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FROM YOUR PRESIDENT... DAVE LOUCKS

Somewhere in our sport there always seems to be controversy. Cancellation of count-all, 30' pitchers playing with 40' pitchers, handicap or scratch, games are too long and pitchers too slow, not enough spectator interest, no uniformity in establishing or keeping pitching percentages, the list goes on and on. Where will it end, what can we do?

While msot of us only talk about the problems, one man set out to do something about them. The task was not to work on just one problem area but to devise a program that would improve all facets of the game so it could be played in a uniform manner world wide. sound too good to be true or an impossible task? Well, I want to tell you that such a program does exist. It is a reality and if given a chance, could do more for horseshoe than any other thing we have seen.

Recently, Donnie Roberts and I had the opportunity to visit with George Schummer, the gentleman who had this visionary idea. We read and discussed the 8 page brochure, viewed an informative video and pitched on the most advanced portable court ever devised. We quickly and easily adjusted to a method of uniform play that had us pitching from "meter markers," some that were behind the stakes that were set only 33 feet apart. We pitched a format of 30 shoes and kept score on the most innovative scoreboard I have ever seen. Set in the middle of the court, this scoreboard eliminates the need for a scorekeeper and when you are through, gives points, ringers, total shoes pitched and a method to easily determine the percentage you pitched. This inforamtion is then quickly transferred to a master board that keeps the cumulative totals for 8 pitchers during an entire 8 percon round-robin.

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This unique system is called PAR Horseshoe. PAR means Pro. Am Rated. It is an exciting system that could do wonders for the way we approach the game. Like anything new, however, one must keep an open mind to the benefits of change for we cannot grow as a sport if we do not grow within ourselves. I have extended an invitation to George Schummer and his associate, Glen "Red" Henton, to set up and display the entire concept of PAR Horseshoe at the Pleasanton World Tournament. Let's hope their busy schedule will permit this.

DAVE'S COURT REPORT

I am very happy to inform the membership that the position of 5th Vice President has been filled by Mary Van Sant, Mary spent much time assisting Gene with the Regional Director chairmanship duties prior to Gene's untimely death. Being familiar with the prime areas of responsibility will benefit the NHPA and greatly assist Mary in this transition.

An April 1st insurance update found 53 Charters had paid their insurance assessment in full while Eastern Nebraska had made a good partial payment and is expected to be current soon. Only Delaware, South Carolina and Northern Utah have failed to respond, leaving their members ineligible for NHPA sanction play.

Regional tournaments are no longer an item we only talk about. The first will be held in Ponca City laer this month while the Iowa State Fairgrounds will be the site of the second Regional in late June. Each event will pay out over \$5,000 in cash prizes as pitchers from around the country sharpen their game in preparation for the 1988 World Tournament.

Speaking of the World Tournament, your registration has to be postmarked prior to June 1st. The last 3 tournaments will determine your entering average and these must be attested to by a state officer. Don't delay too long. This will be a great event pitched under cover with some \$70,000 in prize money up for grabs.

NHPA REGIONAL DIRECTOR'S REPORT

By MARY VAN SANT

Dexter Stallings, Regional Director for Tennessee, reports that he is working on some new courts in Newport, Tennessee. He had completed the courts in Oliver Springs, Tennessee, and they will be holding tournaments on them this year.

Marie Wetzel, Regional Director of Pennsylvania, reports that there are eight participating clubs in Western Pennsylvania with a 1987 membership of 382. As Regional Director of Pennsylvania she has contacted some of the schools in the area and asked them to promote Horseshoes, leaving them some of our literature on the Junior programs the NHPA has to offer. The President of one of the Pennsylvania clubs, Jim Zdrale, has sustained an injury to his right arm and had to switch to his left hand. Jim corresponded with the gentlemen that requested information in the digest about such a switch. Jim should be commended for all the correspondence and help he gave this fellow pitcher. Marie and her husband are in the process of covering the bleachers at their courts and have plans to cover the courts next year.



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THE HISTORY TELLER By GLEN PORTT

Some books aren't bought simply because the title just doesn't have that certain eye catching appeal. A book with a title like "The Official History of . . ." will turn most people away. (Who wants to be bombarded with a lot of statistics, no drama, no excitement?)

However, it has been found to be absolutely true that *sometims* people do make mistakes. I know *you* never have . . . but if you haven't bought *The Official NHPA History of the World Tournament, 1909-1980,* by Gary T. Kline, then it's your first and probably one of the worst mistakes you'll ever make.

Why? Because Gary is a superb story teller and he takes us through our W.T. history, he weaves drama and excitement into it. I have read the book several times and each time I

seem to discover something I didn't know . . . and wonder wy I missed it the first time. Here are a few gems I found the other night. Squanto was the nickname of our Vietnam fighting marine, _____, who pitched horseshoes while not on patrol . . . and that the first NHPA's 'Honary President for Life', (Maybe the only one?) was ______. The first N.Y. State Championship was organized by _____, ... but the first state to hold a State Championship was _____. The first NHPA magazine was named ____. that one year, _____ received \$10 for winning the World Championship! That there were three (yup, three) W.T.'s in a period of two years where the winner was determined by ____, not by W-L record. In June of one year, ______ started pitching for the first time. He won the W.T. the next. A man named _____ sponsored one of the W.T.'s, failed to pay the \$1600 prize fund, police were called to stop a riot, and believe it or not, this man was later elected to the NHPA Hall of Fame. The World Tournament was held at Soldiers Field in Chicago in _____ and 100's attended ... even 20 year old Ralph Dykes. The first man from the EAST to win a W.T. was . tossed 62 straight ringers against Jim Solomon, Elmer Hohl pitched consecutive games over 80% in W.T. play, and the first flip pitcher to make the Championship field was ______, one of our all time greats closed out his career by averaging over 80% for 14 consecutive W.T.'s.

I could go on and on but if I haven't sparked your appetite by now, it's too late. The Official NHPA History of the World Tournament, 1909-1980, is a collector's item because relatively few were printed . . . and when they're gone . . . there ain't gonna be no mo! Tournament managers would do winning pitchers a big favor by giving these books . . . properly inscribed with tournament data, as prizes for all classes.

The books (if there are any left) are available at *bargain* prices from your NHPA distributors. I highly recommend you buy yours now... because you'll enjoy it forever. Hopefully another volume covering the 1981-1990 W.T.'s will be published... and will be put together by Gary T. Kline... the History Teller.

(It wouldn't hurt a thing to include the women in a separate section of the book. Just in case you couldn't fill in all the blanks, you'll find the answers somewhere in this issue.)

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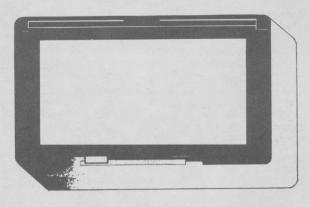
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1988 W.T. UPDATE FOR PLEASANTON, CA. VISITORS By VERDAN ZELMAR, CHR.

A Welcome to California tournament, hosted by the San Jose Golden Eagle Club, will be held July 30-31. Preregistration will be necessary. Entry forms, a map and complete information in next month's Digest.

A refreshment area is being planned for World Tournament Officials and statisticians. There will be cool drinks and coffee round the clock.

A W.T. Boutique is planned with Marguerite Henry in charge. The sales items will be made by the NCHPA ladies and will be available near our Information Booth.

The W.T. Banquet and Dance will be held at the Fairgrounds Cafeteria. The entree will be Prime Rib and \$13.00 will cover tip and music by "Country Flavor," the dance band. Reservation information for the Banquet will be in a later issue of the Digest.

The W.T. Tours will be handled by CreaTours and all tours previously mentioned will be held, except the State Capitol, Sacramento tour.

The Country Western day will be Saturday, August 6th, at the Fairgrounds site with up to four hours of music and exhibitions by Don Cox and the Cowtown Band.

Bob Lloyd of the Tri-Valley Club has completed the task of making new scoring machines for all 40 courts. They have beverage and pencil holders suilt in and are professional in every detail. All 80 pitching boxes have been completed by Jerry Pawloski and his crew.

BROOKLYN PARK, MINN. CLUB CLOSES 1987 SEASON WITH SPECIAL AWARDS NIGHT—SAN. 86C132

By R. DUNN

The Brooklyn Park Parks and Recreation Department continued to provide involvement and support, by constructing 4 additional courts and installing lights.

The Season Ending Awards night was highlighted by initiating a Hall of Honor and presented life time membership and recognition to two great performers and leaders, Ralph Marcks and Bill Sullivan.

A special plaque was presented to Bill Larson for pitching a "Triple Crown" season. Larson was the Class "K" World Champion, State Class "D" champion, and League Class "B" champion. Club president, Art Halvorson, and Bob Dunn were also World Class Champions. A total of 7 club members earned trophies at the 1987 World Tournament in Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

High Average—Floyd Knutson 49.13, Arnie Johnson 48.78%, Paul Woullet 47.20%.

High Game—Arnie Johnson 70%, Floyd Knutson 64%, Jim Beyer 66%, Paul Woullet 62%, Edi Holland 64%, Paul Lesniewski 62%, Bill Larson 68%, Jim Wagner 64%, Gary Johnson 62%.

High Series:—Floyd Knutson 57.5%, Arnie Johnson 55.5%, Paul Woullet 54%, Bill Sullivan 54.5%, Earl Woullet 52%, Jim Beyer 53%.

Won/Loss—Ilene Regan 36-12, Earl Woullet 32-12, Dean Heng 34-14, Jim Beyer 36-15, Paul Woullet 31-13, Ralph Yost 33-15.

High Game Over Average—Bill Nichols 27.46%, Bill Larson 25.33%, Donna Mueller 26.63%, Gary Johnson 24.0%.

Most Improved—Vern Christiansen 16.81% to 29.67%, Dean Heng 18.83% to 30.63%, Gary Johnson 29.51% to 38.00%.

BROOKLYN PARK—(Continued)

Championship—1st Place, Ring-A-Dings, Ed Holland, Clif Presler, Floyd Knudson, Dean Heng. 2nd place, Back Swingers, Earl Woullet, Illene Regan, Jim Beyer, Mervin Affeldt. 3rd place, State Pounders, Bill Sullivan, Ed Zeller, Roger Swierkowski, Chuck Elmer, Hank Danicich. 4th place, Point Makers, Ralph Yost, Gene Bakke, Otto Larson, Herm Schultz.

Post Season Class Champions—R. Dunn, Class A; Bill Larson, Class B; Dean Heng, Class C; Ed Zeller, Class D; Al Pearson, Class E; Don Sangre, Class F; Larry Nezworsk, Class G.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS CHANGES

Proposed Constitution and By-Law changes that the majority of the committee has agreed have sufficient merit to be brought before the Delegates at the 1988 Convention.

1. ARTICLE IV, SECTION 14, paragraph 2

Add: An annual renewal fee of \$100 shall be paid to the NHPA by each manufacturer for each model shoe produced by said company. This fee shall be paid on or before January 1 to cover the succeeding year.

Change submitted by Donnie Roberts

2. ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3 . . . Change to read

If a Charter acquires ten (10) or more members up to fifty (50) members it shall be entitled to one delegate at the National Convention. Thereafter, a Charter shall be entitled to one additional delegate for each additional fifty (50) members up to four-hundred (400) members. Then one delegate for each one-hundred (100) members thereafter with no maximum.

Reason . . . To help streamline the convention for the growth of our organization.

Chagne submitted by Walter Ray Williams, Jr.

3. ARTICLE VII, SECTION 2 . . . Delete the following

... unless he is defeated in the interim by an official recognized challenger in a title match authorized by the Executive Council with the title at stake.

Reason...The winner of the World Tournament has won his/her crown and title competing against the best in the world over a gruelling stretch of 23-35 games. A title match would probably be for 3-7 games or thereabouts. No way should a World Champion lose his/her title under those conditions. He/she should retain the title until defeated inthe World Tournament.

Change submitted by Glen Portt

4. ARTICLE VII, SECTION 5 . . . Change last sentence to read:

In all other ties (second place and below), trophies and prize money shall be awarded based upon percentages.

Change submitted by Donnie Roberts

5. ARTICLE VII, SECTION 13 . . . Change to read

The Count-all System is to be . . .

Reason: Count-all system is the more rcognized name over Point System.

Change submitted by Walter Ray Williams, Jr.

6. ARTICLE VII, SECTION 13

Eliminate all following the words "pitching activities."

Reason: The Count-all System is a very simple and exciting format for running tournaments and should be an option at our most important tournaments.

Change submitted by Walter Ray Williams, Jr.

7. ARTICLE VII, SECTION 14, ... Add a second paragraph to read

"All adults registering for the World Tournament must have completed a minimum of three sanctioned tournaments in the time span starting with the last World Tournament and ending with the mailing of their registration form."

Reason: The World Tournament is the epic event of the year held primarily for the benefit of the membership that have been supportive of the NHPA and their state sanctioned play. We should not allow pitchers to all of a sudden come out of the woodwork and compete without some previous show or support to the benefit of sanctioned tournaments. Most charters require some minimum of sanctioned play to be eligible for their State Championship so, why not the World Tournament.

Change submitted by Dave Loucks

8. ARTICLE VII, SECTION 16 . . . Change to read:

A city or organization desiring to sponsor and hold a World Tournament shall place its bids in the hands of the NHPA Secretary by the 15th of April. The NHPA President shall then designate one or more members of his Executive Council to open said bids after he has determined that those members have no conflict of interest in the matter. The details of such bids shall include the name/names of those who opened the bids. No bid will be considered. . . .

Reason: Neither the Secretary nor any other Council member should be put in the unenviable position of opening the bids when they work for an organization submitting a bid, or if they have a definite intrest in any particular bid. In the business world, such a thing as a contractor opening his own and his competitors bids is unheard of and would never be allowed. It would be a definite conflict of interest. No business in the world operates that way. Neither should the NHPA.

ARTICLE VII, SECTION 17 ... Omit the following words ... except for the World Tournament. ...

Reason: In my opinion, the Executive Council *does* conduct the World Tournament, so why is this wording here?

Change submitted by Glenn Portt

10. ARTICLE VII, Add a SECTION 19 . . . To read as follows

The qualifying rounds for each division shall be at least 300 shoes pitched by each contestant in games which are to be a maximum of 50 shoes each.

Reason: There should be some rules for the World Tournament so the players can have some idea of what to expect. We have been using a format similar to this for the last seven years.

Change submitted by Walter Ray Williams, Jr.

11. ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 1 . . . Change entire section to read . . .

The Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any Convention of Delegates, in even numbered years, by a two-thirds vote of those present.

Reason: Under the present method of allowing changes in any year, we are getting suggestions to change sometimes before the ink is dry on the most recent printing of revisions. It is ridiculous to foster so many proposed changes to such a small book every year. It will also shorten every other Convention.

12. ARTICLE IX, SECTION 2 ... Omit the following words from the paragraph Omit the word ... World ... fromt he first sentence.

Omit the words . . . from future competition in World Tournaments . . . from the next to the last sentence.

Reason: This By-Law should govern all NHPA Sanctioned Tournaments, not jsut the World Tournament. It would allow all play standings to be determined in a uniform manner when a forfeit must be considered. Right now, there are probably as many methods as Charters.

Change submitted by Dave Loucks

13. ARTICLE IX, SECTION 6,#3 . . . Change to

The Managing editor of the organization's monthly magazine shall receive an expense allowance of \$1200.00 annually to compensate for personal expenses incurred in the performance of his duties as long as the magazine is in existence.

Reason: In past years, we have given raises to the Executive Council, the Publicity Director, and all Regional Directors. We seemed to have forgotten our publisher and editor. Let's correct this.

14. ARTICLE X, OFFICIAL RULES FOR HORSESHOE PITCHING . . .

Rule 1 through and including Rule 16.

Remove all playing rules entirely from the Constitution and By-Laws and print them separately in pamphlet form for wider distribution and ease of up-date.

Reason: Playing rules, by the Constitution and By-Laws, are interpreted by the Executive Council. Rarely are changes to the rules proposed but when something needs update or a better explanation, we cannot do it because wording in the constitution can only be changed by the Delegates. This is extremely cumbersome and precludes efficient and timely additions or clarification.

15. ARTICLE IV. SECTION 16 . . .

Remove this section and all sub-paragraphs entirely from the Constitution and print as part of NHPA playing rules if above proposal to remove rules, passes.

Reason: This whole section reads as rules of play.

Changes 14 and 15 submitted by Dave Loucks

16. ARTICLE VII. SECTION 6

Remove this section from Constitution and print as part of NHPA playing rules.

Change submitted by Dave Loucks

17. ARTICLE VII, SECTION 9, paragraph 2 . . . "Playing rules for Juniors, etc." Remove and print as part of NHPA playing rules.

Reason: Both the above sections are obvious playing rules and should be part of a playing rule pamphlet, not the Constitution and By-Laws.

Change submitted by Dave Loucks

18. ARTICLE X, RULE 1 . . . Add a part c. to read as follows

For World Tournament court layouts, the courts shall not have more than a one (1) inch change in ground level from one end of a court to the other end of a court.

Reason: The World Tournament should be played on the best conditions possible.

Change submitted by Walter Ray Williams, Jr.

19. ARTICLE X, RULE 2 b. . . . Change to read

Pitching stakes for women and juniors shall be 30 feet, with a foul line three feet in front of each stake. When women, juniors or any designated 30 foot pitchers play on a court constructed for men, foul lines shall be marked 10 feet in front of the men's foul lines, parallel to, and the width of the men's platform. An imaginery stake should be marked on the ground. All 30 foot pitchers may pitch a distance anywhere from 30 to 40 feet, but must pitch from a platform on either side of the court. No 30 foot pitcher will be allowed to stand in the middle of the court.

Reason: The present rule discriminates against any junior wanting to move back as he approaches adulthood. It also discriminates against women who are pitching 40 feet in leagues or elders who jsut want to step up a foot or two.

Change submitted by Vicki Winston

20. ARTICLE X, RULE 2 . . . Add a part d.

d. In situations where the pitcher is standing at floor level pitching onto a raised pitching area the tournament officials shall calculate the increased pitching distance created by raised peg areas and adjust the foul line accordingly.

Change submitted by Donnie Roberts

21. ARTICLE X, RULE 4 . . . Add a part d.

d. The material around the peg must be level with the box that surrounds it before the contestants start their warm-up for a contest.

22. ARTICLE X, RULE 4 . . . Add a part e.

e. The material around the peg may not be shoveled during a contest unless approved by a judge. Contestants cannot mash or move the material around the peg during a contest except to repair damage done by picking up a buried shoe or damage done by the measure of a shoe. Contestants are responsible for leveling and watering as needed the court scheduled for their next game. Contestants may have someone do this job for them.

23. ARTICLE X, RULE 4 . . . Add a part f.

f. Every effort must be made to keep the substance around the peg moist and in good shape to avoid bouncing ringers and sliding ringers.

24. ARTICLE X, RULE % . . . Make the first paragraph a. and add paragraph b.

b. When a peg breaks during an inning, the game shall be discontinued at the end of the previous inning and the peg shall be repaired. The contestants shall be allowed four shoes each to warm-up and the game shall continue. Tournament officials may opt to hold the completion of that game until another time if scheduling dictates. Tournament officials may opt to move that game to another court while the repairs are made. A broken peg is defined as any peg not standing in the same position as when the inning started due to whatever damage.

Changes 21, 22, 23, and 24 submitted by Donnie Roberts



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25. ARTICLE X, RULE 7 ... Make this addition to Section e.

All players in 30 foot classes must remain three feet behind their opponent on the opposite side of the court when their opponent is pitching. No player is to walk to the rear of the court.

Reason: This should help to speed up the play in the 30 foot classes, if this rule were passed and observed.

Change submitted by Vicki Winston

26. ARTICLE X, RULE 7, section e. Change to read . . .

A player, while not pitching, must remain on the opposite side of the stake to the player who is pitching, and at least twelve (12) inches behind the pitcher, but not more than fifteen (15) feet from the pitcher.

Reason: Some players can comply with the current rule and be in front of the pitching player. This can be distracting. Most players don't like to be confined to the opposite pitching platform and like to step back out of the way.

Change submitted by Walter Ray Williams, Jr.

27. ARTICLE X, RULE 8 b.

Change 30 seconds to 20 seconds.

Reason: We shouldn't have rules for 2% of our members. 98% of the pitchers are within 15 seconds so why would we keep a rule for the 2% who are delaying tournaments. The NHPA doesn't need a 30 second rule which permits a small nubmer of deliberate stallers to disrupt pitchers and tournaments. Some of the well known stallers actually have friends time them so they can get to within one or two seconds of the time limit. This is designed to bother their opponent and should not be permitted.

Change submitted by Donnie Roberts

28. ARTICLE X, RULE * . . . Add a part c.

c. A contestant must pitch his/her second shoe from the same side of the approach as his/her first shoe. A contestant may pitch his/her shoe from the approach side of his/her choice during any inning of the game as long as they are both pitched from the same side. Penalty: The second shoe shall be removed from the court.

29. ARTICLE X, RULE 8 . . . Add a part d.

d. A contestant must pitch both shoes in each inning of a horseshoe contest. Penalty: Removal from the tournament and forfeiture of all prizes.

30. ARTICLE X, RULE 8 . . . Add a part e.

e. A contestant may switch horseshoes beteen innings anytime during the contest. A switch cannot be made after the first shoe is pitched, unless the first shoe pitched is broken. Penalty: Forfeiture of that game.

31. ARTICLE X, RULE 8 . . . Add a part f.

f. A contestant may use two horseshoes at any one time during a contest. Any use of a third or more horseshoes to carry or for any other purpose shall be prohibited. Spare shoes are to be kept in your horseshoe box or somewhere off the court.

32. ARTICLE X, RULE 8 . . . Add a part g.

g. A contestant pitched horseshoe which strikes an object such as a bird, dog, cat, a rolling shoe from another court, a fellow contestant, etc. shall be pitched over. A pitched horseshoe striking a tree limb, an electrical wire, or the ceiling of an Indoor Facility, etc. shall not be pitched over. Items that cannot be avoided call for a repitch, those items that can be seen and avoided don't call for a repitch.

33. ARTICLE X, RULE 8 . . . Add a part h.

h. Any horseshoe that has crossed the foul line shall be ruled a pitched shoe and cannot be repitched unless as covered by g. above.

Changes 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 submitted by Donnie Roberts

34. ARTICLE X, RULE 8 . . . Add a part i.

i. A pitcher tossing out of turn shall have both shoes removed from the court. The error must be detected before the second player pitches. After the second player has tossed one shoe no penalty can be called.

34. ARTICLE X, RULE 8 . . . Add a part j.

j. If it is discovered during an inning that a contestant has pitched his opponents horseshoe that entire inning shall be pitched over using the proper horseshoes. Contestants need not walk back up to the original peg to continue the game. If the contestants fail to discover the error until after all four shoes have been pitched, each contestant shall receive credit for his own shoes as they lay, regardless of who they think may have pitched them.

Changes 34 and 35 submitted by Donnie Roberts

36. ARTICLE X, RULE 12 c . . . Change to read

A ringer is declared when a shoe encircles the stake far enough to allow the touching of both heel caulks simultaneously with a straight edge even if the straight edge touches the stake.

Reason: This will make it much easier for everybody to determine ringers. The straight edge is simply put against one heel caulk, then run down the stake. If it touches the other heel caulk, the shoe is a ringer. This would save time in judging a ringer and make it easier for a player to measure a ringer.

Change submitted by Glen Portt and Leo Ouellette

37. ARTICLE X, RULE 14 r.

Under the Score Call Method: change the two ringers each—no score to Four Dead.

Reason: No one uses the terminology as printed in our rule book. This takes less words and the scorekeepers all know what we're talking about. A long time ago someone decided they didn't like the term "dead" to be associated with our sport. It's a term identified with our sport, when there are four ringers on the stake. We can't deny it. I see no reason to be ashamed of it.

Change submitted by Vicki Winston

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- 2. WORLD OF HORSESHOE: (1948-1978 Stars) PM Magazine, Floyd Toole-AAU Champion, and Challenge of the Sexes.
- 3. 1979 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
- 4. 1980 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
- 5. 1981 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
- 6. 1982 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
- 7. 1983 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
- 8. 1984 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
- 9. 1985 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
- 10. 1986 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
- 11. 1987 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

- 12. KIDSWORLD & PM MAGAZINE COVERAGE
- 13. ART OF HORSESHOE PITCHING
- 14. CLEARWATER, FLORIDA 1982 OPEN
- 15. DANNY KUCHCINSKI 1968 JOHNNY CAR-SON SHOW B & W
- FERNANDO ISAIS INERVIEWED BY WAL-TER RAY WILLIAMS, JR.
- 17. DALE LIPOVSKY INTERVIEWED AFTER 1982-83 WORLD TITLES

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COVER PICTURE . . . Every successful tournament has to have somebody that takes care of the statistics. Such was the case in the recent Valley of the Sun tournament held at Mesa, Arizona, in the persons of Jean Thomas shown at left in photo and Judy Free at the right. These two ladies did an outstanding job.

NHPA HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE REPORT By BARRY CHAPELLE, CHR.

The Committee received four new nominations this year and their names have been placed in the appropriate categories for this year's voting. If you have people that you consider to be worthy candidates, contact your state officers of Barry Chapelle to find out the proper procedurea nd get them nominated for next year.

HALL OF FAME BALLOT FOR 1988

PLAYER

Harold Anthony Tommy Brownell Alvin Dahlene Bert Durvee Harvey Elmerson Harold Falor Mayme Francisco John Fulton William Kolb

Roland Kraft Gerry Labbe Anna Lindquist Phyllis Negaard Merlin Potts Glenn Riffle Jim Solomon Marines Tamboer Walter Ray Williams, Jr.

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Perl Pepple Dorothy Pinch Pual Puglise Paul Rose Jack Springer L. E. Tanner Jim Woodson Vince Yannetti

PLAYER-ORGANIZER

Abe Austin Dan Beshore Will Gullickson Marion Lange Ray Ohms

"Granny" Palmer Glen Portt Ray Smith Earl Winston

NOTE: Winners will be announced and inducted into the NHPA Hall of Fame at the 1988 World Tournament Awards Banquet in Pleasanton, California.

Robinson: "Who was that man you

just raised your hat to?"
Green: "That? Oh, that was my barber. He sold me a bottle of hair restorer a month ago, and whenever I meet him I let him see what a fraud he is."

The champion athlete in bed with a cold was told that he had a temperature. "How high is it, Doc?" he ask-

"A hundred and one."

"What's the world's record?"

BELOIT, WIS. LEAGUE 1987 FINALS—SANC. 85053

TUESDAY NIGHT DOUBLES LEAGUE—Results in points—Harold Laws & Norm Beckius, 35; Red Ferguson & Dennis Hannawell, 34; Bruce McClinn & John Schroeder, 29½; Wayne Fry & Bill Nehls, 28½; Lloyd Goodman & Carl Quimby, 28; Bud Renley & Al Schliem, 27½; Myron Paulson & Vic Bredeson, 23; Bob Geeser & Ron Ramquist, 20½.

THURS. NIGHT RINGERS ONLY LEAGUE—Rev. Myron Schwanke, 33-25-36.7; Harold Laws, 32-16-25.4; Earl Paulson, 29-27-25.9; Bud Renley, 21-24-34.8; Ken Lovaas, 21-18-28.4; Myron Paulson, 16-41-30.6; Red Ferguson, 10-17-33.7; Bill Oakley, 10-8-21.0.

FIRST HAWKEYE MIDWEST NHPA REGIONAL TOURNAMENT IOWA STATE FAIRGROUNDS—DES MOINES, IA. JUNE 25-26—SANCTION 14-88-046

Please mark your calendar setting aside June 25-26 as the days you will be welcomed to the "First Hawkeye Midwest Regional Tournament" to be held at the Iowa State Fairgrounds in Des Moines. Tournament will be played on 20 refurbished clay courts. Entry deadline is June 5th. Entry fee will be \$25.00—\$4000.00 purse based on 200 entries. Super Class Flight will pay an additional \$10.00 entry fee. (1st place \$250.00) Classes A-B-C will pay an extra \$5.00 entry fee.

The top 32 players will play both days—others either on saturday or Sunday. Top 32 players will receive cash prizes—lower classes 4 place payback. There will be a plaque for 1st and second. all entrants will receive a schedule. Tournament is sponsored by the lowa State Fair, Des Moines, Iowa.

Send all entries to: Danny Sease, 1229 S.W. Evans, Des Moines, IA 50315. Phone: 515-285-0131.

There will be camping with full hook-ups at \$7.50 per day. Food will be available. Added attractions: Appaloosa Horseshow and Pari Mutuel Harness Racing.

For further information contact Chet Anderson, 1960 Four Season's Drive, Ankeny, IA 50021. Phone: 515-964-0159.

ANNUAL BUCKY WALTERS OPEN-JUNE 18-19-TROY, OH

The second annual Bucky Walters Open Mixed tournament will get under way on June 18-19 at the Miami County Fairgrounds at Troy, Ohio. Sanction 21-88-041. Deadline for entries is June 13. Courts are located at the south gate of the Miami County Fairgrounds, County Road 25 north of Troy, Ohio.

Sendentry fee of \$9.00 and ringer percentage to: Melvin Bair, 2732 So. Elm Tree Rd., Christenburg, OH 45389. Ph: 1-513-857-9750 or Ken Walters, 1500 Eldean Rd., Troy, OH 45373. Ph: 1-513-339-1759.

W. T. DATES FOR 1989-JULY 17 thru JULY 30

TENN. DOGWOOD TITLE WON BY DON WARD-SAN. 23-88-001

The annual Tennessee Dogwood tournament was held at Cleveland, Tenn. April 2 with 40 pitchers taking part coming from Georgia and Tennessee. High Game trophy went to Dick Martino with a nice 80.0 percent game. Don Ward came out on top as the tournament champion with a 4-1-65.0 record.

CLASS A—D. Ward, 4-1-65.0; D. Martino, 3-2-66.4; V. Fox, 3-2-56.6; R. Pruitt, 2-3-62.5; J. Black, 2-3-55.7; R. Norwood, 1-4-56.5.

CLASS B—G. Bush, 5-0-56.9; M. Bastian, 4-1-52.5; G. Whaley, 3-2-55.3; O. D. Lebow, 2-3-48.0; J. Waters, 1-4-45.5; S. Banks, 0-5-38.4.

CLASS C—H. Irwin, 4-1-55.7; G. Bradfield, 3-2-47.7; W. Grant, 3-2-41.6; T. Lawson, 2-3-47.7; L. Wyatt, 2-3-43.6; R. Pressley, 1-4-47.0.

CLASS D—R. Williams, 5-0-57.5; R. Ward, 3-2-48.6; J. Haire, 3-2-44.5; G. Lewis, 2-3-43.6; N. Nave, 2-3-38.0; C. Bennett, 0-5-29.3.

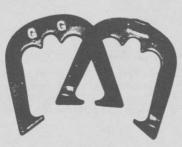
CLASS E—D. Isaacs, 5-0-39.4; J. Flowers, 4-1-39.3; B. Streetman, 3-2-40.1; D. Davis, 2-3-35.3; F. Scott, 1-4-23.8; S. Cornette, 0-5-21.4.

CLASS F—L. Sutton, 3-1-36.7; J. Ware, 3-1-34.0; H. Lones, 3-1-28.9; R. Bennett, 1-3-20.3; W. Farley, 0-4-15.0.

CLASS G—J. Bennett, 3-1-22.4; B. Dishner, 3-1-21.7; T. Harmon, 2-2-21.5; J. Davis, 2-2-16.1; E. Hicks, 0-4-2.5.

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"From Out Of The Mail Bag"

N.H.P.A. P.O. Box 1607 Aurora, Illinois

I read the article about Elmer Hohl and his superb pitching. I saw him pitch at South Gate, Calif. and I remember the cigarette. Reading the article got me to reminiscing about my horseshoe participation. I won the California State Horseshoe Champion in 1929. In those days we pitched Putt Mossman horseshoes. Can anyone remember them? In those days we pitched in dirt on ten inch pegs. I am sending a copy of my participation in the 1929 Tournament. I pitched an average of 57.3 for 15 games winning all of the games. This gave me the title of being the youngest State Champion and the record still stands 58 years later. I was elected to the Hall of Fame in 1977 in the Southern California Assoc. I still pitch in tournaments and plan to attend the World Tournament this year as a participant, or, at least as a spectator as it is being held near my home.

I hope you enjoy this news story of the Past and the Present.

Sincerely yours,

Walter W. Krowel P.O. Box 108 Altaville, CA 95221

CHENOA, ILL. CLUB OPEN-JULY 4-SANCTIONED

The Chenoa Horseshoe Club will be hosting a NHPA sanctioned tournament, at Chenoa, Ill., on July 4, 1988. Limited to 48 entries. Pitchers will be notified by mail of class and pitching time. Send \$10.00 entry fee to Dale Miller, R.R. #2, Chenoa, IL 61726. Over \$1200.00 prize money and trophies. Flea Market and other family activities. Entry deadline Friday, June 24, 1988.

CORRECTION FOR ARIZONA STATE ASSOCIATION

Paul Free, Secretary, P.O. Box 6086, Mesa, Arizona 85216

CORRECTION OF PHONE NUMBER FOR SHELDON, IL. OPEN

Ray Mayhew, Director—(815) 429-3592.

THE ANNUAL BERKLEY, MICH. INVITATIONAL MAY 21-22—SANCTIONED

The 5th annual Berkley Invitational tournament will be held on Saturday and Sunday, May 21-22. Ladies and Juniors will start at 10 A.M. on Saturday while the top individual classes will start play at 2 P.M. The lower individual classes will play on Sunday starting at 10 A.M. Over \$1000 in prize money is being offered based on 64 paid entrants.

Entry fee for Class A will be \$20.00; Class B, \$18.00; Classes C through F, \$15.00. Send all entries with fee and NHPA card number to: Paul Wishon, 4111 Griffith, Berkley, Michigan

48072. Include ringer percentage.

DARNOLD UNDEFEATED IN EVANSDALE, IA, INDOOR TOURN, MARCH 13—SANCTION 14-88-029

Long time class A pitcher Harold Darnold of Burlington had it when he needed it to capture 1st place in the championship bracket. He nudged out Wil Foelske in the final match of the day by building a sizable early lead and holding Wil off at the end. 33 NHPA pitchers relaxed in shirt sleeve comfort in lowa's newest indoor arena. Mary Engstler, the state's top "Flip-Man", and Rick Voshell both put it to their competitors with 5-0 days.

CLASS A-Darnold, 5-0-56.8; Foelske, 4-1-68.0; Loras Grant, Dubuque, 2-3-59.2; Harlan Hass, McGregor, 2-3-55.2; Ron Burgess, Cedar Rapids, 1-4-58.0; Jerry Roussel, Dubuque, 1-4-53.6.

CLASS B-Engstler, Garner, 5-0-45.2; C. Leo Buell, Iowa City, 4-1-49.6; Ray Kamper, Arlington, 2-3-40.8; Virgin Williams, Boone, 2-3-39.6; Betty McGregor, West Branch, 1-4-42.0; Don Brandau, Charles City, 1-4-39.6.

CLASS C-Tom Smock, Dunkerton, 4-1-43.6; Russ Martin, Clarksville, 3-2-46.8; Bob Walters, Eldora, 3-2-36.0; Les Torsrud, Evansdale, 2-3-36.4; Owen Simmons, Nashua, 2-3-36.0; Alan Fisher, Cedar Falls, 1-4-28.0.

CLASS D-Rick Voshell. Prole. 5-0-35.2; Larry Purcell. Boone. 3-2-34.8; Morris Lepley. Union, 3-2-30.4; Joe Lepley, Eldora, 3-2-33.6; Ken Cakerice, Eldora, 1-4-23.2; Muriel Mauer, Manchester, 0-5-23.2.

CLASS E-Bob McGregor, West Branch, 4-1-30.8; Don Traver, Ryan, 3-2-31.2; Cliff Kenney, Collins, 3-2-22.8: Dick Neusinger, Oelwein, 2-3-28.0: Mildred Hottle, Iowa City, 2-3-18.8: Gene Long, E. Dubuque, IL. 1-4-25.2.

CLASS F-Howard Fountain, Iowa City, 5-1-23.0; Bud Hottle, Iowa City, 4-2-18.5; Robert Block. Summer. 3-3-15.5.

W. T. DATES FOR 1989

JULY 17 thru JULY 30

One Act Tragedy

Time: Morning.

Scene: Street Scene.

Characters: Horse, iceman, man on second floor.

Iceman (to horse): "Whoa!"

(Driver looks up at apartment house. Man's head appears on second floor.)

Iceman (to horse): "Giddap!"

ENTRY BLANK FOR 1988 W.T.—PLEASANTON, CALIF. AUGUST 1—AUGUST 14, 1988

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The deadline to register is June will be placed on a waiting list to Late registrations will pay an add WILL BE ENFORCED.	be used in case of	drop-outs. NO PHON	IE REGISTRATION
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Mail Registrations to: Donnie Roberts, Box 278, Munroe Falls, OH 44262

1988 WORLD TOURNAMENT HOUSING—PLEASANTON, CALIF.

By VERDAN ZELMAR, W.T. CHR.

Following is a list of Hotels and Motels in the Pleasanton/Livermore/Dublin area that have offered our Housing Committee special rates. All those listed will hold a number of rooms for our Horseshoe visitors until July 1st. We ask that you call the Hotel/Motel of your choice and make your reservations early.

The Pleasanton area has a large number of travelers for both business and pleasure; therefore, early reservations are imperative. Also, it's important that you mention that you are coming for the World Tournament to qualify for the rates listed. All Hotels/Motels are within 10 miles of the Alameda County Fairground tournament site (includes Livermore and Dublin). We highly recommend the Howard Johnson/Lord Dublin Hotel in Dublin—first class at a fair price. If you should have any problems with your reservations, feel free to call Marthe Dunn at (415) 462-4283 or Shirley Jamieson (415) 462-6030.

HOTELS

HOWARD JOHNSON/LORD DUBLIN, 6680 Regional Street, Dublin, CA 94568; (415) 828-7750; Rates: \$39-49; \$39 (2 persons), \$49 (2 persons in new Executive Wing). 200 rooms blocked until July 4.

COMPRI, 5990 Stoneridge Mall, Pleasanton, CA 94566; (415) 463-3330; Rates: \$59-\$69 (includes breakfast to order, 3 drinks per person in evening, and snacks)

HOLIDAY INN, 11950 Dublin Canyon Road, Pleasanton, CA 94566; (415) 847-6000; Rates: \$61 (children under 19 free).

HOLIDAY INN, 720 Las Flores Road, Livermore, CA 94550; (415) 443-5940; Rates: \$48-\$55 (children under 19 free).

MARRIOTT COURTYARD, 5059 Hopyard Road, Pleasanton, CA 94566; (415) 463-1414; rates: \$60-\$68.

HILTON, 7050 Johnson Drive, Pleasanton, CA 94566; (415) 463-8000; Rates: \$50.00 weekends/\$70.00 during week (includes access to Amador Valley Athletic Club).

SHERATON, 5115 Hopyard Road, Pleasanton, CA 94566; (415) 460-8800; Rates: Pending (Approx. \$65).

All of the above have swimming pools and spas. All have restaurants on the premises except the COMPRI, which serves breakfast only to guests of the hotel.

MOTELS

BUDGET INN, 2025 Santa Rita Road, Pleasanton, CA 94566; (415) 846-2742; Daily Rate: \$30-\$35 (Kitchenettes in some rooms).

SUPER 8 MOTEL, 5375 Owens Court, Pleasanton, CA 94566; (415) 463-1300; Daily Rate: \$48.00 (Complimentary donuts & coffee during the week).

TOWNHOUSE MOTEL, 1421 First Street, Livermore, CA 94550; (415) 447-3865; Rates: \$35 (1 queen bed), \$39 (2 beds), \$34 (1 double bed).

SANDS MOTEL, 3787 First Street, Livermore, CA 94550; (415) 447-6500; Rates: Same as Townhouse Motel.

ELDORADO MOTEL, 3979 First Street, Livermore, CA 94550; (415) 447-2348; Hates: (1 person - Queen \$25) (2 persons, 2 beds \$31) (3 persons, 2 beds \$34) (4 persons, 2 beds \$37).

SPRINGTOWN MOTEL, 933 Bluebell Drive, Livermore, CA 94550; (415) 449-2211; Rates: (1 person \$25) (2 persons \$28) (3 or more \$32-\$34) Weekly rate, 10% discount in advance—Weekly Rates: (1 person \$156) (2 persons \$177).

ALL STAR MOTEL, 4673 Lassen Road, Livermore, CA 94550; (415) 443-5300; Rates: (1 person \$26) (2 persons \$30) (3 persons \$33) (4 persons \$37)

EASTERN NATIONAL—JUNE 25-26—ERIE, PA.—SAN. 17-88-008

The 41st Annual Eastern National tournament will be held in Erie, PA, at the Kuchcinski courts at Glenwood Park Saturday and Sunday, June 25th and 26th. This Annual affair will be 50 shoe games, and only ringers will count no points. The new type self scoring score board will be used. It met with great success in last year's event, and saves the cost of score keepers. The tourney carries the N.H.P.A. sanction. Last year's event attracted pitchers from 7 states, and carried a prize fund of over \$2500. The Champion receives \$300 and a beautiful trophy. The entry fee for Classes A, B, C is \$25, and all other classes pay only \$15. Entries may be sent to Joe Abbott, 5840 Peck Road, Erie, PA 16510, phone 814-899-9796, or to Brad Ropey at 417 West 9th Street, Erie, PA, phone 814-455-9615. The deadline for entries is June 15. If necessary to call, please call in the evenings.

RON POWELL 1987 KENTUCKY CHAMP-SAN. 22-87-016

Due to circumstances beyond the control of the Editor, the Kentucky State tournament results have just been received and are printed in this issue.

CLASS A MEN—Ronnie Powell, 8-1-71.7; Bob Hudnall, 8-1-65.6; Ed Henry, 8-1-65.9; Tony Hankins, 5-4-61.8; Len Salings, 5-4-61.1; Harold Copher, 4-5-61.0; Denny Malone, 3-6-55.8; Ed Curran, 3-6-55.6; Randy Hankins, 1-8-54.0; Stan Lovelace, 1-8-51.0.

CLASS B MEN—Francis Nockerts, 8-1-60.0; John Hnkins, 6-3-58.1; Letroy Reed, 6-3-54.0; Bill Henn, 5-4-59.6; Willard Drane, 5-4-55.6; Jim Easton, 5-4-54.3; Jim Noble, 3-6-48.7; Gene Webster, 3-6-47.9; Bob Moore, 2-7-51.5; Harold Holland, 2-7-48.2.

CLASS C MEN—Melvin Rader, 7-0-54.6; Cliff Henn, 5-2-55.4; Gary Jackson, 5-2-50.6; Bob Simpson, 4-3-44.8; Jim Henderson, 3-4-47.5; Austin Tomlin, 3-4-42.3; Gene Clevenger, 1-6-42.5; Pacer, 0-7-33.2.

CLASS D MEN—Russ Dunigan, 6-1-55.1; Dallas Walters, 6-1-53.6; Omar Blacketer, 4-3-46.1; Ricky Curran, 3-4-50.8; Fran (Boop) Rogg, 3-4-50.0; Chick Henn, 2-5-51.1; Don Nockerts, 2-5-46.2; Bill Garrett, 2-5-45.8.

CLASS E MEN—Holmes Stiles, 5-0-50.8; Willard Howard, 4-1-42.7; Forrest Cooper, 2-3-40.9; Bill Litteral, 2-3-38.2; Charles Peters, 1-4-39.7; Frank Chaney, 1-4-39.0.

CLASS F MEN—C. Fleckinstein, 7-0-52.6; Paul Coleman, 6-1-49.4; Warren Tarvin, 4-3-38.0; Jake Jacobs, 4-3-34.5; Paul Gunter, 3-4-36.2; Ray Webb, 3-4-35.9; Lou Pottinger, 1-6-40.3; Howard Cox, 0-7-27.8.

CLASS G MEN—David Gould, 5-0-40.8; Monty Roberts, 4-1-36.8; Ike McClurg, 3-2-38.9; Mike Fraley, 3-2-34.0; Odis Lainhart, 2-3-37.4; Pacer Tony Webb, 1-4-30.5.

CLASS H MEN—Mark Craig, 4-1-43.8; Ed Mason, 4-1-37.6; Norman Fraley, 4-1-40.2; Gilbert Strode, 1-4-33.6; Danny Webb, 1-4-32.2; Dwight Cook, 1-4-24.1.

CLASS I MEN—Paul Lee, 5-0-47.0; Don Schneider, 4-1-40.6; Larry Collins, 3-2-39.2; Archie Adams, 2-3-36.9; Neil Burden, 1-4-32.7; Ray Abdon, 0-5-27.8.

CLASS J MEN—Harshel Gilbert, 6-1-42.4; Don Ramsey, 5-2-39.6; Sam Lowery, 5-2-36.1; Byran Winkler, 4-3-33.5; Ed Plank, 4-3-29.9; Buford Doane, 3-4-26.2; Lee Works, 1-6-28.8; Jimmy Waller, 1-6-23.8.

CLASS K MEN—Mitch Duncan, 6-1-43.5; Ron Bender, 5-2-39.2; Wayne Neal, 5-2-33.6; Bob Hardesty, 4-3-36.6; Ollie Covington, 3-4-34.2; Brad Coleman, 2-5-32.8; Jerry Elliott, 2-5-30.6; Oliver Smith, 2-5-27.5.

CLASS L MEN—Bill Kenton, 6-1-31.7; Jerry Wright, 5-2-35.4; Fred Pizarro, 5-2-33.6; O. T. Reynolds, 4-3-29.6; Ben Burrows, 4-3-27.9; Miles Cooper, 2-5-24.7; Carroll Mathis, 1-6-26.5; Tracy Estes, 1-6-23.9.

CLASS M MEN—Jerry Elliott, 4-1-29.0; Cecil Bohannon, 3-2-28.5; Dan Webb, 3-2-24.8; Sammy McCombs, 2-3-28.3; Lee Portwood, 2-3-22.8; Ray Abdon, 1-4-19.8.

CLASS N MEN—Lee Wade, 4-1-30.3; Howard Cox, 3-2-29.3; Tony Webb, 3-2-22.7; Ronnie Thomas, 2-3-29.9; Howard Buckley, 2-3-22.4; Mike Williams, 1-4-22.0.

CLASS O MEN—Julius Willhoite, 5-0-33.5; Bobby Martin, 4-1-26.5; Mike Dowdell, 3-2-21.2; Jimmy Waller, 2-3-21.1; Tracy Estes, 2-3-21.0; Jim Peavley, 0-5-20.4.

CLASS P MEN—Joe Siano, 6-0-33.8; Joe Wartman, 4-2-27.1; Richard Riggs, 2-4-20.3; Odis Shockley, 0-6-20.5.

CLASS Q MEN—Randy Bullock, 4-0-21.6; Bob Snider, 3-1-12.2; Ken Barker, 2-2-10.9; Chidley Dunlap, 1-3-7.7; Pacer, 0-4-13.9.

CLASS A JR. BOYS-Brian Collins, 6-0-48.0; Barry Hurd, 4-2-34.1; Kevin Henn, 2-4-32.1.

CLASS B JR. BOYS-Chris Webb, 5-1-27.3; Jonathan Roberts, 4-2-23.5; Carroll Mathis, 3-3-22.6.

CLASS A JR. GIRLS-Danylle Nockerts, 3-0-11.7; Angie Malone, 2-1-1.7; Nikki Hankins, 1-2-1.7.

CLASS A WOMEN—Debbie Cooper, 6-1-64.2; Lois Webster, 6-1-65.5; Charlotte Kanbel, 4-3-52.2; Norman Johnson, 4-3-50.8; Trina Wallace, 3-4-57.2; Sandra Clevenger, 3-4-48.5; Kathy Nockerts, 2-5-50.6; Karlyn Kelley, 0-7-37.1.

CLASS B WOMEN—Shelby Cook, 6-1-43.9; Marsha Clark, 6-1-46.7; Patti Moher, 5-2-49.9; Rita Reis, 4-3-35.3; Bea Bottom, 3-4-30.0; Karen Rimer, 2-5-34.5; Bessie Lane, 1-6-35.3; Pam Boon, 1-6-28.8.

KENTUCKY STATE—(Continued)

CLASS C WOMEN—Barbara Elliott, 7-0-44.8; Carol Doane, 5-2-30.2; Marie Guthrie, 5-2-24.4; Gwen Sharp, 4-3-31.8; Beverly Baker, 4-3-25.4; Agnes Snider, 2-5-26.7; Mamie Clarkson, 1-67-17.2.

CLASS C JR. BOYS—Scott Henn, 3-0-10.0; Kenneth Barker, 2-1-6.0; Keith Malone, 1-2-2.6; Tommy Franks, 0-3-2.7.

RESULTS OF 1987 BELOIT, WI. CLUB DBLES-SAN. 85C53

CLASS A—Ed Crockett, Milwaukee, & Rev. Myron Schwanke, Milton—5-1; Don Goldsmith, Janesville, & Jason Goldsmith, Janesville—4-2; Bob Runaas, Orfordville, & Jerry Volz, Reedsburg—2-3; Jerry Schroeder, Janesville, & Red Ferguson, So. Beloit, IL—2-3; Sid Anderson, Janesville, & Bob Jackson, Baraboo—2-3; Brian Connell, Janesville, & Chris Kitti, Milwaukee—1-4.

CLASS B—Brad Davies, Beloit, & Herb Meyer, Rockford, IL—5-0; Bud Renley, Beloit, & Tim Mageland, Janesville—4-1; Nate Johnston, Janesville, & Dale Lokken, Beloit—2-3; Al Jorgenson, Franksville, & Verne Kennedy, Janesville—2-3; Ken Olson, Platteville, & Frank Look, Oak Creek—1-4; Fred Fegler, Racine, & Ron Kmieciak, Oak Creek—1-4.

dCLASS C—Harley Wickingson, Whitewater, & Rich Conrad, Pewaukee—5-0; Ken Lovaas, Beloit, & Larry McCutcheon, Pewaukee—3-2; John Klevgaard, Madison, & Ron Stevens, Elkhorn—3-2; Myron Paulson, Beloit, & Stipling Martin, Janesville—2-3; Harold Laws, Beloit, & Ron Ramquist, Beloit—1-4; Earl Paulson, Beloit, & Bill Oakley, Beloit—1-4.

CLASS D—Bill Nehls, Beloit, & Ken Austin, So. Beloit, IL—5-0; Paul Neumann, Oconomowoc, & Norm Beckius, Beloit—4-2; Duane Woodward, Beloit, & Vic Mortimer, Beloit—4-2; Terry Lokken, Beloit, & Aug Nelson, Beloit—2-3; Glen Brockman, Elkhorn, & Wayne Fry, Roscoe, IL—1-4; Ron Knutson, Beloit, & Daryl Hagen, Evansville—1-4.

CLASS E—Al Schliem, Beloit, & Dennis Hannwell, Beloit—5-1; Lloyd Konkel, Orfordville, & Ken Nelson, Beloit—4-2; Bob Mackley, Beloit, & Vic Paulson, Beloit, 2-4; Les Dane, Rockford, IL, & Duane Weikgelt, Rockford, IL—1-5.

Answers to 'The History Teller'

Gary Kline, Harry "Pop" Woodfield, D. D. Cottrell, Ohio, Barnyard Golf, Ted Allen, total points, George May, John Gordon, 1933, Carl Steinfeldt, Floyd Toole, 44, Jesse Gonzarles, Curt Day





April 4, 1988

Dear Friends:

On behalf of the Officers, Directors and members of the Iowa Hawkeye Horseshoe Pitchers Association we invite you to the State of Iowa and the City of Cedar Rapids for the 1990 World Horseshoe Tournament and National Convention. The IHHPA will be in California, this August, bidding for the 1990 World Tournament and we are asking for your support.

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WALTER RAY WILLIAMS WINS 6th ANNUAL HICKORY LAKE INN INDOOR TOURN.—NEWBURY, OH.—SAN. 21-88-003

Walter Ray Williams, Jr. of Stockton, California, posted a 9-0 (85.0%) record to win the Class A Sanctioned indoor tournament held on March 11, 12, 13 & 19 at the Hickory Lake Inn Courts located in Newbury, Ohio. Walter Ray also pitched the high ringer percentage game of the tournament, tossing 35 ringers out of 38 shoes, for a 92.1% game.

This was the 6th annual Hickory Lake Inn Open Tournament, and was held in memory of Rolly Cicirelli, a member of the Painesville Horseshoe Club, who passed away on July 1, 1987. Rolly was a devoted horseshoe fan and supporter and will be long-remembered and loved by his many friends.

Shirley Spiesman, of Painesville, Ohio, posted a 6-0 (°2.5%) record to win the Ladies Class A division.

Approximately \$2750.00 in prize money was awarded, in addition to trophies.

CLASS A—WOMEN—Shirley Spiesman, 6-0-62.5; Jeannie Manns, 4-2-58.9; Vernie Cicirelli, 2-4-45.6; Marge Spaller, 0-6-33.6.

CLASS B—WOMEN—Paige Pennington, 5-0-40.1; Mary Greene, 4-1-40.8; Sheri Dagan, 2-3-32.7; Debra Bower, 2-3-30.2; Lois Luhta, 2-3-27.7; Helena Morgan, 0-5-15.5.

CLASS C-WOMEN-Joanne Sopko, 6-0-30.6; Margie Palsa, 4-2-17.1; Eleanor Carroll, 2-4-12.7.

CLASS D—WOMEN—Lynn Shetler, 5-1-17.1; Gin May, 4-2-20.6; Julia Clark, 2-4-11.7; Marian Gee, 1-5-9.3.

CLASS A—MEN—Walter Ray Williams, Jr., 9-0-85.0; Elden Sarbaugh, 8-1-77.7; Mike DiMartino, 7-2-75.5; Steve Kuchcinski, 5-4-72.3; Oscar Manns, 5-4-63.1; Dale Dombrowsky, 4-5-66.6; Wayne Luoma, 3-6-67.5; Bob White, 3-6-59.3; Joe Mazzurco, 1-8-58.7; Frank Wiscarver, 0-9-51.6.

CLASS B—MEN—John Schmidbauer, 8-1-59.4; Donnie Roberts, 7-2-62.5; Jim Wavers, 6-3-53.9; Earl Vansant, 5-4-59.3; Frank Morgan, 4-5-59.45; Guy Wills, 4-5-59.44; Gene Rice, 4-5-58.3; Bob Lautenschleger, 4-5-53.6; Frank Hiendlmayr, 2-7-53.4; Tim Gould, 1-8-49.4.

CLASS C—MEN—Paul Carr, 6-1-56.3; Carlie Brotzman, 5-2-51.1; Dick Hutton, 4-3-50.2; Gordon Miller, 4-3-47.9; Ray Greene, 33-4-51.7; John Revack, 3-4-49.7; John Kovach, 2-5-40.5; John Lalley, 1-6-39.2.

CLASS D—MEN—Bob Allen, 7-0-48.7; Armond Fabrotta, 5-2-41.7; Bob Gray, 4-3-45.0; Wayne Baker, 4-3-35.7; Harvey Hayes, 3-4-42.0; Earl Severson, 2-5-35.7; Ken Fenton, 2-5-31.5; Dan Laforce, 1-6-37.6.

CLASS E—MEN—Jess Fenton, 6-1-38.1; Bud Loftus, Jr., 5-2-43.0; Walt Pierce, 5-2-42.9; Dick Zielenski, 3-4-40.0; Bob Jones, 3-4-37.7; Bob Allen, 3-4-37.5; Marv Donaldson, 3-4-32.2; Glen Dickey, 0-7-25.9.

CLASS F—MEN—Dick Spaller, 6-1-34.1; Dwaine Ringler, 5-2-33.3; John Beharry, 4-3-36.8; Chester Brand, 3-4-30.4; James Gee, 3-4-28.9; Bryan Schira, 3-4-28.2; Mike Grubich, 3-4-24.1; Greg Thomas, 1-6-19.5.

CLASS G—MEN—Merrill Crowe, 3-2-38.1; Lee Thompson, 3-2-36.6; Rich Wolfe, 3-2-36.2; Ron Bognar, 3-2-34.0; Neil Lynch, 2-3-30.0; Bud Loftus, Sr., 1-4-26.3.

CLASS H—MEN—Bob Fletcher, 6-3-31.6; Dick Lantz, 6-3-28.8; Harry Genske, 6-3-21.7; Lew May, 6-3-31.7; Ken McVicker, 6-3-28.1; Norm Skiba, 6-3-29.4; John Fuduric, 4-5-22.0; Keith Watson, 2-7-24.4; John Palmer, 2-7-21.5; Neil Bower, 1-8-14.2.

CLASS I—MEN—Dave Harper, 6-1-22.7; Jim Koller, 5-2-19.0; Fast Eddie, 4-3-22.6; Bob Ditmer, 4-3-16.4; Joe Peters, 4-3-13.8; Greg Thomas, 3-4-14.8; Bob McKinney, 2-5-19.2.

15th ANNUAL NORTHERN OPEN—POTSDAM, N.Y.—June 25-26

In Alemoriam

Within two weeks of each other, Southern California Horseshoe Pitchers Association lost two fine putchers and organizers, brothers Bill and Gene Van Sant.

Bill Van Sant, age 77, a long time pitcher and promoter of horseshoes in the Southern California area passed away on March 5th, 1988. He had a long history of heart problems. He was past president of the Baldwin Park Club and promotor of the Baldwin Park Open. Bill had been a member of the NHPA from 1960 thru 1987, with a lifetime percentage of 34.3. He received the SCHPA Sportsman Award and was inducted into the SCHPA Hall of Fame in 1981.

Gene Van Sant, age 65, passed away on February 19, 1988. The past few years, Gene has had many health problems, and this time he did not recover from surgery. Gene joined the NHPA in 1969 and served as president of South Gate Club, vice president of the SCHPA and was currently the 5th vice president of the NHPA. Gene was inducted into the SCHPA Hall of Fame in December of 1987.

These two brothers were very close in life so it is fitting that they be close in death. They are together again and now neither one is hurting. They will be missed by their wives, children, grandchildren and many friends. Our sympathy to their families.

Edward Pratt, a long time member of the Ohio State Association and the NHPA passed away recently. He was active for many years and his presence will be sadly missed. He is survived by his wife, Pauline, and other family members. The sympathy of the Ohio Association and that of the NHPA is extended.

FLORIDA ASSOCIATION TOURNAMENT ACTION

STIEMER MEM. OPEN—WINTER HAVEN—SANC. 5-88-036—CLASS A—Gary Gardner, 4-1-60.0; Leo Fitzpatrick, 4-1-57.9; Ed Risley, 3-2-53.8; Walt Deuster, 3-2-51.6; Bill Wicker, 1-4-50.5; Louis Bensinger, 0-5-50.0.

CLASS B—Norman Houchin, 4-1-48.6; Charles Dunlap, 4-1-53.7; James Wiltse, 3-2-49.5; Sparkey Hall, 2-3-46.1; Henry Hostetler, 2-3-50.0; Jim Hurst, 0-6-41.3.

CLASS C—Fred Wagner, 4-1-56.6; Ralph Cullum, 4-1-46.0; Luther Adams, 3-2-47.2; Philip Law, 2-3-50.9; Laverne Butcher, 1-4-40.5; Dale Miller 1-4-39.4.

CLASS D—Frank Ward, 4-1-44.7; Lavelle Hoban, 4-1-44.1; Joe Mayer, 3-2-35.3; Betty Dunlap, 3-2-40.9; Jim McCauley, 1-4-42.6; Del Notestine, 0-5-37.3.

CLASS E—Dick Senger, 4-1-37.3; Wayne Ballhagen, 4-1-39.4; George Connor, 2-3-33.2; Dot Slocum, 2-3-38.2; Mike Supina, 2-3-30.2; E. (Butch) Cummings, 1-4-33.0.

CLASS F—Bill Martin, 5-0-34.7; Len Murray, 4-1-35.2; Harold Roberts, 3-2-28.0; Carl Popek, 2-3-30.2; Stan Larson, 1-4-26.0; Elmer Branson, 0-5-22.5.

CLASS G—Bob Marshall, 5-1-31.2; Chet Law, 5-1-37.4; Harold Whitmer, 4-2-21.1; Harold Smith, 3-3-30.6; Jim Stair, 2-4-26.2; Howard Selle, 2-4-21.4; Norman Davey, 0-6-25.1.

CLASS H—Dick Espitte, 5-1-25.3; Floyd Conley, 5-1-20.3; Bill (Doc) Smith, 3-3-20.3; Ten Hansen, 3-3-23.6; Charlie Gerndt, 3-3-14.7; Dewey Frye, 1-5-08.3; gene Welton, 1-5-11.6.

RACE WEEK OPEN—SEBRING—SANC. 5-88-039—CLASS A—Bill Wicker, 4-2-61.5; Gary Gardner, 4-2-62.1; Norm Houchin, 4-2-58.1; Walter Duester, 3-3-56.4; Dale Dombrowsky, 2-4-62.5; Charles Dunlap, 2-4-58.2; Ed. Risley, 2-4-55.6.

FLORIDA—(Continued)

- **CLASS B**—Geo. Lovell, 6-0-60.2; Henry Hostetler, 5-1-48.8; Shade Watkins, 3-3-50.7; Willie Wilbur, 3-3-49.2; Jim Hurst, 2-4-48.6; Helen Eakins, 2-4-49.6; Wally Frank, 0-6-46.7.
- CLASS C—Betty Dunlap, 6-0-49.3; Dale Miller, 5-1-52.4; Phil Law, 4-2-48.2; Harry Alles, 3-3-46.5; Harry Brown, 1-5-40.2; Clarence Bowland, 1-5-44.9; Burl Huston, 1-5-37.4.
- **CLASS D**—Lovell Hoban, 6-0-54.1; Laverne Butcher, 4-2-49.3; Jim McCauley, 4-2-46.1; Walt Krieger, 3-3-39.7; Dot Slocum, 2-4-42.0; Omar Blacketer, 1-5-35.6; Wilmer Cummins, 1-5-41.0.
- **CLASS E—**E. T. Cummings, 5-1-41.6; Benigma Hall, 4-2-41.4; Norman Hall, 3-3-38.1; Rex Swinson, 3-3-36.8; Bill Smith, 3-3-32.2; Harry Bailey, 2-4-35.9; Pete Harris, 1-5-32.5.
- CLASS F—Chet Law, 6-0-36.9; Ray Morse, 3-3-38.2; Dick Senger, 3-3-36.2; Meril Anleitner, 3-3-33.9; Dennis Rahfeldt, 3-3-29.2; Herman Bbeebe, 2-4-28.9; Mike Supina, 1-5-26.8.
- CLASS G—Ken Boyles, 4-2-31.9; Harold Metzger, 4-2-33.4; Bob McDonald, 4-2-29.4; Etta Creighton, 3-3-31.4; Don Bridges, 3-3-32.8; Dick Espitte, 2-4-30.0; Wilson Burgraf, 1-5-32.5.
- **CLASS H**—Don Opdicke, 5-1-36.3; Rex Wood, 5-1-32.3; Floyd Conley, 5-1-26.3; Bill Lawson Jr., 3-3-20.2; Lawrence Violette, 2-4-18.6; Gene Welton, 1-5-14.2; Lee Palmer, 0-6-13.3.
- CENTER OF WORLD OPEN—BEVERLY HILLS—SANC. 5-88-041—CLASS A—M. Spray, 4-1-63.3; G. Gardner, 3-2-59.2; D. Dombrowsky, 3-2-65.5; W. Deuster, 2-3-53.7; N. Houchin, 2-3-55.9; L. Fitzpatrick, 1-4-54.8.
- CLASS B—L. Adams, 6-1-53.0; C. Dunlap, 6-1-55.1; K. Briggs, 4-3-45.2; B. Leavitt, 4-3-48.4; B. Dunlap, 4-3-43.8; E. Howdyshell, 3-4-52.3; L. Hoban, 1-6-41.8; R. Cullum, 1-6-49.4.
- CLASS C—A. Falls, 6-1-47.7; H. Wieser, 5-2-48.2; B. Ratcliffe, 4-2-40.9; G. Bush, 4-3-44.8; F. McCauley, 3-4-38.1; J. McCauley, 3-4-39.4; G. Nightingale, 2-5-36.6; E. Perkins, 1-6-33.9.
- CLASS D—J. Koenig, 6-0-34.6; D. Senger, 5-1-37.6; C. Sipp, 4-2-39.0; M. Grubb, 3-3-32.7; K. Rock, 2-4-27.7; K. Smith, 1-5-27.1; E. Fox, 0-6-22.4.
- CLASS E—B. Martin, 5-1-41.5; K. Alloway, 4-2-30.4; D. Straw, 3-3-35.1; C. Law, 3-3-36.0; H. Smith, 3-3-30.8; D. Rahfeldt, 2-4-28.2; M. Supina, 1-5-30.5.
- **CLASS F—**R. Patton, 6-1-34.9; B. Southwell, 5-2-35.7; B. Marshall, 5-2-28.0; V. Gray, 4-2-31.8; H. Smith, 3-4-29.0; R. Fradet, 3-4-27.6; E. Kirk, 1-6-19.9.
- CLASS G—K. McElwain, 6-1-30.0; B. Korber, 5-2-27.1; C. Kaercher, 5-2-30.09; D. Jancoski, 4-3-25.6; W. Dillard, 3-4-23.8; R. Espitee, 3-4-29.3; S. Dickman, 1-6-20.7; D. Barton, 1-6-19.7.
- **CLASS H—**H. Selle, 7-0-18.4; N. Davey, 4-3-24.8; R. Greer, 4-3-22.0; B. Ridge, 4-3-19.7; G. Gibson, 3-4-18.5; T. Hansen, 3-4-18.7; J. Steffen, 2-5-15.9; P. Folmar, 1-6-14.5.
- CLASS I—J. McClellan, 6-0-27.0; J. Lewis, 5-1-26.7; C. Gerndt, 4-2-20.8; W. Smith (L.H.), 3-4-21.4; G. Watson, 2-4-24.6; G. Chance, 1-5-13.0; C. Dickinson, 0-7-19.4.
- **CLASS J**—F. Spray, 5-1-15.6; T. Rodak, 3-3-16.7; C. Heyman, 3-3-16.6; A. Gritske, 3-3-11.0; G. McGraw, 3-3-11.4; R. Warner, 2-4-16.5; D. Frye, 2-4-07.7.
- **APOPLA OPEN—APOPKA—SANCTION—CLASS A—**G. Gardner, 6-1-60.2; E. Risley, 6-1-56.6; C. Albertson, 5-2-55.5; L. Adams, 4-3-51.5; B. Wicker, 3-4-51.2; R. Cullum, 2-5-45.4; T. Harrison, 1-6-48.1; J. Peterson, 1-6-46.4.
- CLASS B—A. Falls, 5-2-49.6; F. Ward, 5-2-43.9; J. McCauley, 4-3-43.5; D. Snavely, 4-3-40.8; J. Thomas, 4-3-36.9; J. Mayer, 4-3-36.3; L. Hoban, 1-6-36.4; G. Bush, 1-6-34.6.
- **CLASS C**—B. Wilkison, 4-3-36.7; H. Vanzantan, 4-3-40.3; M. Grubb, 4-3-34.7; G. Connor, 4-3-36.5; M. Supina, 4-3-32.1; D. Slocum, 4-3-32.6; J. Koenig, 4-3-29.9; K. Carson, 0-7-17.7.
- CLASS D—D. Straw, 5-2-35.4; C. Mellott, 5-2-36.0; B. Martin, 4-3-42.1; S. Larson, 4-3-36.1; K. Alloway, 4-3-32.5; O. Millenbine, 3-4-34.0; H. Smith, 2-5-22.9; G. Backstrom, 1-6-22.8.
- **CLASS E—N.** Perry, 7-0-36.1; B. Marshall, 5-2-28.7; H. Selle, 4-3-27.1; A. Kinat, 4-3-28.1; C. Law, 3-4-33.0; A. Estes, 3-4-30.7; K. Kaercher, 1-6-24.7; N. Barrow, 1-6-26.7.
- **CLASS F**—D. Jancoski, 7-0-26.9; J. Stair, 5-2-27.2; T. Hansen, 4-3-21.7; R. Wood, 4-3-23.2; J. Mahaffey, 4-3-20.9; C. Gerndt, 2-5-16.8; A. Bell, 1-6-19.6; D. Frye, 1-6-09.9.

ANNUAL SILVER SHOE TOURN-MAY 28-29-OTTAWA, CAN.

The 15th annual Silver Shoe tournament will take place at the Coliseum Lansdown Park courts in Ottawa, Canada on May 28-29. It will consist of Men';s Singles, Men's Doubles, Ladies' Singles and Doubles and Mixed Juniors' Open Singles.

The tournament is organized by the Ottawa Metro Legaue in cooperation with the City of Ottawa, Canada. There will be free car and trailer parking, but no electricity. Entries must be based on latest ringer percentages. Canadian rules will govern the tournament. Mail entries to: Ottawa Metro League, c/o Sue Brosseau, 2381 Walkley Rd., Ottawa, Ontario, Canada K1G 3H1. Ph: 613-731-0977.

HALF MOON BAY, CALIF. LEAGUE CLOSES SEASON-87C266

Half Moon Bay Horseshoe Club concluded its first season of league play. Forty-five members enjoyed a 26 match schedule. We had three person teams playing, 40 shoe, partners, 90% handicap, and countall games. With the cooperation of american Legion Post 474, seven sets of sand pits were constructed with a four foot cyclone and lights.

League champion was the team of George Brotherton, Maggie Marsh, and Bill Terry. League runner-up was the team of Brad Beardsley, Joe DeLucca, and Rich Hofsis.

Top pitcher—Bill Terry; high game—Pete Villa; high over average—Bill Terry; sportsman-ship—Charlie MacDougall; rookie of the year—Steve Sheppard; league and women's most improved—Magie Marsh; men's most improved—Rich Hofsiss; class champion—George Brotherton; class champion—Diane Goetz.

The season ended with an awards night, steak dinner, video highlights of league action, and a horseshoe pitching exhibition by Don Titcomb.

LOMA MAR, CALIF.—SANCTION #87C267—Loma Mar Horseshoe Club concluded its first season. Eighteen members, with a three person team, played ten matches of 40 shoe partners using a 90% handicap count all method. The league was held on Tuesdays at the Loma Mar store.

League champion was the team of John Skewes, Chris Schmidt, and Tim Parker. League runner up was Bill Campbell, Carl Dalcolleto, and Dave Webb.

Top pitcher—Jim Bruce; high game—Jim Bruce; high over average—Jim Bruce; sportsmanship—Ricky Fernandes; rookie of the year—Jess "Pops" Hipkins; men's most improved—Mark Hamor; ladies' most improved—Mary Ann Appleton.

HALF MOON BAY, CALIF.—SANCTION #87JR15—The Half Moon Bay Junior Sanctioned League concluded its first season with forteen members. 40 shoe partners with 90% countall, handicap was the format.

League champions were Jon Canja and Silvio Modena league runner-up was Ryan Murray and B. J. Terry.

Top pitcher—Jon Canja; top percentage—Justin Terry; boys' most improved—Silvio Modena; girls' most improved—Theresa Marsh; high over average—Justin Terry; high game over average—Justin Terry; sportsmanship—Colin Sullivan; rookie of the year—Ronnie Marsh; class champion—Jon Canja; class champion—B. J. Terry; scholar awards—Jon Canja, Silvio Modena, Colin Sullivan, B. J. Terry, Justin Terry, and Aaron Murray.

ANNUAL TREMONT, ILL. TURKEY FESTIVAL OPEN—SANC. JUNE 11, 1988

This year players are signing up earlier than ever before, and we expect new things this year. In case of rain on the 11th, play will be on the 12th.

We are limited to the first 48 who register and will be seeded to play. Clock plaques awards for top three places of six classes and 8 players in each class. Classes B-E-F will start at 9:00 A.M. and A-C-D will start at 1:00 P.M.

Entry fee is \$9.00 which includes score-keeping of 25° per game. Registration deadline is June 4. To register or get more information contact Loren Gillespie, 208 N. Harris, Tremont, 61568. Ph: 309-925-5038 or Pete Fawer, 309-925-5398.

SARBAUGH WINS HIS OWN OPEN (OHIO) SANC. 21-88-006

CLASS A—Elden Sarbaugh, 6-1-68.8; Glen Santee, 5-2-65.5; Law Miller, 5-2-64.2; Larry Justice, 4-3-55.9; John Martin, 3-4-63.5; Frank Wiscarver, 3-4-60.8; Rex Urigh, 2-5-57.9; Clayton Bonhum, 0-7-46.9.

CLASS B—Roger Beal, 6-1-54.8; John Hawk, 4-3-49.2; Jim Shipley, 4-3-48.8; Ottie Reno, 4-3-47.4; Bob Garrett, 4-3-46.06; John Pachuta, 3-4-40.8; Larry Shaw, 1-6-46.9; Berlin Strange, 1-6-46.9.

CLASS C—Bob Wyscarvber, 5-0-37.17; Stan Maxwell, 4-1-46.38; John McKee, 3-2-37.21; Avanelle Brown, 2-3-34.34; Tim Shipley, 1-4-25.63; Linda Shaw, 0-5-12.08.

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CLASS A—Walt Schmitmeyer, St. Marys, 6-1-59.7; Ralph Fleckenstein, Ft. Loramie, 5-2-59.6; Doug Crawford, Kenton, 4-3-51.9; Ed 'Sullivan, Lima, 4-3-50.5; Jim Cooper, Columbus, 3-4-49.5; Larry Thornsberry, St. Marys, 3-4-42.6; Bill Jarrells, Wapakoneta, 2-5-45.6; Jim McBeth, Elida, 1-6-39.0.

CLASS B—Roy Hunt, Lima, 6-1-47.6; Fred Lenhart, Belle Center, 6-1-46.1; Darrell Bowers, Delphos, 5-2-44.0; Terry Market, Wapakoneta, 4-3-45.2; Dick Honigford, Landeck, 4-3-40.8; Paul Dunlap, Cridersville, 1-6-36.0; Gene Sheets, Lima, 1-6-34.4; Virgil Owens, Marysville, 1-6-34.3.

CLASS C—Raleigh Batty, Lima, 7-0-33.1; Gary Market, Lima, 5-2-30.1; Jeff Market, Lima, 4-3-27.8; Harlan Atkinson, Lima, 4-3-26.6; Ed Bowden, Lima, 3-4-27.0; Ed Fredricks, Lima, 3-4-26.3; Wayne Wireman, Lima, 1-6-16.0; Karl Twining, Lima, 1-6-13.8.

CLASS D—Al Scheele, Lima, 7-0-24.1; Greg Twining, Lima, 5-2-17.8; Ora King, Wapakoneta, 4-3-22.3; Rick Twining, Lima, 4-3-19.4; Frank Mauk, Lima, 3-4-18.0; Wayne Smith, Lima, 2-5-19.4; Jeff Rigdon, Lima, 2-5-12.2; Barry Seyer, Bluftton, 1-6-10.2.

CLASS E—Ron Wischmeyer, Lima, 7-0-20.2; Dave McCluer, Lima, 6-1-20.3; Don Bott, Lima, 5-2-14.5; Ray Foley, Lima, 4-3-11.4; Norbert Wischmeyer, Lima, 3-4-6.1; Barney Koyhli, Lima, 2-5-14.0; Steve McBeth, Columbus, 1-6-7.2; Larry Prater, Kenton, 0-7.

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CLASS A—Art Sperber, Bremerton, 7-1-59.1; Barry Chapell, Portland, OR, 6-2-55.4; Barney Heller, Everett, 5-2-55; Dick Lee, Bellevue, 4-3-56.4; Bob Clark, Port Orchard, 2-5-48.2; Ron Dixon, Ferndale, 2-5-51.7; Ron Ferguson, Vancouver, 2-5-44.2; Brad Pederson, Bothell, 1-6-47.8.

CLASS B—Roger Christianson, Sherwood, OR, 7-2-47.4; Earl Joe Hardie, Spanaway, 5-3-47.6; Bill Owens, Mt. Vernon, 5-3-43.1; Bob Hoerner, Tacoma, 4-3-46.7; Jack Bush, Marysville, 4-3-44.7; Mike Thorniley, Olympia, 2-5-46.4; Ken Kuper, Spanaway, 2-5-37.8; George Richards, Edmonds, 1-6-45.7.

CLASS C—Les Lingel, Marysville, 5-2-41.4; Arnold Lunnum, Edmonds, 4-3-43.9; Harry Hedin, Kent, 4-3-37.5; Don Naas, Mt. Vernon, 4-3-36.9; Les Buchert, Seattle, 4-3-35.0; Verl Webb, Olympia, 3-4-39.2; Earl Kuper, Puyallup, 3-4-38.3; Bob Hughes, Burley, 1-6-35.7.

CLASS D—Bob Hansen, Lynnwood, 7-1-45.5; Bob Pederson, Seattle, 6-2-40.7; Chuck Johnston, Kent, 5-2-42.8; Mac Huson, Seattle, 3-4-36.6; Norman Hansen, Seattle, 3-4-32.1; John Alexander, Bothell, 2-5-32.8; Len Huson, Seattle, 2-5-28.2; Bill Van Egdom, Lynden, 1-6-28.5.

CLASS E—Orlean Clinton, Seattle, 6-1-40.1; Howard Oberton, Renton, 5-2-33.9; Roger Harrison, Seattle, 5-2-33.5; Cyril Kitchen, Tacoma, 5-2-28.8; Mike Miller, Seattle, 3-4-25.6; El Day, Blaine, 3-4-23.9; Ted Bostwick, Sequim, 1-6-26.4; Glen Titchenal, Seattle, 0-7-22.1.

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CLASS A—Art Sperber, Bremerton, 7-0-69.7; Dick Lee, Bellevue, 5-2-52.8; Ken Elvis, Bellingham, 4-3-55.3; Mike Thorniley, Olympia, 3-4-50.7; Ron Ferguson, Vancouver, 3-4-47.1; Ray Sexton, Hoquiam, 2-5-46.4; Barney Heller, Everett, 2-5-46.0; Mo McNally, Richland, 2-5-43.9.

CLASS B—Frank Easterly, Olympia, 6-2-49.6; Jack Bush, Marysville, 6-3-46.0; Bob Hoerner, Tacoma, 5-3-47.2; Earl (Joe) Hardie, Spanaway, 4-3-47.1; Arnie Coleman, Hoquiam, 4-3-45.7; Walt Weik, Spanaway, 3-4-43.5; George Richards, Edmonds, 2-5-32.8; Ken Kuper, Spanaway, 0-7-35.3.

CLASS C—Chick Johnston, Kent, 6-0-51.2; Bob Hansen, Lynnwood, 5-1-44.2; Les Lingel, Marysville, 2-4-40.5; Mac Huson, Seattle, 2-4-36.4; Earl Kuper, Puyallup, 2-4-35.8; Don Naas, Mt. Vernon, 2-4-35.8; Bill Stephenson, Silverdale, 2-4-34.8.

CLASS D—Gene Beach, Marysville, 6-0-45.0; Bob Pederson, Seattle, 4-2-39.1; Norman Hansen, Seattle, 3-3-36.6; Bill Van Eddom, Lynden, 3-3-36.6; Orlean Clinton, Seattle, 3-3-34.2; Len Huson, Seattle, 2-4-30.8; John Alexander, Bothell, 0-6-24.1.

CLASS E—Doc Cresci, Walla Walla, 5-1-39.5; Ted Bostwick, Sequim, 4-2-31.6; Sig Pederson, Seattle, 4-2-31.4; Howard Oberton, Renton, 3-3-21.6; Cyril Kitchen, Tacoma, 2-4-30.0; Mike Miller, Seattle, 2-4-28.6; Bill Edgecomb, Tacoma, 1-5-26.2.

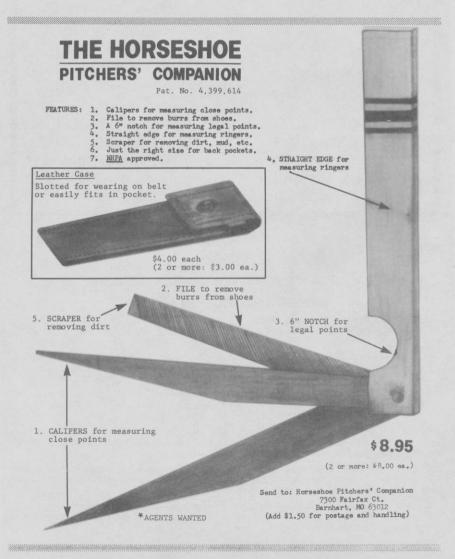
CLASS F—Jerry Pederson, Seattle, 6-0-26.6; El Day, Blaine, 4-2-25.0; Jim Quist, Ferndale, 4-2-23.7; Dennis Hardie, Spanaway, 3-3-22.5; Pappy Radford, Silverdale, 3-3-14.6; Lenny Richards, Spanaway, 1-5-13.9; Dick Oldfield, Mt. Vernon, 0-6-18.7.

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WINETROUT WINTER RINGER CLASSIC—EVERETT, WA. SERIES 6—SANCTION 4-88-006

CLASS A—Ron Ferguson, Vancouver, 6-2-46.5; Mike Thorniley, Olympia, 5-3-47.2; Bob Clark, Port Orchard, 4-3-48.2; Barry Chapelle, Portland, OR, 4-3-46.7; Brad Pederson, Bothell, 3-4-48.9; Barney Heller, Everett, 3-4-47.1; Ken Elvig, Bellingham, 2-5-42.7; Dick Lee, Belelvue, 2-5-41.7.

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CLASS D—Gordon (Doc) Cresci, Walla Walla, 5-2-40.3; Mac Huson, Seattle, 4-3-35.7; Harry Hedin, Kent, 3-3-35.7; Len Huson, Seattle, 3-3-35.0; Bill Van Egdom, Lynden, 3-3-32.3; Orlean Clinton, Seattle, 2-4-35.4; Norman Hansen, Seattle, 2-4-33.7.

CLASS E—Cyril Kitchen, Tacoma, 6-1-36.7; Howard Oberton, Renton, 5-2-32.5; Lyle Meuret, Everett, 4-2-37.3; Bill Edgecomb, Tacoma, 3-3-22.9; Mike Miller, Seattle, 2-4-27.8; Mike Ordos, Sumas, 1-5-21.2; John Alexander, Everett, 1-5-20.0.

CLASS F—Glen Titchenal, Seattle, 5-1-21.2; Lenny Richards, Spanaway, 4-2-17.5; Jim Quist, Ferndale, 3-3-21.2; Dick Oldfield, Mt. Vernon, 3-3-16.8; El Day, Blaien, 2-4-20.0; Pappy Radford, Silverdale, 2-4-16.0; Dennis Hardie, Spanaway, 2-4-15.5.

FIRST ORIGINAL HAWAIIAN TOURN—SANC. 25-88-070 NANAKULI, HAWAII—MARCH 19, 1988

CLASS A—Alex Rodriques, 4-1-40.0; Ben Fields, 3-2-41.0; Richard Spencer, 3-2-34.0; Harry Momoa, 2-3-30.0; Chris Koanui, 1-4-29.0; Robert Abad, 0-5-20.0.

CLASS B—Nick Avilla, 6-0-43.3; William Barrett, 5-1-30.8; Harvey Ahina, 3-3-20.8; Rachel Ahina, 2-4-24.1; John Dana, 2-4-12; Recardo Ancog, 1-5-18.3; Joseph Gomes, 1-5-15.

CLASS C—Alex Gourd, 4-2-28.3; Wayne Keliikoa, 4-2-22.5; Hyel "Pop" Ching, 4-2-21.6; Ernest Barrett, 4-2-20.8; Eddie Ko, 3-3-17.5; Charles Ahina, 1-5-8.3; Lionel Barrett, 0-6-17.5.

HEAD-OF-THE-MON-RIVER OPEN—FAIRMONT, W. VA. MAY 27-30—SANCTION APPLIED FOR

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MENS CLASS A—Gary Rickard, 8-1-47.4; Ray Johnston, 7-2-48.3; Ken Raymond, 5-4-44.6; Loren Hiller, 5-4-41.7; George Schmidt, 5-4-37.5; Darrell Perkins, 4-5-40.1; Bob Kerrick, 3-6-41.3; Don Clausen, 3-6-39.0; George Dowdy, 3-6-38.4; Gary Weeks, 2-7-37.7.

MENS CLASS B—Jim Duncan, 8-3-36.2; Jake Jacobs, 7-4-34.1; Ray webber, 7-4-28.9; Eldon Conilougue, 6-5-30.0; Terry Kelly, 5-4-35.9; Rick Hyterk Sr., 5-4-28.1; Ray Willoughby, 4-5-25.5; Jerry Christoffer, 3-6-26.9; Dan Burgess, 2-7-28.3; Bob Hibnes, 2-7-24.8.

MENS CLASS C—Don Jones, 12-1-33.2; Frank Teeples, 9-4-32.4; Rick Hytrek, Jr., 9-4-30.7; Richard Quilico, 8-5-30.6; Ralph Sjostrom, 5-8-26.9; Lee Roberts, 5-8-22.5; Kermit Jacobs, 2-11-19.2.

MENS CLASS D—Ray Sharp, 7-2-28.7; Harold Wolfe, 6-3-28.1; Bill Jones, 6-3-25.0; Richard Foster, 6-3-23.1; Don Pope, 5-4-26.4; Larry Hopkins, 4-5-20.3; Ron Harvey, 4-5-19.3; Marty Weeks, 3-6-21.3; Frank Maes, 3-6-19.1; Matt Laurunen, 1-8-16.3.

MENS CLASS E—Nelson Pope, 10-1-23.2; Rich Vandersloot, 8-3-20.2; Mike Weisenburger, 8-3-18.3; Bill Koehler, 8-3-16.4; Steve Maestas, 7-4-18.6; Bob Maestas, 7-4-16.6; Jeff Fox, 5-6-11.4; Don Riddle, 5-6-11.0; Tom Rush, 5-6-6.8; Curtis Bundy, 3-8-10.6; Bill Curless, 12-10-8.6.

MENS CLASS F—Ed Vandersloot, 10-0-11.2; Pat Bacus, 7-3-12.4; Ron Armijo, 7-3-9.8; Sid Davis, 6-4-8.5; Steve Sager, 5-5-12.0; John Brady, 5-5-8.2; Dan Bertagnolli, 5-5-6.4; Manual Rodeguez, 5-5-3.4; Gary Davis, 4-6-8.9; Leon Davis, 1-9-2.6; Ray King, 0-10-3.2.

WOMENS CLASS A—Gloria Willoughby, 11-1-43.0; Helen Showers, 9-3-33.6; Chris Rush, 4-8-23.9; Ruth Raymond, 0-12-14.2.

WOMENS CLASS B—Lisa Maestas Fox, 12-2-22.9; Susan Davis, 10-3-21.8; Pat Johnston, 10-3-18.4; Patty Sager, 6-6-9.8; Gladys Miller, 2-10-6.7; Pat Dowdy, 2-20-4.4; Judy Brady, 2-10-4.2.

SOTHERN CALIFORNIA—SCHNEIDER OPEN—FONTANA SANCTION 25-88-012

GROUP 1—Jerry Schneider, Anaheim, 6-1-69.3; Ron Simmons, Homeland, 5-2-68.6; Ed Arinous, Westminster, 4-2-65.2; Lupe Henry, Cathedral City, 3-3-59.0; George Whittemore, Rosemead, 2-4-51.7; Norm Cone, Huntington Beach, 2-4-51.7; Tom Didmon, Hemet, 0-6-46.2.

GROUP 2—Les Burroughs, Perris, 6-0-47.9; Bob Slaker, Hemet, 4-2-42.5; Tom Buck, Sun City, 4-2-40.4; Jo Vickery, Riverside, 2-4-38.9; Carl Wall, Hemet, 2-4-35.2; Dave Cervantes, Lake Mathes, 2-4-30.4; Manuel Garcia, Fontana, 1-5-31.7.

GROUP 3—Loretta Chaney, Monrovia, 5-2-37.3; Dan Cervantes, Lake Mathews, 5-3-35.5; Ron Pudwell, Hemet, 4-3-35.0; Smokey Anderson, Burgank, 3-3-35.4; Les Stewart, Hemet, 3-3-30.4; Jim Mudra Jr., Whittier, 2-4-32.9; Greg Simmons, Homeland, 1-5-26.3.

GROUP 4—Mike Fill, Fontana, 5-1-33.3; Jim Mudra Sr., Long Beach, 4-2-41.3; R. "Bear" Dunlap, Fontana, 4-2-30.8; Rick Collins, San Bernardino, 3-3-35.0; Roy Henry, Cathedral City, 3-3-31.7; Ron Running, Canyon Lake, 1-5-29.6; George Barker, Bloomington, 1-5-23.8.

GROUP 5—Ralph Carter, Rialto, 5-2-30.7; Ed Holden, Twenty Nine Palms, 5-3-29.1; George Offen, San Bernardino, 4-3-28.9; George Rivera, Riverside, 3-3-24.2; Roscoe Clark, Verona Beach, NY, 3-3-20.4; Don Peterson, 2-4-26.3; John Brawley Sr., Riverside, 1-5-17.9.

GROUP 6—Mike Banuelos, Fontana, 6-0-32.5; Tom Lawyer, San Bernardino, 4-2-27.1; Art Binkley, Barstow, 4-2-27.0; David Rivera, Riverside, 3-3-31.7; Chris Cervantes, Lake Mathews 3-3-24.0; Don McClafferty, Barstow, 1-5-22.5; Jeff Eason Sr., Barstow, forfeit, 20.0.

GROUP 7—Elmer Landis, Bakersfield, 4-0-23.1; John Brawley Jr., Riverside, 3-3-11.9; LeRoy Bailey, San Bernardino, 2-2-9.4; Ralph Krueger, Rialto, 1-3-5.6; Jeff Eason, Jr., Fountain Valley, 0-4-4.4.

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TOM BROWNELL OPEN—W/J % MIXED—SAN JOSE—SANC. 26-88-001—GROUP A-1—Diane Lopez, 6-1-75.3; Don Gregson, 5-2-76.4; Don Titcomb, 5-2-68.2; Billie Sue Pennington, 4-3-68.9; Jesse Gonzales, 3-4-74.2; Dave Loucks, 3-4-63.9; Jonathon Williams, 1-6-62.5; Jeff Williams, 1-6-54.2.

GROUP A-2—Walt Robinson, 7-0-62.1; Herb Rushing, 5-2-60.3; Eugene Bussard, Sr., 4-3-59.2; Marisella Mauricio, 3-4-62.8; Lou Fontaine, 3-4-54.6; Jim Mihura, 3-4-54.6; Chuck Seal, 3-4-48.5; Gene Bussard, 0-7-38.2.

GROUP A-3—Verdan Zelmar, 5-2-50.3; Boyd Walker, 4-3-52.8; Bill Brown, 4-3-49.6; Mel Roberts, 4-3-41.7; Bill Hines, 3-4-51.0; Marilyn Brown, 3-4-45.0; Jim Saunders, 3-4-44.6; Dan Bussard, 2-5-41.7.

GROUP A-4—Jack Fravel, 6-1-45.7; Holland Payne, 4-3-42.5; Gerald Hollman, 4-3-39.6; Emmett Schroeder, 4-3-35.3; Joe Sadowski, 4-3-35.0; Vince Mauricio, 3-4-40.0; Ron Cook, 2-5-32.8; Steve Kynard, 1-6-37.8.

GROUP A-5—Jerry Keys, 6-1-46.4; Doyle Palmer, 5-2-46.7; John Garcia, 4-3-42.8; Lee Van Dalsen, 4-3-42.1; Ken Brown, 3-4-46.7; Thor Jensen, 3-4-39.6; Otis Hubbard, 2-5-36.0; Ron Percy, 1-6-32.8.

GROUP A-6—Earl Kynard, 7-09-50.7; Dale Koistinen, 6-1-40.0; Don Muenchow, 5-2-40.3; George Wilfon, 3-4-29.6; Elton Cowles, 2-5-30.7; Fred Wood, 2-5-30.3; Barak Wright, 2-5-27.1; Genevieve Lavett, 1-6-28.9.

GROUP A-7—Mel Reeser, 7-0-39.6; Vern Gosney, 5-2-41.1; Jay Richmond, 4-3-37.7; Don Weaver, 3-4-37.7; Bill Chandler, 3-4-32.5; Steve Ebbage, 3-4-28.5; Bud Grisaffi, 2-5-38.1; Dick King, 1-6-32.5.

GROUP A-8—Bert Charley, 6-1-41.8; Rob Regalado, 5-2-38.5; Jean Ornelas, 3-3-36.9; Noel Guy, 3-3-35.4; James Ornelas, 3-3-34.7; Jim Long, 2-4-26.0; Gerry Saunders Sr., 0-6-29.5.

GROUP A-9—Gordon brown, 5-2-23.5; Tim Saunders, 4-3-26.0; Ron Mann, 3-3-22.9; Josephine Charley, 3-3-22.0; Jerry smith, 3-3-20.4; Al Alviso, 2-4-27.5; Bob Thomas, 2-4-18.7.

GROUP A-10—Bill Terry, 6-1-43.5; Frank Palmer, 5-2-35.0; Boe Lloyd, 5-2-31.4; Ron Thomas, 4-3-26.7; Marv Werner, 3-4-28.9; Ceres Perry, 3-4-21.0; Art Yount, 1-6-27.1; Jeff Pawloski, 1-6-18.2.

GROUP A-11—Leonard Wall, 6-0-32.7; Jim Morrow, 5-1-23.8; Dick Pawloski, 4-2-20.0; Richard Robbins, 2-4-19.4; Steven Nakamoto, 2-4-18.3; Norm Hagey, 2-4-09.4; Cathie Loucks, 0-6-18.3.

GROUP A-12—Sean McNalley, 6-1-28.9; Clancy Steinhoff, 5-2-13.9; Leo Wanner, 4-3-23.5; Steve Ornelas, 4-3-19.6; Elmer Wilson, 3-4-18.9; Chet Carter, 3-4-17.8; Joe Kovach, 2-5-14.6; Jerry Pawloski, 1-6-08.5

GROUP A-13—Elsie Reeser, 6-1-27.1; Travis Seal, 5-2-22.5; Cathy Palmer, 3-3-22.5; Marilyn Clark, 3-3-17.9; Paul Kovach, 3-3-15.8; Glenn Jamieson, 1-5-15.8; Tom Nakamoto, 1-5-12.9.

GROUP A-14—Oliver Smith, 6-1-12.8; Daniel Espino, 5-2-08.0; Joe Kovach, 4-3-10.9; Louise Seal, 4-3-08.5; Tom Changras, 3-4-09.0; Nicole Saudners, 3-4-05.7; Henry Clark, 2-5-08.5; Aaron Thomas, 1-6-03.8.

VINCE MAURICO OPEN—W/J MIXED—SAN JOSE—SANC. 26-88-002—GROUP A-1—Diane Lopez, 5-1-80.8; Don Gregson, 4-2-67.9; Billie Sue Pennington, 4-2-63.3; Jesse Gonzales, 3-3-72.0; Jeff Williams, 3-3-62.9; Don Titcomb, 1-5-65.4; Dave Loucks, 1-5-50.8.

GROUP A-2—Jonathon Williams, 5-1-64.5; Eugene Bussard, Sr., 4-2-58.7; Walt Robinson, 4-2-55.0; Harley Swander, 3-3-55.8; Marisela Mauricio, 3-3-52.5; Fred Lavett, 2-4-52.9; Gene Bussard, 0-6-45.0.

GROUP A-3—Mel Roberts, 6-1-58.2; Verdan Zelmar, 5-2-50.7; Lou Fontaine, 3-3-53.3; Herb Rushing, 2-4-50.8; Chuck Seal, 2-4-46.2; Jim Saunders, 2-4-45.8; Marthe Dunn, 2-4-35.4.

GROUP A-4—Bill Hines, 6-1-48.5; Dave Shelton, 5-2-49.2; Jack Fravel, 3-3-42.9; Dan Bussard, 3-3-41.6; Marilyn Brown, 2-4-45.8; Ron Cook, 2-4-38.7; Vince Mauricio, 1-5-37.9.

GROUP A-4—Marty Dunn, 5-2-46.0; Doyle Palmer, 5-3-41.2; Jerry Keys, 4-3-38.9; Otis Hubbard, 3-3-38.3; Ron Percy, 3-3-34.5; Lee Van Dalsen, 2-4-39.1; Joe Sadowski, 1-5-33.7.

GROUP A-6—Don Weaver, 6-1-46.0; John Garcia, 5-2-42.5; Bud Grisaffi, 4-2-36.6; Jay Richmond, 4-2-32.0; George Wilfon, 2-4-34.1; Steve Ebbage, 1-5-28.7; Genevieve Lavett, 0-6-31.6.

GROUP A-7—Bert Charley, 5-1-40.4; Mel Reeser, 4-2-40.4; Gerry Saunders Sr., 4-2-39.1; Dick King, 3-3-32.5; Glenn Kelly, 2-4-27.5; Noel Guy, 2-4-26.2; Jim Long, 1-5-31.2.

GROUP A-8—Alice Garcia, 6-1-43.9; Bob Jacobs, 5-2-31.7; Tim Saunders, 3-3-32.0; Hazel Tileston, 3-3-30.4; Rob Regalado, 3-3-30.0; Bob Thomas, 2-4-26.6; Gordon Brown, 0-6-21.6.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA—(Continued)

GROUP A-9—Frank Palmer, 6-0-39.1; Lillian Lloyd, 5-1-36.6; Bill Terry, 4-2-32.0; Marv Werner, 3-3-27.9; Art Yount, 2-4-24.1; Jeff Pawloski, 1-5-20.0; Ron Thomas, 0-6-19.1.

GROUP A-10-Jim Morrow, 6-1-25.7; Steven Nakamoto, 5-2-26.0; Barney Barnett, 3-3-18.3; Dick Pawloski, 3-3-17.9; Ceres Perry, 2-4-19.5; Norm Hagey, 2-4-14.1; Richard Robbins, 1-5-14.1.

GROUP A-11—Pat Bryant, 6-0-23.7; Leonard Wall, 4-2-25.8; Chet Carter, 4-2-18.3; Joe Kovach, 4-2-15.8: Vince Eisma, 2-4-15.0: Obie Winn, 1-5-06.2; Jerry Pawloski, 0-6-04.1.

GROUP A-12—Travis Seal. 6-0-23.3; Elsie Reeser, 5-1-23.3; Cathy Palmer, 4-2-17.9; Howard Bryant, 2-4-17.5; Gerry saudners Jr., 2-4-14.5; Glenn Jamieson, 1-5-15.4; Konnie Mosher, 1-5-11.2.

GROUP A-13-Marilyn Clark, 5-1-17.5; Sharon Saunders, 4-2-15.8; Tom Nakamoto, 4-2-14.5; Paul Kovach, 3-3-18.7; Shirley Jamieson, 2-4-13.3; Louise Seal, 2-4-12.0; Nicole Saunders 1-5-07.5.

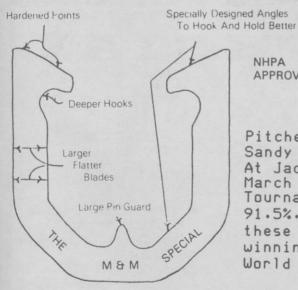
GROUP A-14-Roy Heyden, 6-0-11.2; Olvier Smith, 4-2-09.1; George Brotherton, 4-2-07.0; Aaron Thomas, 3-3-08.7; Daniel Espino, 3-3-07.5; Tom Changras, 1-5-09.1; Henry Clark, 0-6-07.0.

MICHIGAN WATER WONDERLAND OPEN—JUNE 11-12—SANCT.

The annual Michigan Water Wonderland Open Tournament will be held at the Best Field courts, 1301 Mitchell St., Jackson, Michigan, on Saturday and Sunday, June 11-12. It will be hosted by the Jackson County Club and will be NHPA sanctioned. NHPA card required.

The entry deadline is June 4 by mail and June 5 by phone. Entry fee is \$15.00. Class A pay added \$5.00 and Class B pay added \$2.00 at tournament. Make checks payable to the Jackson County Horseshoe Club. Out-of-state entries must furnish 1987 average with entry.

Mail entries to: Justin Perticone, 2437 Smiley Way, Jackson, MI 49203. Call for pitching time June 9 and 10 after 5:00 p.m. Phone: 517-782-7367 Pitchers must be pre-registered.



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In the singles event of the Big Island Open tournament held on March 5, 6, Wilf Donald of Alta., Canada, took first place with a 49% ringer average. Gordon Morreira of Maui took second with 46% and Ed Shaw of Kona third at 43%.

In the Doubles event, Wilf Donald and Myrna Kissick of Alta., Canada, garnered first place, Reggie and Stan Gomes of Kona took second with Robert Makini of Kona and Dick Mountain of Canada coming in third.

SINGLES—CLASS A—Wilf Donald, 4-1-49.0; G. Morreira, 6-2-46.0; Ed Shaw, 3-2-43.0; R. Mountain, 2-2-40.0; Kimo David, 2-2-34; Harry Momoa, 2-2-26; Robert Makini, 1-2-34; Myrna Kissick, 1-2-29; Reg Gomes, 1-2-32; Stan Gomes, 0-2-30; Frank Beatty,0-2-26; John Fragas, 0-2-22.

CLASS B—Sol Alani, 4-2-23; Fred Mamac, 5-2-30; Chris Koanui, 2-2-25; R. Rodrigues Sr., 1-2-19; C. Kaulukukui, 1-2-17; Kawika Rambler, 1-2-12; James Nagahiro, 0-2-16.

CLASS C—R. Rodrigues Jr., 4-1-27; Rachel Ahina, 5-2-30; Rick Ferreira, 3-2-19; L. Kamoku, 2-2-14; S. Spinney, 2-2-15; Mary Frank, 2-2-14; Rod Nahina, 1-2-16; Charles Ahina, 1-2-16; Lani Claytn, 0-2-12; S. Santiago, 0-2-7.

DOUBLES—CLASS A—W. Donald, M. Kissick; R. Gomes, S. Gomes; R. Mountain, R. Makini; S. Alani, K. David; G. Morreira, J. Nagahiro; E. Shaw, J. Fragas.

CLASS B—R. Campbell, D. Calles; C. Kaulukukui, K. Rambler; N. Kukua, P. Cabuag; C. Koanui, H. Momoa; J. Keka, P. Keka; F. Mamac, R. Rodrigues.

CLASS C—R. Rodrigues, S. Alani; R. Ferreira, Palani Gomes; C. Ahina, R. Ahina; Cindy Gomes, S. Santiago; M. Frank, L. Clayton; L. Kamoku, Dena Spinne.

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SATAN IS A WOMAN

By GLEN PORTT

I was in Florida pitching horseshoes in a mixed tournament and just generally wandering around. I sat down beside an old man who had a pair of horseshoes in his hand who appeared to be staring dejectedly at the ground. "Hello," I said. "I'm Glen Portt from Albany, Georiga. You don't appear to be too happy. Not throwing good?"

"Satan is a woman," he said.

"What did you say?"

I said, "Satan is a woman."

To those of you who have been to Paraguay, have struggled with the Guarani (the monetary unit of that country), and have heard of the Guarani Indians, this comment may come as nothing new as it is a common saying there. The Guarani Indians for centuries have always pictured Satan as a woman in all their drawings, art, and writings. But to hear this phrase in Florida on a horseshoe court was startling . . . to say the least.

"Why do you say that?" I asked.

He countered with a question. "Do you like to pitch with women?"

"I don't mind. That's just about the only way most tournaments can be run. generally, there aren't enough

women pitchers to make separate classes. How about you?"

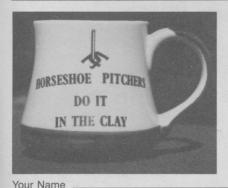
"Well, let me think about that one. I'm not sure. You see, today, I'm in this tournament right here, and this young, beautiful thing comes up to me, touches my hand, looks into my eyes with her baby blue ones and says, 'Oh, Mr. Jones, I'm so thrilled to think I'll be pitching you next. I just know you won't mind pitching me, now will you? There are so many of those horrible men out there who just don't like pitching with us. I know you aren't like that, now are you?' She squeezes my hand slightly, smiles into my face so sweetly, that all I could do was stutter, 'Nnnooo, I don't mind.'

"Well, sir, we started our game . . . and whether she pitched first or last, she always managed to get right out there in front of me . . . where I had to look at her walking just like Marilyn Monroe . . . couldn't help seeing her fine form . . and wishing I was 50 years younger . . . if you know what I mean. Yep, she was sorta distracting. Now I ask you . . . Who can pitch horseshoes under those conditions?"

"Did she beat you?" I asked.

"Beat me?" She clobbered me. Then, after the game, she comes back, looks up at me with those baby blue eyes and says, 'Oh, Mr. Jones, I'm soooo sorry you weren't pitching well. I hope nothing / did disturbed you.'

"Yes, sir," concluded the old man, "Satan is a woman."



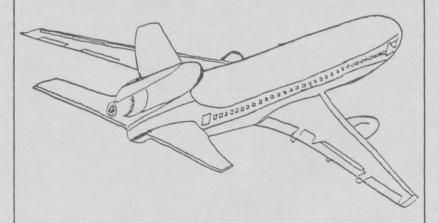
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COMING EVENTS

NEW ROCHELLE, N.Y. SCHEDULE

#1 May 7—CARL VON der LANCKEN OPEN

#2 May 21-ARMED FORCES OPEN

#3 June 4-WALTER BARKER MEMORIAL

#4 June 18-OUELLETTE OPEN

#5 July 2-DICK HAUSER MEMORIAL

#6 July 16-SID BERKOWITZ MEMORIAL

#7 July 30-BILL MacLEOD OPEN

#8 Aug. 20 JOE ZICHELLA MEMORIAL

#9 Sept. 10-DOMINICK P. SHARKEY MEMORIAL

All tournaments will be held at Dominick P. Sharkey Park, New Rochelle, New York. All tournaments are mixed (Men, Women and Juniors). Under 40% sign-in-time is 9:30 A.M. 40% and over sign-in-time is 1:30 P.M. No rain day. Entry fee for all classes is \$10.00. All entry fees will be returned to respective classes as prize money. Morning classes will play 50 shoe games. Afternoon classes will play 35 point games. Send entries for tournament #4 to: Leo Ouellette, 50 Westminster Road, Prooklyn, NY 11218. Telephone: 212-462-0604. Send entries for other tournaments to Brian Deen, 485 Pelham Road, New Rochelle, NY. Telephone: 914-576-0876. Entries for all tournaments must be received one week prior to tournament date.

EASTERN MONTANA SCHEDULE

May 29—Hall of Fame Open, Sidney, MT—Sanc. 3-88-011. Deadline May 22, Entry Fee \$10. Contact Gene Trudell (406) 482-2999. Nita (406) 482-1979 or Diane (406) 482-3334.

June 5—Mon-Dak Open, Sidney, MT—Sanc. 3-88-012.
Deadline May 29, Entry Fee \$10. Contact Gene Trudell (406) 482-3334

June 19—2nd Annual Trudell Family Father's Day Open, Fairview, MT. Sanc. 3-88-013. Deadline June 19. Entry fee \$12. Contact Paul Trudell (406) 747-5849; Dennis Trudell (406) 798-3427; Gene Trudell (406) 482-2999.

July 3—4th of July Horseshoe Extravaganza. Sanc. 3-88-014. Fort Peck, MT. Deadline June 26. Entry Fee \$10. Take the whole family to the lake for a weekend of fun. Contact Dave Riggin (406) 367-5392. July 10—Greater Culbertson/Froid Open. Sanc. 3-88-015. Culbertson, MT. Deadline July 3. Entry Fee \$10. All Ladies and Juniors are encouraged to attend. Contact Ira Jensen (406) 787-5531.

August 7—Ekalaka Open, Ekalaka, MT. Sanc. 3-88-016. Deadline July 31. Entry Fee \$10. Featuring Pitchers from Montana, South Dakota, Wyoming and North Dakota. For top notch competition plan on attending this one. Contact Helen Blutt (406) 775-6210.

August 28—Eastern Montana Divisional Open. Sanc. 3-88-017. Sidney, MT. Deadline August 21. Entry Fee \$10 & \$15. A B C D will be 12 man. All others will be 8. Classes contact Eastern MHPA officers.

September 3-5—MONTANA STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS. Sanc. 3-88-018. Sidney, MT. Deadline August 28, 1988. Contact Dennis Trudell (406 798-3426; Gene Trudell (406) 482-2999; Terry Carlson (406) 776.2312.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA. SCHEDULE

June 4-5 — August 20-21 — September 24-25

Send ringer percentage and entry fee of \$8.00 to: Herbert Murray, 1303 Clyne St., Parkersburg, WV 26101. Phone 1-304-428-5646. One week before tournament date.

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May 28—Singles; May 29—Doubles; July 16—Singles; July 17—Doubles; August 13—Singles; August 14—Doubles.

Sign up by 12:00. Pitch at 1:00 p.m. 1988 NHPA card required as all tournaments are NHPA sanctioned. Entry fee is \$10.00 per person. For doubles, bring your own partner. Contact George Manker, 217-245-7512 or David DeWeese, 1075 North Main, Jacksonville, IL 62650.

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IOWA SCHEDULE (Partial)

May 14—Spring warm-up—Delhi City Park Hwy. 38. Reg by 9:00. Play at 9:30. 16 courts, pd sc keep, 50 shoe cancel games, mixed classes except jrs, fee M/W \$5 jr \$3, trophies 1&2 plus \$1 each win. B'fast at 7AM, food localy, NHPA sanct, sep class for non card holders, John Michels 319-922-2592.

May 15—Cabin fever sdhootout—Crapo Park in Burlington. Reg by 9:30, play at 10:00. Cash prizes, 15 courts cancel games, sep classes NHPA sanct, fee M/W \$7 jrs \$5. Coffee & rolls, Dean Wehrle, 2001 Washington St., Burlington 52601, 319-752-2905.

May 15—Boone & Scenic RR—20th and Boone St. Reg by 9:30 play at 10:00. Fee m/w/jr \$7.25. Mixed classes. Pd sc keep. Cash prizes. NHPA sanct. Virgil Williams, Boone 50036. 515-432-5343.

May 22—Charles City's Spring—10 courts, Clark St. and Shaw Ave. Reg by 9:00 play at 9:30. Cash prizes. Mixed classes. Pd sc keep. NHPA sanct. Cancel games. Fee \$7. Mini Mart near courts. Sep class for non members. Don Brandau, 1900 Rolfing, 505-228-6168. Al Kuntz, 406 8th Ave., 515-228-2352.

May 29—Memorial Day Classic—Ellis Park Cedar Rapids, Reg by 9:30 play at 10:00. Trophy 1st, cash prizes rest (\$500 extra cash). 18 courts. Cancel games. Sep classes. Pd sc keep \$1. NHPA sanct. Food avail. fee m/2 \$10, jrs. \$2. Ronnie Burgess, 319-364-3852 or 4336. Ray Folev 319-363-9418.

Jun 4—Russell Fun Days—thomas Park. Reg by 9:30 play at 10:00. Cash prizes. 9 courts. Cancel games. Mixed classes. Pay own sc keep. NHPA sanct. Fee \$6. Food avail. Harold Garner, 535-6765.

Jun 5—Eldora—Courts 3 blks so, ½ blk W of Jct 175/ 215. Reg by 9:30 play at 10:00. 9 courts. Cancel games. NHPA sanct. Pd sc keep. Fee "A" \$10, rest \$8. Food close by Mo Lepley, 515-485-2321. Jun 11—Dale Dixon Open—Birdland Park, Des Moines. Reg by 9:30 play at 10:00. Trophy 1st, cash rest. 16 courts, Cancel games. Mixed classes. NHPA sanct. Pd sc keep. Fee m/w \$8, jrs \$5. Food avail. Dick Huitt, 2921 E 35th St., Des Moines. 515-266-3916.

Jun 12—Independence Open—Fair grounds. Reg by 9:30 play at 10:00. 15 courts. Cash prizes. Cancel games. Mixed if necessary, pd sc keep. NHPA sanct. fee m/w \$8, jrs \$4. Walt Bantz, 319-334-2230.

Jun 12—5th S.E. Ia. Club Tournament—Crapo Park, Burlington. Reg by 9:30 play at 10:00. Trophies & cash. 15 courts. Cancel garnes. Sep classes. NHPA sanct. Fee m/w \$7, jrs \$5. Food avail. Stoney Jackson, 1209 N 7th, Burlington. 319-752-3792.

Jun 12—Frank Jackson Open—City Park Kellerton. Reg by 9:30 play at 10:00. Cash prizes. 12 courts. Cancel games. Mixed if necessary. Pay own sc keep. NHPA sanct. fee m/w \$6, jrs \$3. Food avail. Barry & Pam Jackson, Box 125, Kellerton. 515-783-2430.

Jun 18—Ralph Bowen Memorial/North Central Regional Championships—Fairgrounds, Mason City, Hwy 18 W. Reg by 9:00 play at 9:30. Cash prizes. 12 courts. Cancel games. Mixed classes, Pd sc keep. NHPA sanct. Sep class for non members. Fee M \$8, w \$5, jrs \$3. Food avail. James Meyer, 515-424-4553.

Jun 26—City of Delhi/NE. IA Regional Championships—City Park, Hwy 38. Reg by 9:00 play at 9:45. Trophies & cash. Women \$50, 25, 10. "A" men \$100, 50, 25. "B" men \$20, 15, 10. Rest \$1 each win. Trophy 1&2 jrs. 16 courts. 50 shoe. Cancel games. Mixed if necessary, Pd sc keep. Fee m \$8, w \$6.50, jrs \$3. B'fast 7 to 9. NHPA sanct. John Michels, 319-992-2592.

Jun 25-26—Midwest Regional—Des Moines Fairgrounds. Tentatively scheduled. More info in newsletter.

MISSOURI SCHEDULE

May 21—15-88-103, Greater St. Louis Spring Outdoor Singles Open, St. Louis, Terry Declue, Carondelet Park.

May 22—15-88-104, Grater St. Louis Spring Outdoor Doubles Open, St. Louis, Terry Declue, Carondelet Park. May 21-22—15-88-105, Independence Spring Open, In-

May 21-22—15-88-105, Independence Spring Open, Independence, Bob Barnes, McCoy Park.

May 28-29-30—15-88-106, Crane Open, Crane, Eugene Carter, Crane City Park.

June 4-5—15-88-107, Liberty Open, Liberty, Wilbur Hodgson, Stacksdale Park.

June 11—No sanc., "Legends of Missouri," Columbia, Charlie O'Brien, City Park.

June 26—15-88-108, St. Joseph Open, St. Joseph, Jerry Griggs, Noyes Park.

July 16—No sanc., Columbia Open, Columbia, Charlie O'Brien, City Park.

Aug. 19-20-21—15-88-109, Missouri State Fair (Missouri residents only), Sedalia, Earl Winston, Fair Grounds.

Aug. 26-27—No sanc., Broiler Festival Open, crane, Eugene Carter, Crane City Park.

Sept. 3-4-5—15-88-110, Missouri State Tournament (Missouri residents only), Crane, Vicki Winston, Crane City Park.

Sept. 10—15-88-111, Greater St. Louis Fall Outdoor Singles Open, St. Louis, Terry Declue, Carondelet Park.

Sept. 11—15-88-12, Greater St. Louis Fall Outdoors Doubles Open, St. Louis, Terry Declue, Carondelet Park. Sept. 17-18—15-88-113, Independence Fall Open, Inde-

pendence, Bob Barnes, McCoy Park. Sept. 25—15-88-114, Ray Cavin Memorial, St. Joseph,

Jerry Griggs, Noyes Park.
Oct. 1-2—No sanct., Kansas City Open, K.C., Mo., Elwyn

Oct. 7-8—15-88-115, American Royal Open, Kansas City, Earl Winston, American Royal.

WORLD TOURNAMENT TENTING-PLEASANTON, CALIFORNIA

Arrangements have been made with the Alameda County fairgrounds officials for a tenting area within the facility. A \$20.00 deposit is required with your reservation and will be applied to the \$5.00 per day rental fee. The Fairboard does not permit OPEN FIRES at the camp sites. Send a check for \$20.00 payable to WORLD TOURNAMENT FUND to Marthe Dunn, 3263 Vineyard Ave., Space 122, Pleasanton, CA 94566. Arrival and departure dates requested, if known.

Coming Events-Continued

OKLAHOMA SCHEDULE

May 7—Clarence Leavingood Memorial, Woodward, 15-88-201, Chrystal Beach Park, Ronnie Frederick.

May 21—Garvin Morris Open, Vici, 15-88-202, Lions Park, Leland Johnson.

May 27-28-29—**N.H.P.A. Original Regional, Ponca City, 15-88-203, Dan Moran, Louise Abercrombie..

June 4—Enid Open One, Enid, 15-88-204, Meadow Lake Park, Jerry Holt.

June 11—Charley Bailey Open, Woodward, 15-88-205, Chrystal Beach Park, Lynda Frederick, larry Fordyce. July 16—E.C.H.P.A. Anniversary, Stattuck, 15-88-207,

July 16—E.C.H.P.A. Anniversary, Stattuck, 15-88-207 Firemans Park, Floyd Born.

Aug 13—David Guthrie Memorial, Woodward,15-88-208, Chrystal Beach Park, Lynda Frederick.

Aug 20—Okla. State Warn-up, Waynoka, 15-88-209, by H.S. Football Field, Bonnie Frederick or Beverly Born.

Sept. 3-4-5—Oklahoma State Championship, Woodward, 15-88-210, Chrystal Beach Park, Beverly Born.

Sept. 24—Enid Open Two, Enid, 15-88-211, Meadow Lake Park. Gary Maixner.

Oct. 1 — Czeech Festival, Yukon, 15-88-212, Mulvey Park Community, Chuck Arnold.

Contact tournament directors at least 10 days in advance of tournament for any special instructions.

KANSAS SCHEDULE

May 7—Farm & Home Show, Hays, City Park, 15-88-005, Jim Mortinger.

May 7—Wichita River Festival, Wichita, Linwood Park, No sanc., Rick Roles & Greg Dixon.

May 21—Coffeyville Spring Fling, Coffeyville, Walter Johnson Park, 15-88-006, Ron Allison & Vic Locke.

May 22—Holton Open, Holton, Lincott Park, No sanc., Lloyd Cattrell.

May 28—Hillsboro Open, Hillsboro, Memorial Park, 15-88-007, Delbert Peters.

June 4—John Ohenemiller Open, Wichita, Linwood Park, 15-88-008, Rick Roles,

June 4—Hays Open, Hays, City Park, 15-88-009, Jim Mortinger.

June 5—Leavenworth Open, Leavenworth, Hawthorne Park, 15-88-010, Bill Chester.

June 12—Roland Kraft Open, Topeka, Gage Park, 15-88-011, Sam Adame.

June 19—Atchison Open, Atchison, Jackson Park, 15-

88-012, Robert G. Booe.
July 2—4th July Doubles Tour, Coffeyville, Walter John-

son Park, No sanc., Ron Allison & Vic Locke. July 4—Independence Day, Hays, City Park, 15-88-013,

Jim Mortinger.
July 4—Chautauqua Open, Ottawa, Forest Park, 15-88-014, Charles Kaniper.

July 16—18th Wichita Doubles, Wichita, Linwood Park, No sanc., Rick Roles.

July 17—19th Wichita Singles, Wichita, Linwood Park, No sanc., Rick Roles.

July 17—Sunflower Open, Topeka, Gage Park, 15-88-015, Wayne Shelinbarger.

July 23—Ellis Co. Fair, Hays, City Park, No sanc., Jim Mortinger.

August 6—Coffeyville Open, Coffeyville, Walter Johnson Park, 15-88-016, Ron Allison & Vic Locke.

August 7—Doubles (Handicap), Hays, City Park, No sanc., Jim Mortinger.

August 7—Guffalo Bill Open, Leavenworth, Hawthorne

August 7—Guffalo Bill Open, Leavenworth, Hawthorne Park, 15-88-017, Bill Chester.

August 13—Tom Allen Open, Wichita, Linwood Park, 15-88-018, Rick Roles.

August 14—Tuffy Graham Open, Topeka, Gage Park, 15-88-019, Wayne Shelinbarger.

August 20—Inter-State Fair Doubles, Coffeyville, Walter Johnson Park, No sanc., Ron Allison & Vic Locke. August 21—Holton Open, Honton, Linscott Park, No

sanc., Lloyd Cattrell. Sept. 3-4-5—Kansas State Tournament, Wichita, Lin-wood Park, 15-88-020, Rick Roles.

Sept. 10—Hays Open, Hays, City Park, No sanc., Jim Mortinger.

Sept. 17—Members Only Singles, Wichita, Linwood Park, No sanc., Rick Roles.

Sept. 17—Horton Open, Horton, City Courts, 15-88-021, Jess Hobbs.

Sept. 25—Ottawa Open, Ottawa, Forest Park, 15-88-022, Charles Kaniper.

Oct. 8—Octoberfest, Hays, City Park, No sanc., Jim Mortinger.
Oct. 15-16—Porter Paint Open, Wichita, Westgate Fun

Center, 15-88-023, Greg Dixon.
Oct. 16??—Maple Leaf Tournament, Baldwin, Depot

Park, No sanc., Don McTaggart.

Nov. 19-20—4th Turkey's Open, Wichita, Westgate Fun Center, 145-88-024, Greg Dixon.

Dec. 10-11—Stocking Stuffers Open, Wichita, Westgate Fun Center, 15-88-025, Greg Dixon.

WESTERN MONTANA SCHEDULE

June 4—Thompson Falls. Sanc. 3-88-019. Contact Marvin Falk, Box 904, Thompson Falls, MT 59873.

June 5—Missoula. Sanc. 3-88-020. Contact Dave Peppenger, 1618 - 43rd Ave., Missoula, MT 59803.
June 12—Lewistown. Sanc. 3-88-021. Contact Clayton

Warner, Casino Creek, Lewistown, MT 59457.

June 18—Helena. Sanc. 3-88-022. Contact Jason Lipes, 2779 Winslow, Helena, MT 59601.

June 19—Deer Lodge, Sanc. 3-88-023. Contact Dale Witzel, 100 Kohrs St., Deer Lodge, MT 59722.

June 26—Chester. Sanc. 3-88-024. Contact Bill Gunderson, P.O. Box 523, Chester, MT 59522.

July 9—Billings. Sanc. 3-88-025. Contact Gary Roe, 2773 Phylis Circle S., Billings, MT 59102. July 10—Laurel. Sanc. 3-88-026. Contact Ray Hatfield,

420 Cedar St., Laurel, Mt. 59044.

July 16—Manhattan, Sanc. 3-88-027. Contact Phil Townsend, P.O. Box 86, Manhattan, MT 59741.

July 17—Butte. Sanc. 3-88-028. Contact Mile High HS. Club, P.O. Box 4242, Butte, MT 59702.

July 23—Simms. Sanc. 3-88-029. Contact Ray Olson, Vaughn, MT 59487.
July 24—Great Falls. Sanc. 3-88-030. Contact Mike San-

defur, 2307 7th Ave., N., Great Falls, MT 59401.

July 30-31—Seeley Lake. Sanc. 3-88-031. Contact Don

Larson, Box 285, Seeley Lake, MT 59868.

Aug. 6-7—Helena. Sanc. 3-88-032. Contact Jason Lipes,

2779 Winslow, Helena, MT 59601.

Aug. 1314—Bozeman. Sanc. 3-88-033. Western Mont.

Championships. Contact Jack Belzer, 615 Yellowstone, Belgrade, MT 59714.

Sept. 3-4—Sidney. Sanc. 3-88-018. Montana State Championships. Contact Terry Carlson, Box 82, Savage, MT 59262.



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