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There is a decided letdown in horseshoe tournaments this year ... or maybe they just aren't sending in the news to the Horseshoe World . . . it may be a little of both . . . war activities are certain to reduce the number of tournaments but probably won't interfere with neighborhood games . . . the Schultz Sisters come in for a feature story in an Ohio newspaper which is reprinted this issue . . . ever hear of chirstening a horseshoe court . . . read about it in this issue ... a good idea is suggested by a Denver tournament where the winners were paid off in war bonds and stamps . . . every shoe pitched was a slap at a Jap and a ringer around that well-known paper hanger's neck . . . let's have more of these victory meets and don't fail to tell us what you are doing to keep the game alive during the war . . . other clubs would like to know, we are sure.

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CONSERVE YOUR SHOES

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The nation's war effort has put a crimp in the manufacturing of horseshoes. Some firms have announced they have no more shoes for sale, while others still have a stock on hand.

The point we wish to make is that horseshoe pitching is a healthful recreation and one that may well be continued throughout the war if you do everything possible to conserve equipment.

Pitching shoes should be cleaned after each game. They should be put in a safe place where they will not be stolen. They should not be abused . . . but pitch 'em while they last!

OUR READERS COME FIRST

- In publishing *THE* HORSESHOE WORLD, our readers come first. The magazine is printed monthly for them and every article is run with the idea of interesting them. Suggestions to the editor for the betterment of the magazine are always welcomed.
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OUR PROBLEM — IT IS A REAL ONE By The Editor

May we share a problem with you—one that we feel interests you as well as ourselves.

The Horseshoe World has never been a very profitable magazine from the standpoint of advertising but it has shown a profit at times and besides it has served as a vehicle for securing orders for printing such as membership cards, scoresheets, letterheads, etc. which has been helpful to our commercial printing business. Therefore, we have continued the magazine under trying circumstances. We have paid out good money for engravings as we like to print pictures of horseshoe pitchers and groups. We have tried to increase the circulation to the point where it would help pay the freight.

Now the horseshoe game is hit by the war the same as every other business and sport. Steel must go to vital war production and not into horseshoes. When the present supply is used there likely won't be any more shoes for the duration.

We have been compelled—due to lack of news and advertising to combine two months issues in one. The Post-office Department objects and rightly so. When you pay for 12 issues you should get 12 issues.

What are your suggestions—would you pay \$1 for a magazine published every other month?

Or should we discontinue entirely until after the war?

We will welcome your suggestions. Send us a letter today!

MILWAUKEE MEET

Following are the scores of the Milwaukee City horseshoe tournament. There were two classes A and B. The six high qualifiers based on 100 shoe pitching played a round robin for the championship. The qualifying scores in Class A were:

			s. B		DR
Harvey Elmerson		24	5 7	2	28
Carl Pfeffer		23	3 7	1	25
Edward Schimek			9 6	7	23
Gilbert Rink		20	2 6	0	19
Michael Barachy		19	5 5	2	14
Gerald Welke		19	1 5	0	12
Erwin Bentz		18	0 4	6	8
Hal. Fredericks		17	5 4	4	10
John Bower		16	7 4	2	9
Harold Mathieson		14	7 3	6	4
The round robin	scores	of	A a	nd	B:
Class A Elmerson	W	L	R	I	Pet.
Elmerson	5	0	231	6	6.0
Schimek	4	1	195	6	1.7
Pfeffer		2	208	6	1.5
Barachy	2	3	203	6	52.7
Welke Rink	1	4	161	5	5.9
Rink	6	5	79	3	4.1
Class B—					
Filiput				50	52.4
Runke	4	1	128	4	11.2

Abrams	3	2	136		41.2
Fredricks	2	3	87	1	29.0
Heimerl	1	4	132		37.7
Lester	1	4	109	e e	33.9
Playoff for Class	B—				
Filiput		0	51	5	0.00
Runke					
The Class B quali					
The Class D quan	rynng		i.		DR
Chas. Runke					11
Rudy Abram					
Harold Lister	*	16	4 9	7	11
Robert Fredricks					
James Heimerl					
Frank Filiput		.15	0 3	6	5
Harry Lindwall		.14	9 3	33	3
Guy Glass					
C. F. Krizek					
Wm. Ekhart					
Dick Thompson		12	8 2	27	3
Wm. Theis		.11	9 2	5	3
John Brennen		11	5 1	4	õ
Edward Zunk		10	9 2	27	2
F. G. Daley		10	6 2	22	3
George E. Peters .		10	5 1	9	3
Kenneth Rink		7	0	8	0
The tournament	was	con	duct	ed	by
the Department of	Muni	cipa	al R	eci	rea-
tion. The tourname					
courts of the Auer	Aven	ue	Hor	ses	hoe
Club.					

Harvey Elmerson was in a tight spot against both Schimek and Pfeffer both players leading Elmerson with the score in the forties, but Harvey piled on some doubles and won both games. Carl Pfeffer could have put the tournament in a three-way tie by beating Elmerson in the last round. Elmerson left the peg wide open and Pfeffer needed a double to win but he got but one point and Harvey went on to win. Casey Jones beat Harvey Elmerson three straight for the state championship, averaging 83.4 for the games. I will send state scores soon. ERWIN BENTZ.

OKLAHOMA NOTES

The Horseshoe World is indebted to Ralph Randall, 708 S. Galveston, Tulsa Okla., for news from that state. He writes:

As a reader of your magazine I'm sending you some news from Oklahoma.

With the first half of the season gone here are the results:

	W	L	Pct
Alvin Dahlene	6	0	72
Ralph Randall		1	50
O. D. Johnson	4	6	37
L J Markham		4	34
E. W. Atchley	1	4	31
Wilbur Capner	3	4	23

In case you are in doubt about Alvin Dahlene, he is the same one who is State Champ of Kansas and was fifth in the National. He was working on a defense job here but has returned to Kansas now. We enjoyed having him with us although he was a lot better than any of us. It is an honor to see him put them on about 75% all of the time.

New officers of the Oklahoma Horseshoe Pitcher's Assn. are: President, Ralph Randall; vice president, Ed Johnson; secretary-treasurer, Robert Mosley.

CITY TOURNEY

The Springfield City Horseshoe Championship Contest was held at the Forest Park Horseshoe Courts, Springfield, Mass., on July 4, 1942, sponsored by the Springfield W.P.A. Recreation Staff, and supervised by Lewis La-Voice of the W.P.A. Recreation Staff.

The winner and champion was Gilbert Brinkman with 62%. The second and runner up was Edward Pomeroy with 60¹/₂. The third was Ralph Forrestrum with 59%.

EXHIBITION MATCH

Pvt. Vito Fileccia, Camp Lee (ex-New York State Champion) defeated Boo Henson, Washington, D. C. Champion 28-50, 50-34, 50-42, 50-25. Ringer Percent - Fileccia 76.9, Hen-

son 72.6.

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JUNIOR NATIONAL AND VIRGINIA A. A. U. HORSESHOE PITCHING CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Junior National and Virgina Horseshoe Pitching Championships were held in Richmond, Virginia on August 22. It was a successful tournament but the entry list was small.

Following is a summary of the tournament:

Qualifying Scores for 100 Shoes

Name Adress	Pts.
J. O. Gulbranson, Richmond	205
C. O. Jones, Richmond	196
W. H. Stone, 'Richmond	
Pvt. Grant Nelson, Camp Lee	185
Pvt. A. Schuyler, Camp Pendleton	180
F. B. Ducan, Richmond	179
J. H. Oyler, Roanoke	.172
Len Lewis, Richmond	
Pvt. J. H. Miller, Camp Lee	.157
C. N. Thompson, Richmond	.154
W. A. Eppedley, Roanoke,	.150
Pvt. A. St. Jean, Camp Lee	.145
Cprl. Wayne Adkins, Camp Lee	.144
Pvt W. Bryant, Camp Lee	.140
E. F. Cundiff, Roanoke	.132
M. V. Narron, Hopewell	.129
Pvt. Timbrook, Camp Lee	.121
Pvt. Theo. Hutson, Camp Lee	.107

JUNIOR NATIONAL SINGLES

	W	L	Pet.
Grant Nelson	7	0	62.1
Fred B. Duncan	6	1	47.4
Chas. O. Jones	.4	3	50.6
J. H. Oyler	4	3	44.5
A. J. Schuyler	4	3	41.8
J. H. Miller	2	5	34.9
W. H. Stone	1	6	39.6

J. O. Gulbranson *0 7 45.2 *Gulbranson withdrew at end of 2nd round.

VIRGINIA SINGLES

Name	W	L	Pet.
Grant Nelson	7	1	54.7
J. O. Gulbranson	6	2	54.5
J. H. Oyler	4	3	46.9
A. J. Schuyler	4	3	43.4
F. B. Duncan	3	4	49.4
Len Lewis	3	4	42.5
Chas. O. Jones			
W. H. Stone	0	7	35.9

JUNIOR NATIONAL DOUBLES (Elimination)

SEMI-FINALS Jones and Gulbranson defeated Pvts. St. Jean and Adkins 50-18

Pvts. Nelson and Miller..... bye FINALS

Jones a	nd Gulb	oranso	on der	eated	
Pvts.	Nelson	and I	Miller		50-44

VIRGINIA DOUBLES Semi-Finals

Jones and Gulbranson defeated Pvts. St. Jean and Odkins...... 50-46 Pvts. Nelson & Miller defeated

Ducan & Stone defeated Pvts.

St. Jean and Adkins 50-20 FINALS

Pvts. Nelson & Miller defeated

Jones & Gulbranson 50-40

SCHULTZ SISTERS PITCH IN OHIO

The Cincinnati (Ohio) Post recently carried a feature story with pictures of Caroline and Charlotte Schultz, whom many will remember from past national tournament days.

The story, written for the Post by Norine Freeman, is reprinted here:

The world's champion horseshoe pitcher is a woman. Her sister is runner-up for the championship, and both are in Cincinnati this summer.

In fact, three of the Schultz sisters are here. Caroline is the world's champion horseshoe pitcher, Charlotte is runner-up, and Helen is their manager. They live at 3557 Rosedale place, Avondale.

They started on the way to championships when they were youngsters in grade school, in Blue Island, Ill., near Chicago. Their father, John W. Schultz, was the best horseshoe pitcher in that vicinity, and he taught the

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children, his daughters said in an interview Friday.

"It was after we moved to Harvey, Ill., that Caroline won the world's championship," said Helen. "She won it first in Chicago, at the World's Fair of 1933, and has defended her title since, and held it."

Caroline's record is 98 ringers out of 100 shoes, and Charlotte's is 96.

"One of the first things another horseshoe pitcher will ask is, "What's your turn?" the manager-sister explained. "Caroline's is one and a quarter. That means that the shoe makes one and one quarter turns in the air before it rings the stake."

The champ does stunts with horseshoes, too. She can set up matches in front of the stake, light them with the first horseshoe pitched and put them out with the second.

Sometimes Charlotte lies down on

the ground in front of the stake and Caroline pitches without being able to see the stake, but she rings the stake as well as if it were in plain view.

Charlotte said she was under the care of a physician when she was a child, but that horseshoe pitching built up her strength so that she is as husky as her sisters.

"It is a good, all-round exercise," said Caroline.

They will be featured at the Cincinnati Club's annual outing Tuesday at Summit Hills Country club.

There are 10 children in the Schultz family, nearly all of whom have special talents. Helen left a good catering business, she said, to accompany the girls on a tour which she hopes will take them to Hollywood, but they will spend much of this summer in Cincinnati. Her cakes have graced the table at some of Chicago's most elaborate banquets. She made one cake crowned with a miniature merry-goround which really whirled around, yet every part of it was edible.

Caroline's twin brother, Charles, just gave up his orchestra in Chicago to join the Army Air Corps, the girls said, and he visited them here last week-end before going to camp. Another brother, Herbie, took over the orchestra, (which he sold out to Charles) and Gus, another brother, and his wife both play in the orchestra.

Frances, a younger sister, is a singer and dancer, and Charlotte sometimes leaves her horseshoe pitching to sing and dance with Frances for a few weeks on tour. She returned last week from one such tour, which began Feb. 2.

HIT, BUT GOING ON

Raymond E. Adams, secretary-treasurer of the Maine Horseshoe Pitchers Association writes that Maine has been hard hit so far as horseshoe pitching due to so many being in the armed forces or defense activities and with rationing of gas and rubber on the Eastern seaboard.

"We are doing all we can," he writes, "and have had a few tournaments."

Subscriptions to the Horseshoe World are given as prizes in some of the tournaments.

CHAMP SIGNS UP

In comes a subscription from William Crofut, Shelton, Conn., who has held the championship in that state through the years 1938-41.

STILL INTERESTED

We hear from E. M. Merchant of Louisville, Ky., now and then. He is still very much interested in horseshoe pitching.

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THE BUCKEYE STATE HORSESHOE PITCHER'S ASSN. 6208 Quimby Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio

President:	Mr. C. A. Benedict, Johnstown, Ohio.
	Mr. Fred M. Brust, Columbus, Ohio.
Treasurer:	Mr. Andrew Stolarik, 1612 E. Tuscarawas Avenue, Kenton.
Secretary:	Mr. D. O. Chess, Cleveland, Ohio.

District Commissioner's and All Horseshoe Pitchers

It is the sincere desire of your State Officers that you communicate the following to all Pitchers in your respective districts on ours as well as your own behalf as follows:

"We have been for '10 years or more' and still championing the cause of all horseshoe pitchers in Ohio and everywhere by including the "closeshoe" points as well as "ringer" points in the "point" scoring column, in order that all players be treated alike in this respect regardless of their ability as ringer-pitchers.

Through this effort on our part the National Association has understood the meaning of this principle and its effects and have changed the National Rules making the "cancel-method" mandatory only for National and Sectional tournaments, thereby letting the bars down and permitting the counting of all points earned in the scoring column in all other activities whether they be made "close-shoe" or "ringer" points.

It should be readily seen and understood by all that we are interested in all players whether they be beginners or the top-flight artists in order that all pitchers be treated alike in the scoring column and that their support be assured by obtaining their state as well as national cards. Cost of state card beginning this year is one dollar each, and national card fifty cents this year and beginning January 1, 1943, will be one dollar and from the action taken by the National Association on playing rules it may be reasonable to believe that it will be only a matter of time until they will eliminate the cancel-method entirely from the Rules, thereby uniting all players behind the sport in matter of support assuring success in the matter of making it financially self-supporting forever thereafter.

We sincerely believe the lack of the above principles in "point" scoring is the "real" reason why all players have never become united in the support of this grand old sport all these past years, and, of course, has served as a stone wall against it becoming selfsupporting thus far."

With the above information pointing toward a new day for the horseshoe

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pitchers and the sport in general we urge that all Ohio players support both our State and the National association. Galion is having a struggle "for financial reasons" in putting our 1942 state tournament across and needs this support badly. We have supreme faith in the sportsmanship of Ohio players and urge that they all live up to the faith we place in them by sending in their dues to State Secretary at above address quickly as possible, doing so either individually or in groups for the much needed encouragement needed "especially" by Galion this year, as time is getting short until Labor Day. No truer words were ever spoken than these: "United we stand and divided we fall." Kindly do not put off longer to send in your dues. We are sincerely and always

Yours truly.

D. O. CHESS, Secretary

The Buckeye State Horseshoe Pitcher's Association.

VICTORY MEET IS WON BY DECKER

The Rocky Mountain News recently sponsored a Victory Horseshoe Tournament in Denver, Colo., paying off in war bonds instead of cash.

Bob Decker was the winner in the Class A meet. He received a \$25 war bond and Frank Derby was awarded \$5 in war stamps for taking top honors in the Class B meet.

Decker, who qualified high man in the finals, was hard pressed by Orville Lauer of Greeley. Lauer finished second with six wins against one defeat, losing only to Decker.

The other Class A qualifiers finished as follows: Charley Urich, Greeley, 6-1; Walt Demarest, Greeley, 3-4; Sgt. Les Eaton, Lowry Field, 3-4; Sgt. Eino Tiilikianen, Lowry Field, 2-5; Oscar Cash, Arriba, 2-5, and W. Hubbell, Henderson, 0-7.

George Webber of Greeley too runnerup honors in Class B. Carl Woods, Denver, was third; S. Carpio, Greeley, fourth; R. Worthen, Denver, fifth; H. Schilb, Denver, sixth; Pat Murphy, Greeley, seventh, and Herb Flint, Denver, eighth.

GET 'EM PITCHIN'! KEEP 'EM PITCHIN'! AND PITCH YOUR-SELF!

ST. PAUL NOTES

Just to remind you that the St. Paul Municipal Horseshoe association is still doing business at the old stand war or no war. Owing to the world's difficulties our organization through same, has lost many good players for actual war duties. Others are engaged in production of war materials so vital to a real spanking of the three bad men, Hitler, Mussolini, and the Jap tyrant Hirohito. But for all of that the slingers are doing pretty well. In class A with eight clubs and about 36 or 38 players playing Tuesday evening were 13 players averaging better than 50% ringers, and that is not so bad. And so far about 2000 shoes pitched by each player.

Our leading slinger Sherman Sadowsky has been going to town lately, as on July 21st he had 140 ringers in 200 shoes, and on the 28th of July came sailing home with 44 R 16 DR the first 50 shoes and on the next three 50 shoes pitched 37 ringers each time, a total of 152 R or 76%. And so far a season total of better than 60%. Carl West, Hauge and Schwartzbour are right behind him, and the old man gets a big kick out of watching the boys perform on the splendid 16 courts each Tuesday evening.

And speaking of horseshoe courts, the St. Paul parks and play ground certainly did not spare any material or effort in building these splendid courts—16 courts in line and just room for four more at the east end making a total of 20 regulation courts. So what about your National association and players come up to the city of St. Paul with your next national tournament, and rest assured we will all be there to welcome you.

ANDY MOEHN,

661 Holly Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

RUNNER UP TO STATE CHAMPION

Lefty Litcomb was runner up to State Champion Zimmerman in the California meet. Zimmerman had a 77% record for the 15 games played and Lefty had a 75% record.

HANDS ACROSS NATION

Jim Henderson of Santa Cruz, Calif., sent a bottle of Pacific Ocean water to "Pop" Woodfield, National President, which was used in christening a new horseshoe court in Washington, D. C. Depend on these two horseshoe enthusiasts to think up such a novel idea.

NEED PRINTING? LET THE HORSESHOE WORLD DO IT

FRIEND IN CAMP? SEND THE HORSESHOE WORLD TO HIM

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NEBRASKA NEWS

The Greater Omaha Horseshoe League enjoyed its best season this year. There were six teams and they played three round robins of fifteen games each finishing as follows:

Palmer	Hatters	13	2
Holmes	Recreation	8	7
Van Ave	ery Sporting Gds	7	8
Coney I	sland	6	9
Paxton	Mitchell	6	9
Horwich	Jewelers	5	10

The players took part in 720 games for the season throwing 31,606 ringers out of 61,678 shoes for an average of .512. Players standings for the year were as follows:

	W	L	Pet.
Glen Wagner		7	.729
Marvin Schoonover		7	.662
B. Vandas		11	,620
W. James		10	.612
J. Duros	35	13	.588
B. Duros		7	.567
J. Foster	30	16	.554
B. Duros J. Foster R. Arganbright	17	11	.537
J. Dolan G. Duros B. Ambert L. Raschke		23	.523
G. Duros	24	24	.519
B. Ambert	30	26	.519
L. Raschke		26	.498
W. Wolf	9	22	.434
A. Hardnock	9	22	.434
C. Vandas		38	.427
M. Watts	16	28	.469
E. Williams			
D. O'Connor	6	29	.399
D. O'Connor	8	24	.389
N. Vreeland	10	33	.384
C. Spidle	6	23	.377
L. Davis		35	.374

The open tournament was held July 26th while not attracting as many players as last year class A. was a little better in ringer average. Glen Wagner was the winner for the second time winning all eight games without a single defeat with an average of .753, second Bill Vandas a lad of 18 won 6 lost 2 with ringer percentage of .639, third was W. James won 5 lost 3 ringer percentage of .636, fourth was M. Schoonover won 4 lost 4 ringer percentage .640

The city tournament on Aug. 23rd found Glen Wagner replacing M. Schoonover as champion when he won all 8 games with out a loss. Schoonover was second winning 6 losing 2, third was J. Duros with 5 wins against 3 lost fourth was Joe Foster with the same record in games won and lost but Duros was a shade better in points scored. Class B. final found B. Ambert and Jas. Dolan tied each winning 4 losing 1, Ambert won the playoff with L. Rasche in third spot with 3 wins 2 lost. Danny O'Connor

with three wins, third Leo Davis with same record but not enough points. G'Connor is a mere grade school boy not yet 16 years old and shows promise of being a leader later.

There were a good many outstanding games played but the one nearest o be perfect was pitched by Glen Wagner against W. Wolf. Glen threw 29 ringers needless to say this game was Wags all the way. L. Raschke and B. Duros pitched 106 shoes in a league game while not as high in percentage each was over 50%, Raschke was the winner by 1 point.

This is all for the year 1942 we are willing to play any team a match by mail that will write to Bill Vandas, 3051 So. 32nd, Omaha, Nebr.

POPULAR SPORT

Plattsburg, N. Y. - For over a month now persons passing by the Clinton county buildings on Margaret street during the noon hour may have had occasion to wonder at the steady clink of steel against steel. A short trip to the rear of the county jail soon solves the mystery. A dozen or more men may be found busily engaged in the arts of horseshoe pitching, formerly referred to as "barnyard golf."

Among those likely to be in the group are Otis Brothers, John Mannix, Frank Savery, James Carrow, William Thompson, Herbert Sorrell, Oscar N. Beauharnois and Stephen A. Crary.

The ace of the group is James Carrow, a civil service employee at Plattsburg Barracks, who has represented Clinton county in the American Agriculturist horseshoe pitching tournament at the Syracuse State fair several different times. Frank Savery, a retired business man is the oldest man of the group, being in his eighties. However, Savery takes a back seat to few of the "youngsters" when the shoes are in action.

PITCHES WITH ALLEN

Carl Steinfeldt, son of Frank Steinfeldt, of Rochester, N. Y., pitched several games with Ted Allen when the ex-champ appeared with a rodeo in Rochester recently. He bested Allen one game out of five.

PRAISES NORWOOD

A letter from Roy W. Cobb of Cincinnati has high praise for the Norwood horseshoe courts.

Some of his horseshoe buddies are Nathan Culp, Frank Zimmerman, Clifford Ryan, Alvin Markhoefer, Arthur Gray and Louis Neitheide.

Cobb is employed by the Gibson Art Co.

PITCH OFFICIAL HORSESHOES!



Seeks Tournament Play

Dear Sirs: Enclosed is one dollar for subscription to the Horseshoe World. I have just bought a new set of horseshoes and find they are very good. I would be interested in any horseshoe tournaments that are taking place, especially around Ulster county or thereabouts. I have had experience in tournaments before having placed second in Rockland county's tournament in 1937 at Pearl River, New York and in 1938 winning the Rockland amateur open tournament at Pearl River, New York, so please let me know if you have a tournament this month. Yours truly,

SCOTT McCLELLAND,

Beatty Dairy Farm, Kingston, N. Y. × × ×

Putt Mossman's Sister Writes

Newark, N. J., Aug. 20, 1942 Dear Mr. Howard - Thanks very much for the June and-July issue of the horseshoe world. That was a very

interesting write-up concerning my brother and myself. I joined the Forest Hill Horseshoe

club here in Newark and want to say that I have pitched in a lot of diferent clubs throughout the United States and they have some of the finest bunch of fellows you would ever want to meet and have lovely clay courts.

I have been working in the (name of plant censored) for two years. Now on a lathe making parts for the flying instruments. I do very fine work and have to have very good eyesight and steady nerves. Three or four nights a week I play horseshoes to keep myself in trim, as I sit down all day and if it wasn't for the wholesome exercise of horseshoes, I am afraid I would get very sluggish.

I pitch against Bill Kolb the New Jersey state champion and want to say he is one of the steadiest pitchers I have ever run across and a fine sport. I hope to see him pitch against the World Champ some day. He is also a member of the Forest Hill Horseshoe club.

My whole family is horseshoe minded, including three brothers, dad and my husband.

Bill Kolb and myself have pitched many a 50 point game with both of us throwing 80% and one game a couple of weeks ago I threw 86% and he threw 88%.

By the way, Ruth Allen whom you (Continued on Page 6)

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

(Continued from Page 5) mentioned in your June and July issue probably is the best woman pitcher at 40 feet, that is what she pitches, but the Schultz sisters like myself pitch 30 feet, the regulation distance for women. Carolyn Schultz is no doubt one of the best woman horseshoe pitchers in the country and I agree with Mr. Marsh of the Norwood club that she is like a machine. I remember in 1934 at Firestone field I threw 86% against her and she still won.

My hat's off to the Schultz sisters and wish more women would get interested in pitching as it is a wonderful sport.

DESSIE GRANT, 80 Montclair Ave. Newark, N. J.

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