Wallace Wright 2-5-29.7; N. Vafides 2-5-31.1; R. Griffin 2-5-27.9; R. Forsstrom 1-6-26.1.

CLASS E — H. Murphy 6-1-39.1; R. Tedford 5-2-35.5; F. Washer 4-3-37.1; D. MacVane 4-3-44.8; A. Deluca 4-3-31.6; R. Poulin 3-4-33.1; D. Fales 2-5-31.2; G. Snyder 1-6-27.0.

CLASS EE — E. Tidd 6-1-32.4; D. Weik 5-2-31.2; W. Piletz, Jr. 4-3-34.0; F. Fleming 4-3-30.0; C. York 3-4-28.7; R. Harriman 3-4-29.8; R. Menneally 2-5-26.7; R. Frost 1-6-22.4.

CLASS F — W. Havey 6-1-28.3; G. Lee 6-1-25.3; A. Stours 5-2-26.7; F. Conant 4-3-32.5; R. Kibby 3-4-25.3; J. Clark 3-4-21.6; A. Duluca 1-6-21.3; F. Hicky 0-7-16.1.

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CLASS FF — C. Wood 7-0-32.6; L. Fullum 5-2-33.7; D. Hanson 5-2-28.8; J. Laurence 3-4-26.6; W. Progen 3-4-27.2; R. Doyon 2-5-23.2; J. Harrison 2-5-21.1; W. Scribner 0-7-17.3.

CLASS G — P. Pratt 6-1-32.9; L. Roux 5-2-28.7; W. Patenaude 5-2-25.8; L. Georgina 5-2-25.9; R. Williams 4-3-24.8; R. Mason 2-5-24.7; W. Hamilton 1-6-18.8; M. Seeley 1-6-14.2.

CLASS GG — J. Sturtevant 5-0-29.9; E. Jones 4-1-28.1; J. Richards 2-3-19.1; G. Sheldon 2-3-15.1; A. Hood 1-4-19.6; R. Putnam 1-4-16.1.

CLASS A - LADIES — C. Lankhurst 6-0-58.4; B. Jaques 4-2-64.4; O. Pratt 2-4-45.3; N. Gilpatrick 0-6-29.4.

LADIES - CLASS B — V. Traquair 5-0-32.5; M. Reid 4-1-18.8; P. Croteau 3-2-14.0; A. Patenaude 2-3-18.0; C. Tidd 1-4-3.9; S. Horton 0-5-3.3.

CLASS A - JUNIORS — D. Kinia 5-0-57.4; M. Pepin 4-1-54.1; R. Thibeault 2-3-47.9; W. Patenaude 2-3-48.4; G. Caster 1-4-42.8; R. Barlow 1-4-38.1.

CLASS B - JUNIORS — K. Croteau 7-0-44.0; R. Progen 6-1-37.8; J. Morin 5-2-33.3; L. Hussy 4-3-36.0 R. Roux 3-4-30.4; G. Hill 2-5-31.6; K. Millett 1-6-19.7.

CLASS C - JUNIORS — B. Simmons 7-0-31.2; D. Sturtevant 6-1-14.2; D. Tardiff 4-3-13.4; S. Traquair 4-3-10.4; S. Croteau 3-4-10.6; S. Hood 2-5-12.5; M. Croteau 1-6-10.5; G. Tidd 1-6-8.2.

Paul Focht Wins New Albany, Indiana Fall Tournament

Paul Focht, Dayton, Ohio came out on top with a clean sweep to win the New Albany, Indiana Fall Tournament. Curt Day placed second with a 6-1 record and Oland Chumbley, third with 5 wins and 2 losses.

Bonnie Seibold won the women's division.

CLASS AA

	W	L	%
P. Focht, Dayton, Ohio ..	7	0	74.3
C. Day, Frankfort	6	1	80.4
O. Chumbley, Franklin	5	2	73.3
R. Baughn, Newcastle	3	4	68.9
R. DeHart, Greenwood	3	4	68.5
B. Henn, Bellview, Ky.	3	4	64.9
R. Maylahn, Milw'kee, Wis	1	6	53.0
D. Wright, Columbia City	forfeit		

CLASS A

	W	L	%
E. Murphy, New Albany ..	7	0	68.2
M. Seibold, Hunt'gton	6	1	66.8
P. Day, Frankfort	4	3	58.9
W. Wilhoite, Lebanon	3	4	60.5
B. Flaughter, Lebanon	3	4	57.0
H. McCoskey, Pekin	3	4	56.1
H. Johnson, Hunt'tn	2	5	56.5
E. Curran, Paris, Ky	forfeit		

CLASS BB — R. Sheppard, Rushville 7-0-60.3; B. Rambo, Jeffersonville 6-1-59.0; R. Colvin, Utica 5-2-56.7; J. Stevenson, Louisville, Ky. 4-3-55.9; R. Simpson, Nicholasville, Ky. 3-4-51.3; J. Noble, Louisville, Ky. 2-5-51.6; S. Reynolds, Newport, Ky. 1-6-44.0; J. Hankins, Hebron, Ky. 0-7-41.2.

CLASS B — C. Seibold, Huntington 6-1-54.7; L. Hinkle, Middletown 5-2-50.0; J. Morgan, Scottsburg 4-3-50.0; G. Goodlett, Wilmore, Ky. 4-3-41.9; B. McGinity, Lexington, Ky. 3-4-46.1; B. Oaks, Nicholasville, Ky. 3-4-39.5; F. Kelley, New Albany 2-5-43.8; W. Jacobs, Frankfort, Ky. 1-6-35.4.

CLASS CC — C. Bennett, Jeffersonville 6-1-51.0; C. Henn, Covington, Ky. 5-2-49.0; J. Hammons, Crawfordsville 5-2-40.8; C. Sisson, Greenwood 4-3-38.8; E. Webb, Cold Springs, Ky. 4-3-37.0; G. Mendenhall, Noblesville 3-4-42.5; B. Sanders, Frankfort, Ky. 1-6-32.9; D. Webb, Cold Springs, Ky. 0-7-25.8.

Focht Wins — (Continued)

CLASS C — F. Jacobs, Independence, Ky. 5-2-42.1; L. Dearing, Greenfield 5-2-38.7; M. Stevenson, Louisville, Ky. 5-2-40.9; F. Armentrout, Speedway 5-2-44.5; E. Hill, Frankfort, Ky. 4-3-36.4; G. Zollman, Scottsburg 2-5-38.2; R. Reid, Scottsburg 2-5-37.2.

CLASS DD — R. Weaver, Clayton 6-1-40.3; S. Kelley, Lexington, Ky. 6-1-32.2; A. Burch, Scottsburg 6-1-36.5; R. Wainscott, Frankfort, Ky. 4-3-25.3; J. Snelling, Jeffersonville 2-5-21.7; S. Dearing, Greenfield 2-5-20.1; J. Brown, Frankfort, Ky. 2-5-19.1.

LADIES — B. Seibold, Huntington 7-0-46.2; N. Johnson, Frankfort, Ky. 6-1-30.3; C. Kelley, Lexington, Ky. 5-2-34.5; E. Hill, Frankfort, Ky. 4-3-26.5; E. Gardner, Frankfort, Ky. 3-4-20.8; J. Stevenson, Louisville, Ky. 2-5-16.8; M. McGinity, Lexington, Ky. 1-6-16.3; L. Hawkins, Louisville, Ky. 0-7-4.4.

Anderson Club Host To Indiana Family Day

Indiana family day was held at Fairview Park, Anderson. Virgil Huffman, Poneto, again retains his title for the State Senior division after winning a playoff with Oris Harshman, Frankfort, 50-35.

The left handers was won by Robert Sheppard, Rushville. There were 10 father and son combinations with Harry Holland and son, Bill of Indianapolis coming out on top.

SENIOR DIVISION — V. Huffman, Poneto 6-1-51.7; O. Harshman, Frankfort 6-1-43.3; C. Cummings, Sweetser 5-2-42.6; T. Eader, South Bend 3-4-40.0; P. Van Sickle, Indianapolis 3-4-36.3; H. McFatrige, Arlington 3-4-34.7; C. Maly, Muncie 2-5-35.2; F. Armentrout, Speedway 0-7-31.0.

LEFT HANDERS — R. Sheppard, Rushville 5-0-55.0; I. Sampson, Muncie 3-2-44.8; B. Rist, Kokomo 3-2-31.7; R. Moit, Indianapolis 2-3-40.4; H. Doty, Greenwood 2-3-33.2; J. Nunemaker, Alexandria 0-5-22.8.

FATHER AND SON — H. Holland & Bill, Indianapolis 9-0; C. Seibold & Mark, Huntington 8-1; W. Wilhoite, Lebanon & Paris Seibold, Huntington 7-2; J. Gall & Andy, Anderson 5-4; P. Cunningham & Mike, Marion 5-4; W. McClintock & M. McClintock, Anderson 3-6; F. Passmore & John, Richmond 3-6; J. Flowers & Wade, Newcastle 3-6; C. Johnson & Mark Holland, Indianapolis 1-8; W. Vctor & Tony Gall, Anderson 1-8.

Clyde Martz — Winner of Mt. Pleasant, Pa., Fall Open

Clyde Martz won the Mt. Pleasant, Pennsylvania Fall Open, losing only to Oscar Engle. In the last round Clyde got a big hand when Dale Carson of Baltimore defeated Engle in a very close game which eliminated a pending playoff game. Engle's only other loss came at the hands of Al Zadroga. In this game, Al had the best performance of the afternoon - an 82.9%. Charles Semans and Pete Sowa wound up with a tie in Class B, both winning four and losing 1. Chuck then had a good play-off game, defeating Pete 54 to 13 while throwing 75% ringers.

CLASS A				CLASS B			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
Clyde Martz	4	1	76.8	Charles Semans	4	1	64.0
Oscar Engle	3	2	74.0	Pete Sowa	4	1	64.7
Dale Carson	3	2	72.7	Harold Clippinger	3	2	66.0
Sam Sutton	3	2	71.7	Vince Sedlacek	3	2	59.3
Al Zadroga	2	3	72.8	John Fulton	1	4	59.5
Jack Rainbow	0	5	64.0	Jack Swyers	0	5	55.0

Fowler Dethrones Van Sant For Casey, III. Open Title

Floyd Fowler, Indiana ringer veteran, proved the master in the Eighth Annual Casey, Illinois Open Tournament held in that city during August. Karl Van Sant, defending champion, was runnerup with Virgil Taylor running third. Henry Franke won Class C while Schenk Brooks took Class D honors. This was another successful meet with 40 qualifiers.

CLASS A				CLASS B			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
Floyd Fowler	6	1	73.7	B. Baker	5	2	62.1
Karl Van Sant	5	2	73.4	R. Billingsley	5	2	67.7
Virgil Taylor	5	2	67.5	V. Bunge	5	2	57.4
Burl Taylor	4	3	70.2	H. Taylor	4	3	58.9
Leck Miller	3	4	63.3	C. Starwalt	4	3	57.2
Del Maroon	3	4	68.4	E. Knobloch	3	4	58.2
Merl Tirey	2	5	62.6	R. Maroon	2	5	54.1
Jesse White	0	7	54.3	V. Cunningham	0	7	48.0

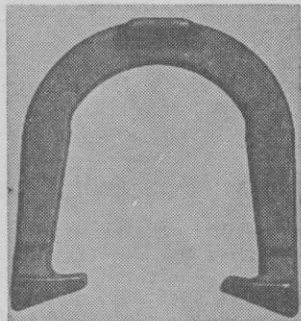
New Jersey Winter Indoor League Opens

The 1971 indoor pitching league started on November 11th, and will run through April at Dr. Berman's indoor courts, located in the rear of his home at 351 Rahway Ave., Elizabeth.

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Weatherbee Wins First Annual Colo. State Fair Open

The First Annual Colorado State Fair Open was held on the new 8-court layout in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and was won by Dick Weatherbee. It was held in conjunction with the Colorado State Fair, in cooperation with Mr. Roy Kerr. Publicity was handled by Miss Leslie Gaye Huff of the Pueblo Chieftain. Russell Nehar was the overseer of the construction of the courts and was present on the grounds taking qualifying entries. Over half of those entering were newcomers to tournament play. Ted Allen managed the meet which had 34 entries. Plans are being made to enlarge the 1971 tournament.

There were four classes, all of which were completed in one day. First and second place winners are listed below:

CLASS A — Dick Weatherbee, 7-0; Tom Roney, 5-2.

CLASS B — Floyd Holmes, 7-0; Jim Bustos, 6-1.

CLASS C — R. H. Parker, 7-0; Dal Markart, 5-2.

CLASS D — Darrell Perkins, 6-1; Starless Darling, 6-1.

Frank Coursen Title Winner In Marion, Ohio Open

CLASS A				CLASS B			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
Frank Coursen, Belleville	6	1	73.9	Ray Miller, Springfield	6	1	61.1
Glen Riffle, Dayton	5	2	64.0	Ted Harris, London	5	2	54.9
Melvin Kalb, Bucyrus	4	3	63.0	G. Morrow, Marion	5	2	54.3
M. Montgomery, Col'bus ..	4	3	62.1	Sylvanus Kalb, Chatfield ..	4	3	53.0
S. Manker, Martinsville ..	3	4	67.0	Norm Hageman, Ostrander	3	4	47.2
H. Anthony, Greenville	3	4	64.6	LeRoy Hill, Marysville ...	2	5	45.1
Carl Young, Columbus	3	4	61.9	Dale Miller, Worth'gton ..	2	5	42.8
G. Dilgard, Crestline	0	7	56.3	Mike Smith, Sandusky	1	6	47.2

CLASS C — Roseberry, Marion 5-1-50.0; Fischer, Galion 5-1-46.8; Darnold, Michigan 4-2-48.7; Southward, Marion 3-3-49.4; Cochran, Fredricton 1-4-38.3; Messenger, Marion 0-5-39.6.

Other class winners were Waggoner with 4-1-41.2 in Class D; Eickler with 5-0-37.6 in Class E and Francis Parks of Columbus with 5-0-31.4 in Class F. In Class G it was D. Clevenger with a 7-0-31.8 record.

Bobby McCharen New Mexico State Champion

Bobby McCharen, a senior at the University of New Mexico won the New Mexico state championship held in Albuquerque at the state fair grounds on September 26-27. Bobby has been pitching for only three years and has competed in the Championship Division two years, finishing second last year. Gusty winds and cold weather held down ringer percentages. Tom Towne defending champion now living in Nevada was unable to attend.

Mrs. Marilyn Hanes won the Women's Division. Marilyn has been pitching only two years. Nancy Henson, defending champion out of state at college was unable to attend. Dan Martin won the Junior division.

CLASS A				CLASS B			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
B. McCharen, Abu'que ..	6	1	48.9	E. Fleck, Abu'que	7	1	40.2
J. Robertson, Clovis	6	1	49.1	O. Henson, Abu'que	6	2	46.8
P. Martin, Gallup	4	3	48.2	S. Paredes, Gallup	6	2	42.0
R. Trottier, Abu'que	4	3	52.6	S. Paredes, Gallup	5	3	39.9
P. D. Riley, Abu'que	3	4	49.8	J. Gibbs, Moriarty	4	4	30.6
J. Hiller, Abu'que	2	5	45.2	F. Romero, Abu'que	2	6	27.9
R. Stone, Albuquerque	2	5	44.4	R. Wilson, Abu'que	1	7	25.3
L. Bressan, Albuquerque ..	1	6	45.1	D. Hanes, Abu'que	0	7	28.1

New Mexico State — (Continued)

CLASS C — Lester Jim, Gallup 8-0-37.1; Jim Reed, Albuquerque 7-1-33.4; Joe Lee, Gallup 5-3-29.4; Bill Sweatman, Albuquerque 5-3-27.8; Noe Lujan, Gallup 4-4-31.0; Ray Casias, Gallup 4-4-25.8; Marion Henson, Moriarty 2-6-26.9; John Rodriguez, Gallup 1-7-27.8; Lou Franken, Albuquerque 0-8-13.8.

CLASS D — Herb Warner, Albuquerque 6-1-30.0; Les Marney, Albuquerque 5-2-29.0; Burt Van Sickle, Albuquerque 5-2-30.4; Ray Thompson, Albuquerque 4-3-28.9; Dan Martin, Gallup 4-3-24.3; John Sinacore, Albuquerque 2-5-21.8; Ron Wilson, Albuquerque 1-6-21.6; Vic Campos, Gallup 1-6-19.1.

CLASS E — Bill Portwood, Albuquerque 5-0-20.6; Carl Mayes, Gallup 4-1-14.0; Fred Grey, Albuquerque 3-2-15.8; Butch Johnston, Moriarty 2-3-10.3; Gary Tixier, Albuquerque 1-4-9.3; Joe Rodriguez, Gallup forfeit.

CLASS F (Juniors) — Dan Martin, Gallup 3-0-20.0; Wade Hanes, Albuquerque 2-1-2.0; Ron Hanes, Albuquerque 1-2-6.0; Chuck Ellis, Albuquerque forfeit.

LADIES — Marilyn Hanes, Albuquerque 5-0-15.5; Helen Thompson, Albuquerque 4-1-11.5; Peggy Henson, Albuquerque 3-2-10.0; Betty Romero, Albuquerque 2-3-8.5; Daisy Broshears, Albuquerque 1-4-6.5; Lorraine Argabrite, Gallup forfeit.

Rocky Mountain Open Title Goes Back To Ted Allen

In a background setting of high mountains, and beautiful weather for the two days, and a record entry for the event, Ted Allen of Boulder, Colo., regained the title from Dick Weatherbee after they went down to the last game undefeated. It was an enthusiastic and pleased group. The juniors gain interest in every tournament.

The women's teenager, Emilie Arnold, Colorado Springs, won another trophy for her display. Junior Ike Carl won with a fine 39.6% ringers, and Everett Fouts with 36.5% was second. Record qualifying scores were turned in for the men's division.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
Ted Allen, Colo.	7	0	71.4
D. Weatherbee, Colo.	6	1	70.4
Merle Palmer, Wyo.	4	3	53.8
Roy Radcliff, Colo.	4	3	53.0
Tom Roney, Colo.	4	3	49.4
Jim Tulk, Colo.	3	4	50.0
Earl Graves, Colo.	forfeit		

CLASS B

	W	L	%
Bob Engel, Colo.	6	1	42.4
R. Fleharty, Neb.	5	2	54.9
J. Krehbiel, Kan.	5	2	48.0
L. Grosenback, Colo.	4	3	47.3
Don Wyjack, Colo.	4	3	43.6
Geo. Abrams, Colo.	3	4	37.0
Bill Thron, Colo.	1	7	28.3
Bill Thomas, Colo.	forfeit		

CLASS C — Bud Limbaugh, Colo. 7-0-51.7; Harold Bindschadler, Wyo. 6-2-42.1; Myles Archer, Colo. 5-2-24.2; Booker Newbins, Colo. 3-4-38.1; Harry Boss, Colo. 3-4-31.5; Floyd Holmes, Colo. 2-5-44.5; Ike Carl, Colo. 2-5-37.5; Ron McNutt, Colo. 0-7-24.2.

CLASS D — Gail Campbell, Colo. 6-1-40.1; Harry Towns, Kan. 5-2-37.1; Stan Bonnes, Colo. 5-2-34.7; Leo Smithhisler, Wyo. 5-2-32.7; Bob Boss, Colo. 3-4-26.9; Bill Kotik, Colo. 2-5-25.1; Lelyn Bryan, Colo. 1-6-29.7; Dave Fuller, Colo. 1-6-21.1.

CLASS E — Group 1 — E. T. Wahweotten, Kansas City 5-0-34.6; Archie Steen, Denver, Colo. 4-1-29.9; Bob Bieseimer, Denver, Colo. 3-2-27.8; Leo Huls, Denver, Colo. 2-3-19.0; Ed Hogan, Golden, Colo. 1-4-22.2; Paul Rehwoldt, Longmont, Colo. 0-5-19.3.

Rocky Mountain Open — (Continued)

CLASS E — Group 2 — Earle Piper, Denver, Colo. 5-0-34.5; Starless Dearing, Colorado Springs, Colo. 3-2-27.6; Dean Martin, Colorado Springs, Colo. 3-2-22.5; Brian Nelson, Denver, Colo. 2-3-15.6; George Rogers, Wheatridge, Colo. 1-4-20.6; John Savage, Denver, Colo. 1-4-15.7.

CLASS E PLAYOFF — E. T. Wahweotten 3-0-38.0; Earle Piper 2-1-35.3; Archie Steen 1-2-34.3; Starless Dearing 0-3-26.1.

WOMEN'S DIVISION — Emilie Arnold, Colorado Springs 3-1; Dixie McNutt Colorado Springs 3-1; Esther Fouts, Denver 0-4.

JUNIOR CLASS — Buddy Carl, Colorado Springs 4-0-39.0; Everett Fouts, Denver 3-1-36.5; Gene Beebe, Denver 2-2-24.8; Mike Roney, Colorado Springs 1-3-28.3; Pat Roney, Colorado Springs 1-3-19.0.

Herb Rushing Wins No. Calif. Class C Championship

Herb Rushing, second year man from the fledgling Livermore Valley Club, parlayed a second chance into the Class C championship at Seaside, California on October 11. Herb defeated George Palmer of Sacramento in a playoff after Palmer seemingly had the tourney won when he edged Rushing in the sixth game 50-45. But, Walt East of the Arroyo Viejo club upset Palmer in the seventh game and Herb went into a playoff with his second chance. He bore down to win it 50-42 in a 62-shoe pressure-packed game and the trophy and championship patch was his. Lou Pitney of Seaside was third with 4 wins in 7 games. In the consolation group, Ned Jensen of the host Seaside Club won 'em when he needed to and won a playoff from Bill Henry of the Santa Clara Club 54-21.

CONSOLATION

	W	L	%		W	L	%
H. Rushing, Livermore	6	1	43.9	N. Jensen, Seaside	4	1	41.3
G. Palmer, Sacramento	6	1	44.8	B. Henry, S. Clara	4	1	40.0
L. Pitney, Seaside	4	3	39.0	F. Westbrook, Vallejo	3	2	39.0
R. Briggs, Mosswood	4	3	33.8	J. Larsen, S. Rosa	3	2	28.6
W. East, Arroyo Viejo	3	4	36.5	S. Hatsme, Vallejo	1	4	27.3
J. Jozovich, S. Clara	2	5	31.3	J. Adams, Turlock	0	5	32.6
L. Keller, Vallejo	2	5	30.0				
J. Nowlin, Sacramento	1	6	28.4				

Coursen Comes Thru Unscathed In Central Ohio District

CLASS A

	W	L	%
F. Coursen	7	0	72.6
M. Kalb	6	1	68.4
M. Bannister	5	2	64.4
N. Hageman	4	3	55.4
D. Whitman	2	5	60.0
G. Delgard	2	5	57.4
R. Bennett	1	6	57.2
D. Hummel	1	6	49.4

CLASS B

	W	L	%
D. Hummel	5	2	52.8
D. Bussey	4	3	52.6
T. Harris	4	3	52.2
P. Vargo	4	3	50.4
C. Brickles	4	3	44.3
E. Morrow	3	4	41.2
O. Cross	2	5	45.4
J. Boesch	2	5	41.9

CLASS C — A. Fisher 5-0-57.4; E. Pratt 4-1-49.0; S. Kalb 2-3-53.3; W. Dunlap 2-3-46.0; D. Stewart 2-3-40.1; H. Strider 0-5-34.0.

CLASS D — L. Eichler 4-1-42.4; F. Parks 4-1-37.0; W. Dall 3-2-38.2; J. Clevenger 3-2-32.1; H. Patrick 1-4-30.6; J. Howell 0-5-35.1.

CLASS E — F. Latimore 5-0-33.2; D. Zook 4-1-21.1; Mike Kalb 3-2-23.3; B. Keller 2-3-28.9; M. Sowash 1-4-20.0; T. Keller 0-5-15.0.

Season's Greetings

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Rislov Easy Winner in Walsh County (N. D.) Open

Wally Rislov of Cooperstown, N. D., swept to five straight wins to capture the first open horseshoe tournament held Oct. 29 at the Walsh County Fair and State Potato Show at Park River, N. D.

The righthander, a former state champion, averaged 60 per cent ringers in the six-man Class A division, reaching a high of 78 per cent in a single game.

Lloyd Gire of Edinburgh finished in second place with a 4-1 record. Third went to Jerry Black, 15-year-old Fargo pitcher.

John Holt of Fargo won Class B honors with a 4-1 record. Helmer Jallen of Fargo and Merle Onstad of Park River finished second and third, respectively. They also had 4-1 records but had fewer total points than Holt.

Otto Bergstad of Hannaford took Class C with a 3-0 mark followed by Dick Hooley of Grafton and Vern Halverson of Park River. In Class D Andy Malafa of Lankin won with 3-0 followed by Joe Swartz of Lankin and Jake Maier of Park River.

San Diego — Southern California

SAN DIEGO OPEN

	W	L	%
R. Simmons, Norwalk	5	0	79.5
J. Walker, Chula Vista	4	1	83.9
J. Snyder, Chula Vista	3	2	71.4
J. Weeks, Norwalk	1	4	60.5
E. McFarland, Sepulveda	1	4	56.2
S. Hilton, Torrance	1	4	52.8

SAN DIEGO D OPEN

	W	L	%
S. Stayner, San Diego	5	1	45.1
H. Slagg, Ontario	4	2	40.3
W. Chaffer, Calipatria	3	2	39.6
C. Bell, W. Covina	2	3	34.8
B. Prise, So. Gate	1	4	36.6
J. Holder, Downey	0	5	36.2

SAN DIEGO C OPEN

	W	L	%
C. Tucker, LaJolla	7	0	58.1
H. Drogemuller, Van Nuys	6	1	55.8
L. Ford, San Diego	5	2	46.6
R. Hudson, San Diego	3	4	49.5
H. Slagg, Ontario	3	2	46.1
S. Dobson, La Mesa	3	2	44.0
W. Chaffer, Calipatria	2	3	39.6
J. Holder, Downey	2	3	40.0
R. Alvine, Chula Vista	1	4	42.2
S. Stayner, San Diego	1	4	40.9
W. Shipley, Alhambra	1	4	33.0
P. Aurand, San Diego	0	5	22.9

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	W	L	%
W. Shipley, Alhambra	4	1	39.7
L. Tarbell, Brea	3	2	37.2
R. Alvine, Chula Vista	3	2	36.4
C. Page, Torrance	2	3	34.1
L. Forest, Canoga Pk	2	3	32.3
R. Weber, Alhambra	1	4	25.6

Special Notice To All State Secretaries

The 1971 membership cards are now in the hands of the various state secretaries and NHPA representatives.

Be an "early bid" and get your membership card now. The sooner the better for everyone concerned.

The membership card is a combined state and national card and the annual dues are \$1.50 for the National portion PLUS the state dues. State dues vary from state to state, but the state dues must also be paid along with the national portion of the dues for the membership card to be valid.

A complete list of the state secretaries will be carried in the January issue. This list will include a number of newly elected secretaries for the coming year. Get in touch with your state secretary NOW.

Any state secretary who has not received the 1971 membership cards and related forms should notify NHPA Secretary Bob Pence at once. If any secretary has not yet received the cards, it means they have been lost in the mail somewhere and the NHPA office should be notified at once.

1970-71 Red Mill, (Pa.) Winter Tournaments

This season the Club will again host monthly tournaments beginning in December and continuing through April. To enter your first tournament, send your highest average obtained during the past season to Clyde Martz, 3233 Arapahoe Road, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15241. All entries are to be in one week before the tournament. The entry fee for each event is \$4.50. Prizes will be awarded to the winner and runner-up of each class.

Tournament Dates: December 5 & 6; January 9 & 10; February 13 & 14; March 20 & 21; April 24 & 25.

Lockport, New York, Club Closes Season

The Lockport, New York Club completed its season with the following local class winners:

MEN'S DIVISION — Class A: Wilbur Kreppeneck; Class B: Alton Brown; Class C: Paul Singleton; Class D: John Pratt.

WOMEN'S DIVISION — Class A: Lorraine Thomas; Class B: Betty Singleton; Class C: Frances Aniolowski; Class D: Alice Case; Class E: Diane Disinger.

Officers for the 1970 season were Carl Shorten, President; Charles Leavitt, Vice-President; Veto Vize, Secretary-Treasurer. The Ladies' League officers, Marge Rosati, President, and Linda Aniolowski, Secretary-Treasurer.

The league uses the Count All Handicap system and handicap is based on 80% of players average for their team season play. Class singles at the end of league use the cancellation system. Classes are determined by their individual team handicap, the lowest 8 handicaps being in Class A, etc.

New Jersey State Doubles Won By Yannetti and Kolb

CLASS A — Vince Yannetti & Bill Kolb 5-1-52.5; Sol Berman & Thomas Young 4-2-52.0; Jack Giddes & Ron Vogel 3-3-57.4; William Hermann & Jim Donavan 0-6-45.0.

CLASS B — Jim Reed & Leo Miller 4-2-35.5; Henry Mullen & LeRoy Knotts 4-2-36.2; Phil Zozzaro & William Fraatz 3-3-33.4; Al Price & Art Bullivant 1-5-28.8. Reed & Miller won play-off game.

CLASS C — Al Cherry & John Italia 3-0-30.7; Joe Tripodi & Ed Dalton 0-3-22.0.

Western States Open — Jan. 30-31, Eureka, Calif.

By W. Ray Williams

As the 1970 pitching season nears completion, the Redwood Empire Horseshoe Pitching Club is preparing for the start of the 1971 season.

Our members are busy making the 18 clay court layout for the second annual "Western States Open" which will be held January 30 and 31, 1971. We are constructing bleachers for 1,500 spectators. The building we plan to use this year is located within Redwood Acres Fairgrounds and is a larger building, 120 feet by 200 feet and has a dirt floor. We feel that our layout this year will provide the best possible conditions for all competitors. The prize fund this year will be increased to \$1,630.00. Tournament will be played at the Redwood Acres Fairgrounds, Eureka, California.

We again guarantee that all who register for this event will be assigned to pitch in a round robin group. Advance registration is required. There will be a \$2.00 registration fee which must be received before December 31, 1970. Placement in a group and the schedule of play will be sent to each pitcher by mail on or before January 10, 1971. Send registration and fee to Ray Williams, P. O. Box 3363, Eureka, California 95501.

For this tournament entering averages will be determined by using the highest sanctioned 1970 tournament average provided that average consisted of at least ten games. If a pitcher's highest tournament average was less than ten games, he will be required to use the average of his highest two tournaments during 1970. Any exceptions to this procedure must have the approval of our tournament committee.

Plans are under way to have a get-together on Friday night, the 29th, or Saturday night, the 30th, preceding the tournament. This get-acquainted party will be held only if there is enough response from the pitchers and their families.

This will be a NHPA sanctioned tournament. NHPA rules will apply.

Trophies will be awarded to the winners of all groups in all classes.

The top 16 pitchers will pitch a 16-man round robin. The next 14 pitchers will pitch a 14-man round robin. The next 6 pitchers will pitch a double 6-man round robin. All additional entrants will be grouped in 6-man groups. All women, girls and boys will pitch in groups of six.

The guaranteed prize list will be published on January 1, 1971. We hope that it is sufficient to state at this time that the champion is guaranteed \$175.00, plus a beautiful trophy.

Glen Riffle Wins Polar Bear Tourney, Wauseon, Ohio

Glen Riffle of Dayton, Ohio, came through with seven wins in a row to win the Annual "Polar Bear" Tournament held Sept. 19-20 at the Fulton County Fairgrounds in Wauseon, Ohio.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
Glen Riffle	7	0	72.0
Dale Pringle	6	1	65.0
Wilbur Kabel	5	2	69.0

CLASS B

	W	L	%
Ralph Stuckey	6	1	56.0
Wilbur Preston	5	2	55.0
Duane Gillin	4	3	54.0

CLASS C — Lee Jacobs, 6-1-51.0; Paul Shafer, 5-2-52.6; Harold Reed, 5-3-51.9.

CLASS D — Fred Brown, 7-0-53.0; Frank Smith, 4-3-52.0; Thomas Eader, 4-3-42.0.

CLASS E — Neil Allen, 5-2-38.0; Jim Dohse, 4-3-37.6; Jerry Cooper, 4-3-35.6.

CLASS F — William James, 5-2-25.0; Don Van Pelt, 5-2-25.0; Earl Wipe, 4-3-25.0.

Frank Stinson Wins Quint City Open at Aberdeen, S. D.

Frank Stinson, Minneapolis, Minn., won the Quint City Open championship held in Aberdeen, South Dakota, September 12 and 13, defeating defending champion Leigh Dunker in the final game with 85.5% ringer percentage.

Elroy Moe, Brookings, So. Dak., won Class B; Wendell Paulson, Graceville, Minn., took Class C; and Classes D, E, and F, were won by Reider Haakenson, Hillsboro, N. Dak., Malcolm Schliemann, Sioux Falls, S. Dak., and Neil Frey, Aberdeen, S. Dak.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
F. Stinson, Minn.	7	0	76.6
L. Dunker, S. D.	6	1	73.8
L. Swartwout, S. D.	4	3	64.1
D. Schaunaman, S. D.	4	3	64.2
L. Scharff, N. D.	3	4	64.4
W. Rislow, N. D.	2	5	66.5
E. Schaunaman, S. D.	2	5	59.9
C. Moe, S. D.	0	7	51.8

CLASS B

	W	L	%
E. Moe, S. D.	8	1	56.2
R. Beem, N. D.	7	2	55.5
F. McEntee, S. D.	6	3	52.8
E. Alberts, S. D.	6	3	53.8
F. Gaetze, S. D.	6	3	54.8
C. Sorenson, S. D.	4	5	52.7
A. Moran, Minn.	4	5	43.6
T. Case, S. D.	3	6	52.0
M. Arndt, Minn.	1	8	36.7

CLASS C — W. Paulson, Minn. 6-1-48.6; F. Paulson, Minn. 5-2-50.2; J. Kanaly, S. D. 4-3-46.5; G. Ehresman, S. D. 4-3-43.9; C. Weber, N. D. 3-4-45.0; R. Arndt, Minn. 3-4-41.0; R. Kleinschmidt, S. D. 3-4-42.3; D. Holmes, S. D. 0-7-34.0.

CLASS D — R. Haakenson, N. D. 7-0-41.9; C. Snell, S. D. 5-2-38.7; B. Eckberg, Minn. 5-2-34.9; D. Bakeberg, Minn. 4-3-38.4; G. Helgeson, S. D. 4-3-33.6; B. Theis, S. D. 2-5-29.7; H. Jallen, N. D. 1-6-18.7; F. Schlepp, S. D. 0-7-18.6.

CLASS E — M. Schliemann, S. D. 7-0-39.0; B. Egly, S. D. 6-1-29.0; J. Heinz, S. D. 5-2-28.4; R. Ketterer, S. D. 4-3-30.0; W. Schliebe, S. D. 3-4-17.4; D. Walworth, S. D. 2-5-16.5; A. Kolterman, S. D. 1-6-13.8; L. Struck, S. D. 0-7-11.8.

CLASS F — N. Frey, S. D. 5-0-13.4; H. Nielson, S. D. 3-2-12.9; K. Enderson, S. D. 3-2-14.0; G. Benshoaf, S. D. 2-3-15.3; G. Struck, S. D. 2-3-15.0; R. Rystrom, S. D. 0-5-9.2.

1970 Granite Valley Open Tournament, Ortonville, Minn.

Lloyd Swartwout, Aberdeen, S. D., defeated Art Holter, Minneapolis, Minn., in the Championship playoff regaining the Granite Valley Open Title.

The highest ringer percentage in one game was 79.5 pitched by Carroll Moe, Brookings, S. D. He pitched 35 ringers out of 44 shoes. There were 48,046 shoes pitched and 19,095 ringers in the two days of competition play, a total of 114 adult entries and four junior entries.

Coming the greatest distance to compete in our tournament was George H. Palmer of Sacramento, Calif. We will be hosting the state tournament for 1971 on Labor Day week end.

DIVISION 1

	W	L	%
Swartwout, Aberd'n, S.D.	6	1	73.8
F. Stinson, Min'plis, Minn.	6	1	67.3
Schaunaman, Aber'n, S.D.	5	2	66.2
W. Rislow, Coopstwn, N.D.	4	3	66.9
Magnuson, Canby, Minn...	3	4	66.7
D. Olson, Storden, Minn. ..	2	5	66.4
Peterson, Windom, Minn...	1	6	62.7
Richmond, Pqt Lks, Minn...	1	6	61.1

DIVISION 2

	W	L	%
A. Holter, Min'pls, Minn.	7	0	67.3
L. Dunker, Warner, S.D. ..	6	1	64.9
L. Hagert, Sprgf'ld, Minn.	5	2	61.6
L. Olfert, Rosem't, Minn. ..	4	3	57.5
P. Kvebak, Fargo, N.D. ..	2	5	56.3
J. Anzaldi, St. Paul, Minn.	2	5	58.1
Freder'kson, Waz'ta, Minn.	2	5	56.7
J. Black, Fargo, N.D.	0	7	55.4

CLASS A — G. Johnson, Hendricks, Minn. 5-2-57.4; A. Schutjer, Brookings,

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S. D. 5-2-56.6; C. Moe, Brookings, S. D. 5-2-50.0; L. Bockes, Canby, Minn. 4-3-50.8; V. Larson, Boyd, Minn. 3-4-49.5; R. Beem, Sheldon, N. D. 3-4-48.9; A. Mischke, Westbrook, Minn. 2-5-51.4; R. Peterson, Russell, Minn. 1-6-35.8.

CLASS B — A. Moran, Minneapolis, Minn. 6-1-49.5; D. Siebert, Clements, Minn. 5-2-48.0; E. Moe, Brookings, S. D. 4-3-53.5; W. Sims, Pickereil, Neb. 4-3-44.2; C. Weber, Gwinner, N. D. 4-3-45.9; F. Paulsen, Ortonville, Minn. 3-4-46.5; A. Erickson, Mankato, Minn. 2-5-45.8; N. Kroening, Morris, Minn. 0-7-43.3.

CLASS C—H. Van Zyl, Montevideo, Minn. 6-1-59.0; K. Bartl, Gwinner, N. D. 5-2-4; E. Alberts, Amherst, S. D. 4-3-51.2; M. Arndt, Ortonville, Minn. 3-4-43.6; A. Workin, Fargo, N. D. 3-4-39.2; W. Paulsen, Graceville, Minn. 3-4-46.5; H. Flann, Lake Lillian, Minn. 2-5-45.3; L. Bratland, Sheldon, N. D. 2-5-40.2.

CLASS D—C. Sorenson, Brookings, S. D. 6-1-52.7; R. Fuller, Montevideo, Minn. 5-2-41.2; A. Wentzel, Fergus Falls, Minn. 4-3-38.7; H. Dornath, Wheaton, Minn. 4-3-43.0; H. Sather, Dawson, Minn. 4-3-44.5; G. Palmer, Sacramento, Calif. 3-4-46.9; B. Winterhalter, Minneapolis, Minn. 2-5-41.8; J. Larson, Moorhead, Minn. 0-7-34.5.

CLASS E—S. Andrews, Montevideo, Minn. 6-1-46.3; W. Arndt, Fargo, N. D. 5-2-43.3; N. Birkeland, Maynard, Minn. 5-2-45.5; D. Bakeberg, Ortonville, Minn. 5-2-43.8; D. Tiegs, Ortonville, Minn. 4-3-39.1; E. Benck, Canby, Minn. 2-5-37.3; V. Bratland, Sheldon, N. D. 1-6-34.6; F. Bellcour, Minneapolis, Minn. 0-7-35.4.

CLASS F—L. Smith, Ortonville, Minn. 6-1-40.3; D. Sachariason, Montevideo, Minn. 5-2-34.9; H. Schultz, Montevideo, Minn. 5-2-33.9; M. Flann, Lake Lillian, Minn. 5-2-35.5; B. Flann, Lake Lillian, Minn. 4-3-31.2; B. Eckberg, Ortonville, Minn. 2-5-29.5; G. Sandquist, Watertown, Minn. Bye; L. Wente, Donnelly, Minn. Bye.

CLASS G — M. Schliemann, Aberdeen, S. D. 7-0-42.9; H. Jallen, Fargo, N. D. 5-2-29.5; M. Stoneberg, Donnelly, Minn. 5-2-31.4; D. Bennett, Fargo, N. D. 4-3-40.2; J. Jacobson, Hannaford, N. D. 3-4-30.8; W. Bakeberg, Ortonville, Minn. 3-4-32.0; A. Hendrickson, Minneapolis, Minn. 1-6-22.6; C. Bjorklin, Donnelly, Minn. Bye.

CLASS H — A. Gersterkorn, Lake Lillian 5-2-42.1; G. Werk, Donnelly, Minn. 5-2-32.0; V. Walker, Hibbing, Minn. 5-2-37.1; A. Agre, Montevideo, Minn. 4-3-36.4; N. Hagermeier, Pickereil, N. D. 4-3-33.1; L. Melrose, Canby, Minn. 3-4-28.1; P. Krier, Lake Benton, Minn. 2-5-29.1; L. Graff, Springfield, Minn. 0-7-20.7.

CLASS I — B. Rothi, Ortonville, Minn. 6-1-38.6; E. Sandquist, Watertown, Minn. 6-1-33.9; E. Zahnow, Minnetonka, Minn. 5-2-31.3; L. Craigmile, Canby, Minn. 3-4-31.8; M. Ringger, Graceville, Minn. 3-4-29.2; B. Magnuson, Lake Lillian, Minn. 2-5-21.4; P. Wentzel, Fergus Falls, Minn. 2-5-20.3; D. Taylor, Dawson, Minn. 1-6-19.0.

CLASS J — T. Durham, Madison, Neb. 7-0-35.7; L. Grossman, Ortonville, Minn. 5-2-36.4; E. Moseng, Dawson, Minn. 5-2-31.4; H. Fillafer, Moorhead, Minn. 4-3-33.4; P. Melby, Moorhead, Minn. 4-3-30.3; O. Lund, Montevideo, Minn. 2-5-24.7; J. Holt, Fargo, N. D. 1-6-21.5; D. Arndt, Eden Prairie, Minn. 0-7-15.5.

CLASS K — L. Miller, Fargo, N. D. 6-1-28.0; B. Bertelson, Marvin, S. D. 5-2-24.5; C. Peterson, Lake Lillian, Minn. 5-2-28.4; G. Beem, Milnor, N. D. 4-3-28.8; S. Anderson, Montevideo, Minn. 3-4-24.4; M. R. Arndt, Jordan, Minn. 3-4-23.6; G. Lund, Rapidan, Minn. 2-5-21.0; D. Johnson, Hibbing, Minn. 1-6-19.4.

CLASS L — R. Bratland, Sheldon, N. D. 6-1-21.4; F. Krentz, Henderson, Minn. 6-1-23.7; R. Woestehaff, Belle Plain, Minn. 5-2-28.2; R. Paulsen, Clinton, Minn. 4-3-29.0; B. Stone, Moorhead, Minn. 3-4-24.4; R. Stone, Moorhead, Minn. 3-4-14.2; S. Schneider, Beardsley, Minn. 1-6-8.6; H. Nielsen, Brookings, S. D. Bye.

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CLASS M — G. Bakeberg, Ortonville, Minn. 5-0-26.6; N. Frey, Aberdeen, S. D. 4-1-16.5; H. Van Winkle, Ortonville, Minn. 3-2-14.9; B. Smith, Ortonville, Minn. 2-3-7.2; G. Benshoof, Ortonville, Minn. 1-4-11.0; E. Roeder, Ortonville, Minn. Bye.

CLASS N — W. Wellendorf, Ortonville, Neb. 3-0; Dick Eckberg, Ortonville, Minn. 1-2; Duane Moe, Brookings, S. D. 1-2; Richard Tieg, Ortonville, 1-2.

Gonzales Repeats As LosGatos Open (No. Calif.) Champ

Cool, confident Jesse Gonzales poured on the coal to overpower seven tough opponents at Los Gatos' beautiful Oak Meadow Park to capture his fifth Northern California tournament championship of the year. Weather conditions, the clay courts, and Jesse were near perfect as ringer percentages soared under clear, windless skies. The temperature reached the 90's (degrees), Jesse scorched the 80's (ringer percentage) three times. Jesse, pitching for the Seaside Club, finished with a nifty 76.8 percent ringers overall. John Pratt of Sacramento made a stirring comeback after a couple of mediocre tournaments (for him) and finished 2nd losing only to Gonzales in the Class AA 8-man round-robin. Third position was garnered by "Newlywed" Lloyd Potter of the host Santa Clara County Club, with a 4 won 3 lost record.

In the Class A group, Seaside Supermen; Fred Lavett, Artie Gates, and Sam Jensen finished 1, 2, 3. Fred Lavett won all seven games and compiled a fine ringer percentage of 62.6%. Sam Jensen had his 23-game winning streak snapped, as he bowed to Gates in a thriller. Joe Sadowski of Los Gatos playing in his first Los Gatos Open, placed 4th.

LOS GATOS OPEN								
GROUP AA						GROUP A		
	W	L	%			W	L	%
J. Gonzales, Seaside	7	0	76.8	F. Lavett, Seaside	7	0	62.6	
J. Pratt, Sacramento	6	1	66.7	A. Gates, Seaside	6	1	55.3	
L. Potter, S. C. County	4	3	66.0	S. Jonsen, Seaside	5	2	57.4	
T. Turner, S. C. County	3	4	61.2	J. Sadowski, S. C. County..	4	3	56.7	
L. Anderson, Mosswood	2	5	63.4	K. Ludlow, S. C. County ..	2	5	42.6	
V. Zelmar, S. C. County ..	2	5	62.8	V. Gwaltney, Sacra'nto ..	2	5	40.0	
B. McNally, Arroyo Viejo ..	2	5	61.2	B. Henry, S. C. County	2	5	35.2	
N. Graves, Sacramento ..	2	5	55.7	N. Jensen, Seaside	0	7	33.0	

McNally Nabs Modesto (No. Calif.) Class A Title

Bill McNally, determined Hayward, Calif., pitcher, came through the Modesto Class A confab unscathed with seven straight wins. Bill also posted his season high percentage of 61.4 to "clench" the long-sought trophy. Vince Mauricio of San Jose nearly upset Bill in the seventh game before Bill came back from a 15-point deficit to record his seventh win of the day. Bill is a strong believer in the adage, "If you go to enough of 'em, you're gonna win one sometime." Second place went to Al Crabtree of the host Modesto Club as he won 5 of 7 games. Kim Ludlow of the Santa Clara County Club came back to win his last four games, after losing the first three, and placed third. The consolation group title went to Jack Hodson of Modesto with 3 straight wins in the 4-man group.

CHAMPIONSHIP GROUP — B. McNally, Arroyo Viejo 7-0-61.4; A. Crabtree, Modesto 5-2-58.3; K. Ludlow, S. C. County 4-3-51.9; V. Gwaltney, Sacramento 4-3-47.8; B. Vines, Turlock 3-4-44.3; V. Mauricia, S. C. County 2-5-42.5; O. Statham, Sacramento 2-5-41.0; B. Henry, S. C. County 1-6-33.6.

CONSOLATION GROUP — J. Hodson, Modesto 3-0-43.2; F. Kilburn, 2-1-33.6; J. Adams, Turlock 1-2-34.1; Nowlin, Sacramento 0-3-30.2.

Curran Winner of Walton, Kentucky Invitational

Ed Curran won the Invitational Tournament held at Walton, Kentucky, Saturday, Oct. 10, at the American Legion courts. Ed had his three-quarters turn working to perfection, averaging over 70%. Bill Henn of Bellevue, Kentucky, was second; State Champ, H. Hamilton, was third, and Stan Lovelace, Covington, fourth.

GROUP 1 — Ed Curran, 3-0-77.3; Bill Henn, 1-2-65.7; M. Glass, 1-2-64.6; Al Love, 1-2-51.6.

GROUP 2 — Stan Lovelace, 3-0-58.4; H. Hamilton, 2-1-60.8; Jim Noble, 1-2-63.3; H. McPherson, 0-3-46.8.

CHAMPIONSHIP — Ed Curran, 2-1-68.1; Bill Henn, 2-1-67.6; H. Hamilton, 1-2-67.1; S. Lovelace, 1-2-61.2.

Damarin of Peoria Wins Pittsfield, Illinois Open

The open tournament held at Pittsfield, Ill., Sept. 27, was well attended with 34 pitchers, on a beautiful fall day. There were six classes, two players in a class (A, AA, B, BB, C, CC). A playoff eliminated one player. It was a little different than had ever been played before.

CLASS A — Damarin & Barnett (winner — Damarin), Garner & Danielson (winner — Danielson), D. Maroon & Sornberger (winner — Sornberger), Durette & Rhoades (winner — Rhoades), Jensen & R. Maroon (winner — R. Maroon), Hammitt & Darnold (winner — Darnold).

CLASS B — Bunge & Hart (winner — Hart), Franke & Bader (winner — Bader), Roger & Willard (winner — Roger), Wear & Hess (winner — Hess), Torbeck & Savage (winner — Torbeck), Berry & St. George (winner — Berry).

CLASS C — Lewis & Goedreis (winner — Goedereis), Schleuter & Ryner (winner — Ryner), Stinnette & Killup (winner — Killup) Slater & D. Lewis (winner — Slater), Martin & Steffen (winner — Martin), Moore & Shepherd (winner — Shepherd).

In one game Ernie Danielson of Burlington, Iowa, pitched 33 ringers out of 36 — around 91%. He was really going good and it was Ernie's day all the way. Everyone departed at an early hour and thought they had had a nice day.

Afton, Iowa Open Crown Won By Wally Uhlig

CLASS A

	W	L
Wally Uhlig, Iowa	6	1
Woody Wilson, Iowa	6	1
Bernard Ricker, Iowa	3	4
Earl Kaiser, Iowa	3	4
Phil Robertson, Iowa	3	4
Leonard Francis, Mo.	3	4
Ray Cavin, Mo.	3	4
Charles Foxx, Iowa	1	6

CLASS B

	W	L
Guy Spitler, Iowa	5	0
John Roberts, Iowa	4	1
Carl Bennett, Iowa	2	3
Charles Cook, Iowa	2	3
Wilbur Gay, Mo.	1	4
Darwin Wells, Mo.	1	4

CLASS C — Cecil King, Iowa 4-1; Jack Draper, Iowa 4-1; L. Cain, Mo. 3-2; F. Fite, Iowa 3-2; Ed Eckles, Iowa 1-4; Bob Wilson, Iowa 0-5.

CLASS D — Harry Savage, Iowa 4-1; Bert Johnson, Iowa 4-1; John Brown, Iowa 3-2; Darrell Buis, Mo. 2-3; Howard Fite, Iowa 1-4; Larry Francis, Mo. 1-4.

Seaside's Sam Jensen Snares No. Calif. Class A Title

Sam Jensen, currently the hottest pitcher in Northern California, won six of seven games at Sacramento's Tahoe Park, including a cliff hanger against Mel Ristau of Santa Rosa in the final round to grab the No. Calif. Class A Championship. Ristau took second position and had the day's high percentage of 65.9%. Sam, who has now won 36 of his last 39 games, got help from Joe Sadowski of the Santa Clara County Club, as Joe outlasted Ristau in an 84-shoe stake scorcher 51-48. The victory threw the tourney into a 3-way tie between Ristau, Jensen, and Bill McNally of the Arroyo Viejo Club. Sam then applied a hammerlock on the championship by edging Ristau 50-46 in the seventh and final game. Surprise of the tourney was Artie Gates of Seaside, a Class C tosser last season, won four of seven games and pitched a Class A percentage to finish fifth. Virgil Gwaltney of the host Sacramento Club took the Consolation Championship with five straight wins to edge Al Crabtree of Modesto. Al lost only to Gwaltney in a squeaker 49-52.

CONSOLATION

	W	L	%		W	L	%
S. Jensen, Seaside	6	1	62.3	V. Gwaltney, Sacra'nto ..	5	0	54.3
M. Ristau, S. Rosa	5	2	65.9	A. Crabtree, Modesto	4	1	59.5
B. McNally, Arroyo Viejo..	5	2	61.4	A. Peters, S. Rosa	2	3	48.3
H. Lucas, Sacramento	4	3	57.4	G. Palmer, Sacramento ...	2	3	43.9
A. Gates, Seaside	4	3	53.9	O. Statham, Sacramento ..	1	4	46.6
J. Sadowski, S. Clara	3	4	54.3	B. Henry, S. Clara	1	4	33.1
J. Seymour, Golden Gate ..	1	6	50.9				
P. Manitone, Sacramento..	0	7	46.6				

Frank Knouft of Topeka, Kansas Wins Class A Title

Frank Knouft of Topeka, Kansas, member of the Topeka Horseshoe Club, won the Class A title at Atchison, Kansas, on September 27, 1970, by winning a play-off match with Ray Cavin of St. Joseph, Missouri.

A total of 44 pitchers, including 28 from Kansas, 12 from Missouri and four from Nebraska, participated in the tournament in mid-70 temperatures and a sunny day.

Robert Booe, President of the Atchison Association, and members of the Atchison Horseshoe Club had just completed constructing the 10-court clay pits and this was the first open tournament held on these Courts. Room to expand to 15 courts is available.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
F. Knouft, Topeka, Kan. ..	7	1	51.0
R. Cavin, St. Joe, Mo.	6	2	61.6
Rademacher, Topeka, Kan. 5	2	60.5	
E. Kern, Topeka, Kan.	4	3	52.0
R. Booe, Atchison, Kan. ..	3	4	49.7
L. Cain, St. Joe, Mo.	3	4	51.7
W. Gay, St. Joe, Mo.	1	6	48.8
K. Bowlin, Savannah, Mo. 0	7	41.0	

CLASS B

	W	L	%
F. Kenny, Graham, Mo.	5	0	53.0
Schendel, Eudora, Kan. ..	4	1	57.0
T. Graham, Topeka, Kan. 3	2	43.0	
F. English, Topeka, K.	2	3	45.0
D. Walrod, Topeka, Kan. ..	1	4	31.0
W. Harrison, Topeka, K. ..	0	5	33.0

CLASS C — C. Kenny, Skidmore, Mo. 5-0-44.0; J. Downing, Atchison, Kan. 4-1-36.0; D. Goodrich, Topeka, Kan. 3-2-37.0; P. Voelker, Atchison, Kan. 1-4-32.0; G. Booe, Humboldt, Kan. 1-4-30.0; L. Dudley, Atchison, Kan. 1-4-24.0.

CLASS D — L. Davis, Fairbury, Neb. 5-0-48.3; R. Meredith, Fairbury, Neb. 3-2-38.9; B. Godbey, Topeka, Kan. 3-2-32.3; S. Adame, Lawrence, Kan. 2-3-39.0; M. Allen, Atchison, Kan. 1-4-42.6; G. McCart, Topeka, Kan. 1-4-34.8.

CLASS E — W. Elgert, Fairbury, Neb. 5-0-45.8; T. Grant, St. Joe, Mo. 4-1-39.4; G. Downing, Atchison, Kan. 3-2-29.5; R. Reno, St. Joe, Mo. 1-4-31.7; M. Huff, St. Joe, Mo. 1-4-28.2; W. Shelinbarger, Topeka, Kan. 1-4-21.8.

Frank Knouff — (Continued)

CLASS F — P. Sewell, Lancaster, Kan. 4-1-23.0; H. Wehrli, Fairbury, Neb. 3-2-32.0; J. Smith, Atchison, Kan. 3-2-32.9; F. Cain, Jr., Kansas City, Kan. 3-2-26.0; J. Amthor, Atchison, Kan. 2-3-27.0; L. Dudley, Atchison, Kan. 0-5-For.

CLASS G — M. Ungles, Skidmore, Mo. 5-0-25.0; C. Reno, St. Joe, Mo. 3-2-16.0; G. Brady, Atchison, Kan. 2-3-17.0; L. Harman, Atchison, Kan. 2-3-22.0; C. Sandy, Atchison, Kan. 2-3-16.0; R. Coleman, Kansas City, Mo. 1-4-18.0

Gonzales Recaptures No. Calif. Class AA Championship

Jesse Gonzales, pitching for the Seaside Horseshoe Club, needed help from Tal Turner and Monte Latino, but won back the coveted Northern California Class AA Championship he had lost last October to Newton Graves of Sacramento. The title was up for grabs going into the final two rounds of the 8-man Championship Group, as Les "Andy" Anderson, veteran ringerman of the host Mosswood (Oakland) Club, made a gutty run for all the marbles. In the 5th game, Anderson got off to a whopping lead against Gonzales and doggedly held on to pin a stinging loss on the diminutive flip-flop artist from San Luis Obispo. However, Andy's lead was short lived, as Tal Turner of the Santa Clara County Club won a hard fought match and Andy was tied with Jesse. Then, Monte Latino of Sacramento administered the coup' de' grace by winning the 7th and final game from Anderson as Jesse came through with another win. Monte Latino was third, and Ruben Lee of the Arroyo Viejo (Oakland) Club was 4th. In the consolation conflict, Jack Seymour of San Francisco's Golden Gate Club, won five straight games in masterful fashion to easily outdistance Bill McNally, Verdun Zelmar, and Fred Lavett, who all finished with 3 wins and 2 losses. McNally was awarded the second place trophy by percentage.

CHAMPIONSHIP GROUP				CONSOLATION GROUP			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
J. Gonzales, Seaside	6	1	71.2	J. Seymour, Gldn Gate	5	0	61.0
L. Anderson, Mosswood	5	2	61.1	B. McNally, Arroyo Viejo 3	2	2	57.2
M. Latino, Sacramento	4	3	62.9	V. Zelmar, S. C. County ..	3	2	54.9
R. Lee, Arroyo Viejo	4	3	61.5	F. Lavett, Seaside	3	2	48.0
M. Santos, Arroyo Viejo ..	3	4	59.4	M. Jones, Gr. Valley	1	4	40.5
T. Turner, S. C. County	3	4	53.4	Pacer			
L. Braun, Arroyo Viejo	2	5	57.5				
N. Graves, Sacramento ..	1	6	51.6				

Talented Tal Turner Twirls Tourney Win In Grass Valley (No. Calif.) Open

Tal Turner, talented pitcher from Los Gatos, Calif., and a member of the Santa Clara County Club, turned on steam and cruised through opponents in the annual Grass Valley Fair Open Tourney. Tal finished with 6 wins and 1 loss, had a high game of 78.1, and staged an unbelievable comeback in the game with Virgil Gwaltney of Sacramento to turn defeat into a win. With Gwaltney leading 21-0 and 46-32, Tal stacked ringers at a 90% plus rate to win 55-46. Lloyd Potter of San Jose pulled out a hard fought contest over Lee Bousfield of the host Grass Valley Club to win 50-49 on the last shoe. Lloyd came in second with 5 wins in 7 games. Bill McNally was third by percentage. There was a big enthusiastic audience all day long and they were well entertained viewing some exciting games.

CHAMPIONSHIP — T. Turner, Santa Clara County 6-1-62.9; L. Potter, Santa Clara County 5-2-59.6; B. McNally, Arroyo Viejo 5-2-57.8; L. Bousfield, Grass Valley 4-3-51.2; V. Gwaltney, Sacramento 4-3-44.8; J. Randall, 2-5-45.8; O. Statham, Sacramento 2-5-41.6; G. Wilfon, Reno 0-7-29.4

C. Long in Strong Finish For Neosho, Mo. Open Title

The Missouri Open tournament was held on the K. S. C. courts on September 19 and 20th. There were 24 entries.

The highlights of the tournament were games by Claude Long of Neosho, Mo., and Ron Frakes of Springfield, Mo., with 12 consecutive 4 deads and 73.2 and 72.8 percentages respectively.

CLASS A — Claude Long, Neosho, Mo. 7-0; Horace Gilmore, Kansas City, Mo. 6-1; Ron Frakes, Springfield, Mo. 5-2; Neil Snelson, Springfield, Mo., 4-3; T. Greenlee, Springfield, Mo., 2-5; M. Reheis, Douglas, Kan. 2-5; W. Rhoads, Augusta, Kan., 2-5; J. Copenhaver, Bartlesville, Okla., 0-7.

CLASS B — W. Webb, Russell, Kan. 8-1; B. Overman, Oswego, Kan. 8-1; G. Geoman, Springfield, Mo. 6-3; E. Booe, Oswego, Kan. 5-4; G. Hyde, Lamar, Mo. 4-5; B. Moritz, Lamar, Mo. 4-5; Ellerman, El Dorado, Mo. 4-5; R. Carver, Wentworth, Mo. 3-6; D. Durfee, Rich Hill, Mo. 3-6; Mullins, Springfield, Mo. 0-9.

CLASS C — R. Long, Carthage, Mo. 7-0; C. Maggard, Larussel, Mo. 5-2; P. Mitchell, Larussel, Mo. 5-2; F. Cain, Larussel, Mo. 5-2; B. O'Brien, Lamar, Mo. 3-4; B. Brown, Kansas City, Mo. 2-5; K. Roller, Springfield, Mo. 1-6; R. Couch, Richmond, Mo. 0-7.

Baldwin Park — Southern California — San Bernardino

BALDWIN PARK D OPEN

	W	L	%
S. Stayner, San Diego	7	0	44.6
S. Ybarra, S. Barbara	5	2	43.4
F. Craven, Bellflower	5	2	41.0
H. Slagg, Ontario	4	3	44.0
J. Rouse, Sierra Madre	3	2	41.9
B. Price, So. Gate	3	2	39.6
L. Ford, San Diego	2	3	36.2
L. Tarbell, Brea	2	3	34.8
R. Victor, Hunt'gtn Pk	2	3	34.6
R. Alvine, Chula Vista	1	4	28.8
W. Shipley, Alhambra	0	5	31.6
R. Weber, Alhambra	0	5	30.1

SAN BERDU A OPEN

	W	L	%
D. Stewart, S. Ber'dino	9	0	56.3
H. Morse, Beaumont	7	2	55.8
C. Scott, S. Ber'dino	7	2	53.3
G. Offen, S. Ber'dino	7	2	46.5
M. Stratton, Wash'gtn	5	4	40.2
H. Slagg, Ontario	3	6	32.5
W. Shipley, Alhambra	3	6	31.6
E. Harkness, S. Ber'dino	2	7	40.8
C. Page, Torrance	2	7	25.8

San Diego — Southern California

SAN DIEGO C OPEN

	W	L	%
J. Douglas, Lakewood	7	1	52.6
C. Tucker, La Jolla	6	2	56.2
S. Dobson, La Mesa	4	3	50.4
L. Ford, San Diego	4	3	46.5
S. Stayner, San Diego	4	3	45.8
R. Hudson, San Diego	2	5	41.0
W. Shipley, Alhambra	2	5	39.5
F. Craven, Bellflower	0	7	39.9

SAN DIEGO E OPEN

	W	L	%
H. Slagg, Ontario	6	1	37.1
D. Stewart, S. Ber'dino	6	1	52.1
J. Holder, Downey	5	2	39.3
D. Baker, San Diego	4	3	34.8
L. Tarbell, Brea	4	2	32.6
J. Brown, Chula Vista	4	2	31.0
R. Weber, Alhambra	4	2	27.3
B. Price, So. Gate	3	3	41.8
R. Alvine, Chula Vista	3	3	40.1
R. Baker, Cudahy	3	3	33.8
P. Aurand, San Diego	1	5	31.3
C. Page, Torrance	1	5	30.0
W. Shaffer, Calipatria	0	6	29.6
S. Haigh, S. Ber'dino	0	6	28.8

South Gate — Southern California

CHAMPIONSHIP B

	W	L	%
G. Easterling, Hathr'ne....	7	1	58.2
B. Jones, Earp	6	2	57.1
S. Libatique, So. Gate	5	2	58.7
T. Nichols, Bell	4	3	54.1
B. Cessna, Midway Cty	3	2	56.0
D. Shubert, L. Angeles	2	3	50.6
W. Berg, Pasadena	3	2	53.1
G. Brown, So. Gate	2	3	44.7
H. Morse, Beaumont	1	4	54.0
F. Cantrell, LaPuente	1	4	46.8
C. Dennis, Lynnwood	1	4	45.2
W. Shipley, Alhambra	0	5	28.4

CHAMPIONSHIP F

	W	L	%
N. Draper, Barstow	7	0	42.3
R. Alvine, Chula Vista	6	1	37.9
R. Weber, Alhambra	4	3	33.1
C. Page, Torrance	4	3	30.8
J. Mailander, W. Covina ..	3	2	40.8
W. Neal, Anaheim	3	2	34.0
B. Crick, LaPuente	2	3	35.9
L. Tarbell, Brea	2	3	32.8
L. Keller, L. Angeles	2	3	27.0
E. Carrier, Downey	0	5	25.3
J. Landis, Whittier	0	5	25.3

Czoper In Clean Sweep of Pulaski, N. Y. Fall Open

The NE-OS-CO Horseshoe Club of Pulaski, N. Y., sponsored their Annual Fall Open Tournament, Sunday, Sept. 20. Guests of honor were NYSHA Secretary, Betty Steinfeldt of Rochester, N. Y.; New York State Horseshoe Pitching Champion, Carl Steinfeldt of Rochester, N. Y.; Runner-up in this year's State championship, John Ruston of Syracuse, N. Y.; New York State Ladies Horseshoe Pitching Champion, Lorraine Thomas of Lockport, N. Y. Wes LeFleur and Harold Bolich, both of Syracuse, acted as judges for the tournament.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
A. Czoper, Carthage, N.Y.	7	0	64.4
A. Stockholm, Cortl'd, N.Y.	6	1	62.0
B. Parker, Buffalo, N.Y. ..	4	3	53.4
B. Rogers, Wte Plns, N.Y....	4	3	53.4
G. Krause, Syracuse, N.Y.	3	4	55.0
F. Reid, Lacona, N.Y.	2	5	56.7
C. Hamell, Arnprior, Ont....	2	5	52.0
D. Vincent, Wat'rtwn, N.Y.	0	7	36.2

CLASS B

	W	L	%
J. Bunce, Rochester, N.Y....	6	1	49.1
J. Oakes, Carthage, N.Y. ..	6	1	49.2
R. Hazard, Lacona, N.Y. ..	5	2	48.7
E. Powers, Fulton, N.Y. ..	3	4	37.7
B. Lyon, Arnprior, Ont. ..	3	4	33.7
C. Wilk, Syracuse, N.Y. ..	2	5	36.1
E. Barber, Pen'ville, N.Y. 2	5	43.5	
G. Cole, Rochester, N.Y. ..	1	6	34.2

CLASS C — J. Thomas, Pulaski, N. Y. 6-1-36.6; B. Greenfield, Orwell, N. Y. 6-1-44.2; F. McDougal, Sandy Creek, N. Y. 6-1-36.5; F. LaMarge, Rome, N. Y. 4-3-38.1; J. Manton, Pulaski, N. Y. 3-4-35.5; E. Lapierre, Arnprior, Ont., Can. 2-5-24.1; J. Vincent, Watertown, N. Y. 1-6-26.5; R. Cloietir, Arnprior, Ont., Can. 0-7-15.0.

CLASS D — G. Chamberlain, Lacona, N. Y. 5-2-35.8; D. Vincent Jr., Carthage, N. Y. 5-2-36.3; G. Tuck, Mexico, N. Y. 4-3-37.2; W. Kilbaune, Rome, N. Y. 3-4-33.4; G. Abbott, Fulton, N. Y. 3-4-30.0; C. Benjamin, Pulaski, N. Y. 3-4-28.8; H. Williams, Pulaski, N. Y. 2-5-27.8; H. VanEpps, Lacona, N. Y. 2-5-25.0.

CLASS E — V. Nurse, Parish, N. Y. 7-0-28.1; D. Kehoe, Lacona, N. Y. 5-2-22.1; R. Wilson, Taberge, N. Y. 4-3-20.2; L. Clark, Pulaski, N. Y. 3-4-18.8; T. Warren, Fulton, N. Y. 3-4-17.7; D. Hosler, Fredonia, N. Y. 3-4-15.4; W. Phelps, Taberge, N. Y. 3-4-14.7; E. Pickreigh, Lacona, N. Y. 0-7-4.5.

LADIES — T. Bunce, Rochester, N. Y. 6-1; C. Powers, Fulton, N. Y. 5-2; D. Reid, Lacona, N. Y. 5-2; L. Cole, Rochester, N. Y. 5-2; P. Reid, Lacona, N. Y. 5-2; L. Rogers, White Plains, N. Y. 2-5; D. Hosler, Fredonia, N. Y. 1-6; P. Vincent, Watertown, N. Y. 0-7.

Ludlow Wins North. Calif. Class B at San Jose

Kim Ludlow, classy ringerman from San Jose, Calif., survived a loss to Artie Gates in the seven-man round-robin, rallied to edge Herb Rushing, No. Calif. C Champ, in the final game, then won a playoff over Gates 51-28 to capture his fourth major tourney title this year. Kim got an assist from fellow Santa Clara County Club member, Vince Mauricio as Gates lost to the determined San Josean 51-41 in a 78-shoe game. Artie twirled the high game of the day, a 75% effort, and Ludlow came in with a 60.5% game. Third place went to Santa Rosan Lou Gayet, colorful pitcher-musician, who had his best percentage of the year. George Palmer, after losing to Herb Rushing in the Class C finals the week before, was old man tough all day and won seven straight to put down all challenges to the consolation championship. Bill Vines, tall, smooth-swinging Turlock tosser, edged Oscar Statham of Sacramento for third by percentage. Qualifying scores were extremely high for Class B as it took 200 points to make the top eight-man championship group.

CONSOLATION

	W	L	%		W	L	%
K. Ludlow, S. Clara	6	1	53.2	G. Palmer, Sacramento	7	0	48.4
A. Gates, Seaside	6	1	54.8	B. Vines, Turlock	5	2	45.8
L. Gayet, S. Rosa	5	2	50.0	O. Statham, Sacramento ..	5	2	44.6
E. Blanton, Mosswood	4	3	44.9	J. Hagerman, S. Rosa	4	3	40.1
V. Mauricio, S. Clara	3	4	49.8	L. Pitney, Seaside	4	3	38.3
N. Boronda, Arroyo Viejo..	2	5	37.7	A. Mulder, Golden Gate ..	2	5	36.9
H. Rushing, Livermore	1	6	41.8	W. East, Arroyo Viejo	1	6	33.1
N. Jensen, Seaside	1	6	38.2	B. McVicar, Arroyo Viejo..	0	7	36.3

Knauft Top Man In Northwest Open In Yakima, Wash.

CLASS A

	W	L	%		W	L	%
H. Knauft, Spokane	11	0	79.3	J. Howard, Selah	5	6	62.8
Ed Fishel, Neilton	10	1	70.9	B. Van Egdorn, Lynden ..	5	6	55.3
H. Peterson, Portland ..	8	3	67.9	H. Pidde, Seattle	3	8	54.1
C. Chapelle, Portland	8	3	66.9	M. Alvord, Bremerton ..	1	10	52.9
E. West, Seattle	7	4	60.7	V. Miller, Selah	1	10	51.6
F. Winetrou, Lum. Isle ..	6	5	56.4	B. Chapelle, Portland	1	10	47.3

CLASS B — Gary Alexander, Gr. Falls 6-1-63.1; Pete Rebran, LaGrande 5-2-57.1; Mel Page, Walla Walla 4-3-60.7; Kelly Laraway, Bremerton 4-3-55.7; Loy Withrow, Ellensburg 4-3-53.7; Jim Alexander, Ridgefield 2-5-59.0; Howard Abbott, LaGrande 2-5-53.0; Dean Curry, Lewiston 1-6-49.5.

CLASS C — Robert Clark, Port Orchard 6-1-51.5; Walt Hastings, Lewiston 6-2-53.4; Thor Gadwa, Aberdeen 5-3-54.0; Don Tysver, Bremerton 3-4-52.9; Stewart Snyder, Kelso 3-4-41.7; Omar Beaver, Yakima 2-5-48.6; Mac McDaniel, Everett 2-5-48.1; Frank Cunningham, Spokane 2-5-37.2.

CLASS D — Larry Davis, Walla Walla 6-1-51.9; Jack Smith, Ellensburg 5-2-47.2; Howard McDonald, Elgin 4-3-49.0; Jim Eckstrom, Seattle 4-3-48.5; Ray Brumfield, Lynnwood 3-4-40.5; Harold McKay, Moses Lake 2-5-43.0; Oliver Hartzell, Bothell 2-5-40.8; Al Alexander, Granite Falls 2-5-37.3.

CLASS E — Dale Wood, Milton-Freewater 6-1-45.9; F. L. Cornett, Tieton 5-2-46.2; Ed McKay, Auburn 4-3-39.2; Harvey Snyder, Richland 3-4-42.5; Dan Woodman, Colbert 3-4-42.1; Dean Holmes, Walla Walla 3-4-39.2; Orvis Langland, LaGrande 2-5-39.3; Walt Morrison, Walla Walla 2-5-34.9.

CLASS F — Ken Lukens, Portland 6-1-50.7; Joe Giacomini, Port Orchard 4-3-43.4; Floyd Prill, Vancouver 4-3-42.7; Raleigh Smith, Selah 4-3-41.3; Ralph Taylor, Seattle 4-3-40.8; Ed Bartlett, Everett 3-4-39.5; Jim Jones, LaGrande 3-4-39.2; Bob Tyrrell, Yakima 0-7-35.5.

Northwest Open — (Continued)

CLASS G — Orval Brucker, Tacoma 5-0-50.6; Ken Carvo, Yakima 3-2-44.7; Burl Matteson, Bremerton 3-2-43.8; Howard Seaman, LaGrande 3-2-41.2; Randy Oard, Seattle 1-4-29.0; Gil Kroetsching, Ellensburg 0-5-27.3.

CLASS H — Bill Marcum, Oregon 4-1-36.6; Frank Warren, Tacoma 3-2-41.7; Morris Griggs, Hoquiam 3-2-36.1; Paul Storlie, Ellensburg 2-3-31.7; Herb Okeson, Des Moines 2-3-31.2; Cecil Varner, Spokane 1-4-34.1.

CLASS I — Dennis Gray, Walla Walla 6-0-36.2; George Dooley, Seattle 5-1-30.0; Bernard Green, Seattle 4-2-30.0; Dick Schumm, Seattle 2-4-22.9; Einer Loreen, Spokane 2-4-22.5; Paul Call, Yakima 2-4-20.6; Bob Ertsgaard, Bremerton 0-6-16.7.

LADIES — Mildred Kuhne, Tacoma 7-0-44.6; Lorraine Woodman, Colbert 6-1-42.8; Sarah Giacomini, Port Orchard 4-3-31.8; Freda Einfalt, Yakima 4-3-28.7; Edith Warren, Tacoma 4-3-27.3; Debbie Storlie, Ellensburg 2-5-28.0; Lorraine McKay, Auburn 1-6-17.0; Babe Bartlett, Everett 0-7-14.7.

JUNIORS — Lonny Griggs, Hoquiam 4-0-42.3; Monty Wood, Milton-Free-water 2-2-25.6; Joe Bartlett, Everett 2-2-24.3; Jim Smith 1-3-30.0; Ken Bartlett, Everett 1-3-28.4.

Hansen Tops Alexander To Win Snohomish County (Wash.) Title

The second annual Snohomish County horseshoe tournament was held on Sept. 13 at Forest Park in Everett. Bob Hansen got his revenge from last year as he pitched 70% in the final game to beat defending champ Gary Alexander. Gary had the high game of the tournament, 71.7%.

Class B was won by Frank Rogers with almost a 52% average. The remaining five players all won two games and 2nd place went to Roy Clark who formerly lived in Eureka, California. Both Frank and Roy are new State and National members for 1971.

Class C was won by hard-working Harry Wilkerson. Harry has been the secretary for the league which was held during the summer. Second place went to Ken McDaniel who just the weekend before won his first trophy in a S & N tournament.

A total of six juniors participated in the tournament. The battle for the championship went down to the wire between the Bartlett brothers with Joe beating Ken in the final game to capture first place.

Officers for next year: President, Mac McDaniel; Vice President, Ed Bartlett; Secretary, Harry Wilkerson.

CLASS A — Bob Hansen, Lynnwood 5-0-58.39; Gary Alexander, Granite Falls 4-1-61.663; Mac McDaniel, Everett 2-3-44.61; Oliver Hartzell, Bethel 2-3-40.29; Ray Brumfield, Lynnwood 1-4-42.10; Al Alexander, Granite Falls 1-4-37.68.

CLASS B — Frank Rogers, Everett 3-0-51.94; Roy Clark, Everett 2-3-46.42; Joe Peton, Everett 2-3-40.00; Staf Fale, Everett 2-3-39.03; Ed Bartlett, Lake Stevens 2-3-37.57; Vern Rielet, Everett 2-3-37.40.

CLASS C — Harry Wilkerson, Everett 5-0-32.90; Ken McDaniel, Marysville 4-1-27.38; Jim Burchill, Everett 3-2-21.34; Gary Millenaar, Everett 2-3-17.04; Lyle Meuret, Everett 1-4-25.42; Rod Burchill, Everett 0-5-6.35.

JUNIORS — Joe Bartlett, Lake Stevens 5-0-36.92; Ken Bartlett, Lake Stevens 4-1-18.81; Larry Forsman, 3-2-18.96; Kevin Reedy, Edmonds 1-4-7.47; Jeff Gardlin, 1-4-5.80; Randy Forsman, 1-4-4.91.

Green New Champion In Higginsville, Missouri

Bob Green is the new champion of Higginsville, Missouri, by virtue of his 5-1 record in the annual Higginsville club meet held on that city's local park courts. Jim Stover who was defending titlist was runnerup. This is an enthusiastic club of 53 members.

CLASS A — R. Green, 5-1; J. Stover, 4-2; O. Jank, 2-3; M. E. Cordle, 2-3; M. W. Cordle, 2-3; F. Smith, 1-4.

CLASS B — E. Budehaft, 2-2; V. Critzmeyer, 2-2; H. Goring, 2-2.

CLASS C — B. Summerville, 5-1; J. Burnett, 4-2; D. Moore, 2-4; L. Swigert, 1-5.

CLASS D — L. Moore, 5-0; E. J. Beck, 2-3; B. Thieman, 1-4.

Oscar Engle, Penn. "Fall Ringer Round Up" Champion

Ringer after ringer was made — 37 in a row were pitched by Oscar Engle of Pittsburgh to win first place in the Fall Ringer Round-Up Horseshoe Tournament in New Castle, Sept. 19-20 at the George Washington Courts. At the end of regular play Clair Bruce of New Castle and Engle were tied at six wins and one loss. Bruce had won the regular game against Engle 50-26 and in the play-off the score was just about reversed as Engle started the game with 37 straight ringers and finished with 97 ringers to Bruce's 88 out of 108 shoes. In a previous game against Sam Sutton of Washington, Pa., Engle tossed 32 consecutive ringers which was the most anyone around New Castle ever saw before. The hundreds of people watching were hypnotized by the sight of the flying horseshoes!

Clyde Martz of Pittsburgh who had just won the State Championship title took third place honors with a 5 and two record and 76.6%.

First place prize was \$50.00 and a trophy. Second place received \$20.00 and third place was presented \$10.00 and a merchandise gift. The lower classes also received cash prizes and merchandise gifts. The local banks and merchants were the sponsors. Opal Corbett was the Tournament Director ably assisted by Leslie and Wilma Long of Sterling, Ill. Mrs. Bob Morris of New Castle also helped in the book work.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
Engle, Pa.	6	1	80.6
Bruce, Pa.	6	1	80.2
Martz, Pa.	5	2	76.6
Sutton, Pa.	4	3	72.7
Carson, Md.	3	4	70.0
Shriver, W. Va.	2	5	67.1
Solomon, Pa.	1	6	67.4
Marini, Pa.	1	6	67.1

CLASS B

	W	L	%
Curt Over, Pa.	5	0	74.2
A. Copeland, Ohio	4	1	78.7
Ed Blum, Pa.	3	2	60.9
J. Rainbow, Pa.	2	3	69.3
J. Kuchcinski, Pa.	1	4	62.9

CLASS C

	W	L	%
Les Long, Ill.	5	0	70.1
F. Kilinsky, Pa.	3	2	61.1
H. Tuttle, Ohio	3	2	56.4
B. Morris, Pa.	2	3	58.0
C. Falk, Pa.	1	4	55.5
M. Brightshue, Pa.	1	4	55.0

CLASS D

	W	L	%
Pete Vlachos, Pa.	4	1	54.6
C. Elder, Pa.	3	2	60.6
G. Loblaugh, Pa.	3	2	57.6
S. Davidson, Pa.	3	2	52.6
B. Johnson, Pa.	2	3	66.9
W. Richard, Pa.	0	5	51.4

CLASS E — J. Swayers, Pa. 4-1-52.0; F. Osbourne, Pa. 4-1-54.0; Cy Enders, Pa. 3-2-52.4; F. Ruskin, Pa. 2-3-48.6; O. Corbett, Fla. 1-4-47.5; P. Bussard, Ohio 1-4-41.2.

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CLASS F — V. Brightshue, Pa. 5-0-52.2; C. Forney, Pa. 2-3-43.5; G. Kuhn, Fla. 2-3-36.1; K. Smith, Ohio 2-3-35.1; B. Garbart, Pa. 2-3-33.1; Jr. Fields, Ohio 2-3-31.1.

CLASS G — T. Terpt, Ohio 5-0-47.6; Bob Smith, Ohio 4-1-39.5; C. Shenton, W. Va. 2-3-36.4; J. Balough, Pa. 2-3-36.6; Geo. Combs, Pa. 1-4-28.3; K. Atchison, Ohio 0-5-27.3.

CLASS H — J. Mancini, Pa. 5-0-34.5; J. Wilson, Pa. 4-1-31.1; L. Allen, Ohio 3-2-27.2; C. Edwards, Ohio 2-3-26.9; T. Corbett, Fla. 1-5-13.2.

Thomas Family of Lockport, N. Y. Has Two Title Winners

Lorraine Thomas, one of the top female horseshoe pitchers in the world, captured her fifth New York State Horseshoe Tourney crown in the Women's Division.

Pat Thomas, her 17-year-old daughter, walked off with top honors in the Junior Girls Division with an unblemished record.

"I've never had the shoes go so beautifully," Lorraine said today as she discussed her brilliant performance. She finished with 48 ringers in 52 attempts for an amazing 92.2 per cent.

As usual, Ruth Hangen provided the competition in the finals. Mrs. Thomas, who recently bowed to Mrs. Hangen in the World Tourney in California, won the final game 51-3 as Ruth, who hails from nearby Snyder, made 32 ringers in 52 tosses for 61.5 per cent.

Pat, who will be a senior at Lockport Senior High, defeated Mary Lee of the Bronx in the finals. The score was 28-19.

Joe Carmack Big Winner In Annual Bi-State Tournament

The Third Annual Bi-State Tournament was held on October 4, 1970, at Carondelet Park in St. Louis, Mo. This was one of the finest events of this type held around these parts in a long time. The turn-out was excellent and enthusiasm was great. In Class A, which is sometimes called the Championship Class, the winner was Joe Carmack from Lecom, Mo. Runner-up was Richard Wedel. Class B winner was R. Maroon from Altamont, Ill. Runner-up was Charles Picraux from Defiance, Mo.

Class C winner was D. Ross from Pacific, Mo., and runner-up was Chas. Lawrence, Union, Mo. Buzz Riden from Cahokia, Ill., was winner of Class D, with Clyde Carmack, St. Louis, Mo., as runner-up.

Our next spring tourney will be on May 16, 1971. We will call it "The Spring Bi-State." Entry fee is \$4.50; score based on 100 shoes; five places — AA, A, B, C, and D.

Al Arunski and Jim McIntosh were co-sponsors of the tournament.

CLASS A

	W	L	%		W	L	%
Joe Carmack, Mo.	7	0	82.0	Del Maroon, Ill.	3	4	78.0
Rich Wedel, Mo.	6	1	81.0	Les Miller, Ill.	1	6	71.0
Karl Van Sant, Ind.	5	2	85.0	Al Ewertz, Mo.	0	7	69.0
B. Taylor, Ind.	4	3	80.0	Art Schroeder, Mo.	0	7	64.0

CLASS B — R. Maroon, Ill. 6-1; C. Picraux, Mo. 5-2; H. Franke, Mo. 5-2; Sam Carter, Mo. 4-3; O. Saggen, Mo. 4-3; J. McIntosh, Mo. 3-4; G. Watkins, Mo. 1-6; R. Ambuhl, Mo. 0-7.

CLASS C — D. Ross, Mo. 7-0; C. Lawrence, Mo. 6-1; S. Habovsky, Mo. 5-2; H. Hahn, Mo. 2-5; H. Jarvis, Ill. 2-5; M. Haussels, Mo. 1-6; R. Bidlake, Mo. 3-4.

CLASS D — Buzz Riden, Ill. 6-1; Clyde Carmack, Mo. 5-2; R. Fernandez, Mo. 5-2; E. Brewer, Ill. 4-3; C. Walden, Mo. 4-3; T. Jarvis, Ill. 2-5; C. Arnold, Ill. 1-6; A. Arunski, Mo. 1-6.

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	W	L	%
J. Landis, Whittier	6	1	27.5
L. Forest, Canoga Pk	5	2	27.2
A. Amador, L. Almitos	5	2	21.6
C. Page, Torrance	4	3	28.8
R. Herber, Hunt'gtn Bch ..	3	2	30.3
J. Lockett, L. Angeles	3	2	28.8
M. Lingenfelter, Fullerton	3	2	28.5
R. Quintana, S. Pedro	3	2	26.1
V. Johnson, S. Bern'dino ..	1	4	26.1
L. Whitrock, S. Ber'dino ..	1	4	24.7
R. Faulkner, Fullerton	0	5	21.0
R. Caples, Midway City	0	5	16.3

CHAMPIONSHIP H

	W	L	%
H. Morin, S. Ber'dino	7	0	30.2
R. Faulkner, Fullerton	6	1	27.9
A. Amador, L. Almitos	4	3	23.5
A. Williams	3	4	20.3
R. Caples, Midway City ..	3	4	19.6
R. Schmidt, Corona	3	4	18.3
P. Hays, So. Gate	2	5	19.0
P. Quintana, S. Pedro	0	7	13.9

South Gate — Southern California

CHAMPIONSHIP AA

	W	L	%
R. Simmons, Norwalk	7	0	76.2
J. Walker, Chula Vista	6	1	79.1
G. Schneider, P. Rivera ..	5	2	75.2
J. Snyder, Chula Vista	4	3	69.1
C. Cummins, Orcutt	3	2	69.5
J. Balzer, Santa Ana	2	3	66.4

	W	L	%
F. Cantrell, La Puente	2	3	51.7
H. Morse, Beaumont	2	3	50.3
C. Tucker, LaJolla	1	4	59.0
B. Cessna, Midway City ..	1	4	55.8
W. Berg, Pasadena	1	4	54.6
D. Shubert, L. Angeles	0	5	44.5

CHAMPIONSHIP A

	W	L	%
C. Cummins, Orcutt	7	1	61.6
B. Cessna, Midway City ..	6	2	59.7
E. McFarland, Sepulveda ..	5	2	58.8
W. Berg, Pasadena	3	4	51.3
S. Costello, San Diego	3	2	60.0
D. Shubert, L. Angeles ...	3	2	48.7
H. Drogemuller, Van Nuys	3	2	44.8
S. Libatique, So. Gate	2	3	48.6
S. Ybarra, S. Barbara	2	3	45.8
E. Knorp, S. Barbara	1	4	49.6
R. Victor, Hunt'gton Pk ...	0	5	36.4
W. Shipley, Alhambra	0	5	22.3

CHAMPIONSHIP E

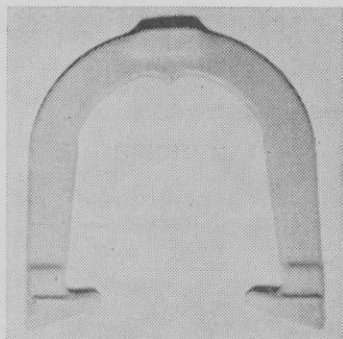
	W	L	%
B. Price, So. Gate	7	0	41.0
W. Shipley, Alhambra	6	1	40.9
R. Alvine, Chula Vista ...	5	2	36.8
B. Geddings, Culver City ..	3	4	39.2
J. Holder, Downey	3	2	37.5
J. Mailander, W. Covina ..	3	2	37.2
R. Weber, Alhambra	2	3	35.7
Lee Forest, Canoga Pk ..	2	3	29.7
J. Lockett, L. Angeles	1	4	25.5
C. Mortenson	1	4	24.4
E. Carrier, Downey	1	4	18.9
J. Landis, Whittier	0	5	24.5

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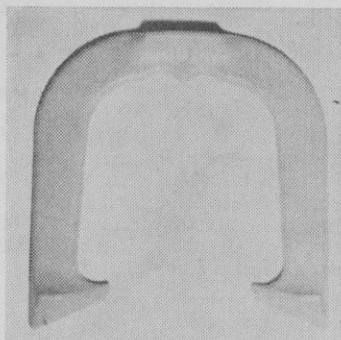
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