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NATIONAL OFFICERS

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No. 7

From Your President — Glen A. Portt

During the period 28-29 May, your Council met in executive session at Springfield, Missouri. Work periods were from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days. As may be surmised from the time involved, many subjects were discussed. One of these I wish to share with you. I have sent this to the State Presidents and State Secretaries:

There must be a clear understanding of our present Constitution and By-Laws. These rules gradually evolved through the 70 years the NHPA has been in existence. Every paragraph was submitted and approved at some time or another *by state delegates* in convention. Therefore, it must be realized by everyone that the *states* made our present rules. That is the way it was and that is the way it should be. The *states* decided the NHPA should have a governing body...so they created the Executive Council to be in charge of its affairs. This is no different than any other corporation.

. When the Executive Council makes a decision telling a state what it can or can not do, in reality it is the 49 other states that are saying it...because they have written and approved our Constitution. The Executive Council, to the best of its ability, is simply saying it for them.

I feel I have a dedicated, outstanding Council and its desire is to work in harmony with every state. It recommends that if the *majority of a state's members* is unhappy with the Constitution and By-laws, then the remedy is to submit changes or amendments to it. Again, it will be the other 49 states who will either approve or disapprove. Your Council will act accordingly.

Before becoming your President, I felt there should be more input into the NHPA by the states. In January, '84, I therefore created a *State Secretaries Committee* to get this input. I appointed James Acock, a 20 year NHPA member and also the Sec-Treasurer of the Missouri HPA to chair it.

I am requesting each State President and Secretary to work closely with the state's members and let the state's desires be known. The Council looks forward to meeting with you at the W.T.

NOTICE

The following members have agreed to represent you at the W.T. convention: Carl Steinfeldt (men), 44 Ridgecrest Rd., Rochester, N.Y. 14626; Bonnie Seibold (women), 1043 Grayston Ave., Huntington, Ind. 46750; Alan Francis (boys), Rt. 1., Blytheville, Mo. 64426; and Kristi Farris (girls), 1523 Atchison Ave., Whiting, IN 46394. Please make your ideas known to these people. Write!

HALL OF FAME BANQUET

The Hall of Fame banquet will be a special affair and will be held in the new air conditioned Redstone Arsenal Officers' Club on Sunday, July 29, 1984. Coat and tie are required for the men. The Social hour is 6-7 p.m. with dinner at 7 and entertainment at 9. The cost is \$11.95 per person which includes a dinner dance. A cash bar will be available. Tickets must be purchased prior to 12 p.m. on July 27, 1984. Special awards, Achievement Awards and the coveted Stokes award will be presented prior to the final presentation of the new selectees to the Hall of Fame. Don't miss this one!

1984 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

MARK SEIBOLD, Indiana — Player: LEE JACOBS, Michigan — Player and Organizer JACK ADAMS, Canada — Organizer; WINNIE WINETROUT, Washington — Player and Organizer

SPECIAL NOTICE — ELECTION OF VICE-PRESIDENTS

By GLEN PORTT, President

Your Executive Council voted that effective at this World Tournament Convention, a new method will be used in the election of Vice-Presidents *if delegates agree*. A change to Art. 111, Sec. 5, pg. 7 will be required.

Members running for a vice-president position will *not* be running for a specific position, such as 2nd or 4th vice-president. They will be running for *a* vice-president slot.

This system will provide orderly progression for Council officers toward the top position, much like Art. 11, Sec. 13, par. 2, pg. 6, Constitution, which provides for orderly progression in case of death resignation or removal.

The three members who are presently running for 2nd VP (Dr. Sol Berman, Barry Chapelle, Fran Carnahan), and Bonnie Siebold (running for 4th VP) will all be running for *a* position.

Their names will be on a ballot. Delegates shall vote for only one on the first ballot. If a woman is elected, then on the second ballot, delegates shall vote for one of the three remaining candidates.

If a woman is not elected on the first ballot, then on the second ballot delegates would have to vote for one of the two women as the Constitution requires at least one of the VPs to be a woman.

The candidates listed above have been informed and have agreed to the above. All members and delegates are asked to read Sec. 13, pg. 6; sec. 5, pg. 7; and Art. 1, Sec. 1, pg. 15.

Delegates will be asked to amend Art. 111, Sec. 5, pg. 7 to the following:

Sec. 5. All vice-presidents shall be elected for a term of two (2) years. Two VPs shall be elected on odd numbered years; two on even numbered years. The newly elected officers will normally fill the 3rd and 4th VP positions, Senior officers *not* running shall move up into the next VP position unless a senior officer running for re-election is elected. That officer shall then maintain his VP position or move up.



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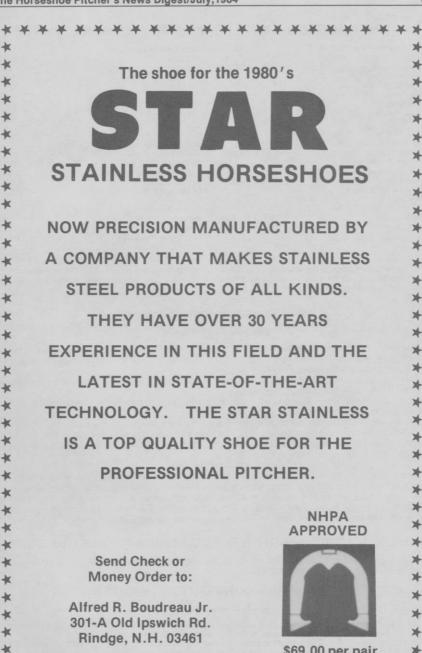
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NHPA SECRETARY-TREAS. REPORT FOR APRIL, 1984

April 1984 NHPA RECEIPTS: Digest Membership Envelope Sales World Entry Fees Help Ourselves Program Court Sanction League	\$2318.80 5233.00 190.00 50.00 25.00 17.00	April 1984 Expenditures: Postage League World 1984 Telephone Officer Travel Supplies Officer Allowance	\$1090.17 49.78 314.89 127.45 115.00 859.84 908.33
Total April Receipts	\$7863.80	April Total Expenditures	\$3465.46
May 1984 Receipts 1984 World Entry Fees Publicity Donation NHPA Digest Memberships NHPA Envelope Sales State Dues Help Ourselves Donations NHPA League Court Sanction Total May Receipts	\$ 6233.00 5.00 1532.50 5022.75 10.00 32.00 70.00 207.00 25.00 \$13137.25	May 1984 Expenditures: NHPA Telephones Supplies NHPA Digest 2 issues Officer Allowance Equipment & Equipment Repair Postage Officer Travel Refunds League 1983 State .25 rebates 1984 World Patches	\$ 178.70 133.67 4864.86 2458.33 2074.44 49.09 1099.43 10.00 182.57 1911.00 812.08
		Total May Expenditures	\$13594.17

Note: these figures are from the books of the NHPA Secretary-Treasurer and do not reflect the records of others in the NHPA who handle separate accounts. Interest, service charges, foreign money exchanges, returned checks, etc. are not reflected here.

NHPA PROMOTION COMMITTEE REPORT

By SOL BERMAN, Chr.

The NHPA is in the top 50 of the Wheaties Search for Champion II Contest. Keep sending in the ballots so that we can remain in the top 50 and collect the \$5,000. If we all help perhaps we can get Bonis photo on the Wheaties box.

Len Lipovsky, Minnesota coordinator reports that Minnesota's going all out. He's been in contact with Ms Tickle the contest director.

Cornwall Books office was visited. I was told that Ottie Reno's book should be completed before the World Championship.

They gave me an unbound copy of my book "Horseshoe Film Facts and Fun." It will be available in 3-4 weeks. It contains articles, cartoons and sketches on horseshoes. Cartoons and sketches were made by John Yernberg of Duluth, Minn., former Minnesota State Champion and member of the Minnesota Hall of Fame.

Tips from the Top

Guy Zimmerman (1954 World Champion) says the reason many players tense up is because they don't try as hard during practice as they do in competition. While practicing they merely toss their shoes back and forth without concentrating enough on what they are doing. The result is they play as they practice, half heartedly with little confidence. They may pitch very well for a while but when the chips are down they break under the pressure of competition.

WORLD TOURNAMENT HEADQUARTERS PHONE NUMBER

The telephone number for the 1984 World Tournament headquarters at Huntsville, Alabama, July 25 through August 4 is 205-533-2745.

1983 NHPA CONVENTION MINUTES

by Donnie Roberts

The annual NHPA convention was called to order at 7:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 1, 1983 at the Armory in Statesville, North Carolina by Wally Shipley, NHPA President. Paul Thomas gave the pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. NHPA Chaplain, Rev. Burgess led the prayer. President Shipley commanded the delegates to cooperate in running a smooth convention by making speaches brief. Everyone was checked to make sure they had a delegate packet. The coffee break was explained plus the restroom procedure. Each delegate was asked to give his/her name prior to speaking.

The following NHPA Officers were introduced: Leo McGrath-1st Vice, Norm Gaseau-2nd Vice, Earl Winston-3rd Vice, Bonnie Seibold-4th Vice, Donnie Roberts-Secretary-Treasurer, Claude White-Regional Director Chairman, Wally Shipley-President. The following committee chairmen were introduced: John Walker-Constitution and By-

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Laws, Gary Kline-Statistician and Historian, Pete Shepard-Horseshoe Manufacturers, Jack Springer-Youth, Marvin Burgess-Chaplain, F. Ellis Cobb-Digest Editor, Sol Berman-Promotion, Russell Gadoury-League Coordinator, Bernard Herfurth-Publicity, and Ruth Hangen-Hall of Fame.

Ruth Hangen, Hall of Fame Chairman, Introduced and named the 1983 inductees. They were Esther Jamespitcher, Emma Focht-Organizer, Byron Jaskulek-Organizer, and Ray Miller-pitcher. John Bullard, Jack Springer, and Bryan Fuller of the 1983 Statesville area welcomed everyone to Statesville. Ken Gipson from Huntsville extended a warm welcome to everyone to visit Huntsville in 1984. Dick McNeely, Publisher-Promoter and Clem Bernier-Vice-President and General Manager of the Hacienda Hotel in Las Vegas, Nevada presented their proposal on the 1983 horseshoe tournament to be held in Las Vegas and answered all questions anyone had about the event. The only bid presented for 1985 was by Springfield, Missouri in the amount of \$35,000.00 plus \$2000 in junior scholarships. They promised 24 courts in Springfield.

The minutes of the 1982 NHPA convention were approved as printed in the delegate packet. The financial report and audit were approved as printed in the delegate packet. Both items were presented for approval by Donnie Roberts. All seven NHPA officers gave brief reports of activities during the past year. The Constitution and By-Laws changes were presented with the results printed on page 5 of the September 1983 News Digest. That section of page 5 are a part of these minutes. Bonnie Seibold spoke on behalf of the women, Renee Hix on behalf of the girls, and Alan Francis on behalf of the boys. No one spoke on behalf of the men. Wally Shipley presented the President's Memorandum and gave his report both of which are printed on page 4 of the September 1983 News Digest and are part of these minutes. There was no unfinished business. A long discussion was held debating world cash prizes for men and women. The delegates voted to the ladies motion to pay the same entry fee as the men, effective in 1984. Wally Shipley explained the new game related program approved by the executive council with Ed Domey in charge.

A motion for the NHPA officers to have a mid-year meeting was tabled pending council research of the feasibility of an Audio-Visual Conference. The following By-Law was tabled: All ties for World Tournament Division Championships will play one sudden death game for the title. When more than two players are tied, the World Tournament Director and Council will determine play-off procedures. The president is to appoint a committee to come up with a proposal.

The 1983 NHPA Stokes Award went to Lee Davis. 1983 Achievement awards went to John Bullard, Lee Elbe, O.S. Plott, Al Ward, John Huntzinger, and Bob Champion. Northern California had the largest 1983 membership with 48. Ohio made the largest increase with 82 more than 1982. New York had the largest junior membership with 65. NHPA special awards went to Lee Davis, Gene Anderson, and Marlow Neuberger. Earl Winston, Leo McGrath, Bernard Herfurth, Sol Berman, John Walker, James Solomon, F. Ellis Cobb, Don and June Koso, Herb and Dorothy Pinch, Pete Shepard, Paul Thomas, and Rev. Burgess received Presidential plaques. Glen Portt was elected President, Earl Winston-1st Vice President, and Vincent Yannetti-3rd Vice-President. MEETING AD-JOURNED.

"PITCH HORSESHOES FOR HEALTH" MONTH

By BERNARD HERFURTH

During the month of July the NHPA promotes "Pitch Horseshoes for Health" month. All regional directors, state officers, local clubs and the members are requested to assist in getting our sport better known, especially during this month.

You can help in the following manner, give new releases to your daily and weekly newspapers calling attention to the 1984 Huntsville World Tournament, activity in your state and local area concerning scheduled tournaments, novice tournaments and league results. Give feature stories about local players' activities regardless of ringer percentage; boost human interest stories. Give excerpts from past monthly NHPA news releases for local newspapers in the past few months, that have appeared in the Digest. Please add the following to all news releases, for free 12 page Horseshoe Flyer, send a large stamped self-addressed envelope to NHPA, Box 810, Circleville, Ohio, 43113. Also give news releases to your T.V. and radio stations. Try to get on a radio talk show program giving news of our sport.

Plan to run novice tournaments if you have two or more courts. Furnish the contestants with shoes and have someone on each court to offer advice. Play short games, perhaps 10 point games teaching the contestants how to score properly. Advertise for men, women and junior contestants. Please send the names and addresses of all contestants to Donnie Roberts, same address as the free flyer offer.

If you have only one court, plan a ten or twelve shoes count-all game with only one contestant at one time pitching. This system proved very successful in Florida. Give advice and keep their score.

Please help promote our sport by taking an active part and send results to Donnie Roberts.

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1983 MINUTES OF STATE OFFICERS MEETING HELD AT STATESVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

By RUSS GADOURY

1. It was pointed out that the State Championship patches had changed color. DONNIE ROBERTS AND CLAUDE WHITE CORRECTED THIS IN 1984.

2. World Class Champion patches had not been ordered for the world. DONNIE ROBERTS MAILED THEM AND THE 1984 SUPPLY IS ON HAND.

 In reference to junior programs novice events were discussed, free events for juniors, films for juniors were discussed, and a unit of study was mentioned for schools. NOT AWARE OF ANY PROGRESS ON ANY OF THESE.

4. Norm Gaseau mentioned Tax Exempt status with the IRS. The NHPA is of course exempt. NO WORD ON WHETHER NORM HAS PURSUED THIS ITEM.

5. NOrm Gaseau suggested a simpler membership form for reporting and for tournament reporting. 1985 WILL BE A TOUGH YEAR AS WE WANT TO GET EVERYTHING FROM EACH MEMBER FOR THE COMPUTER WHICH WILL RESULT IN A VERY EASY 1986 REPORTING SYSTEM.

BONDING AND INSURANCE WERE MENTIONED. This was checked out and each state must get their own at this point.

7. Minnesota mentioned some needed improvements with the sanctioned league program. League coordinator to check out.

8. An S for a single ringer and D for a double ringer on scoresheet. NOTHING HAS BEEN DONE.

9. Calhoun from Alabama said we should work closely with Parks and Recreation.

10. There was a call for a uniform format for tournaments. THIS IS A TOUGH ONE.

11. More post World Tournament publicity was mentioned.

Typed from Russell Gadoury's notes by Donnie Roberts. If there are any corrections or additions just let me know. 50 officers were in attendance.

NHPA MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT By HERMAN WIESER

After having sent out letters to all State Secretaries in January and then sending a second letter to twentyseven in April of this year, requesting membership figures for 1982 and 1983, fourteen officers have not responded. Rhode Island, East and West Maryland, Washington, Nevada, Minnesota, Delaware, Wyoming, Connecticut,

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Maine, Texas, Virginia, North Dakota and Hawaii have not been heard from to date.

Therefore, my report can only include the information of the cooperating State Secretaries. It appears that in 28 areas increases were noted. Fortunately, only seven states reported slight decreases in membership.

It is interesting to note what caused the increases as opposed to the decreases among the various states. On the plus side, some of the answers or suggestions were as follows:

1. Personal contact...each member brings in at least one new member. Enthusiasm for our sport will "deliver."

2. Leadership plays an important part. Hard work and promotional ideas bring desired results.

3. All members who are involved in other organizations such as bowling leagues, Masonic or Fraternal Orders, Churches, Community Clubs etc. should discuss and/or distribute local, state or NHPA informational brochure.

4. Horseshoe pitching exhibitions at various functions by 50% or better pitchers, using portable courts, (there are numerous types available) and inviting the public to "try it."

 More State-sanctioned tournaments and league play, especially one or two evenings a week.
 Emphasis on lower average pitchers. New members are easily discouraged when they are unable to make good progress. Have pitching clinics... better pitchers should be willing to help improve the lower average pitchers who may have developed bad pitching habits, etc.

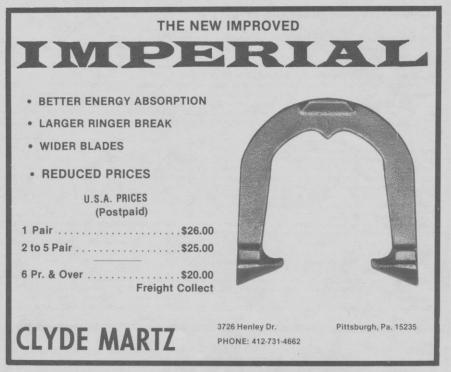
7. Indoor horseshoe courts are springing up all over; will preclude postponing tournament play. It will cost more but the certainty of play will offset the difference.

On the negative side, it appears location has much to do with attendance at tournaments. Of course, the weather is also a prime factor in the game of horseshoes, especially where temperatures refuse to ease in the spring. Unemployment in some states has curtailed membership which is understandable. Distances from World Tournaments to the home State, even distances from State Tournaments to certain localities discourages participation. In some instances, poverty is also quite a challenge. Consequently one fails to join the State or National organizations. True, the sport of horseshoes does not require large sums of money but to some it is prohibitive when one considers traveling expenses, etc.

With everyone's cooperation and the anticipated huge participation and attendance at the World Tournament in Huntsville, Ala. July 25-August 4, 1984, membership this year will exceed all expectations. And don't forget the "Mail-in" event.

-My address will be Herman Wieser, 71 North Dover Ave., Somerset, N.J. 08873 until the end of Oc-Notetober





WHEATIES CONTEST — SEARCH FOR CHAMPIONS

By SOL BERMAN

Boni Boser is still in the Top 50. I spoke to her in Springfield, MO at the Ron Frakes Tournament. She told me that they were working hard in getting votes in her area.

R.A. Switzer-Secr.-Treas. Illinois reports that he sent for a promotion kit. He is sending a note to all tournament directors in the state to talk up the contest and urge people vote for Boni. The July publication to all pitchers in the State of Illinois will include details about the contest and the need to get out the vote.

Don Koso, Nebraska, will give the last place of all classes in the Neb. tournaments a box of Wheaties.

Len Lipovsky-Minn. has contacted all parts of the state and urged them to send in ballots.

Bernard Herfurth is pushing the program at all tournaments that he attends.

We are planning on setting up a ballot box in Huntsville. A raffle will be held when we collect at least 200 ballots.

Please let me know how you are doing in your area.

STEINFELDT OVER WILLIAMS FOR RON FRAKES TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS—MAY 26-30—SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI

Sanction 84-1

The Repair Shop Horseshoe Courts in Springfield, MO played host to horseshoe pitchers from 23 states who came to participate in the Ron Frakes Tournament of Champions, May 26-May 30. Included in the Men's Division were the current World Champion and two former World Champions. Despite the intense cold, spectators viewed some very fine pitching, with the Men's Class A coming down to the last round to decide the winner. Steinfeldt was victorious over Williams 40-20, averaging 85.1% to Williams 78.8% in the deciding game.

The Women's Division featured the current World Champion, plus three former World Champions and two Junior Girl Champions, who have now moved up to compete with the ladies. The winner of Class A of this division was also in question until the final round was played and Winston defeated Michaud 40-35, averaging 82.9% to Michauds 81.8%. Had Winston lost, there

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would have been a 3 way tie for first place. The ladies did some fine pitching despite the adverse conditions.

Our Junior Boys World Champion was in fine form, averaging 86.1% in his overall performance. Also present were some World Champions in various Senior Divisions, all pitching well.

We thank the participants for coming to our "mini" World Tournament. We enjoyed having you. To those who are wondering, we did finally see sunshine on Tuesday, and Wednesday was beautiful. If you left early, we're sorry you missed the good weather.

MEN'S PRELIMINARIES — GROUP 1 — Merlin Potts, Kan.-74.7, Sam Carter, Mo.-68.3, Dale Lipovsky, Minn. -68.1, Bob May, Ind.-67.22, Roger Vogel, Tex.-67.20, Gene MOsley, Mo.-65.8, Elwyn Cooper, Mo.-64.8, Jerry Holt, Okla.-60.1.

GROUP 2 — Ron Frakes, Mo.-73.4, Jim Knisley, Ohio-72.4, Harold Darnold, Iowa-69.7, John Smith, Kan.-68.9, Danny Erbe, Kan.-64.4, Levi Miller, Ohio-60.4, Gene Fleek, Kan.-48.6.

GROUP 3 — Carl Steinfeldt, Fla.-80.3, Kevin Cone, Iowa-67.8, Charlie Webb, III.-67.7, Ron Martin, Kan.-65.3, Len Lipovsky, Minn.-62.5, Jim Kuchcinski, Pa.-60.0, Max Roseberry, Ohio-54.2.

GROUP 4 — Walter R. Williams Jr., Cal.-77.6, Charles Killgore, Mo.-73.8, Don Kuchcinski, Pa.-70.4, Robert Booe, Kan.-65.5, Earl Winston, Mo.-61.7, Barry Chapelle, Ore.-57.2, Chuck Arnold, Okla.-50.4.

MEN'S FINALS — CLASS A — 1. Carl Steinfeldt, Fla., 15-0, 82.2. 2. Walter R. Williams Jr., Cal., 14-1, 82.5. 3. Dale Lipovsky, Minn., 11-4, 72.4. 4. Jim Knisley, Oh., 9-6, 76.5. 5. Kevin Cone, Iowa, 9-6, 72.8. 6. Harold Darnold, Iowa, 9-6, 68.7. 7. Merlin Potts, Kan., 8-7, 68.5. 8. Don Kuchcinski, Pa., 8-7, 66.9. 9. Charlie Webb, III., 6-9, 68.4. 10. Charles Killgore, Mo., 6-9, 67.2. 11. Ron Frakes, Mo., 6-9, 66.1. 12. John Smith, Kan., 6-9, 62.1. 13. Bob May, Ind., 4-11, 63.8. 14. Sam Carter, Mo., 4-11, 62.3. 15. Roger Vogel, Tex., 3-12, 68.9. 16. Gene Mosley, Mo. 2-13, 60.1.

CLASS B — 1. Elwyn Cooper, Mo., 5-2, 66.2. 2. Jerry Holt, Okla., 5-2, 68.2. 3. Ron Martin, Kan., 4-3, 63.3. 4. Robert Booe, Kan., 4-3 61.7. 5. Len Lipovsky, Minn., 3-4, 59.6. 6. Levi Miller, Ohio, 3-4, 58.8. 7. Damny Erbe, Kan., 3-4, 55.6. 8. Earl Winston, Mo., 1-6, 52.9.

CLASS C — 1. Barry Chapelle, Ore., 5-0, 63.9. 2. Gene Fleek, Kan., 4-1, 61.6. 3. Chuck Arnold, Okla. 3-2, 53.9. 4. Jim Kuchcinski, Pa., 2-3, 57.4. 5. Max Roseberry, Ohio, 1-4, 42.0. 6. Bye.

CLASS D — 1. Alden Allbaugh, Kan., 6-1, 59.8. 2. Joe Douchant, III., 6-1, 56.7. 3. Jerry Comstock, Colo., 5-2, 55.4.
 4. David Dattilo, Mo., 4-3, 49.4. 5. Don Jones, Mo., 3-4, 52.9. 6. Floyd Hix, Va., 3-4, 46.2. 7. Tom Chambers Jr., Iowa, 1-6, 36.7. 8. Bye.

CLASS E — 1. Donnie Roberts, Ohio, 7-0, 71.9. 2. Jim Bray, Mo., 5-2, 58.1. 3. Robert Long, Mo., 4-3, 55.8. 4. Glen Hoppes, Ind., 4-3, 54.3. 5. Hiram Nelson, III., 3-4, 60.3. 6. George Buche Jr., Kan., 3-4, 52.9. 7. Jake Edmondson, Mo., 2-5, 52.5. 8. Bye.

CLASS F — 1. Kenneth Pogue, Mo., 6-1, 64.7. 2. Marvin Reheis, Kan., 4-3, 55.8. 3. Bill Vines, Okla., 4-3, 52.0. 4. Lloyd Laughlin, Colo., 3-4, 55.5. 5. Virgil Williams, Iowa, 3-4, 55.4. 6. Earl Pearce, Kan., 3-4, 51.1. 7. Larry Francis, Mo., 3-4, 48.1. 8. Steve Hrabovsky, Mo., 2-5, 51.1.

CLASS G — 1. Robert L. Barnes, Mo., 7-0, 52.9. 2. Jim Hayward, Mo., 6-1, 51.7. 3. Gern Beasley, Mo., 4-3, 49.0. 4. Bob Cantrell, Mo., 4-3, 45.1. 5. Val Eikel, Mo., 3-4, 49.1. 6. Kenneth Larsen, Mo., 2-5, 41.8. 7. Don Hanes, N. Mex., 2-5, 36.6. 8. Bye.

CLASS H — 1. Ralph Funk, Kan., 6-1, 46.5. 2. Wayne Henderson, Mo., 5-2, 43.9. 3. Tom White, Ind., 4-3, 42.4. 4. Jim larkin, Mo., 4-3, 38.4.5. Micky Mueller, Minn., 4-3, 37.5. 6. Allen Rowe, Mo., 3-4, 36.0. 7. Robert E. Johnson, Mo., 2-5, 35.9. 8. Bye.

CLASS I — 1. Dorsey Durfee, Mo., 5-2, 34.0. 2. Bill Whitely, Kan., 5-2, 39.8. 3. Bill Weaver, Ark., 5-2, 40.2. 4. Quentin Smith, Kan., 4-3, 32.6. 5. Jerry Griggs, Mo., 4-3, 28.4. 6. David Kuchcinski, pa., 3-4, 30.2. 7. Homer Cain, Okla., 2-5 35.8. 8. Wilbur Gay, Mo., 0-7, 13.9.

CLASS J — 1. Thomas Chambers, Iowa, 6-1, 42.9. 2. John Eggleston, Mo., 6-1, 33.1. 3. Rick Tatum, Mo., 5-2, 37.0.
4. Larry Vaught, Mo., 4-3, 31.1. 5. Harold Bull, III., 3-4, 31.7. 6. Wayne Clark, III., 3-4, 28.6. 7. Gene Rathburn, Mo., 1-6, 23.7. 8. Bye.

STEINFELDT — (Continued)

CLASS K — 1. Don Weaver, Nev., 7-0, 38.6. 2. Gene Dixon, Kan., 5-2, 36.2. 3. Dennis Hinkle, Mo., 4-3, 34.7. 4. Eugene Carter, Mo., 4-3, 31.4. 5. Russell Bennett, Mo., 3-4, 25.9. 6. C.B. Foust, Mo., 3-4, 25.8. 7. Karl Arnold, Mo., 2-5, 18.3. 8. Bfe.

CLASS L — 1. Elmer Kirby, Mo., 6-1, 29.2. 2. Jim Acock, Mo., 5-2, 33.6. 3. Robert Hughes, Mo., 5-2, 29.6. 4. Hadley Reser, Mo., 3-4, 35.6. 5. Jim Claxton, Mo., 3-4, 27.8. 6. Kevin Whitworth, Mo., 3-4, 19.6. 7. Austin Ott, Mo., 2-5, 23.6. 8. Bye.

CLASS M — 1. Joe Beem, Mo., 6-1, 34.4. 2. Richard Kinney, Kan., 6-1, 40.5. 3. Roy Franke, Ill., 5-2, 29.4. 4. Thomas Buck, Cal., 4-3, 27.5. 5. Kenneth Hale, Mo., 3-4, 26.1. 6. Leslie Hottle, Iowa, 2-5, 22.7. 7. Edward Eliason, Mo., 2-5, 20.7. 8. Bye.

CLASS N — 1. Melbern Hutchison, Okla., 7-0, 39.0. 2. Tony Tysdal, Ark., 5-2, 32.7. 3. Dennie Masters, Mo., 4-3, 36.0. 4. Charles O'Brien, Mo., 4-3, 25.4. 5. Jack McKinney, Neb., 3-4, 34.6. 6. Don "Zip" Roder, Mo., 3-4, 31.6. 7. Tick Johnston, Okla., 2-5, 26.1. 8. Gene Van Sant, Cal., 0-7, 11.1.

CLASS O — 1. Reese Warden, Mo., 4-1, 33.6. 2. Allen Fisher, Iowa, 3-2, 35.0. 3. Lilburn Inman, Okla., 3-2, 33.2. 4. Dale Fisher, Mo., 3-2, 27.0. 5. Rick Foust, Mo., 2-3, 35.0. 6. Jerry Kohler, Mo., 0-5, 17.1.

CLASS P — 1. Alvin Strasil, Neb., 4-1, 21.3. 2. Milton Harmon, Neb., 4-1, 21.5. 3. Charles Calton, Mo., 3-2, 20.5. 4. Dale Carpenter, Mo., 2-3, 18.5. 5. Tim Warden, Mo., 2-3, 17.3. 6. Carl Carter, Mo., 0-5, 4.0.

WOMEN'S PRELIMINARIES — GROUP 2 — Vicki Winston, Mo.-81.3, Debby Michaud, Mass.-79.3, Sandy Karasch, Minn.-69.0, Ruth Hangen, N.Y.-67.7, Bonnie Seibold, Ind.-62.3, Boni BOser, Minn.-60.3, Marilyn Hanes, N. Mex.-46.7.

GROUP 1 — Fran Carnahan, Pa.-72.3, Phylls Negaard, Minn.-71.7, Renee Hix, Va.-69.4, Katherine Harrison, Ohio-66.0, Bev Nathe, Minn.-60.9, Tari Powell, III.-54.3, Emalene Pearce, Kan., 49.8, Sherry Larsen, Mo.-34.9.

WOMEN'S FINALS — Class A — 1. Vicki Winston, Mo., 6-1, 73.7. 2. Phyllis Negaard, Minn., 5-2, 70.6. 3. Debby Michaud, Mass., 4-3, 76.5, 4. Fran Carnahan, Pa., 4-3, 63.7. 5. Sandy Karasch, Minn., 3-4, 66.3. 6. Katherine Harrison, Ohio, 2-5, 65.3. 7. Ruth Hangen, N.Y. 2-5, 64.7. 8. Renee Hix, Va., 2-5, 64.0.

CLASS B — 1. Boni Boser, Minn., 5-0, 67.2. 2. Bonnie Seibold, Ind., 4-1, 63.8. 3. Bev Nathe, Minn., 3-2, 62.6. 4. Emalene Pearce, Kan., 2-3, 50.9. 5. Marilyn Hanes, N. Mex., 1-4, 43.7. 6. Sherry Larsen, Mo., 0-5, 33.8.

CLASS C — 1. Loree Meier, Mo., 5-0, 52.5. 2. Joyce Francis, Mo., 4-1, 42.7. 3. Pam Henderson, Mo., 3-2, 36.8. 4. Ginger Cain, Okla., 1-4, 31.0. 5. Rita Killgore, Mo., 1-4, 28.8. 6. Mary Van Stant, Cal., 1-4, 24.3.

CLASS D — 1. Gerri Barnes, Mo., 5-0, 43.8. 2. Shirley Jones, Mo., 4-1, 47.6. 3. Peggy Dattilo, Mo., 3-2, 32.6. 4. Nancy Bray, Mo., 2-3, 15.5. 5. Helen Blacketer, Ky., 1-4, 15.3. 6. Bye.

CLASS E — 1. Norma Ott, Mo., 5-0, 28.0. 2. Mildred Hottle, Iowa, 4-1, 17.0. 3. Ruth Hix, Va., 3-2, 14.4. 4. Lisa Sallee, Mo., 2-3, 10.9. 5. Ann Hope, Mo., 1-4, 6.3. 6. Bye.

SENIORS — CLASS A — 1. Glen Henton, Iowa, 6-1, 72.8. 2. Glen Portt, Ga., 5-2, 69.0. 3. Charles Hilton, Mo., 4-3, 62.0. 4. Sol Berman, Fla., 3-4, 61.7. 5. Don Harris, Mo., 3-4, 61.6. 6. Dick Carnahan, Pa., 3-4, 61.5. 7. Omar Blacketer, Ky., 3-4, 59.6. 8. Joe Holland, Fla., 1-6, 54.4.

CLASS B — 1. Bud Hamilton, Okla., 5-0, 62.2. 2. Loren Gillespie, III., 3-2, 50.5. 3. Leonard Werner, Neb., 2-3, 46.4. 4. Arnold Hanson, Ia., 2-3, 45.6. 5. Curly Seibold, Ind., 2-3, 42.5. 6. Leora Kelly, Mo., 1-4, 43.4.

CLASS C — 1. Donald Marx, Iowa, 6-1, 49.0. 2. Marion Lange, Iowa, 5-2, 51.5. 3. Charles Bailey, Okla., 5-2, 43.9. 4. Carl Christiansen, Iowa, 4-3, 36.6. 5. Woodrow Shepard, Mo., 3-4, 38.6. 6. John Audiss, Kan., 3-4, 36.6. 7. Clarence Leavengood, Okla., 2-5, 29.1. 8. Bye.

CLASS D — 1. Ervin Petersen, Neb., 4-1, 34.4. 2. Perry Craigmyle, Mo., 3-2, 30.3. 3. George Hendricks, Mo., 3-2, 26.2. 4. Johnny McCarron, Mo., 3-2, 22.3. 5. Tom Allen, Mo., 1-4, 23.6. 6. Amos Edwards, Okla., 1-4, 21.8.

70 AND OLDER (30 feet) - 1. Henry Franke, III., 3-0, 54.5. 2. Dennis East, III., 0-3, 42.3.

JUNIORS — JR. BOYS A CLASS — 1. Allen Francis, Mo., 5-0, 86.1. 2. Tom Francis, Mo., 4-1, 74.8. 3. Steven Ungetheim, Ind., 2-3, 59.7. 4. Rick Henry, Ind., 2-3, 55.3. 5. Jeff Hart, Mo., 2-3, 50.0. 6. Stan Hayward, Mo., 0-5, 33.9.

JR. BOYS CLASS B — 1. Steven Barnes, Mo., 7-0, 47.6. 2. Scott Tatum, Mo., 5-2, 29.3. 3. Chris Roder, Mo., 5-2, 26.2. 4. Eugene Hix, Va., 4-3, 29.3. 5. Michael Hanes, N. Mex., 4-3, 22.3. 6. Christopher Fisher, Iowa, 2-5, 12.7. 7. Scott Ellerman, Mo., 1-6, 13.1. 8. Bye.

JUNIOR GIRLS — 1. Shawneen Michaud, Mass., 6-0, 23.1. 2. Tonya Hix, Va., 3-3, 1.1. 3. Sonya Hix, Va., 3-3, .5. 4. Bye.

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NHPA PUBLICITY FOR JULY

By BERNARD HERFURTH

Item: World Tournament:

If you are still undecided on going to the 1984 Huntsville World Tournament, make up your mind to attend, today. Who knows what 1985 may bring. There should be no problem in getting last minute motel reservations. If you did not send in your entry by June 1, you may get to take the place of an absentee or a drop-out contestant. You may just want to stop by for a few days during championship week as a spectator. Item: Wheaties Search for Champions

Please continue to eat Wheaties and canvass friends and relatives for Wheaties box ballots. We are sponsoring Boni Boser, Route 3, Fish Lake, MN 58364. Please cooperate.

Item: NHPA Stamp:

An NHPA stamp is being issued as a means of adding funds to the NHPA Publicity Fund. Donnie Roberts will have an article in the Digest concerning the publicity stamp program.

Item: NHPA address for publicity:

This plan asks all members to include in all newspaper releases "For free 12 page flyer, send a large stamped self-addressed envelope to NHPA, Box 810, Circleville, Ohio 43113," is giving the NHPA numerous inquiries from all parts of the country. NHPA thanks all those who have and those who will cooperate in giving out the NHPA address. Don't let up.

Item: NHPA "Mail-in" Tournament:

Check with your club for details or read past articles in the Digest for information. Plan to participate. Item: World Tournament Prizes:

NHPA Publicity and Public Relations again does not want to cut back on any prizes, it only hopes that no additional prize money is given until the money that was taken away from classes B-C-D is restored. These classes often do not care to continue to play after a certain place due to having to pitch so many games with nothing at stake. It was most fortunate to take away prizes that were given for years and yet boost championship classes. Our non-championship classes keep the show on the road.

STERLING, ILL. OPEN - JULY 14 - SANCTION 94-555

The Sterling-Rock Falls, III., club will hold another open tournament on Sat., July 14, at the Laurence Park courts midway between Rock Falls and Sterling, III., All classe are intended to be 6-man. We also intend to have a class for the ladies.

Deadline for entries will be 9 a.m. on the day of the tournament and the first 60 entries will make up the tournament and the lower classes will start at 10 a.m. and the upper will start immediately after. Entry fee will be \$6.00 with a first place and second place trophy and cash or prizes for third or fourth place in each class.

Send entry or call Les Long R.R.1 Sterling, III., 61081 or phone 815-625-2832, if no answer call Wilbert Gentz 815-626-4003. Send league count-all average or tournament ringer percentage, the league are for 50 shoes of 70-75 or 40 to 45% will be dividing line for a.m. and p.m. players. Rain date July 21.

W. GULLICKSON RECOVERING FROM OPEN HEART SURGERY

Will Gullickson, North Dakota sports writer, is recovering from open heart surgery performed recently. He will be home for several weeks. He would appreciate cards. His address is Will Gullickson, 2850-26th Street, S. Circle, Moorhead, Minn. 56560.

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SIMMONS TOPS ORANGE BLOSSOM OPEN — ORANGE, CALIF.

Ronnie Simmons defeated Orville Lokken in a playoff to capture the First annual Orange Blossom open in Orange, CA. Ron's 7/0 included a high game of 94.4, and high tournament average of 77.1.

CHAMPIONSHIP — R. Simmons, Orange, 7-0, 77.1, O. Lokken, San Bernardino, 6-1, 64.8. N. Flann, Westminster, 5-1, 71.1, A. Nichols, Carson, 5-1, 62.0, J. Schneider, Anaheim, 4-2, 63.5, E. Brown, Anaheim, 3-3, 63.4, J. Williams, Chino, 3-3, 55.9, H. Standard, Orange, 3-3, 54.8, J. Eozzo, Los Angeles, 3-3, 53.2, H. Larson, Lakewood, 2-4, 51.8, C. Yoshida, Carson, 1-5, 41.5, L. Raymond, Newport Beach, 1-5, 36.5, L. Lifton, Torrance, 0-6, 40.3, D. Eppele, Orange, 0-6, 34.9.

WHEATIES CONTEST RESPONSE FROM GENERAL MILLS

By SOL BERMAN

The General Mills Inc. Co. informed me that of May 10 the NHPA was in the Top 50. That means that if we send at least 5000 ballots and remain in the top 50 we'll receive \$5,000.

We only have three months left, so let's set up ballot boxes at all tournaments, schools, churches, etc. Perhaps we can get Boni's picture on the Wheaties box.

The Search for Champions I winner Chris Spielman has his picture on the newly released Wheaties boxes. He's an 18 year old senior from Massilon, Ohio. His main sport is football. He also was on the basketball team. He's on the track team and plays softball. He does volunteer work. Chris is an honor student with a 3.75 grade average.

FAREWELL AND THANKS TO ED, CLETUS AND LEE

By BERNARD HERFURTH

Since the 1983 World Tournament the NHPA has had the great misfortune to lose Ed McFarland of Texas, Cletus Chapelle of Oregon and Lee Davis of Florida. Each has passed away since that time.

During the ten years that I served as chairman of the NHPA Hall of Fame Committee I had the pleasure of having these fine men on my committee. I can say that each was a very cooperative member and a gentleman all the way. I do not remember even hearing a harsh word about anyone or anything from these men. They all put many years of work and interest towards making ours a better sport. They will be greatly missed. We will not forget them.



"From Out Of The Mail Bag"

Mr. Dennis Ryan Goulycluff Athy Co. Kildare IRELAND

Dear Dennis,

It was with great pleasure that I read your letter describing the Horseshoe pitching association of Ireland. I have enclosed a lot of information for you which should prove very valuable to you.

I certainly hope that you will consider forming a charter for Ireland as described in the enclosed blue book. It is our hope that you will stay in contact with us so that we can work out some mutual horseshoe efforts. Please send me a map and exact location of your events as well as the dates. Many of our 12000 members travel a lot and will likely drop in to visit you.

If after reading the enclosed material you have questions just let me know.

Sincerely yours, Donnie Roberts NHPA Sec. Treasurer

F. Ellis Cobb, Editor The Horseshoe Pitcher's News Digest

Dear Ellis,

Hi! Horseshoe pitchers, guess what? I went mushroom hunting and found 130 mushrooms, er, I mean 130 horseshoe pitchers right under my nose 25 miles from where I live. I've been yelling and screaming at you people to promote horseshoes and I stumble onto something like this. The good thing about these mushrooms is that they are edible, er, I mean eligible for N.H.P.A. They pitch in the Fort Wayne area in what's called a traveling league and I joined them. So hopefully with a little persuasion, some will become interested in N.H.P.A. The real point of this is that horseshoe pitchers are like mushrooms. If you poke around a little you will find them.

Sincerely, Jim Schilling Regional Director, IN

Mr. Donnie Roberts N.H.P.A. Secretary-Treasurer Box. 810 Circleville, Ohio 43113

1216 S. Grand Avenue Waukesha, Wisconsin 53186

Dear Donnie:

The deadline is quickly approaching for World Tournament participation eligibility and I would like to make a few comments relative to the Junior portion of the program.

It seems during the past few months there has been more than one article in the News Digest regarding the enhancement of the Junior Division. I concur wholeheartedly that we should do all we can to promote the sport at that level. Given that, I believe two items, at least, should be re-examined and addressed before the World Horseshoe Tournament. I have attended only two World Tournaments, 1981 and 1983. Although I had a fine time at both I was extremely distressed at the lack of respect afforded the Juniors. Both years I was absolutely appalled at the lack of attention and focus on the championship awards presentation and in 1983 the pitching time schedule for the Juniors was, on more than one occasion, ludicrous.

It makes little sense to me to have men (40 percent pitchrs — and I happen to be one of those) pitching at the prime time of 7:00 p.m. and 75-85 percent Juniors throwing at two o'clock in the morning. I thoroughly enjoy watching the Juniors and I did see them perform in the middle of the night at least once, but it would have been much more pleasant in the early evening and, more importantly, at that time they would come a good deal closer to receiving the kind of exposure and treatment they deserve. If there is a real desire to promote the Junior program then it would follow that a more appropriate and appealing pitching schedule be presented to them.

Also, I think the presentation of awards in the Junior Program merits some serious re-evaluation. I thought the lack of attention and respect directed towards the Juniors during the final awards presentations, particularly in Statesville, but also in Genola, was completely inappropriate. During the time that the best Junior player in the World Tournament was receiving a championship trophy, play was not interrupted, even momentarily, on the courts. Tha tkind of inattention, I firmly believe, is unacceptable whether the pitchers on the courts at the time are 80 percenters or 15 percenters. It seems that all action could be halted for the very few minutes needed to recognize such outstanding achievement on the part of the Junior winners.

I am writing to request that you consider a pitching schedule for the Juniors which is somewhat more reasonable. I would also solicit your consideration regarding a more appropriate and meaningful championship awards presentation for the same groups.

Thank you for anything that can be done to give the young people a bit more recognition, exposure and visibility.

> Sincerely, Howard C. Voiles RD2 Box 332 Ulster, PA 18850

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MAILBAG — (Continued)

F. Ellis Cobb, Editor

The National Horseshoe Pitcher's News Digest P.O. Box 1606 Aurora, IL 60507

Dear Ellis:

In my opinion, Dick Hanshew, in his letter on page 16 of the June issue, gave the solution to the foul line rule. The trouble with the present rule is that no one can prove when the shoe leaves the pitcher's hand.

The rule should state: "In delivering a shoe, the pitcher must remain behind the foul line until the shoe lands." (Instead of: "Until the shoe has left his hand.")

Sincerely, Joe Templeton Eastern Pennsylvania

F. Ellis Cobb, Editor The Horseshoe Pitchers Digest P.O. Box 1606 Aurora, IL 60507

Dear Ellis:

First I want to thank you for your cooperation in inserting the Ukiah Valley Horseshoe Club's announcement of our August 26 money tournament, even though we were late getting it to you. Thanks again.

Second, I would like to comment on Marion Hawley's article in the June issue. (Marion is the N.C.H.P.A. Statistition, and an exceptionally good one I might add). I agree wholeheartedly that more consideration should be shown the lower class pitchers who carry the bulk of the load, and yet have to register at the same time as the elite, then sit around til mid afternoon, to get to pitch, usually on hard clay and finishing anywhere from 5:30 to seven p.m. then traveling maybe 100 to 150 miles home. It can get quite discouraging, somehow something should be done, if possible to ease the situation in that department. As Dick Hanshew states in his letter, these letters start the Pitchers thinking and eventually we arrive at an equitable solution.

Third. The foul line issue is also a pet peeve of mine, although I do not agree with Marion's idea that there is no problem and it should be left as it is. That is not the real issue. In any other sport any foul committed is dealt with, therefore keeping the contestants in line. Until that is accomplished, I feel that the sport of Horseshoe Pitching will remain a social or picnic affair and never be able to take its place in the world of sports that we deserve.

Sincerely, Barak C. Wright 210 Rosemary Lane Ukiah, CA 95482

Horseshoe Digest NHPA Executive Council New York State Officer's Regional Director Chairman

Dear Sirs:

When big money gets into the sport of Horseshoes I just as soon not be a part of the game. The fun of a great sport will be gone. And gone, too, will be the horseshoe pitcher who played for the sport. Only the really good pitchers will be left. I wonder who will do the work? It's always been the dedicated person who made horseshoes what it is today, not big money and not all the good pitchers. If 50% of the low pitchers did nothing but pitch shoes and left the work to others we would probably be flooded with good pitchers. The only thing is there would be no work done, and all you would have is good pitchers doing nothing. No Tournaments, no work, no fun.

I say keep the big money out, treat all pitchers equal. Give the workers some recognition.

The people now in the NHPA are out to push the big bucks. But only for the "A" class. If you change the rules change them for the "A" class only. Leave the game alone. The low percent pitcher plays for fun not big money and blood.

You want to improve horseshoes than help the Juniors. This is where the future of horseshoes is and you had better believe it. There's no future in big money and rule changes. You're only chasing the pitchers away.

For the above reasons I see no reason to continue as Regional Director for the NHPA. I have forfeited my reservations to the 1984 world tournament as I think all horseshoe pitchers should stay home except the "A" class as this is what the World Tournament is designed for.

Regretfully Yours, Ernie Graham

SPECIAL NOTICE

On page 11 of the June issue concerning Fran Carnahan's candidacy it was erroneously stated that she was the Secretary-Treasurer of the Western Pennsylvania Horseshoe Pitchers Association. Mr. Joe Mancini has been Secretary-Treasurer for the past 11 years and Mr. Herman Boyer has been President for the last 11 years. Mrs. Fran Carnahan is only the Pennsylvania Representative.

In Memoriam

A sad note has been received from Mr. Ray Miller of 1422 Eastgate Road, Springfield, Ohio 45503 stating that while he was recuperating from a broken arm and hip injury, his lovely wife passed away very suddenly. She had always been in attendance with Ray at World Tournaments. She was always willing to help whenever possible. She will be missed by her many friends.

The sympathy of the Ohio State Association and that of the NHPA is extended to her husband Ray and to her son.

Gust Magnuson, 76, Dilworth, Minn., a former Minnesota state horseshoe pitching champion and one of the winningest pitchrs in the state more for more than 20 years, died May 7.

Magnuson, who was one of the top pitchers in the Fargo and Moorhead leagues for many years, also pitched while living at Canby, Minn., and Hawley, Minn.

He won many open tournaments and was a consistent 70 and over percent tosser. Magnuson was treasurer of the Fargo association when the World Tournament was held in Fargo in 1967. He pitched in the world tourney that year as well as in 1981 when it was held at Genola, Minn., at Preimesberger Arena. He served as court keeper many years in Fargo and Moorhead.

Mention horseshoes in Texas and immediately you think of Ed McFarland. 17 times Texas State Horseshoe Pitching Champion and a member of the Texas Hall of Fame. Ed is no longer here but his memory will be with us always. He was a pioneer in the truest sense of the word. His guidance has been instrumental in the forming of the Greater Houston Horseshoe Pitchers Association back in Sept. 1981.

The unique court design in Bear Creek Park was Ed McFarland's 25 year old dream. The Ed McFarland Open Tournament in April of each year is named in his honor. Trophies for the tournament are a sculptured replica of Ed McFarland's patented pitching stance.

The last tournament Ed pitched in was his own in April 1983. A winner on and off the court the Houston Club will miss his pleasant personality and a big smile. Ed McFarland was truly "A" class.

He is survived by his lovely wife Joyce, two sons, Tom and David and daughter Barbara.

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REVISED PRIZE LIST FOR 1984 WORLD TOURNAMENT

This prize list was adopted by the NHPA Officers at their meeting in Springfield, Missouri on May 29, 1984. This list replaces the one published in the May 1984 NHPA News Digest.

CHAMPIONSHIP M	EN	CLASS B	MEN	CHAMPIONSH	IP WOMEN
1\$	25000	1	\$150	1	\$1300
2	1500	2		2	
3	1000	3		3	
4	800	4	115	4	500
5	600	5	110	5	
6	500	6	105	6	250
7	400	7	100	7	
8	350	8		8	
9	250	9	90	9	100
10	220	10	85	10	100
11	215	11	80	11	100
12	210	12	75	12	100
13	205	13	70	Total	\$4775
14	200	14	65		
15	195	15	64		
16	190	16	63		
17	185	17	62		
18	180	18	61		
19	175	19	60	INTERMEDIAT	E, WOMEN
20	170	20	59	& SENIOR C	LASS B
21	165	21	58	1	\$50
22	160	22	57	2	40
23	155	23	56	3	30
24	150	24	55	4	20
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SCHOLARSHIP	
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GIRL CHAMPIONSHIP SCHOLARSHIP	
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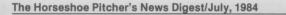
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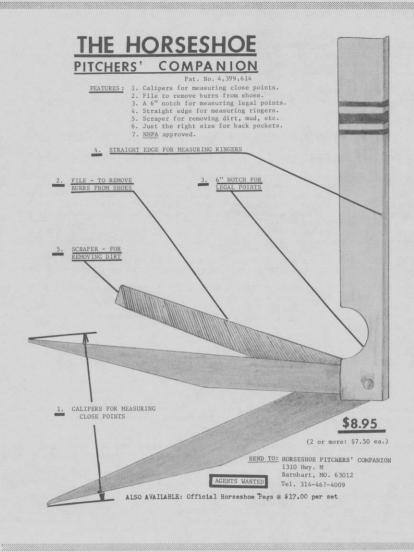
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MacINTYRE TOPS NEW JERSEY STATE MEMORIAL OPEN MIDDLESEX, N.J. JUNE 3 — SANCTION 84529

CLASS A — Bill MacIntyre, Somerville, N.J. 6-1-62.5; Bill Kolb, Toms River, N.J. 4-3-58.5; /Sol Berman, Cranberry, N.J. 4-3-56.1; Al Cherry, Plainfield, N.J. 4-3-50.0; Phil Zozzaro, Little Falls, N.J. 3-4-48.2; Marty Waisempacher, Flemington, N.J. 3-4-45.5; Bob Hall, Flemington, N.J., 2-5-43.4; Jim Reed, Oldwick, N.J. 2-5-40.2.

CLASS B — Jack Fritzges, Long Valley, N.J., 7-0-48.8; Wes Cook, Toms River, N.J. 4-3-37.6; Charles Davis, Hackettstown, N.J. 4-3-34.1; Gil Franke, Ringoes, N.J., 3-4-40.7; Jim Burd, Califon, N.J. 3-4-39.1; Andy Lopusnak, Clifton, N.J., 3-4-38.0; Ray Shober, Newfield, N.J., 2-5-36.4; John Thomas, Ship Bottom, N.J., 2-5-34.4.

MacINTYRE — (Continued)

CLASS C — Bob Manzoni, West Milford, N.J., 8-0-30.9; Henry Potts, Far Hills, N.J., 5-3-37.6; Larry Thomason, Woodbury, N.J. 5-3-33.7; Henry Batson, Stanhope, N.J., 4-4-28.6; Andy Waisempacher, Flemington, N.J. 3-5-27.0; Tom Manzoni, Pequannock, N.J. 3-5-25.5; Lou Harlan, Wharton, N.J., 3-5-25.4; Bob Turner, Bridgeton, N.J., 3-5-25.1; John Dykstra, Englewood, N.J., 2-6-25.1.

CLASS D — George Patrick, Phillipsburg, N.J., 6-1-29.4; John Danko, White House Station, N.J., 5-2-20.4; Wayne Burnett, Millington, N.J., 5-2-20.1, Bryan Schneider, Long Valley, N.J. 4-3-20.5; Gil Ciresa, Long Valley, N.J., 3-4-18.4; Art Hall, Milford, NJ, 3-4-15.3; Robert Burnett, Millington, NJ, 2-5-10.3, Al Johnson, Clifton, NJ, 0-7-3.5.

LIPOVSKY WINS ELMER HOHL INTERNATIONAL OPEN STONEY CREEK, ONT. CANADA, MAY 11-13—SANC. 84-575

Dale Lipovsky of Minnesota and current World Champion was the final winner in the first Elmer Hohl International Open tournament held at the seven indoor courts at Stoney Creek, Ontario, Canada on May 11 through 13. He posted a 4-1-76.5 record. Don Kuchcinski of Penna. took high single game honors with 89.3 percent. Lipovsky also had high tournament average of 76.5. Sheila McGrath had 87.5 for ladies high handicap high game. She also took the ladies handicap high average. Louise Jorgensen won the Ladies championship with 5-2-45.6 record.

MEN'S A-1 — Steve Kuchcinski, PA 6-0-73.6; Dale Lipovsky, MN 5-1-75.2; Steve Hohl, Ont. 4-2-70.7; Ron Jinkerson, Ont. 3-3-63.0; Vern Butcher, Ont. 2-4-62.7; Jimmy Kuchcinski, Pa. 1-5-60.0; Steve Fenicchia, NY, 0-6-58.0.

MEN'S A-2 — Mike DiMartino, NY 5-1-75.6; Don Kuchcinski, PA 5-1-73.5; Elmer Hohl, Ont. 4-2-72.3; Frank Weaver, Ont. 4-2-66.1; Bill Vandenburg, Ont. 2-4-63.4; Levi Miller, Ohio, 1-5-50.0; Joe Kuchcinski, PA 0-6-57.1.

MEN'S A FINAL — Dale Lipovsky, MN 4-1-76.5; Steve Kuchcinski, PA 3-2-75.6; Steve Hohl, Ont. 3-2-74.5; Don Kuchcinski, PA 2-3-74.7; Mike DiMartino, NY 2-3-73.4; Elmer Hohl, Ont. 1-4-71.2.

MEN'S B — Tom Gallina, Ont. 6-1-61.3; George Watt, Ont. 6-1-59.7; Bob Hayes, NY 4-3-52.9; Clarence Hoggarth, Ont. 4-3-51.2; Tom Stroh, Ont. 3-4-50.3; Paul Sweeney, Ont. 3-4-48.6; Mike Stack, OH, 2-5-50.0; Frank Yokopovich, OH, 0-7-45.8.

MEN'S C — Joe Markiewicz, OH 6-0-53.1; Leo Arsenault, Ont. 5-1-43.0; Paul Sweeney, Ont. 3-3-48.5; Bill Roach, Ont. 3-3-43.8; Harold Kipp, Ont. 2-4-36.7; Harold Eyth, Pa. 1-5-38.0; Don Wilcox, NY 1-5-29.5.

MEN'S D — Orval Coxon, Ont. 6-1-39.5; Ken Roy, Ont. 5-2-39.2; John Shuett, Ont. 4-3-38.9; Ken Nixon, NY 3-4-39.7; Yvan Roy, Ont. 3-4-39.4; Vic Heaps, Ont. 3-4-38.9; Bob Doty, NY 3-4-35.4; Dennis Weaver, Ont. 1-6-29.8.

MEN'S E — Jim McLaughlin, Ont. 5-2-32.0; Wilf Robichaud, Ont. 5-2-31.7; Marvin Falk, Mich. 5-2-30.7; Al Corbett, Ont. 3-4-32.1; Glen Pyke, Ont. 3-4-28.9; Joe Berube, Ont. 3-4-23.8; Ken DeMerchant, Ont. 2-5-26.3; Cecil Carnachan, Ont. 2-5-23.3.

MEN'S F — Ted Hansen, Ont. 7-0-33.6; Jack Litster, Ont. 5-2-33.8; Dwayne Litster, Ont. 4-3-23.1; Embro Trieste, Ont. 4-3-23.0; Bob Lamb, Ont. 3-4-18.8; Bill McIntyre, Ont. 2-5-26.1; Jack Moore, Ont. 2-5-21.4; John Kirchin, Ont. 1-6-9.5.

MEN'S G — Gil Tait, Ont. 5-0-26.1; Grant Corbett, Ont. 3-2-17.0; Charlie Logan, Ont. 3-2-13.5; Bill Morton, Ont. 2-3-13.1; Dave Hackney, Ont. 1-4-11.8; Art Litster, Ont. 1-4-11.6.

LADIES HANDICAP — Louise Jorgensen, Ont. 5-2-45.6; Rhonda Haw, Ont. 5-2-31.9; Sheila McGrath, Ont. 4-3-61.2; Denise Stanley, Ont. 4-3-39.5; Olive Tait, Ont. 3-4-38.5; Kim Leetham, Ont. 3-4-32.2; Dorthy Falk, MI 2-5-34.3; Doreen Fanjoy, Ont. 2-5-22.5.

G. ROBERTS OVER G. MOON FOR WOLFE OPEN TITLE AT XENIA. OH—MAY 27—SANCTION NO. 84-56

CLASS A — Gary Roberts 5-2-75.0; George Moon 5-2-70.6; Earl Waggoner 4-3-71.9; Wilber Kabel 4-3-61.5; Loran Coy 3-4-68.9; Stan Manker 3-4-63.0; Lawrence Miller 2-5-62.6; Gordon Meece 2-5-64.0.

CLASS B — Bob Fields 7-0-62.7; Bill Campbell 6-1-58.1; Mike STack 4-3-61.3; John Hughes 4-3-50.7; Ken Waggoner, 3-4-48.3; Joe Pillion 2-5-51.5; Paul Focht 2-5-49.3; Les Rose 0-7-41.0.

CLASS C — Dick Curtis 5-0-57.9; Frank Smith 4-1-62.3; Tom King 2-3-45.8; Mariece Flaig 2-3-48.5; Larry Mays 2-3-45.8; George Thome 0-5-38.0.

CLASS D — Bill McClain 6-1-53.2; Knute Wagonfield 5-2-45.5; Ed Pratt 5-2-44.2; Dan Sanders 5-2-40.0; Earl Noe 3-4-42.4; Len Martini 3-4-35.0; Ray Morse 1-6-41.5; Bill Beckman 0-7-28.2.

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COORS BEER EAST COAST TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS

SANCTIONED BY THE N.H.P.A.

DATE-Sat. & Sun. September 29th & 30th (Rain Date Oct. 6 & 7) 1984

LOCATION—Tournament will be held at the MARY VALE COURTS, West Patrick Street, Frederick, Maryland

 ENTRY FEE—\$12.00 all classes except Jr's \$5.00. In addition to entry fee an additional fee will be charged for classes A, B, C, D, and women as follows
 Class A—\$15.00 B—\$10.00 C—\$5.00 D—\$3.00 Women—\$10.00 Ist Place plaque for all classes
 PAYOUT CLASS A—1st—\$500.00 2nd—\$250.00 3rd—\$150.00 4th—\$100.00 5th—\$75.00 6th—\$50.00 7th—\$30.00 8th—\$20.00
 CLASS B—1st—\$200.00 2nd—\$100.00 3rd—\$75.00 4th—\$25.00
 CLASS C—1st—\$100.00 2nd—\$50.00 3rd—\$35.00 4th—\$10.00
 CLASS D—1st—\$50.00 2nd—\$35.00 3rd—\$25.00 4th—\$10.00

WOMEN-1st-\$200.00 2nd-\$100.00 3rd-\$75.00 4th-\$35.00 5th-\$15.00

CLASSES E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T—1st—\$35.00 2nd—\$20.00 3rd—\$15.00 4th—\$10.00

JUNIORS—1st—2nd—3rd place plaques

All classes will be 8 man Round Robin, Except A class 16 man Round Robin. Classes will be made up by percentages.

PITCHING TIME—starts at 9:00 A.M. Sat. & Sun.

This Tournament is limited to 184 pitchers, so send entry early. Entry deadline will be September 9th, 1984.

OFFICIAL ENTRY BLANK

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NEW NHPA CHRISTMAS STAMPS NOW AVAILABLE

The new NHPA Christmas stamps shown on the cover of the June issue are now available for \$1.00 per sheet and can be secured from the NHPA Secretary, Donnie Roberts, Box 810, Circleville, Ohio 43113. Make checks or money orders payable to the NHPA and send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your order. These are a very attractive stamp and a good way to promote our sport. Bernard Herfurth proposed the idea.

HARRIS TAKES TURLOCK, CA., D OPEN, MAY 12, SANC. 84-192

CLASS D-1 — Harley Harris, Turlock, 4-1-44.4; Fred Lamm, Turlock, 3-2-36.8; Bert Charley, N.C., 3-2-36.0; Martin Lasich, S.J., 2-3-38.0; Earl Kynard, Yolo, 2-3-33.2; Ceres Perry, T.V., 1-4-23.6.

CLASS D-2 — Ray Bojorqius, S.S. 4-1-34.8; Lou Bayer, Stocken, 4-1-30.8; Bob Lloyd, T.V., 2-3-27.6; Joe Ferrau, T.V. 2-3-23.6; Al Aliuiso, TV 2-3-21.2; Bob Pryor, GC, 1-4-19.6.

CLASS D-3 — Bob Fred, T.V. 5-0-20.5; Hank Caldwell, S.J., 3-2-13.5; Glen Jamieson, T.V., 2-3-16.0; Red Taylor, S.S., 2-3-10.5; Roy Heyden, T.V. 3-2-9.5.

BASHAM WINS B OPEN — CLASS B-1 — J. Basham, 4-1-56; W. Foreman, 3-2-52; T. Webb, 3-2-49.2; Marty Dunn, 3-2-48.8; H. Martinelli, 2-3-41.2; M. Webb, 0-5-36.4.

CLASS B-2 — Marthe Dunn, TV 5-2-46; J. Colt, 4-3-44; B. Wright, 3-3-43; G. Greeott, 3-3-39; D. Shelton, 2-3-39.6; W. Oster, 1-4-46.8.

CLASS B-3 — T. Burns, 5-0-34.8; L. Gayet, 4-1-23.6; S. Snyder, 3-2-31.2; F. Kroh, 1-4-28.4; B. Curtis, 1-4-22; M. Stapp, 1-4-20.8.

CLASS B-4 — B. Sanders, 6-1-20.5; J. Hagerman, 5-2-19.1; G. McKay, 4-2-15.6; J. Beach, 3-3-21.3; E. Conaway, 3-3-15; E. Hall, 1-5-16.6; S. Snook UK 0-6-5.6.

Fran Carnahan

Pitches In

Exhibition

Fran Carnahan who finished 3rd in the 1983 World Tournament pitched in an exhibition at the Richland Mall in Johnstown, Pa. on May 3-5th.

Charles (Chick) Denk made the arrangements and TV Channei 6 televised the event. The mall management and every one else was very pleased with the show. The comments from the spectators were out of this world. They had a large group of spectators all the time they were pitching. This was her first time pitching in an exhibition and it was a very interesting experience. Don Kuchcinski, Pa. mens state champion also participated.

Fran started pitching horseshoes 8 years ago. She won the New York state championship in 1979. After her husband Dick retired they moved to Pa. She has been Pa. state champion from 1980 through 1983.

Fran and Dick have 4 children and 7 grandchildren. Some of her other hobbies are crocheting, knitting, sewing, hunting, golf, bowling, and fishing.

DORMAN WINS OWENSVILLE, IN. SPEC. 5-12, SANC. 84-435

CLASS A — Hunter Dorman 7-0-64.6; Doyle Maikranz 5-2-50.0; Dale Henry 5-2-49.4; Jim Lane 3-4-49.0; G.H. Palmer 3-4-43.8; Frank McIntyre 2-5-43.3; Art Cornelius 1-6-42.8; Marlin Wells 1-6-42.8.

CLASS B — L.E. Bowman, III., 5-0-50.0; Leo Dellinger 4-1-50.5; Meril ANIeitner 3-2-40.1; Ken Tally 2-3-33.5; Ray Dillon 1-4-28.7; Jim McKnight, III., 0-6-26.5.

CLASS C — Pete Shain, III., 6-1-31.8; Smoky Wolfe 5-2-30.5; Bob Heuby 4-3-29.3; Pat Kluesner 4-3-27.7; Norman Keepes, III., 4-3-25.9; John Miller 1-6-24.2; Chet Evans, III., 1-6-19.0; Fred Armentrout 1-6-17.3.



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1983 NHPA & STATE MEN	0.0 met 1	0.2 met. 1	03 7.	02 3 4.12	Q4 Delegate
State	82 Total	83 Total	83 Jrs	83 Adults 68	84 Delegate
ALABAMA	64 1	82 102	14 0	102	4
ALASKA		140	7	133	5
ARIZONA-TUCSON	112	0	ó	135	õ
ARIZONA-YUMA	0		0	23	1
ARKANSAS	23	23	48	421	12
N. CALIFORNIA	448	469			6
5. CALIFORNIA	156	158	6	152 25	0
CANADA	27	27	2		7
COLORADO	163	191	8	183	1
CONNECTICUT	35	45	0	45	1
DELAWARE	8	11	0	11	1 8
LORIDA	203	228	1	227	
EORGIA	95	90	6	84	3
LAWAII	0	8	0	8	1
DAHO	114	104	9	95	3
LLINOIS	308	266	10	256	9
NDIANA	413	437	40	397	11
OWA	142	123	4	119	4
ANSAS	106	130	5	125	5
ENTUCKY	125	146	11	135	5
AINE	117	116	13	103	4
. MARYLAND	117	61	6	55	2
. MARYLAND	96	108	4	104	4
ASSACHUSETTS	171	179	16	163	6
LICHIGAN	232	255	21	234	8
INNESOTA	328	292	28	264	9
ISSISSIPPI	0	0	0	0	0
IISSOURI	250	444	24	420	12
. MONTANA	66	74	3	71	2
. MONTANA	177	208	14	194	7
. NEBRASKA	113	158	14	144	5
N. NEBRASKA	0	87	8	79	3
VEVADA	41	7	Ő	7	0
NEW HAMPSHIRE	160	129	10	119	4
VEW HAMPSHIKE	111	126	4	122	4
E. NEW MEXICO	107	107	5	102	4
NEW MEXICO	107	128	12	116	4
NEW YORK	362	431	69	362	11
	145	110	6	104	4
. CAROLINA	145	0	0	0	0
I. DAKOTA	447	485	30	455	13
DHIO	132	136	25	111	4
OKLAHOMA	152	195	8	187	7
DREGON			4	98	3
E. PENNSYLVANIA	80	102		379	11
. PENNSYLVANIA	379	414	35		
RHODE ISLAND	3	5	0	5	0
. CAROLINA	7	30	0	30	1
DAKOTA	23	11	0	11	1
ENNESSEE	79	78	2	76	3
EXAS	194	206	20	186	7
I. UTAH	51	54	0	54	2
S. UTAH	0	74	12	62	2
/ERMONT	107	118	22	96	3
/IRGINIA	16	50	12	38	1
VASHINGTON	257	246	3	243	8
VEST VIRGINIA	78	66	3	63	2
WISCONSIN	105	99	18	81	3
WYOMING	88	61	5	56	2

If you spot an error on this list just drop me a note so I can correct it.

COLUMBUS, GA., OPEN HANDICAP SANCTION #84-344 5/6/84

Kenneth Kurtz went undefeated to win the tournament with a 43.8 ringer percentage, Gene Brooks was second with a 25.2%, Earl Ransom was 3rd with 28.0% and David Revell was 4th. with a 30.6%.

NAVE TOPS MARIETTA, GA. OPEN MAY 5, SANC. 84-345

CLASS A - A.J. Nave, 6-2-58.8; Johnny Solesbee 5-3-62.4; Jim WAters 4-3-61.4; Willie STephens 4-3-59.9; James Black 4-3-58.3; Carl Montgomery 3-4-55.6; Loron Lindsey 2-5-48.7; Danny Wallace 1-6-35.1.

CLASS B - Claude Fender 6-1-57.2; Clayton Kurtz 5-2-54.3; David Solesbee 5-2-47.1; Ted Whitlock 4-3-50.5; Walter Brake 4-3-43,1; Rocky Stephens 2-5-40.2; Richard Williams 1-6-35.2; Jr. Hair 0-7-38.3.

CLASS C - Jim Wood 7-0-42.5; Lamar Fowler 6-1-47.1; A.D. Weatherford 4-3-39.7; Earl Wofford 3-4-33.3; S.C. Beard 3-4-26.4; Frank Fitts 2-5-29.8; Rickey Presley 1-6-45.7; James Spencer 1-2-29.2.

CLASS D — Terry Lodan 5-0-31.1; Fred Wilkins 4-1-22.5; Tommy Lawson 3-2-33.3; Mark Wilkins 2-3-16.9; Anthony Brock 1-4-15.0; Randy Gautier 0-5-10.4.

NAVE — (Continued)

ALBANY, GA, OPEN — SANCTION #84-343 — G.W. Kuck 5-3-26; George Addison 5-4-49; Willie Emerson 4-3-22.7; Arnold Rich 4-4-40.7.

FOREMAN WINS MOSSWOOD C, (CA.) 4-14, SANC. 84-180

GROUP ONE — Walt Foreman, S.J. 6-1-449; Steve Kynard, Yolo, 5-2-41.4; Dick Hucke, Reno, Nev., 4-3-48.9; Clair Benthin, Val. 4-3-42.0; Pete Donoho, Shasta, 3-4-46.6; Bill Brown, T.V. 3-4-44.0; Bert Charley. N.C. 2-5-40.3; Vince Mauricio, S.J. 1-6-41.4; H.G. Pete Donoho — 70.

GROUP TWO — Tom Burns, Ukiah, 7-0-35.0; Jim Long, Yolo, 5-2-36.6; Bob Malley, SonCo. 4-3-32.0; Bob Burnett, Moss. 4-3-22.6; Ceres Perry, T.V. 3-4-27.4; Ben Yost, Val. 3-4-22.9; Bob Lloyd T.V. 1-6-20.0; Roy Parker, T.V., 1-6-19.1; H.G. Long — 44.

GROUP THREE — Leo Wanner, Sac. 5-1-20.4; JOe Ferrau, T.V. 4-2-20.0; Bob Fread, T.V. 3-2-15.0; Wally Stevens, S.J. 2-3-19.5; Sam Watts, G.G. 2-3-11.5; H.G. Ferrau — 28.

GROUP FOUR — Glenn Jamieson, T.V. 5-1-22.4; Walt. Hyzer, G.G. 4-2-19.2; Lee Henninger, T.V., 3-2-14.0; Sylvester Sauer, S.J. 2-3-16.5; Henry Caldwell, S.J. 2-3-11.0; H.G. Hyzer — 32.

STORCK, Y. MAUZEY, M. LONG, WINNERS IN FEATHER RIVER CALIF. OPEN. 4-21. SANCTION 84-178

Dave Storck, the Woodland, CA, resident playing out of the Yolo Club delivered a 7-0-59.4; over a Lodi, CA, (Emment Schroder) playing out of the Stockton, CA Club following with 5-2-57.7.

GROUP TWO — Joe Colt, Yuba-Sutter at Yuba City, CA, beat out Bert Charley of Gold Country at Nevada City, CA, 6-1-44.6 to 5-2-44.0. Colt high game 58.

GROUP THREE — Robert Green of the Colusa, CA, over Jim Keyes, Sr., of Feather River Club, Palermo, CA, 6-2-32.3 to 5-3-31.0. Van Dalsen, high game 38.

GROUP FOUR — Lee Thornhill of the Sacramento Club, Camellia Capitol, etc., over Thermond Watkins of the Yuba-Sutter Cub, 5-0-31.6 to 3-2-28.8. Thornhill high game, 38.

GROUP FIVE — George Gillett of Shasta Club, Redding, CA, 4-1-34.8 over Gary Dillon of the Yuba-Sutter, 4-1-34.8 to 3-2-24.0. High game to Gillett (2) — 42.

WOMAN'S GROUP ONE — Yvonne Mauzey of the Sonoma Country Club, 5-0-61.2; Sandy Hardy of the Shasta Club 4-1-46.8. High game, Mauzey — 74.

WOMEN'S GROUP TWO — Dell Ann Moss, Yolo, 7-0-23.0; Midge Pilcher of Feather River, 6-1-17.7; H.G. Moss — 37.

JUNIORS GROUP ONE — Mel Long, Jr., 6-0-67.0; Joe Long, 4-2-38.7; both brothers in the Yolo Club near Davis, CA. High game — M. Long — 82.

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WARD WINS BURNS OPEN, TENN. SANCTION 84-156

CLASS A — D. Ward 5-0-70.0; R. Norwood 4-1-72.7; C. Montgomery 3-2-58.8; G. Whaley 2-3-63.7; J. Waters 1-4-58.6; J. Black 0-5-56.3.

CLASS B — J. Vines 3-2-60.4; G. Bush 3-2-57.7; D. Stallings 3-2-56.9; G. Lewis 3-2-54.9; J. Smith 3-2-53.9; J. Haire 0-5-56.0.

CLASS C — S. Long 5-0-57.8; W. Bennett 4-1-47.2; L. Lindsey 2-3-51.5; H. Irwin 2-3-50.8; C. Bennett 1-4-44.7; J. Shelton 1-4-32.5.

CLASS D — J. Adkerson 5-0-47.2; S. Cornette 3-2-38.8; M. Bush 3-2-33.3; J. Cunnyngham 2-3-40.6; F. Fritts 2-3-27.9; J. Dockery 0-5-31.8.

CLASS E — L. Byrd 3-0-33.8; H. Lones 2-1-29.4; W. Jennings 1-2-22.6; J. Davis 0-3-20.8.

MILLS WINS IND. SPRING SPECIAL, 5-6, SANC. 84-434 P. ANDERSON WINS LADIES; R. HENRY, JUNIORS

CLASS A — Jerry Mills, 5-2-65.4; Ronnie Colvin 71.97; Peck Anderson 5-2-69.4; Hunter Dorman 5-2-64.1; Bill Ungetheim 5-2-70.3; George Sales 2-5-64.3; Arthur Burch 1-6-62.7; Ed Kowatch 0-7-58.3.

CLASS B SAT. — (play-off) Jim Kemple 5-2-60.4; Bob Molt 5-2-53.4; Ed Howdeshell 4-3-56.4; Jim McIntire 4-3-51.8; Bill Wicker 4-3-51.1; Curly Gladding 3-4-50.0; Lee Wilcox 3-4-48.0; Bob Sheppard had to drop out.

CLASS B SUN. — (play off) Frank Baxter 6-1-59.1; Dale Henry 6-1-62.6; Ralph Johnson 5-2-59.8; Ed Weyer 4-3-53.4; Dennis Ferree 3-4-54.5; G.H. Palmer 3-4-53.4; Bob Henderson 1-6-40.2; Jim Pierson 0-7-36.

CLASS C — Jim Lane 7-0-54.6; Kenny Perkins 5-2-49.3; Leo Dellinger 4-3-51.6; Art Cornelius 4-3-45.8; David Tatman 3-4-47.7; Ken Tally 3-4-45.2; Bob Dwigans 2-5-42.0; Pat Kluesner 0-7-19.1.

CLASS D — Joe Titsworth 6-1-43.5; Mose Spainhour 5-2-43.8; Offord Burkhart 5-2-42.1; Ed Pauley 4-3-45.3; Bob Dwigans 4-3-38.2; Junior Guthrie 3-4-46.9; Jim Turpin 1-6-24.4.

CLASS E — Tim Tatman 7-0-49.6; Meril Anleitner 5-2-42.5; C.B. Batts 5-2-32.2; Harold Tatman 4-3-38.5; Oran Hollandbeck 3-4-32.0; Pete Hobbs 3-4-26.8; Bob Hill 1-6-23.5; Luther Chandler 0-7-25.8.

CLASS F — Glenn Zollman 7-0-31.1; Steve Dunning 4-3-34.5; Paul Joslen 4-3-32.2; Jack Turner 4-3-28.9; Glen Donaldson 3-4-28.5; Ralph Bunn 2-5-23.8; Dick Lemish 2-5-21.5; Rick Lemish 2-5-20.8.

CLASS G — Lloyd Carstons 7-0-31.2; Larry Robinson 6-1-25.5; JIm Gosnell 5-2-29.9; Fred Armentrout 3-4-22.9; Dale Wehmeier 3-4-21.6; Bob Henry 2-5-23.6; Danny Cox 1-6-16.1.

CLASS H — Lowell Vandeventer 6-0-27.7; Lowell Cummings 5-1-16.4; Joe Trobaugh 2nd 4-2-20.9; Gerry Dreyer 2-4-17.7; John Chandler 2-4-15.4; Steve Battin 2-4-11.7; Buck Shively and to drop out.

WOMEN CLASS A-B — Phyllis Anderson 6-0-46.6; Charline McKinley 3-3-15.8; Mona Cummings 1-5-17.0; Darlene Colvin 2-4-15.3.

JUNIOR CLASS A — Rick Henry 6-0-66.6; Steve Ungetheim 4-2-63.7; Tony Cummings 2-4-41.5; Jon Phillips 0-6-17.1.

JUNIOR CLASS B - Tony Cumminbs 67-0-32.4; Robert Robinson 4-2-21.1; Carrie Cummings 2-4-19.5.

WILLIAMS WINS SOUTHWEST WASH. OPEN - 5-12-84-384

Our Local Club holds one of the largest Tournaments held, at this one there were 81 entrants with some of the top pitchers from three states in attendance. They were Former World Champion Walter Ray Williams, Oregon's Mens and Ladies State Champions Ben Wiedrich and Esther Ott, also there were two of Washington's own former State Champions Herb Criss and Junior Champion Peter Clark.

CLASS A — Walter Ray Williams 6-1-73.9; Herb Criss 5-2-74.6; Ben Wiedrich 5-2-73.1; Barry Chapelle 4-3-70.2; Art Sperber 4-3-69.5; Peter clark 3-4-71.0; Don Jones 1-6-55.3; Gerry Staley 0-7-55.5.

CLASS B — Jerry Gorton 7-0-57.1; Bernie Martell 5-2-58.3; Chuck Johnston 4-3-50.1; Rick Rebman 4-3-49.1; Ron Ferguson 3-4-54.2; Esther Ott 3-4-47.5; Jim Alexander 2-5-44.9; Irv Farron 0-7-38.9.

CLASS C — Lee Wallace 7-1-54.5; Jack Bush 6-2-44.8; Chuck Ball 5-2-46.2; Ray Simmonds 4-3-50.0; Verl Lawson 2-5-45.9; Ray Powell 2-5-45.6; Jim Malvern 2-5-43.0; Vic Fletcher 1-6-35.2.

WILLIAMS — (Continued)

CLASS D — Bob Sletton 7-1-50.5; Mike Thorniley 6-2-42.2; Don Ferguson 4-3-38.4; Mel Sherbert 4-3-38.1; Barney Heller 3-4-43.8; Frank Green 3-4-32.8; R.E. Click 2-5-32.6; Verl Webb 0-7-32.8.

CLASS E — Bill Graham 7-0-45.9; Wayne Maag 5-2-39.5; Jim Kosterman 4-3-33.7; Lyle Meuret 3-4-42.7; Denny Samples 3-4-41.7; Ken Kuper 3-4-39.1; Darrell Jones 2-5-35.6; Lloyd Likens 1-6-35.3.

CLASS F — Gene Buzzini 4-1-37.3; Vern Wanless 3-2-30.8; Cyril Kitchen 2-3-34.3; Marvin Tatchio 2-3-33.1; Dick Evans 2-3-33.1; Lloyd Kilgore 2-3-26.9; Cliff Parr forfeit.

CLASS G — Francis Nelson 7-0-38.3; Roger Christianson 4-0-40.7; Mel Shuss 4-3-34.9; Phil Norby 4-3-26.5; Carl Wallin 2-5-28.4; Mick Odell 2-5-22.0; Bill Dolan 1-6-28.9.

CLASS H — Bob Winn 7-0-35.7; Les Andrews 6-1-34.9; Orrin Underwood 5-2-34.3; Bill Johnson 4-3-18.3; Charlie Tank 2-5-22.4; DuWayne Wiedrich 1-6-22.3; Rich Carroll 0-7-14.9.

CLASS I — Loy Brown 6-0-40.3; Bob Clark 5-1-31.1; LarryRickert 3-3-26.4; Frank Dvorshak 3-3-21.2; Wendell Roberts 2-4-26.4; Milt Johnson 2-4-25.6; Jack Stryker 0-6-19.0.

CLASS J — Dick Culbertson 6-0-32.5; LarryClark 5-1-28.0; Ed Lovejoy 4-2-30.3; Don Fagerness 3-3-26.2; Tom W. Worthington 2-4-12.9; Steve Harris 1-5-10.9; Steve Krommenacker 0-6-10.5.

LADIES CLASS — Bonnie Lewis 5-1-26.9; Alta Maag 4-2-27.6; Laura Lee Samples 3-3-29.3; Donna Graham 0-6-11.9.

KNISLEY TOPS BERKLEY, MI. INVITATIONAL — 5-12-84-335

CLASS A — Jim Kinsley 6-1-74.8; Floyd Bartley 5-2-62.6; Steve HOhl, 4-3-64.2; Leo Fitzpatrick 4-3-58.7; Chal Torrey 3-4-60.0; Doc Maison 3-4-54.8; Dale Dombrowsky 2-5-58.4; Dick Pelton 1-6-47.2.

CLASS B — Charles Frazier 6-1-58.6; Edward Schultz 5-2-64.4; Justin Perticone 4-3-63.0; Gary Gardner 4-3-60.3; Bill Damrau 3-4-62.1; Mike Federoff 3-4-56.5; Stan Swarthout 2-5-57.3; Rick Gyorkos 0-7-46.8.

CLASS C — Chuck Perkins 7-0-62.4; Ozzie Williams 5-2-51.9; Ken Miller 5-2-49.3; Bob Wells 4-3-53.9; Oscar Hope 3-4-44.2; Gil Jaeger 2-5-46.5; Bob Seaman 2-5-35.3; Frank Penterics 0-7-47.8.

CLASS D — Richard Stehno 5-2-39.4; George Stifel 5-2-40.7; Roy Teets 4-3-43.6; Dewey Howard 4-3-37.9; Paul Wishon 3-4-42.0; Larry McCrea 3-4-38.1; Wally Koski 3-4-38.0; Kenneth Connin 1-6-33.4.

CLASS E — Bernie DeGroat 7-0-45.2; Dennis Soldan 4-3-35.1; Walt Wedel 4-3-30.6; Charles Bowen 3-4-35.3; Charles Brososky3-4-33.4; Marv Kangas 3-4-30.5; Walt Krieger 2-5-36.3; Roy Colby 2-5-31.1.

CLASS F — Boyd Smith 3-1-29.3; Marv Falk 3-1-38.2; Merle Farrand 2-2-34.9; Michael Ardelean 2-2-32.8; Jim Miller 0-4-17.4.

CLASS G — Ernie Sewell 5-0-41.4; Benny Sexton 3-2-28.5; Dick Brown 2-3-25.9; Boyd Stonerock 2-3-24.6; Rex Ryan 2-3-22.8; Henry Price 1-4-17.8.

CLASS H — Duane Wilson 4-0-24.1; Rick Brown 2-2-24.5; Ralph Wolfston 2-2-19.4; Tom Bracey 2-2-13.9; Ted Temple 0-4-14.7.

LADIES — Ann Wedel 3.5-5-60.0; Mary Perkins 2.5-1.5-35.5; Dorothy Falk 1.5-2.5-40.0; Trudy Wells 1.5-2.5-40.5; Chris Smith 1-3-29.5.

JUNIOR BOYS — Steve Loop 5-0-50.4; Darrin Howard 4-1-44.4; Charlie Perkins 2-3-48.8; Dean LeClair 2-3-45.6; Tom Williams 1-4-50.4; Clayton Bonhem, Jr., 1-4-44.0.

HOLLISTER WINS VT. MOTHERS DAY OPEN - 5-20-SANC'D

CLASS A — Kevin Hollister 5-0-69.4; Bob Dean 4-1-46.9; Liz Downer 3-3-50.0; Bud Leavitt 2-3-43.6; Ken Downer 1-4-36.1; Bev Forgues 0-5-37.2.

CLASS B — Bob Many 7-2-44.9; Debbie Brown 7-2-43.9; Jean Bean 6-3-47.4; Wendell Burnham 5-4-36.3; Bob Gauthier 5-4-33.6; Joe Forgues 4-5-41.4; Ralph Cayia 4-5-38.1; Reid Brewster 3-6-34.2; Dave Smith 3-6-32.9.

CLASS C — Don Choniere 8-1-33.2; Bob Gordon 8-1-36.0; Blakely Bigelow 7-2-31.3; Connie Selleck 6-3-34.6; Paul Turner 5-4-22.5; Alton Nichols 4-5-25.8; Don Dean 3-6-21.2; Walt Webber 2-7-17.9; Kay Brewster 2-7-16.8.

HOLLISTER — (Continued)

CLASS D — Lee Paquette (play-off winner) 5-1-23.4; John Coffey 5-1-30.3; Jim Forgues 4-2-32.4; Jeanette LaVallee 2-4-24.6; Joe Bougor 2-4-24.0; Betty Bedard 2-4-21.8; Ray Benson 1-5-24.8.

CLASS E — Roger Forgues Sr. 8-1-23.6; Ray Gomez Sr. 7-2-27.9; Glen Norris 6-3-22.3; Bud Garrett 6-3-21.0; Dick Bedell Sr. 6-3-19.1; Ray Gomez Jr. 5-4-18.0; George Finch 4-5-18.4; David White 2-7-11.4; Mike Brown 1-8-12.1.

CLASS F — Harold Wrisley 4-0-19.6; Bob Euber 2-2-11.0; Irv Stiefel 2-2-2.5; Myron Selleck 1-3-6.6; Willie Francis 1-3-3.5.

JUNIOR CLASS - W/HDCP. - Dick Bedell Jr. 4-0-31.3; Denny Young 2-2-37.0; Dana Bedard 0-4-14.7.

TITCOMB WINS WESTERN STATES OPEN — CA — SANC. 84-186

MEN'S GROUP ONE — D. Titcomb, SJ 7-0-78.5; J. Basham, YS 6-1-58.6; P. Manitone, Sac., 5-2-65.1; B. Mauzey, SonCo., 3-4-60.6; R. Lee, GC 2-5-55.1; V. Gosney, Val., 2-5-50.3; T. Webb, RD 2-5-47.4; E. Schroeder, St., 1-6-52.3; H.G. Titcomb — 88.

GROUP TWO — V. Zelmar, SJ 6-2-52.3; S. Kynard, Yolo, 5-3-43.5; D. Williams, F.R. 4-3-48.6; K. Woolery, SonCo., 4-3-46.9; N. Graves, Sac., 3-4-42.9; W. Foreman, J 3-4-39.1; D. Hucke, Remo, 2-5-47.1; M. Dunn, TV 2-5-42.0; H.G. Zelmar 64.

GROUP THREE — P. Donoho, Shasta, 7-0-35.0; B. Charley, GC 5-2-37.0; L. Rood, FR, 5-2-35.0; D. Gore, REno, 5-2-32.6; D. Palmer, Reno, 3-4-28.3; E. Kynard, Yolo, 2-5-25.0; D. Purdum, Yolo, 1-6-15.6; H.G. Rood — 48.

SMITH WINS KEENE, N.H. SPRING WARM-UP — 5-22

CLASS A — B. Smith, Keene, 6-1-59.6; A. Boudreau, Rindge, 5-2-56.6; M. Donaven, Bedford 5-2-52.8; P. Bergeron, Merrimack 4-3-52.1; B. Traquair, Keene 4-3-52.0; D. Westcott, Concord 2-5-45.2; M. Kibbee, Boscawen 2-5-38.5; H. White Portsmouth FO.

CLASS B — L. Croteau, Keene 6-1-51.0; K. Dyer, Keene 5-2-43.2; R. Plourde, Svncook 4-3-45.2; Dick Doble, Keene 4-3-40.0; H. Murphy, Campton 3-4-42.4; T. Booth, Concord, 3-4-39.5; D. Sawyer, Concord 2-5-43.4; L. Putnam, Marlborough 1-6-39.5.

CLASS C — R. Ladd, BOW 5-2-42.8; D. Ladd, Weare 5-2-37.7; D. Lachance, Manchester 5-2-37.3; N. Ricard, Hudson 4-3-40.3; W. Hall, Nashua 4-3-35.9; S. Raymond, Pelham 3-4-31.4; Ray Fife, Warner 2-5-33.7; R. Berube, Groveton 0-7-25.0.

CLASS D — L. French, Chichester 7-0-41.4; L. Crogeau, Campton, 5-2-40.2; C. Boudreau, Rindge 5-2-39.4; P. Gagnon, Loudon 4-3-32.8; D. Alexander, Peterborough 3-4-34.7; A. Deneault, Suncook, 3-4-29.8; J. Page, Raymond 1-6-24.7; J. Styles, Merrimack O-7-21.9.

CLASS E — G. Loring, Campton 7-0-40.8; H. Locke, Chichester 6-1-39.6; L. French, SR, Chichester 4-3-31.6; G. Blais, Nashua 4-3-29.1; F. Rollins, Wilton 3-4-24.7; H. Labine, Nashua 2-5-25.2; B. Miller, Keene 1-6-24.1; Rick Fife, Pencook 1-6-20.9.

CLASS F — B. Bailey, Exeter 7-0-36.0; J. Bergeron, Merrimack 6-1-31.3; B. Eckhardt, Exeter 4-3-27.0; B. Mayo, Plaistow 3-4-25.4; D. Fales, W. Franklin 3-4-19.2; D. Cleveland, Keene 2-5-24.3; P. Lavole, 2-5-20.2; B. Wellington, Hinsdale 1-6-23.2.

CLASS G — Don Mclivene, Keene 7-0-23.1; F. McCarron, Hampstead 6-1-18.9; M. Georgina, Keene 4-3-12.6; D. McCarron, Hampstead 4-3-11.0; D. Lister, Sandown 3-4-11.4; P. Mayo, Plaistow 2-5-6.6; W. Miller, Nashua 2-5-6.5; M. Granja, Kene 0-7-3.0.

JUNIORS — B. Dyer, Keene 4-1-15.6; C. Jensen, Bow 4-1-13.2; T. Kelchner, Raymond 4-1-10.8; T. Gagnon, Loudon, 2-3-8.4; S. Daneault, Suncook 1-4-44.4; W. Mayo, Plaistow 0-5-9.6.

M. KNOP TOPS SHELDON, ILL. OPEN-5-27-SANCTION 84-502

First of all, we the officers of the Horseshoe Club, would like to extend our apologies for the confusion in getting the tournament started late and for any misunderstandings there may have been. We assure that our future tournaments will be handled in a more systematic manner.

All in all we had a good tournament with 20 participants in 3 classes. Mike Knop, 7-0-60.9 took first in Class A., Ray Mayhew, 6-1-43.1 took first in Class B, and Tim Williamson, 3-0-22.6 took first in Class C.

CLASS A — M. Knop 7-0-60.9; R. Stobauth, 5-2-51.5; G. Hintz, 6-1-49.9; D. Natschke, 4-3-47.2; G. Gillespie, 2-5-42.6; H. Bull, 0-7-31.5; F. Woodworth, 2-5-40; Jr. Simoneau, 2-5-34.2;

M. KNOP - (Continued)

CLASS B — R. Mayhew, 6-1-43.1; G. O'Neal, 5-2-36.9; D. West, 4-3-36.8; D. Simler, 3-4-35.7; J. Kolaiser, 4-3-39.3; E. Simler, 2-5-24.8; B. Stevenson, 3-4-25; R. Knop, 1-6-23.9.

CLASS C - T. Williamson, 3-0-22.6; J. Conrad, 2-1-13.2; S. Brammer, 1-2-5.3; J. Fry, 0-3-6.0.

WICOMICO CLUB OPEN - SALISBURY, MD - 5-19-20 - SANC.

CLASS A — John Shaw, VA 7-0-60.1; Fred Beeman, MD 6-1-59.5; Tom Chance, DEL 4-3-48.4; Henry Markland, DEL 4-3-47.5; Eddie Gohn, PA 3-4-44.2; Willard Sammons, DEL 3-4-40.3; Richard Bevan, MD 1-6-38.6; Dick Hurley, DEL 0-7-32.0.

CLASS S — Allen Foley, VA Playoff 7-1-46.0; Kelly Hatrick, DEL Playoff 6-2-52.5; Philip Fleshman, MD 5-2-49.2; Wayne Walley, MD 4-3-34.2; Hazel Fleshman, MD 3-4-34.9; Ken Holden, MD 2-5-39.4; Louis Walls, MD 2-5-34.8; Bill Joy, MD 0-7-19.0.

CLASS C — Sherman Gray FL 6-1-38.8; Ted Simmons, MD 5-2-42.1; Dave Moser. VA 5-2-33.4; Gary LeCompte, MD 5-2-30.4; Don Gregory, MD 3-4-32.2; Gary Rust, DEL 2-5-23.2; Bill Taylor, MD 1-6-25.7; Sonny Holste, MD 1-6-21.6.

CLASS D — Elmer Martella, VA 6-1-36.0; Steve Fleshman, MD 5-2-37.4; Charles Chernx MD 5-2-30.8; Bill Young, MD 4-3-32.2; John Satterfield, MD 3-4-33.1; Allen Causey, MD 3-4-20.0; Bill Dotson, MD 1-6-21.7; Bob Davis, MD 1-6-21.1.

CLASS E — Earl Sarvis, Del 8-0-22.0; Curt Fleshman, MD 6-2-21.7; Ernest Clarkson, Del 5-3-19.2; Nelson Clark, MD 5-3-24.0; Missy Elias, MD 3-5-17.0; Mike Payne, Del 3-5-15.2; Vernon Bailey, MD 4-4-18.0; Steve Hudson, Del 2-6-14.5; Verlon Frye, MD 1-7-5.2

In the doubles competition Fred Beeman and Philip Fleshman took top honors in Class A while William Young and Rob Bunn copped first place in Class B.

BIG MONEY DOUBLES TOURNAMENT Shelbyville, Illinois JULY 14, 1984 MEN'S & LADIES' CLASSES All entry fees, \$10.00 except Men's Championship Class which will be \$15.00 CASH AWARD \$250 1st PLACE GUARANTEED Register at 9:00 A.M. Play starts at 10:00 A.M. Approx. FREE BEVERAGES FOR ALL PITCHERS Tournament Director, Dean Conner Ph. 217-783-6323

WARD WINS TENN. DOGWOOD OPEN - APR. 7 - SANC. 84-154

CLASS A — D. Ward 5-0-75.2; G. Whale 3-2-57.1; R. Pruitt 2-3-57.5; G. Lewis 2-3-51.9; D. Stallings 2-3-46.8; R. Norwood 1-5-50.9.

CLASS B — C. Montgomery 4-1-57.4; J. Vines 4-1-51.5; V. Fox 3-2-45.9; J. Connors 3-2-42.0; W. Bennett 1-4-43.2; J. Walker 0-5-41.1.

CLASS C — J. Smith 4-1-51.3; Jr. Haire 4-1-49.6; C. Bennett 3-2-42.9; J. Cunnyngham 3-2-37.7; J. Shelton 1-4-28.6; R. Bender 0-5-25.0.

CLASS D — M. Bouton 4-1-41.0; H.B. Fowler 4-1-37.2; J. Nash 3-2-30.6; S. Garnette 2-3-35.0; Dan Isaacs 1-4-32.7; L. Byrd 1-4-24.0.

CLASS E — F. Gregg 5-1-35.0; R. Massengill 3-2-26.3; F. Fritts 3-2-25.1; C. Wilcox 2-3-22.6; R. Ward 1-4-19.5; R. Finney 1-4-16.9.

CLASS F - L. Watson 2-1-25.2; H. Lones 2-1-23.1; D. Self 1-2-18.8; B. Bales 1-2-13.0.

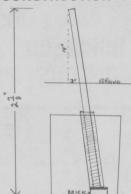
CLASS G - J. Davis 4-0-27.2; F. Gaw 1-3-20.6; T. McPeek 1-3-18.3.

PORTT WINS FITZGERALD, GA. HANDICAPPER - Apr. 18

Glen Portt, 7-2, 66%, Ronald Tanner, 6-2, 21%, Roger Long, 5-4, 20.6%.

LARRY MORTON METHOD OF STAKE CONSTRUCTION

Following is a description of my method of setting a good sturdy stake. Take a five-gallon plastic bucket, place a half brick in the bottom (the purpose of the brick is that when it is completely surrounded by concrete and in a non-corrosive plastic bucket, the stake cannot ever be driven down below its proper height.) Now place about a 12" piece of sand blasting hose that has a one inch diameter over the bottom of a 1" cold-rolled steel rod about 34" in length. To prevent anyone from removing the stake, place a washer with a 1" diameter hole on the bottom of the stake and either weld it on or brad the end of the stake so it cannot be pulled up. Now place the peg/unit on top of the brick and measure down 14 inches from the top and lean the peg/unit to where the base of the triangle will measure 3 inches, to give the proper lean. Now fill the bucket with concrete. When in use this completely deadens the shock when the shoe hits the stake. Sink into clay area 10 or 12 inches below ground level.



HALL OF FAME DINNER DRESS REQUIREMENTS

For all those players and friends planning on attending the Hall of Fame dinner in Huntsville special notice is given as to dress requirements.

Inasmuch as it will be held at the Officers Club in Huntsville, the men will be required to wear a coat and tie. The ladies should wear either a dress or dress slacks.

No jeans or tennis shoes will be allowed.

Cost of dinner will be \$11.95 per person and will be held on Sunday, July 29. Time to be announced.

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Coming Events

UTAH SCHEDULE

- July 7 *Murray Park Murray, Utah, Sanction No. 84-511. 7:00 p.m.
- July 14 *Washington Terrace, Ogden, Utah, Sanction No. 84-512. 4:00 p.m.
- July 20 American Fork Steel Days, Classes C, D and E. 7:00 p.m.
- July 21 American Fork Steel Days, Classes A and B. 7:00 p.m.
- July 28 *Liberty Park, Salt Lake City, Utah. Sanction 84-513. 7:00 p.m.
- Aug. 4 Murray Park WAHLIN MEMORIAL 7:00 p.m.
- Aug. 11 *Washington Terrace, Ogden, Utah. Sanction No. 84-514. 4:00 p.m.
- Aug. 18 Deweyville Deweyville Days 2:00 p.m.
- Aug. 24 and 25 Liberty Park, State finals, Classes C, D and E. 7:00 p.m.
- Aug. 31-Sept. 1 Murray Park, State finals, Class B. 7:00 p.m.
- Sept. 7-8 American Fork, State finals, Class A. 7:00 p.m.

Please note the time of each tournament. Sanctioned tournament — Open to anyone with a National and State card.

INDIANA SCHEDULE

- Aug. 4-5 (84-455) Perrysville Fun Days, City Park, Perrysville, Entry fee \$7.00, awards, mailing deadline July 25, phone deadline July 29.
- Aug. 4-5 Wabash Special, West Hill Street, Wabash, entry fee \$7.00, awards, mailing deadline July 25, phone deadline July 29.
- Aug. 11-12 (84-457) Paul Cunningham Memorial, 13th and Geneva St., Marion, Entry fee \$7.00, awards, mailing deadline Aug. 1, phone deadline Aug. 5.

Memorial Park, US24, Huntington, entry fee \$7.00, awards, mailing deadline Aug. 8, phone deadline Aug. 12.

- Aug. 22 LAST DAY TO SEND IN ENTRY FOR THE INDIANA STATE TOURNAMENT, AND ENTRY MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE
- Aug. 24-25-26 (84-46D) SECOND ANNUAL IN-DIANA OPEN STATE FAIR CHAMPIONSHIP
- Sept. 1-2-3 (84-461) Indiana State Tourn., Riverfront Park, Canal St., Lafayette, Entry fee \$10.00,

Coming Events—Continued

Aug. 18-19 - 184-458) (Johnson Co. Courts Special (under roof), Atterbury, Edinburg, Entry fee \$8.00, Awards, Mailing deadline Aug. 8, phone deadline Aug. 12.

Aug. 18-19 - (84-459) - Huntington Special,

There will be intermediate and senior divisions along with the State Tournament. A player can play in only one (1) division at the Indiana State Tournament.

VERMONT SCHEDULE

July 14-15 - (84-520) - Vt. Pre-State Rotation. Champlain Valley Club, Colchester, Vt.

July 28-29 - (84-521) - Sodbusters Open. Sodbusters Club. Bennington, Vt.

Aug. 11-12 - (84-522) - Vermont State Tournament Lennington, Vt.

Sept. 8-9 - (84-524) - Fall Round-Up. Sodbusters Club.

Club.

NEW JERSEY SCHEDULE

- July 7 (84-534) Middlesex Club Memorial, (open) Middlesex, 6:00, R. Coleman, 201-356-491.
- July 14 (84-535) Cumberland County (Open), Vineland, 5:30, E. Severs - 609-691-4306.
- July 15 (84-536) Garden State Games (Closed), Middlesex, 2:00, V. Yannetti.
- July 22 (84-537) Flemington (Open), Flemington High School, 10:00-2:00, B. MacIntyre 201-526-5331.
- Aug. 4 (84-538) New Jersey Open (State), Middlesex, 6:00 (All), R. Vogel - J. Burd.
- Aug. 11 (84-539) Vineland Open, Vineland, 5:30 (All), E. Severs - 609-691-4306.

- Aug. 18 (84-540) Middlesex Club Open. Middlesex, 6:00 (All), R. Coleman, 201-356-4691.
- Aug. 27 Sept. 3 (84-541) N.J. State Singles and Doubles, Flemington Fair, C. White, R. Vogel, J. Burd.
- Sept. 9 (84-542) North Jersey Open, Newark, 9:30-1:30, R. Jenson, 201-356-3820.
- Sept. 15 (84-543) Woodbury Open, Vineland, 5:30-E. Severs, L. Thomason.
- Sept. 16 (84-544) Mid-Atlantic Open (State), Middlesex, 12:30, R. Vogel, J. Burd.
- Sept. 23 (84-545) Clifton Open, Clifton, 9:30-1:30, P. Zozzaro, 201-256-8996.

WICOMO (MD) SCHEDULE

July 21 - Singles - *Eastern Shore Open, 84-578, Sponsored by: Culligan Water, Dave Dulany.

July 22 — Doubles — *Eastern Shore Open August 18 — Singles — *South Atlantic Open, 84-579 Sponsored by: Pepsi-Cola Bottling of Salisbury.

- August 19 Doubles *South Atlantic Open.
- Sept. 1-2 Singles "State of Maryland Horseshoe Tournament" Sponsored by: R.C. Cola will be held in Salisbury, Md.; for information call Jack Taylor

at 301-749-7527 (Next year 1985 Tournament will be in Frederick).

Sept. 22 - Singles - *Salisbury Open - 84-580 -Sponsored by: Baker and Bounds Funeral Home.

- Sept. 23 Doubles *Salisbury Open. Qualifying Time: 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m. sharp and a \$1.00 qualifying fee.
- *No qualifying if we have your record. RAIN DATE: The
- following weekend 301-742-4557 or 301-749-7527.

All the above tournaments are held at Salisbury City Park located in Salisbury, Maryland and are sponsored by the Wicomico County Department of Recreation and Parks in conjunction with the Wicomico Horseshoe Club. Singles will be held Saturday morning at 11:00 a.m. Sharp. Doubles are held Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. Sharp. Ladies - If there are not enough to form a class of 4 or more, then they may pitch at 30 feet with men. Ladies and Juniors must have their own class (ringer percentage will be used) for State Tournaments Only.

Must qualify and be N.H.P.A. registered in order to participate.

EASTERN PA SCHEDULE

Aug. 10-11 - Reedsville 4-H Fair Open. Reedsville, Pa. Contact Jack Swyers, Rte. 2, Box 145, Belleville, Pa. 17004. Ph. 717-935-5337.

Cumberland, Pa. 17079. Ph. 717-938-2945. Aug. 25-26 - Strasburt Harvest Open. Strasburg, Pa. Contact Richard Wilson, Rte. 1, Box 1401, Stewartstown, Pa. 17363. Ph. 717-993-6584.

Aug. 18-19 - Pennsylvania Open. New Cumberland, Pa. Contact Dan Beshore, 430 Old York Road, New

These will be sanctioned tournaments. Send fee of \$10.00 and percentage to your tournament director 10 days prior to tournament.

Aug. 26 - (84-523) - August Sizzler, Springfield Club.

awards and cash, mailing deadline Aug. 22. All

State Tourn. entries must be paid in advance.

Sept. 15-16 - (84-525) - Vermont Open. Springfield



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