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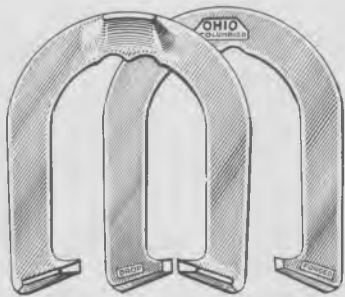
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### ELKINS WINS TOURNEY

The Newton and McDonald counties championship was won this year by John Elkins, of Stella, Mo., in the

John Elkins, Stella .....	8	0	400	317	104	522	.607
Sidney Plott, Anderson .....	7	1	388	318	96	494	.644
Maynard Rose, Neosho.....	5	2	304	242	68	430	.563
"Doc" Owsley, Neosho.....	4	2	268	198	65	324	.611
Chas. Millender, Neosho.....	3	5	263	193	40	466	.414
"Blue" Harmon, Neosho.....	2	5	290	223	54	444	.502
Sam Smith, Neosho .....	2	6	322	356	91	630	.565
Jim Daniels, Neosho.....	2	6	216	171	30	460	.372
Keith Main, Neosho.....	1	7	256	166	25	468	.355

The game between Elkins and Plott was a record for this tournament in number of ringers. It resulted as

annual tournament at Neosho, Mo., on September 29th. Sidney Plott, last year's champion, finished second. The finish in Class A was as follows:

W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct.
Elkins	.....	50	70	26	100	.700
Plott	.....	38	67	22	100	.670

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Grays Harbor Horseshoe club, the furthest western club in the United States, concluded their third successful season of horseshoe activity. Nineteen thirty-four officers: Earl W. Davis, president; Fay Collver, vice president; Arthur Liedes secretary.

Sixty players competed in competition establishing champions: County singles, Fay Collver on 67.2 per cent ringers; county doubles, Paul Johnson and Arthur Liedes. The trio, Herbert Richardson, Albert Franciscovich and Paul Johnson annexed the ten three-man team league title. Club championship Arthur Liedes.

Annual affairs on the club's calendar include the club anniversary, summer horseshoe league, county tournament and numerous tourneys of all descriptions. All horseshoe results are published daily in the local newspapers. A battery of six lanes in the beautiful Roosevelt Park in Aberdeen, Washington, is open all the year round for visitors.

An annual selection of Grays Harbor County all-star slipper tossers as given out by the Grays Harbor Horseshoe club follow. The selections are based on season ringer percentage and games played.

**First Team**

	Pct.	G
Fay Collver, Aberdeen .....	65.8	60
Arthur Liedes, Aberdeen.....	54.9	77

C. Poindexter, Aberdeen.....	48.3	56
Ed Wetzel, Hoquiam .....	46.2	44
Arvi Liukko, Aberdeen.....	46.0	56
James Davis, Aberdeen.....	44.7	64

**Second Team**

Bob Nelson, Aberdeen.....	44.5	50
Earl Davis, Cosmopolis.....	43.1	55
Paul Johnson, Aberdeen.....	42.8	63
H. Richardson, Aberdeen.....	39.6	44
A. Francovich, Aberdeen.....	40.3	48
J. Haunreiter, Hoquiam.....	37.2	32

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 \* NEW JERSEY NEWS \*  
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The annual meeting of the New Jersey Horseshoe Pitchers' association was held in Newark, N. J., October 7th. The following officers were elected: President, W. E. Santoro, Newark; first vice president, Paul Puglise, Paterson; second vice president, D. E. Brown, Camden; secretary-treasurer, R. Santoro, Perth Amboy; executive committee members: George MacNeil, Atlantic City; B. T. Murphy, Jersey City; Leonard Pellington, Orange.

Each section of the state reported progress in the game. D. E. Brown of Camden, submitted a very encouraging report. He has a club going strong and conducts regular tournaments in the city. Exhibitions by star players has helped stimulate interest. Many new members are expected from that territory.

A state team league was discussed and the following committee was appointed to prepare a plan: Paul

Puglise, Paterson; A. Anderson, Paterson; B. T. Murphy, Jersey City; A. Robertson, Jersey City.

Prospects for indoor courts this fall are encouraging and several sections will have team play.

**PLAN INDOOR LEAGUE**

An indoor league, with five teams, is the plan of S. C. Myers, of York, Pa., who is one of the horseshoe boosters of that state.

Again the Smoketown team won the 1934 pennant in the Southern York County Horseshoe League, having held the title in 1932 and 1933 also.

Here are the scores of some of the pitchers:

	G	SP	R	DR	P	Pct
S. Arnold	73	1214	583	135	1161	48.0
J. Lartz	75	1398	612	152	1149	43.7
E. Myers	75	1422	616	123	1142	43.3
N. Shearer	49	884	368	81	662	41.6
C. Myers	68	1256	491	108	960	39.1
W. Arnold	47	900	303	53	617	33.6
C. Sheffer	24	460	134	24	246	29.1

**GOES TO FLORIDA**

W. C. Edwards, Van Wert, Ohio, has gone to Winter Haven, Fla., for the winter.

**PITCHING IN RUSSIA**

Horseshoe pitching has been popularized in the Soviet Union. Horseshoe pitching in the embassy garden by the American diplomats has aroused much attention in Moscow, according to press reports from that city.

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# Great Tournament at New York State Fair

By D. D. Cottrell

When the 16 men that qualified to enter the preliminary round robin in the American Agriculturist Farm Bureau State Fair horseshoe pitching tournament, that held its eleventh annual meet on the fair grounds September 4 and 5, had finished playing each other 15 25-point games it was found that seven men had tied for first place by each winning 10 games and losing five. In all of the experience of this writer in managing numerous national, state and county tournaments no such number of ties for first place has ever occurred previously. These contestants, selected from 35 county champions, who qualified for the preliminaries, were so evenly matched that seven men were tied for first place in this state tournament.

The preliminaries started about 1:30 Tuesday afternoon and were completed about 11 o'clock Wednesday morning. The results of this round robin are given in Table A published herewith. Before the round robin began the players were called together and agreed that all ties in games, if any should occur, should be governed by the highest number of points, and if games and points were tied, then the highest number of ringers should control for place. In Table A these players are arranged in this order, giving Ross second place because he had 173 ringers to Falco's 166, although they were tied in the number of games and points.

The players were also cautioned to get every point that they could as points would control and mean money in the finals, for, because of lack of time, there would be no playing off ties except for the first place and championship should there happen to be a tie for that. They all agreed to this. In the report of the finals as given in Table B herewith it will be noticed that Falco and Armstrong tied for second place, each winning three games and losing two, but Falco was placed second as he had 238 points to 206 for Armstrong. These few points cost Armstrong ten dollars. Also Ross and Spore were tied for fourth place in games won and lost, but Ross having 210 points to 197 for Spore, was placed in fourth place while Spore lost the extra ten dollars in prize money that he would have received had he equaled the

points that Ross made, as he had more ringers than Ross.

Last year Paulder, Syracuse, who won the tournament, lost five games in the preliminaries but won all of his games in the finals. This year Ditton, the state champion, lost five games in the preliminaries, one each to Ross, Kauzlarich, Moul, Spore and Falco and only made a percentage of .398 in his 15 games, but in the finals he won from Falco and Spore and in the five games made a percentage of .475, the highest total percentage ever made before in the final series except that made by Harold Seaman, Hyde Park, who won the championship in 1932 with a total percentage of .543 in the finals. Falco pitched the best game of the tournament considering the percentage of ringers when he won from Champonux, making 25 points, 12 ringers, four double ringers in pitching 18 shoes or .667 per cent, while Champonux was able to get only four points and five ringers in the same number of shoes.

Considering the greatest number of ringers in any one game, Ditton made 50 points, 42 ringers, eight double ringers in pitching 82 shoes with a percentage of .512, while Falco made 41 points, 39 ringers, seven double ringers with a percentage of .476 in pitching the same number of shoes. In his game with Marriot, Ditton, beginning with the seventeenth inning, pitched four consecutive ringers when the score was Marriot 26 points to Ditton 15 points, Marriot putting a ringer on the peg each time so his opponent could only count three points. In this whole game one or the other of the players had one or two ringers on the peg every inning but one.

The counties that entered this year were the same number as in 1930, namely 36. This is the greatest number of counties that has sent contestants except in 1927 when 38 counties were represented.

Chenango, Delaware, Madison, Steuben and Tompkins counties have sent a representative each year, but Columbia, Hamilton, Montgomery, Putnam, Rockland and Warren counties have never sent a contestant. The championship has been won by Cayuga, Chenango, two years by Delaware, Dutchess, Essex, Jefferson. Onondaga, Steuben, Ulster and

Wayne counties.

At the end of the finals, after the records had been checked over to be sure no errors had crept in, the prizes were awarded to the winners by Mr. H. L. Cosline, associate editor of the American Agriculturist, who spoke briefly of his delight in having this meet and the help that his paper has been able to give for eleven years in bringing this sport to the front and the interest that has been created all over the state in the game. He gave each man his prize as mentioned in Table B, as Mr. D. D. Cottrell, North Cohocton, N. Y., read the record the player had made. He also spoke feelingly of the passing of Mr. G. E. Snyder, Albion, N. Y., who had been the assistant of Mr. Cottrell for ten years and was one of the men that met with the Farm Bureau officials and Mr. Eastman, editor of the American Agriculturist, at Cornell university and helped plan these tournaments that have been so successfully carried on each year since. Dr. H. H. Turner of Syracuse gave very efficient service in the place that was left vacant by the death of Mr. Snyder.

The writer wishes to acknowledge the very fine and accurate work of Mr. Harry Rasey, Randolph, N. Y., who helped in checking over the score sheets and in keeping the records. Also the help of Mr. George Adams, Norwich, N. Y., who won the state championship in 1929 and who has yearly come to the fair since and acted as referee. Mr. Albert Carlson, Central alley, and Mr. Judd, Oneida, helped in taking care of a great many necessary details of the meet.

D. D. Cottrell,  
Statistician and Tournament Mgr.  
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## DUREE DEFEATS DAVIS

On October 14th, in Wichita, Kans., Bert Duryee, Kansas State champion beat C. C. Davis, two out of three games, by the following scores:

	PT.	R.	DR.	SP.	R. %
Duryee	39	65	23	94	69
Davis	50	68	23	94	72
Duryee	50	60	21	88	68
Davis	46	60	21	88	68
Duryee	50	31	14	42	74
Davis	23	21	7	42	50

Duryee average for three games, 69.6 per cent; Davis 66.5 per cent. Duryee used the 1934 Ohio shoes.



**NEW YORK STATE FAIR TOURNEY (Continued)**

Table A. Results of Preliminaries	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.
Newton Spore, Schenectady.....	10	5	349	208	56	432	221	.481
Bradley Ross, Syracuse.....	10	5	335	173	30	486	296	.360
Albert Falco, Greenwich.....	10	5	335	166	33	406	234	.409
E. L. Ditton, Sodus.....	10	5	329	183	34	460	253	.398
Fred Armstrong, Corning.....	10	5	327	184	37	460	274	.400
Claude Marriot, Hamden.....	10	5	322	179	36	458	283	.391
Francis Spencer, Niagara Falls.....	10	5	321	193	40	492	281	.392
John Kurzlarich, Rome.....	9	6	311	159	37	444	268	.358
Irwin Ferris, Pawling.....	8	7	305	177	30	458	288	.386
C. W. Moul, East Greenbush.....	8	7	257	139	28	442	313	.314
Lewis Ackerman, Constableville.....	7	8	271	137	26	452	307	.303
James Miller, Elmira.....	6	9	267	153	23	492	329	.311
Peter DeWinde, Clifton Springs.....	4	11	296	165	28	476	331	.347
E. W. Joyner, Binghamton.....	4	11	276	160	26	464	339	.345
Victor Colegrove, Livonia.....	4	11	246	135	21	466	329	.289
Foster Champonux, Cohoes.....	0	15	174	100	13	422	375	.237
Totals.....	120	120	4721	2611	498	7310	4721	.357
Preliminary Totals, State Fair 1933	120	120	4641	2740	547	7016	4641	.391
Preliminary Totals, State Fair 1932	120	120	4641	2573	470	7366	4641	.349
Preliminary Totals, State Fair, 1931	120	120	4680	2587	464	7279	4680	.355
Preliminary Totals, State Fair 1930	120	120	4730	2359	361	7526	4730	.312
Preliminary Totals, State Fair, 1929	120	120	4638	2246	362	7232	4638	.311
Preliminary Totals, State Fair, 1928	120	120	4678	2298	343	7552	4678	.304
Preliminary Totals, State Fair, 1927	120	120	4714	2033	257	7764	4714	.287
Preliminary Totals, State Fair, 1926	120	120	4695	1703	185	8192	4695	.208

Table B. Results of Finals	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.
E. L. Ditton.....	5	0	250	152	31	320	176	.475
Albert Falco.....	3	2	238	158	35	330	191	.479
Fred Armstrong.....	3	2	206	123	26	308	223	.397
Bradley Ross.....	2	3	210	128	34	300	217	.427
Newton Spore.....	2	3	197	130	28	308	218	.422
Claude Marriot.....	0	5	174	142	23	346	250	.410
Totals.....	15	15	1275	833	177	1912	1275	.436
Finals Totals, 1933.....	15	15	1317	832	183	1948	1317	.427
Finals Totals, 1932.....	15	15	1168	746	152	1816	1168	.411
Finals Totals, 1931.....	15	15	1298	865	185	1960	1298	.446
Finals Totals, 1930.....	15	15	1301	730	128	2048	1301	.356
Finals Totals, 1929.....	15	15	1290	808	155	1944	1290	.416
Finals Totals, 1928.....	15	15	1320	730	110	2024	1320	.361
Finals Totals, 1927.....	15	15	588	293	41	960	588	.328
Finals Totals, 1926.....	15	15	1222	469	46	2076	1222	.226

The prizes were as follows: First \$50, second \$40, third \$30, fourth, \$20, fifth \$10, sixth \$5. The seventh

In 1924 and 1925 State Fair Tournaments the result was decided on

Grand Totals	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.
State Fair Tournament, 1934.....	135	135	5996	3444	675	9222	5996	.373
State Fair Tournament, 1933.....	135	135	5958	3572	730	8964	5958	.398
State Fair Tournament, 1932.....	135	135	5978	3452	649	9239	5978	.374
State Fair Tournament, 1931.....	135	135	5978	3452	659	9239	5978	.374
State Fair Tournament, 1930.....	135	135	6031	3089	489	9574	6031	.323
State Fair Tournament, 1929.....	135	135	5928	3054	517	9176	5928	.333
State Fair Tournament, 1928.....	135	135	6007	3028	453	9576	6007	.316
State Fair Tournament, 1927.....	135	135	5302	2326	298	8724	5302	.267
State Fair Tournament, 1926.....	135	135	5917	2172	233	10268	5917	.212
State Fair Tournament, 1925.....	190	190	6210	2028	178	11302	6210	.179
State Fair Tournament, 1924.....	99	99	3328	552	23	7096	3328	.077

prize of five dollars was awarded to Francis Spencer, Niagara Falls, as he won that place in the preliminaries.

only one round robin with no finals.

**ZIMMERMAN BREAKS MARK IN SHOE MEET**

Spencer, Ia.—Guy Zimmerman of Sac City, pitching in the annual horseshoe contest at the Clay county fair, broke all previous records for tossing ringers by getting 83 out of 100 shoes pitched. Of the 17 shoes which were not ringers, seven were "close one" giving him a grand total of 256 points, breaking the old records held by Frank Jackson, of Eldora, Ia.

That his performance was no fluke was demonstrated later when he gave an exhibition with Albert Kling of Primghar, pitching 33 ringers out of 34 shoes thrown.

Seventy-two pitchers, a record number, entered the contest. Eleven prizes were offered in the Class A division which included all pitchers who scored 190 or above, while 10 prizes were awarded those with scores under 190.

F. R. Oman, of Knierim, and Vic Taylor of Kingsley, tied for second place in Class A with total of 221.

In Class B, Charles Miller, Spencer, and Alva Mills, Spencer, tied for first with 187.

**MAKE FINE RECORD**

Edgerton, Ind., horseshoe team, a six-man aggregation, has something to be proud of as a result of a match played August 5 with Lima, Ohio, in which Edgerton made a record of 1044 ringers.

Both teams had an ex-state champ with them, R. Baxter, 1933 Michigan champ, tossing for the Ohioans and Merle Stoner, former California champion, pitching with Edgerton. Binkley, Edgerton pitcher, was star pitcher.

Following are the results:

Edgerton, Ind.	P	R	DR	SP
Binkley.....	304	226	87	300
M. Stoner.....	306	214	72	500
Maxwell.....	213	188	56	300
Randoll.....	210	163	44	300
Kilgore.....	122	136	32	300
A. Wood.....	174	117	25	300
Totals.....	1329	1044	316	1800
Lima, Ohio	P	R	DR	SP
R. Baxter.....	257	204	74	300
Taylor.....	183	178	57	300
Bechtel.....	201	188	51	300
Hobbs.....	190	158	37	300
Parr.....	136	126	26	300
H. Kurtz.....	135	118	24	300
Totals.....	1102	972	269	1800

## WASHINGTON HAS FINE TOURNAMENT

Washington State Horseshoe Tour-

**Class A**

Roy Getchell, Port Angeles.....	12	3	718	635	219	926	68.5
L. Getchell, Port Angeles.....	11	6	772	789	258	1226	64.3
A. Lee, Mt. Vernon.....	8	4	407	397	117	594	67.0
F. Colver, Aberdeen.....	8	6	411	397	91	692	57.3
H. Taylor, Seattle.....	5	2	338	248	65	484	51.2
	3	3	243	227	67	400	55.2
R. Lee, Mt. Vernon.....	3	3	227	113	66	370	30.5
V. Bertoldi, Seattle.....	3	3	239	231	66	402	57.4
H. Creveling, Seattle.....	1	3	149	178	54	296	60.1
H. Wright, Seattle.....	1	3	144	126	33	246	58.5
C. Swan, Tacoma.....	0	3	106	112	29	206	54.3
J. Elliot, Yakima.....	0	3	100	109	23	206	52.9
H. Jansen, Bellingham.....	0	3	95	121	38	208	58.1
F. Coates, Seattle.....	0	3	102	99	22	204	48.5
F. Croxton, Tacoma.....	0	3	49	67	17	144	46.5
A. Hicks, Seattle.....	0	3	50	44	11	134	32.8

The highest percentage game was R. Getchell, 84 per cent, against L.

**Class B.**

C. Hjeld, Seattle.....	11	0	416	293	71	514	57.0
F. Winetrout, Bellingham.....	10	1	461	254	95	488	52.0
E. Wagenaar, Seattle.....	7	4	401	268	71	552	48.5
R. Miller, Seattle.....	7	4	380	270	62	524	51.5
R. Hall, Tacoma.....	7	4	333	192	36	466	41.2
W. Herdman, Tacoma.....	6	5	347	222	37	582	38.1
R. Chrisson, Seattle.....	6	5	431	265	65	584	43.7
A. McLeod, Yakima.....	5	6	350	219	40	576	38.0
J. Shreiner, Yakima.....	3	8	213	153	22	472	32.4
A. Liedes, Aberdeen.....	0	11	Forfeit				
W. Peters, Bremerton.....	0	11	Forfeit				

Class B was a round robin.

## FELICCIA WINS

By T. P. O'GARA

Under clear autumnal skies with a strong wind blowing and a slight chill in the air the Fort George Horseshoe club, 196 St. and Fort George Avenue, conducted the last open invitation tournament of the season on their courts on Sunday afternoon, October 7.

Vito Fileccia, member of the home club, had several close scores but managed to come through with a clean slate for the eleventh win of the year. Larry Mahoney, 14-year-old boy wonder, and present New Jersey State champion, finished second, with Joe Puglise, of Paterson, N. J., finishing third.

Milse Quigley of Staten Island, won Class B with Bill Blyman of Ft. George club second and D. Boylan of Central Park third.

W. S. Newman, of High Bridge

club was the winner of Class C with Earl Hoover of the home club as runner-up.

ment was held in Woodland Park and was well attended. The results as given by Miss Lucille Green, secretary, are as follows:

W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct.
12	3	718	635	219	926	68.5
11	6	772	789	258	1226	64.3
8	4	407	397	117	594	67.0
8	6	411	397	91	692	57.3
5	2	338	248	65	484	51.2
3	3	243	227	67	400	55.2
3	3	227	113	66	370	30.5
3	3	239	231	66	402	57.4
1	3	149	178	54	296	60.1
1	3	144	126	33	246	58.5
0	3	106	112	29	206	54.3
0	3	100	109	23	206	52.9
0	3	95	121	38	208	58.1
0	3	102	99	22	204	48.5
0	3	49	67	17	144	46.5
0	3	50	44	11	134	32.8

Getchell, 50 per cent.

The finals were three out of five.

W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct.
11	0	416	293	71	514	57.0
10	1	461	254	95	488	52.0
7	4	401	268	71	552	48.5
7	4	380	270	62	524	51.5
7	4	333	192	36	466	41.2
6	5	347	222	37	582	38.1
6	5	431	265	65	584	43.7
5	6	350	219	40	576	38.0
3	8	213	153	22	472	32.4
0	11	Forfeit				
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### Mahoney vs. Fileccia

This battle was the feature game of the afternoon. With Mahoney leading by a score of 14 to 9, Fileccia annexed 21 points by scoring 17 ringers in succession out of 18 shoes pitched to lead 30 to 14. Mahoney then scored seven out of eight ringers to even the score at 30 all. They were tied again at 40 and with the score 49 to 48 in favor of Fileccia, Mahoney had four points at the stake and Fileccia pitched a double ringer to win the game.

Mahoney had 50 ringers, 12 double ringers in 82 shoes pitched for an average of .609.

Fileccia had 52 ringers, 19 double ringers in 82 shoes pitched for an average of .634.

Six times during this game the four shoes encircled the peg.

### Mahoney vs. Puglise.

The boy champion from New Jersey pulled this game out of the fire. Mahoney with the count 29 to 40 against him, pitched two doubles to add three points to his score. Puglise then added nine points to lead 49 to 32. Mahoney then braced and with six ringers out of eight shoes pitched came through to win 50 to 49.

### Fileccia vs. Sharkey

D. Sharkey, New Rochelle champion, had Fileccia in trouble in their contest, and the Fort George player was fortunate to win. It was a close score throughout the game. With Sharkey leading 49 to 45 both players weakened as Fileccia scored two points in the next four shoes pitched and won the game with a double ringer.

The tournament was under the direction of T. P. O'Gara, secretary of the Fort George Horseshoe club, and he was ably assisted by Anthony Stella as clerk and chief scorer. Other members who rendered service were E. E. Burdick, O. E. Stewart, C. Harris, W. Tarvis, A. Michaels, J. Myles, J. Porter, R. Skean, B. Schavel, J. Solomos, E. O'Rourke, Bert Patterson, J. Preater and C. Pattison.

### Class A

	W	L	Pct
V. Fileccia.....	9	0	591
Larry Mahoney.....	8	1	575
Joe Puglise.....	7	2	551
Owen Farmer.....	5	4	479
J. Sharkey.....	3	6	498
Chas. Seacord.....	3	6	450
J. Foley.....	3	6	400
B. Heibell.....	3	6	378
Joe Jordan.....	2	7	407
R. Hampton.....	2	7	345

### Class B

	W	L	Pct
Mike Quigley.....	5	0	327
Bill Blyman.....	4	1	405
D. Boylan.....	3	2	248
D. Drinane.....	1	4	252
Wm. Kelly.....	1	4	220
Wm. Leonard.....	1	4	213

Class C won by W. S. Newman, of High Bridge, with E. Hoover, Fort George, second.

The Ohio and the National Quoit Pitchers association met at Peanut's Inn, Wilmington, Ohio, October 21. Another meeting will be held soon, according to Gerald Smith, Wilmington, who called the meeting.

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# BUCKEYE STATE NEWS

*A Page Devoted to the News and Views of the Buckeye State Horseshoe Pitchers Association*

## BULLETIN No. 3

### League Organization and Its Importance

Pursuant with importance of club organization of which a brief workable example was given in Bulletin No. 2, in order to have a completed organized local district, it is equally important and for the same reasons, to adopt a league constitution, we are, therefore, in the spirit of helpfulness, including as a part of this bulletin, a brief league constitution which has proven satisfactory, as follows:

#### Constitution and By-Laws

#### The Greater Cleveland Horseshoe League of Cleveland O.

##### Preamble

Knowing that the game of horseshoe pitching affords better exercise, both as a competitive sport and as a leisure time activity, to the greatest number of people of all ages and at less cost than any other game in the world, and, with a desire to promote the game of horseshoe pitching, the mutual aims of all those interested in the game, to encourage clean sportsmanship, that the game as a recreational activity may be elevated and encouraged, we do establish this constitution of The Greater Cleveland Horseshoe League, of Cleveland, Ohio.

##### Article 1. Name

This organization shall be known as The Greater Cleveland Horseshoe League.

##### Article 2. Affiliation

This organization is affiliated with The Buckeye State Horseshoe Pitchers' Association and The National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association, Inc., for purposes of mutual encouragement and welfare.

##### Article 3. Jurisdiction

The Greater Cleveland Horseshoe League shall have jurisdiction over horseshoe matters in Greater Cleveland.

##### Article 4. Membership and Dues

Any horseshoe club in Greater Cleveland, having six or more horseshoe courts conforming to rules, and being regularly organized are entitled to membership in this league.

The dues shall be five dollars per year, plus any assessments made by the delegates.

##### Article 5. Legislative

1. All legislative powers and final authority shall be vested in the delegates of the league assembled in meeting.

2. Each club is entitled to two members to act as delegates at all meetings.

3. Unless otherwise stated herein, a vote of the majority of delegates assembled in a lawful meeting shall be necessary and sufficient for all purposes.

4. This constitution may be altered, amended or repealed by a vote of two-thirds of the delegates assembled.

5. Unless otherwise designated herein, the procedure outlined in Roberts Rules of Order shall prevail at all meetings.

##### Article 6. Executive

1. The officers of this league shall consist of a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer. They shall be the executive committee.

2. The president shall preside at all meetings, be ex-officio member of all committees, approve all warrants upon the treasury and perform such other duties as designated by the delegates.

3. The vice president shall perform all the duties of the president in the event of the death, removal, disability or absence of the president.

4. The secretary shall keep the minutes of all meetings, be ex-officio member of all committees, and perform such other duties as designated by the delegates.

5. The treasurer shall be the custodian of all the funds of the league, and expend its funds only upon the receipt of warrants issued by the secretary and countersigned by the president.

6. The executive committee shall transact all business of the league in accordance with the policies of the league.

7. Each officer shall be elected annually and is to take office on the first Sunday in November, and re-

main in office until his successor is elected and qualified.

8. The fiscal year of this league shall commence on the first Sunday in November.

While examples given in Bulletin Nos. 2 and 3 have worked out entirely satisfactory, you should understand we take no credit for them except for brevity, as the basic principles were taken from models of the National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association which were tried out and proven most successful over years of application by the national officers. We urge clubs and leagues starting, or who are not organized to do so if success is to be assured, and the fall of the year is most appropriate for many reasons to do this.

Sincerely,

D. O. CHESS, Secretary  
The Buckeye State Horseshoe Pitchers' Association.

#### THE JOHN HAY INDOOR HORSESHOE CLUB

At the annual meeting and election held Monday, October 15, 1934, at 8 p. m., the following officers were elected for the season of 1934-35:

President, Howard E. Corfman, member Wade Park club, 2090 E. 96th St., city.

Secretary, Joseph J. Kalmar, member and present secretary, the Gordon Park club, city.

Treasurer, Albert Seckel, member Wade Park club, 2124 Stearns Rd., city; phone, Garfield 3829J; office, Endicot 2121.

Membership fee \$1.00 for the entire season may be paid to any one of the above officers who will issue a receipt for same.

#### BETTER SAVE THIS

Addresses of new Buckeye State officers:

President, Henry J. Gungelman, 2037 W. 99th St., Cleveland, O.

Vice President, F. M. Brust, 866 Parsons Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

Secretary, D. O. Chess, 6208 Quimby Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

Treasurer, Myron Ferguson, 351 Olentangy St., Columbus, Ohio.

## New England Championship Meet is Held

The Massachusetts state championship was such a high class event that many pitchers were skeptical about entering the New England meet and the postponement, because of rain, from Sept. 8th to the 15th, and rain in Connecticut and Rhode Island on the day of the meet was responsible for a smaller entry list than last year.

However, over 300 loyal horseshoe pitching fans attended this greatest of New England tournaments and 30 men entered the contest qualifying as follows: B. Herfurth, Northampton, champion; Carl Larson, Medford-Middlesex City champion, 238; James O'Shea, Brockton, Massachusetts state champion, 238; Edgar Landry, Fall River, 226; Arthur Carlson, Concord, N. E. champion, 1931, 224; S. Nash, Beverly, 221; W. Sobjecki, Bristol, Conn., 220; A. Landry, Fall River, 213; Frank Bristol, Medford, 211; Joseph Landry, Fall River, Inter-City champion, 209; Frank Piper, Concord, 206; Irving Harris, Medford, 206; Charles Gerrish, Kittery Point, Maine, New England champion, 1932, 199; G. Christopher, Fall River, 196; E. Olson, North Abington, 196; H. Stowell, North Dartmouth, New Bedford champion, 195; Louis Stearns, Brockton, 194; Leon Kerry, Randolph, Vermont, state champion, 195; Louis Stearns, Brockton, 194; Leon Kerry, Randolph, Vermont, state champion, 193; F. Parr, Hartford, Conn., Hartford champion, 192; P. Virgil Harris, Holden, 190; Eino Taipale, Fitchburg, 189; B. Turgeon, East Greenwich, R. I., 186; Roy Lent, Maynard, 185; J. Grinnell, North Dartmouth, 182; O. H. Johnson, East Greenwich, R. I., East Greenwich champion, 181; S. Rideout, Forestville, Conn., 180; N. Gautreau, Lynn, junior state champion, 177; J. Cameron, New Bedford, 175; C. DeVries, Pepperill, 172, and H. Sargeant, Groton, Mass., 114.

The lowest pitch of 100 shoes to get into the round robin was 206, just nosing out Charles Garrish, 1932 New England champion, greatly to the disappointment of his many friends. Better luck next time, Gerish.

Mayor John J. Irwin, of Medford officially opened the meet with a greeting of welcome to visitors out of town and after presenting a championship certificate from the National association to James Leo O'Shea, Mass-

achusetts state champion, pitched the first shoe. The mayor was introduced by Harold H. Wilkinson, secretary-treasurer of the Massachusetts State Horseshoe Pitchers Association, who presented Archie Graves, tournament manager, and P. Virgil Harris, vice president of the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association.

It was apparent from the start that one of the hardest contests ever staged was on its way. Never had such high class ring tossers assembled in New England; many of them past champions.

In the fourth game between Piper and young E. Landry, the crowd went wild as first one and then the other was ahead. It took 100 shoes pitched to make the 50 points and was won by E. Landry 50-48. Landry had 59 ringers and 19 doubles for a ringer percentage of 59 against Piper's 59 ringers, 16 doubles, ringer percentage of 59.

In the ninth game between Herfurth and Carlson, two champions, the score was 50 to 1. Herfurth almost completely shut Carlson out with a ringer percentage of 80.5.

Larson's game with O'Shea was one of the hot contests of the day with Larson netting 23 double ringers to O'Shea's 22, and although Larson reached 64.1 per cent ringers, O'Shea beat him with 70.6 per cent

In O'Shea's game with Edgar Landry, O'Shea averaged 78.8 per cent ringers.

Arthur Carlson of Concord, reached his peak for the day when playing Piper, a neighbor, with a ringer percentage of 68 per cent.

W. Sobjecki, of Bristol, 17 years of age, and the youngest in the meet was a strong contender and although pitching in his first championship battle averaged well over 54 per cent ringers.

Joseph Landry, the inter-city champion, of Fall River, and winner of third place in the Massachusetts State meet was plainly off his usual form and although he often hit 60 per cent ringers, just lost several games by one or two points.

Alfred Landry, who qualified 213, just couldn't stand the competition and lost every game, although his ringer percentage for the day was 46.5. However, the old smile was right there at the finish.

Frank Bristol of the Medford club

pitched 50 per cent steadily all through the match and although in his first big meet ended in sixth place. Frank is very steady under competition and will do a lot better next year. He is a great fellow for coming from behind.

Herfurth's pitching was remarkable all through the match and when pitching E. Landry he didn't miss one or two ringers in 18 boxes, getting 25 ringers. Landry got 17 ringers in 16 boxes and the score ended 50-42 in favor of Herfurth.

This boy, Edgar Landry, gave the experts plenty of trouble and there is no doubt but that another year he is going places. When playing with Bristol it was necessary to pitch 100 shoes before a winner was declared and the score ended 50-47 in favor of Landry, with a ringer percentage of 60 against 58 per cent for Bristol.

The game that the crowd had waited for between Herfurth and O'Shea started off with Herfurth bearing down with seven doubles and after missing one box with but a single ringer, threw nine doubles. The pace was too hot for O'Shea and although he tried hard the score ended 52-25; Herfurth pitching 77.1 per cent ringers and O'Shea 64.2 per cent.

These boys ended up the day so close in their scores that it is still a matter of opinion as to who is the best horseshoe pitcher. These two boys will get together again October 14th at Fall River on the Eastern Avenue courts where a big horseshoe pitching event has been arranged by Joe Landry of that city. The final scores are as follows:

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L. Schaffer, 10203 Hilgert Ave., Cleveland, Ohio, is secretary of the Woodhill Horseshoe club.

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Rock Island, Ill., Horseshoe club recently built a splendid 16-lane court. A. F. DeMuyndck is president of the club.

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Willis Avenue Horseshoe club, of Springfield, Ohio, held its annual banquet at the Reformed church in North Hampton, October 22.

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Plans are being made to hold a Leisure Show in New York City in May, 1935. The National Horseshoe Pitchers association will co-operate.



### Sidney Harris Tri-State Champ

The Inter-State Tournament which was held at Denver, August 4 and 5, was won by Sidney Harris of Minden, Nebraska, with a ringer percentage of 67.4 for 11 games in the finals. Mr. Harris, 1933 Nebraska state champion, won all 11 of his games, throwing very consistently in all of his games, as did Emden Somerhalder, 1934 Nebraska state champion from Guide Rock, with a ringer percentage of 66.7 for his 11 games.

Mr. W. G. Work, of Pueblo, Colo., finished second with a ringer percentage of 58.8 for 11 games, win-

ning eight and losing three, while Mr. Somerhalder was third with seven games won and four lost. Mr. Somerhalder lost one or two of his games by only a few points.

One of the feature games of the tournament was between Mr. Somerhalder and Mr. Work which Mr. Work won 52 to 47.

	SP	R	DR	P	Pct.
W. G. Work.....	90	65	23	52	72.2
E. Somerhalder .....	90	64	22	47	71.1

There were 32 players trying out for this tournament, six from out of state.

Mr. C. W. Carlson of Cheyenne, Wyo., 1934 Wyoming champion, was also an entrant, finishing in sixth place.

	W	L	SP	R	DR	P	Pct.
Sidney Harris, Minden, Neb.....	11	0	626	422	137	573	67.4
W. G. Work, Pueblo, Colo.....	8	3	666	392	119	491	58.8
Emden Somerhalder, Guide Rock, Neb	7	4	734	480	155	508	66.7
John Okey, Denver, Colo.....	7	4	608	328	92	379	53.9
Robt. Decker, Denver, Colo.....	7	4	700	390	112	479	55.7
C. W. Carlson, Cheyenne, Wyo.....	6	5	734	431	119	481	58.7
Nathan Allen, Boulder, Colo.....	6	5	746	353	101	457	47.3
Marvin Clayberg, Denver, Colo.....	5	6	808	380	101	482	47.0
Ed Walters, Denver, Colo.....	4	7	632	310	75	389	49.0
Tom Clayberg, Denver, Colo.....	2	9	642	314	80	344	48.9
Nate Crocombe, Pueblo, Colo.....	2	9	574	269	58	286	46.8
A. J. Watts, Pueblo, Colo.....	1	10	664	334	78	365	50.3

#### Inter-State Horseshoe Tournament

Three players tied for third place, each player throwing 100 shoes for a score, finishing in the order mentioned above.

Twenty-four players qualified in this tournament and semi-finals were

held on Saturday, Aug. 4th, at which time 12 players of the 24 were eliminated. The 12 players playing in the finals, and the order in which they finished was as above mentioned.

Copeland, wishes to express his appreciation of the sportsmanship of the players and the fine support given the meet by the public whose attendance was the largest ever had in New England, at a horseshoe tournament.

There is no doubt but that in a short time the East will have a contender for the crown now held by our western brothers.

All events at the Medford Horseshoe courts are run under the sanction of the National association and they strongly urge all clubs and state organizations to affiliate with the National.

In unity there is strength—join now.

Harold H. Wilkinson, Sr.,  
Sec., Medford Horseshoe Club

### NORTHERN N. J. TOURNEY HELD

Larry Mahoney, 15-year-old New Jersey state champion, won the Northern New Jersey open championship held at Paterson on October 28. He added the North Jersey open crown to his other titles when he defeated a mixed field of New York and New Jersey players. Class A was limited to seven players and each had an impressive record. Among the victims of Larry Mahoney was Vito Fileccia, recognized as the best in the East, and winner of every major tournament he entered until today. Larry again seemed unbeatable as he made a clean sweep of his games and averaged 58.2 per cent ringers. Only last week he captured the tri-state championship at Trenton with another impressive record of nine straight victories for an average of 61.6 per cent ringers.

This tourney was scheduled for the Bell playground courts but due to the high wind and cold it was transferred to the indoor courts of the Paterson Associated Horseshoe club. Incidentally this event forced the club to open their indoor courts long before schedule and the evenings will undoubtedly be echoing with the clang-clang of horseshoes by members of the club. Three classes competed in the form of a double elimination tourney. Only two courts were available, thus necessitating the change from the usual round robin style. All Class A games were 40 points.

Mahoney defeated Vito Fileccia in a major tournament for the first  
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### New England Championship Meet Held (Continued)

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
B. Herfurth, Northampton, Mass.....	11	0	571	429	141	648	66.2
James O'Shea, Brockton, Mass.....	10	1	549	463	147	702	65.9
Arthur Carlson, Concord, Mass.....	9	2	501	391	113	670	58.3
Carl Larson, Melrose, Mass.....	7	4	464	410	123	716	57.2
Joe Landry, Fall River, Mass.....	6	5	484	398	108	714	55.7
Frank Bristol, Medford, Mass.....	6	5	466	367	89	720	50.9
Edgar Landry, Fall River, Mass.....	5	6	454	419	106	790	53.0
W. Sobjecki, Bristol, Conn.....	5	6	432	339	82	692	49.0
Frank Piper, Concord, Mass.....	4	7	401	349	86	696	50.1
S. Nash, Beverly, Mass.....	2	9	374	336	92	662	50.7
Irving Harris, Malden, Mass.....	1	10	295	248	48	618	40.2
Alfred Landry, Fall River, Mass.....	0	11	373	331	72	708	46.7

One hundred dollars in cash, gold, silver and bronze medals and National Horseshoe Association championship certificate was presented to the 12 winners amid the applause of the crowd. Pitchers were taken of the event and can be obtained from the secretary of the Medford Horseshoe

club for \$1.00.

The committee wishes to thank all those who contributed their time and efforts to make the meet a success. Credit is especially due the chairmen of all committees for their untiring efforts. The president of the Medford Horseshoe Club, Mr. Leroy

### Northern New Jersey Tournament Held (Continued)

time this year when he defeated him 40-25 in probably the most interesting game of the day. Fileccia started off strong and jumped to a quick lead of 11-3. It did not last long as Mahoney shot out like a streak and garnered 10 ringers out of the next 11 shoes pitched to pass Fileccia and lead at 25-11. From then on Mahoney safely protected his lead. Fileccia tried desperately to catch his opponent by pitching five straight ringers to make the score 34-25 against him. Mahoney then quickly ran out the game with a double ringer as Fileccia missed. Mahoney pitched 67.5 ringers, the highest single game of the day. Fileccia had 52.5 per cent.

In the first game of the day, Mahoney, of Lincroft, N. J., defeated Joe Puglise of Paterson, former state champion, 40-28. Larry started quickly and got away to a lead of 20-4, then 29-10 and 36-13. Joe Puglise then pitched 10 straight ringers to within eight points of tying, 28-36; but in the next inning he missed the stake and Mahoney quickly put the game on ice with a double ringer. Mahoney had 53.3 ringers and Puglise 50 per cent.

Paul Puglise lost a hard struggle to Mahoney. Mahoney, as usual, piled

#### Class A. Final Standing

Larry Mahoney, Lincroft, N. J.....	4	0	320	101	113	30	194	58.2
Joe Puglise, Paterson, N. J.....	3	2	174	153	112	29	244	45.9
Sam Mongillo, Jersey City, N. J.....	2	2	126	125	66	16	154	42.8
Paul Puglise, Paterson, N. J.....	1	2	87	112	66	15	152	43.4
Vito Fileccia, Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1	2	95	91	55	11	122	45.1
Owen Farmer, New York, N. Y.....	1	2	100	106	53	9	128	41.4
Joe Jordon, New York, N. Y.....	0	2	26	80	14	2	70	20.0

Alec Robertson, of Jersey City, won the Class B title when he defeated William Williams, of Navesink, N. J., 30-20. All Class B games were 30 points. To beat Williams, Robertson pitched pitched 40.6 per cent while his opponent pitched 34.4 per cent. Robertson had previously defeated Ben Sullivan of Paterson, 30-19. In the other round, Williams had defeated Robertson by a wide margin of 30-8, but in the final round Robertson turned the tables and defeated him for the title. In another round, Ben Sullivan pitched his best game of the day when he defeated a fellow club member, Anderson, 30-20. Sullivan pitched 30.4 per cent and Ander-

up an early lead by pitching 11 ringers out of 14 shoes to lead at 19-4. From then on the pitching was even with Puglise picking up the points, but the lead was too great for him to overcome. He pulled up to 25-31 and 28-33, but Mahoney ran out the game with a series of ringers when he faltered at the end. Score 40-28. Mahoney pitched 59.7 per cent and Puglise 51.6 per cent ringers.

Sam Mongillo, of Jersey City, scored the biggest upset of the day when he defeated Fileccia. Mongillo is the present New Jersey state Class B champion. Fileccia piled up a lead of 23-13 at the start and then fell away as he missed the stake continually. Mongillo quickly took advantage of Fileccia's slump and passed him at 29-26 and then 35-30. Before Fileccia could recover from his weakness, Mongillo slapped on three straight ringers to win out 40-30. Mongillo pitched 47.7 per cent and Fileccia had his poorest game of the day, 36.3 per cent.

Joe Puglise finished second, losing games to Owen Farmer, New York, and Mahoney. Farmer defeated him 40-26. Sam Mongillo lost games to Mahoney and Joe Puglise. Paul Puglise was fourth.

W	L	P	OP	R	DR	SP	Pct
4	0	320	101	113	30	194	58.2
3	2	174	153	112	29	244	45.9
2	2	126	125	66	16	154	42.8
1	2	87	112	66	15	152	43.4
1	2	95	91	55	11	122	45.1
1	2	100	106	53	9	128	41.4
0	2	26	80	14	2	70	20.0

son 23.9 per cent.

William Williams, of Navesink, who came in second, had the highest ringer average and only lost one game and that in the final round. Tom O'Gara, of New York, lost a close game to Ben Sullivan 30-24. O'Gara was leading 24-23 when Sullivan ran it out in the next two innings. Both players pitched 21 per cent ringers. O'Gara lost another 30-24 game to Williams. The score was 24 all when Williams ended it with a double ringer. Williams pitched 26 per cent ringers and O'Gara 21.7 per cent.

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### MILWAUKEE NEWS

The Aver Avenue club located at 22nd and Aver avenue, Milwaukee, has a membership of 40, and eight courts which are lighted for night pitching.

The officers of the Aver Avenue Horseshoe club are Edward Schimek, president; Erwin Bentz, vice president, and Herbert Gryphan secretary-treasurer.

Thirty-one of the 40 members participated in the club tourney during September and October. There were three classes, Class A, Class B and Class C. The scores of the tourney follow:

	Class A						
	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
Schimk	20	1	1037	581	170	1034	56.2
Welke	17	4	988	608	149	1196	50.8
Pfeffer	13	8	919	550	126	1210	45.5
Abram	12	9	845	454	89	1174	39.5
Henn'g	8	13	765	399	81	1194	33.4
Herman	8	13	660	341	45	1104	30.9
Lehman	5	16	611	342	61	998	34.3
Helwig	1	20	130	104	14	278	37.4
Johns'n	13	2	732	326	83	682	47.8
Bentz	13	2	716	310	53	742	41.8
C. J'h'n	10	5	609	259	45	712	36.4
Gryphan	5	10	409	154	23	716	21.5
Maylahn	4	11	409	165	26	746	22.5

In group 1 Helwig played only one night. In group 2 one player failed to enter. Each entry received a forfeit. Mr. Schimek is a former Milwaukee city champion. He was second in this year's city tourney. Mrs. Johnson is the Wisconsin state women's champion. She was a contestant in the world's tourney at Chicago. Mr. Pfeffer is class B champion of Milwaukee. Maylahn was runner-up in the boys' state tourney. Herman is champion of the Green Bay Avenue Horseshoe club. Mrs. Johnson won the play-off for first place in Section 2. The winner in each group played first one second prize. The runner-up in each group played for third and fourth place. The third in each group played for fifth and sixth place. The scores of the play-off:

#### Play-off for First and Second

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
Schimek	2	0	100	75	24	124	60.5
Mrs. Johnson	0	2	62	59	13	124	47.6

#### Third and Fourth Place

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
Welke	2	1	121	97	24	194	50.0
Bentz	1	2	135	95	24	194	49.0

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**NORTHERN N. J. TOURNEY HELD (Continued)**

**Class B. Final Standing**

	W	L	P	OP	R	DR	SP	Pct
Alec Robertson, Jersey City.....	4	1	128	105	46	7	178	25.8
William Williams, Navesink, N. J.....	3	1	110	74	43	9	146	29.4
Ben Sullivan, Paterson, N. J.....	2	2	91	104	33	3	164	20.1
Al Anderson, Paterson, N. J.....	1	2	61	86	26	4	148	17.6
Tom O'Gara, New York, N. Y.....	0	2	43	60	18	3	84	21.4
William Kelly, Everett, N. J.....	0	2	51	60	18	1	120	15.0

Another Jersey City player won the Class C title when Tom Ellis defeated R. Santoro of Perth Amboy, N. J., in the final round 25-15. All Class C games were 25 points. Both players played on even terms to nine all when Santoro shot ahead to 15-9 when he pitched three straight ringers. The lead did not last long as Ellis pitched ringers in the next four innings to put the game and title on ice. Ellis pitched 19.4 per cent ringers and Santoro 13.4 per cent. Ellis had previously defeated Dailey of Navesink, N. J., 25-17, and Santoro had defeated Dailey 25-22. In other

**Class C. Final Standing**

	W	L	P	OP	R	DR	SP	Pct.
Tom Ellis, Jersey City, N. J.....	4	1	142	102	40	3	240	16.7
R. Santoro, Perth Amboy, N. J.....	3	1	90	67	29	2	154	18.8
John Dailey, Navesink, N. J.....	2	2	99	99	34	3	154	22.1
John Collignon, Irvington, N. J.....	2	2	85	87	21	0	216	9.7
W. E. Santoro, Newark, N. J.....	1	2	55	69	15	2	158	9.5
John Knightly, Jersey City.....	1	2	68	63	17	0	120	13.3
Fred Dunham, East Orange, N. J.....	0	2	25	50	5	1	88	6.2
Lee Sager, Irvington, N. J.....	0	2	21	50	5	0	74	6.8

The tournament was sanctioned by the National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association and conducted by the New Jersey Horseshoe Pitchers' Associa-

tion. W. E. Santoro was tournament director.

W. E. SANTORO,  
Tournament Director

MacNeil defeated Puglise in a close battle of ringers 50-46. MacNeil started strong to lead 25-5 and then 31-9 when Puglise started a strong comeback to pass MacNeil and lead at 44-39. Puglise then had a temporary let-up and MacNeil seized the opening and quickly ran out the game with a series of ringers.

In the qualifying rounds Larry Mahoney had the highest score, 109 points and 66 per cent ringers. Joe Puglise was second with 107 points and 66 per cent ringers. Ken Shack was third with 86 points and 46 per cent ringers. MacNeil was fourth with 84 points and 48 ringers.

Ken Schack, of Union, N. J., scored an upset when he defeated Joe Puglise 50-24. This was Schack's first major tournament. Schack is the Newark, N. J., industrial champion, having won the title at the Iron-bound track and field meet in New-

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**Fifth and Sixth Places**

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
Pfeffer .....	2	1	130	77	20	180	42.8
C. Johnson .....	1	2	133	73	14	180	40.6

Schimek first; Mrs. Johnson, second; Welke, third; Bentz, fourth; Pfeffer, fifth; C. Johnson, sixth.

The scores and standings of Class B follow:

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
Backus	18	3	1008	440	78	1392	31.6
Moe	13	8	975	408	72	1294	31.5
McKag'n	13	8	922	403	52	1310	30.8
Vanfle't	12	9	909	403	63	1304	31.3
Fred'rke	12	9	935	365	65	1270	28.7
Sullivan	8	13	787	325	47	1266	25.7
Turcie	8	13	820	325	36	1440	22.6
Steinbker	0	21	221	77	2	1082	7.1

**Playoff for Second Place**

Moe	2	1	138	64	8	212	30.2
McKagan	1	2	128	56	3	212	26.4

The standing of the Class C Tourney:

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
Patten	16	2	891	298	30	1176	25.3
Geisens'g	14	4	846	249	25	1304	19.1
Rahn	13	5	835	262	25	1360	19.3
Forfar	13	5	808	198	16	1208	16.4
Theiss	12	6	839	289	27	1338	21.6
Schmidt	10	8	757	206	17	1306	15.8
Laemmel	4	14	511	134	6	1116	12.0
Jahnke	4	14	300	64	5	566	11.3
Moran	3	15	467	133	7	1110	11.9
McKagan	1	17	583	165	13	1436	11.5

Jahnke did not play all matches which accounts for the few shoes pitched. Erwin Bentz.

**TRI-STATE CHAMPIONSHIP MEET**

The Tri-State Horseshoe Pitching championship held at the Trenton Fair Grounds October 21st was won by Larry Mahoney, New Jersey state champion of Lincroft (Red Bank) N. J. He made a clean sweep of all his games. His nearest rival, MacNeil, was only able to get 35 points in a game with him. He established several new records and tied another. He made a new state record for consecutive ringers when he pitched 12 consecutive ringers in his game with Joe Puglise, 1933 state champion. The former record of 11 consecutive ringers was held by George MacNeil, of Atlantic City.

Mahoney made a new tournament record for the Tri-State championship when he averaged 61.6 per cent ringers. He made a new high single game average for this sectional championship when he averaged 71

per cent ringers in a game with Kyle McMurry, Camden champion. He tied the state record of Joe Puglise when he pitched at least one ringer in each inning of a game.

No one seemed capable of the task of stopping Mahoney. He made 350 points to his opponents 121. He garnered the most ringers of the day, 206, and 67 double ringers. Only two of his opponents were able to make more than 20 points with him.

George MacNeil of Atlantic City, finished second with the loss of only one game. His defeat by Mahoney was a hard battle. He led Mahoney at 20-18 and then 33-24, but Mahoney started tossing ringers and double ringers so fast he was able to run out the game at 50-35. Mahoney had 58.4 per cent ringers and MacNeil 44.5 per cent. Four times both players topped each other's ringers.

**TRI-STATE CHAMPIONSHIP MEET**

ark a week ago. Schack, in defeating Puglise, took him by surprise and opened up a terrific attack which put the game on ice before his opponent could get started.

Maceil defeated Puglise in a close battle of ringers, 50-46. MacNeil started strong to lead 25-5 and then 31-9, when Puglise started a strong comeback to pass MacNeil and lead at 44-39. Puglise then had a temporary let-up and MacNeil seized

Larry Mahoney, Lincroft, N. J.....	7	0	350	121	206	67	334	61.6
George MacNeil, Atlantic City, N. J..	6	1	335	224	188	41	428	43.9
Joe Puglise, Paterson, N. J.....	4	3	289	262	156	38	332	40.8
Kyle McMurtry, Camden, N. J.....	3	4	286	257	150	27	388	35.9
C. Palmer West, Allentown, N. J.....	3	4	277	276	143	15	432	33.1
D. Eric Brown, Camden, N. J.....	2	5	231	322	125	14	422	29.6
Ken Shack, Union, N. J.....	2	5	309	319	103	18	400	25.1
Earnest Jackson, Arlington, N. J.....	1	6	180	341	93	12	390	23.8

Class B was won by William Kelly of Everett, N. J., a neighbor of Larry Mahoney. He lost only one game in the finals and that was to Ken Bovee of Narbeth, Pa., who defeated him in a great battle which ended 50-45. The game was even throughout but in the last few innings, Bovee stepped out with a barrage of ringers which Kelly could not match, and ran out the game. Martin Nolan, Hightstown veteran, came in second with three wins and two losses, tied with Anderson and Yodder. Nolan lost games to Kelly and Anderson. In the fourth round he could have tied Kelly for first place but Anderson upset him in a thrilling game which ended 50-49. Nolan was leading at the end 49-40, but Anderson let go a streak of ringers which just nosed out Nolan.

**Class B. Final Standing**

	W	L
William Kelly, Everett, N. J	4	1
Martin Nolan, Hightstown, N. J	3	2
Al Anderson, Paterson, N. J.	3	2
William Yodder, Camden, N. J....	3	2
Ken Bovee, Narbeth, Pa.....	2	3
Joe Mahoney, Lincroft, N. J.....	0	5

Class C was won by Lee Sager of Irvington, N. J. He won all his games. In the fourth round he just eked out a 50'49 game over E. Staas, which decided the title. Staas could

the opening and quickly ran out the game with a series of ringers.

In the qualifying rounds Larry Mahoney had the highest score, 109 points and 66 per cent ringers. Joe Puglise was second with 107 points and 66 per cent ringers. Ken Shack was third with 86 points and 46 per cent ringers. MacNeil was fourth with 84 points and 48 per cent ringers.

**Class A. Final Standing**

W	L	P	OP	R	DR	SP	Pct
7	0	350	121	206	67	334	61.6
6	1	335	224	188	41	428	43.9
4	3	289	262	156	38	332	40.8
3	4	286	257	150	27	388	35.9
3	4	277	276	143	15	432	33.1
2	5	231	322	125	14	422	29.6
2	5	309	319	103	18	400	25.1
1	6	180	341	93	12	390	23.8

have tied for first by winning. It was a hard fought game with the lead always changing hands. After a long volley of ringers, Sager got a ringer in the last inning while Staas missed, giving the game to Sager. Staas and R. Santoro tied for second.

One of the shortest games in this class was won by R. Santoro, who shellacked his brother, W. E. Santoro, by the lopsided score of 50-9. Staas, besides losing to Sager lost to W. E. Santoro by a score of 50-33. R. Santoro lost his two games to Sager and Staas.

**Class C. Final Standing**

	W	L
Lee Sager, Irvington, N. J.....	5	0
R. Santoro, Perth Amboy, N. J....	3	2
E. Staas, Camden, N. J.....	3	2
W. E. Santoro, Newark, N. J.....	2	3
Fred Dunham, East Orange.....	1	4
John Braikovich, Harrison, N. J.	1	4

This tournament was sanctioned by the National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association. W. E. Santoro was tournament director. Mahoney received a gold medal emblematic of the championship, and will receive a certificate of championship from the national association. Other winners also received medals. J. Fred Margerum, general manager of the Trenton fair, was honorary referee.

Peer, Springfield; third vice president, Roscoe K. Miller, coach of Wilmington College; fourth vice president, Daniel Barnes, Columbus, and Russell Glass, Wilmington, secretary and treasurer.

E. C. Soport is president of the Marlboro, Mass., Horseshoe club. The club has 40 members.

**EAST DAYTON WINS**

The East Dayton team defeated Edgemont team in a recent contest to decide the championship of the Miami Valley League—the East Dayton boys won by a 22 to 14 score. The Willis Avenue team of Springfield was defeated by the East Dayton team for the championship of the Southwestern district of the Buckeye State Horseshoe Pitchers Association, the Springfield team taking the short end of a 20 to 16 score. The East Dayton team, now champions of the South-Western District, are out to win the championship of the state and issue a challenge to any team in the state. Dr. W. E. Dafler, Third and Terry streets, Dayton is secretary.

**NAME OFFICERS**

The Miami Valley league elected officers for the 1935 season at a meeting held at Piqua recently. Earl Kuns of Ft. McKinley is president; Wm. L. Isaacs, of Hamilton, vice president; Dr. W. E. Dafler, secretary and A. W. Evilsizer, of Piqua, treasurer. President Kuns in accepting the re-election thanked the league members for loyal support and predicted a prosperous 1935 season for the league.

**HOLD ELECTION**

The election of the South-Western District of the Buckeye State Horseshoe Pitchers Association for the 1935 season resulted as follows: Morgan, of Hamilton, president; Charles Hill, of Hamilton, vice president; Jesse Spitler, of Edgemont, secretary and Hildebrand, of Piqua, treasurer.

**PLAN INDOOR MEET**

Indoor winter horseshoe pitching is a possibility for Dayton this winter. Wm. E. Johnson and Earl Kuns, of Ft. McKinley may be contacted by any team interested in indoor pitching. Should enough interest be manifested a committee will be assigned to find suitable quarters for an indoor league for the winter months. Bill Johnson may be called over RA5046.

**AMATEURS NAME NEW OFFICERS**

Wilmington, Ohio—In the recent reorganization of the Ohio Amateur Horseshoe Pitchers' Association, completed at a meeting held in Wilming-

ton at the home of Gerald Smith, widely known Wilmington sportsman, officers for the coming year were named.

Smith was elected president; first vice president, George Chumard, Cincinnati; second vice president, George

# Colorado State Tournament Held At Denver

There were 47 entrants in the state tournament and the following method of qualifying was used: The players were placed in squads or groups of eight to a squad, and each player played three games, his percentage being taken from the three games. The highest 16 were placed in Class A and the next 16 in Class B. Saturday, Sept. 1, all day was spent in qualifying players.

Round robin was played in each class beginning Sunday P. M. at which time six games were scheduled to be played, and the remaining nine games were played on Monday, September 3, and finished in each class as shown.

A boys' tournament was also held with 14 boys entering. This was for boys 16 years of age or under. This tournament was won by Elwin Green of Niwot, Colorado, winning all 13 games with a ringer percentage of 78.1. This boy is 12 years of age, and has made a mark for others of his age to shoot at. In one of his games he made 92.8 per cent, and in two other game she made 87.5 per cent.

Mr. Theodore Allen, world's champion, and Fernando Isais, California champion, were in Denver giving an exhibition, and this 12-year-old boy played Allen two 50-point games with the following results:

	P	SP	R	DR	Pct
Green	51	72	58	22	80.5
Allen	26	72	50	17	69.4

Allen	50	90	72	28	80.0
Green	40	90	69	26	76.6

After these two games Fernando Isais played Robt. Decker, 1934 Col-

The three players first named tied for first place, each player throwing 50 shoes for a score, the player mak-

ing the greatest number of points winning the state championship, finishing as follows: Decker, 105 points; Lloyd, 101 and W. G. Work, 95.

Class B						
A. J. Watts, Pueblo, Colo	13	2	978	538	137	728 55.0
H. Aiken, Denver	12	3	948	475	104	691 50.1
E. Walters, Denver	11	4	1008	466	109	687 46.2
R. Potter, Denver	10	5	984	506	118	707 51.4
R. Manley, Colorado Springs	10	5	950	453	103	684 47.6
D. A. Houston, Greeley	9	6	974	466	100	670 47.8
Joe Wagoner, Denver	9	6	966	478	110	716 49.4
J. Burkhalter, Denver	7	8	972	414	104	644 42.5
Joe Zieg, Denver	7	8	966	426	87	658 44.0
James Shelton, Denver	7	8	920	401	84	625 43.5
L. Stumph, Denver	7	8	976	449	61	639 44.9
A. Lundberg, Denver	6	9	982	440	102	633 44.8
V. Christensen, Denver	5	10	954	410	71	561 42.9
H. Schilb, Denver	3	12	918	346	61	494 37.6
Ed. Freese, Littleton	3	12	924	370	80	488 40.0
W. Proctor, Englewood	1	14	952	376	72	516 39.4

W	L	SP	R	DR	P	Pct.
13	2	978	538	137	728	55.0
12	3	948	475	104	691	50.1
11	4	1008	466	109	687	46.2
10	5	984	506	118	707	51.4
10	5	950	453	103	684	47.6
9	6	974	466	100	670	47.8
9	6	966	478	110	716	49.4
7	8	972	414	104	644	42.5
7	8	966	426	87	658	44.0
7	8	920	401	84	625	43.5
7	8	976	449	61	639	44.9
6	9	982	440	102	633	44.8
5	10	954	410	71	561	42.9
3	12	918	346	61	494	37.6
3	12	924	370	80	488	40.0
1	14	952	376	72	516	39.4

orado champion, Isais winning 52 to 29. Isais throwing 67 ringers out of 82 shoes, with a percentage of 81.7, while Decker threw 56 ringers out of 82 shoes with a percentage of 68.2.

Allen and Isais also gave a fine exhibition of stunt pitching which was enjoyed by everyone present.

Mr. Frank Jackson and son Hansford also stopped over in Denver on Sunday, Sept. 23, and gave an exhibition, which was also enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Jackson and son were enroute to California.

The following officers were elected at the Colorado State Tournament for the coming year: President, Harry M. Duncan, 2064 S. Lincoln, Denver; vice president, Roscoe Manley, Colorado Springs; secretary and treasurer, Edward Walters, Denver.

## FITCHBURG CLUB WINS

Marlboro, Mass.—The Happy Hollow Horseshoe Pitching club lost its second straight match to the Fitchburg pitchers on the Happy Hollow courts, the winners taking 21 games out of 36. The ringer team average for the winners was 30.3 per cent and that of the losers was 28.7 per cent. Francis Callahan, city champion, and a member of the Happy Hollow team, was the individual star of the meet winning six out of six games with a ringer percentage of 45.7. E. Taipale was the high man for the visitors winning five out of six games for a ringer percentage of 37.7.

The scores:

Fitchburg				
	W	L	R	Pct
Bedard	3	3	72	24.7
W. Taiple	2	4	94	31.4
Dillon	5	1	83	27.7
O'Malley	3	3	85	28.4
Guertin	4	2	100	33.4
E. Taipale	5	1	113	37.7

Happy Hollow				
	W	L	R	Pct
Callahan	6	0	157	45.7
Cavanaugh	3	3	77	25.7
Reynard	3	3	73	24.4
Leco	0	6	65	21.7
Laporte	1	5	74	24.7
Taylor	2	4	91	30.4

Newspapers recently printed a picture of Jess Willard, former heavy-weight champ, pitching horseshoes in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Class A						
	W	L	SP	R	DR	P Pct.
Robt. Decker, Denver, Colo	12	3	1028	598	170	750 58.1
Wade Lloyd, Greeley, Colo	12	3	1078	600	164	744 55.6
W. G. Work, Pueblo, Colo	12	3	936	541	150	740 57.7
Marvin Clayberg, Denver, Colo	11	4	924	502	140	726 54.3
John Okey, Denver, Colo	11	4	934	502	119	686 53.7
Nathan Allen, Boulder, Colo	9	6	944	509	140	628 53.9
Herman Worth, Denver, Colo	8	7	976	519	131	650 53.1
Howard Leblow, Denver, Colo	7	8	1030	584	163	652 56.6
Tom Clayberg, Denver, Colo	7	8	998	511	137	655 51.2
Chas. Uhrich, Windsor, Colo	7	8	982	498	120	643 50.8
Nate Crocombe, Pueblo, Colo	7	8	932	456	99	606 48.9
James Davis, Brighton, Colo	6	9	922	477	123	649 51.1
Everett Gregory, Denver, Colo	5	10	996	515	90	597 51.6
Walter Demarest, Greeley, Colo	4	11	964	464	100	550 49.1
Ed Jent, Colorado Springs	1	14	910	385	80	455 42.3
E. Snyder, East Lake, Colo	1	14	838	340	75	391 40.5



# 11th Annual New York Tourney is Held

The eleventh annual New York State Tournament was concluded successfully at the Rochester Centennial celebration climaxing a 24-day horseshoe pitching program under the supervision of Frank R. Niven, president of the Putt Mossman Horseshoe Co., and well-known player of New York State. The winner of this feature event was Don Bickerton, of Buffalo, Western New York Titleholder who was pitching in his first state tournament. Bickerton faced tough competition all the way through the tournament, especially from the four finalists other than himself who competed against him along with John Stella, winner of the tournament for non-qualifiers. This new plan was first put into operation this year enabling a good pitcher who has an off day in the qualifications to come back and gain the title. However, he is not eligible for any money prize.

The runner-up to Bickerton was Vito Fileccia, well known Manhattan flash who pitched excellent shoes throughout the tournament, and narrowly missed winning it because of two losses to Doug Watson, of Rochester. Watson is a 16-year-old schoolboy, who was pitching in his first major tournament and deserves great credit for finishing in the third position. Bob Brown, former state champ was unable to compete in the singles title quest. Harold Seaman, defending champion, took fourth place, followed by John Stella and Al Holzhauer.

Other events in this 24-day program included city and county doubles and singles championships, women's championships, junior championships, and city and firemen's championships, and also club championships. This latter event was won by a team representing Schenectady, led by Al Holzhauer.

Among the records set during the play was the high score of 482 by Bickerton in the qualifying round, the game between Seaman and Fileccia in which each had 130 ringers pitched in the game, Seaman tossing on 66 ringers and Fileccia 64. In doubles competition the team of Niven and Watson, two Rochester players, the first the son of Frank R. Niven, supervisor of the tournament, and the latter winner of third place in the

state tournament, set a new record by pitching 25 ringers out of 30 shoes for a percentage of .833. Of these ringers Watson had 15 out of 16 and Niven 10 out of 14. Also in doubles competition for the state title the team of Watson and Niven had another thrilling match against Bickerton and Brown. The latter team won the title and also won this game in which the winners threw 70 ringers out of 96 shoes and the losers 66 ringers out of 96 shoes. The four shoes were on the stake 11 times including four times in succession and three times in succession. The winning team had 25 doubles and the losers 19. The following is the summary of the game:

	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
Bickerton .....	24	33	12	48	68.7
Brown .....	26	37	13	48	77.0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>72.8</b>
Watson .....	20	32	9	48	66.6
Niven .....	18	34	10	48	70.8
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>68.7</b>

The summaries of state tournament play follow:

The 16 high men in qualification round were as follows:

Bickerton, 462; Van Auken, 398; Fileccia, 393; Droms, 391; Watson, 389; Pooler, 382; Tweedie, 382; Sherwood, 382; Holzhauer, 378; Pareschi, 364; Grant, 362; Sly, 357; Steinfeldt, 357; Pickard, 356; Poddry, 354; Seaman, defending champ automatically qualifies.

High five men at end of the semi-finals:

Bickerton, Seaman, Watson, Fileccia, Holzhauer.

Stella winner of consolation series pitched double round robin finals with these five men for championship. Owing to his having to leave for home unexpectedly, Holzhauer could not finish, and took sixth place.

### Finals Summary

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	Pct.
Bickerton	8	2	349	335	101	558	.602
Fileccia .....	7	3	406	323	99	502	.643
Watson .....	7	3	453	353	104	536	.602
Seaman .....	6	4	437	348	94	624	.557
Stella .....	2	8	300	236	46	532	.443
Holzhauer	0	10	133	100	23	224	.446

In the playoff for third place Fileccia won out, defeating Watson two straight games in a two out of three

series. The summary follows:

Fileccia ...	2	0	100	90	30	126	.714
Watson .....	0	2	63	78	24	126	.619

In the finals Holzhauer was forced to drop out because postponement to the next day because of rain did not allow for him to get back home as it was necessary for him to do.

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\* OTTUMWA, IA., NOTES \*  
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On Sunday, September 9, the Ottumwa, Ia., horseshoe team played host to the What Cheer team in a return match and defeated them, 16 to 9. The match was close all the time and some very interesting games were pitched during the match. Among the best games was one between Harold Shaw and Albert Thomas as which proved to be most spectacular and interesting. Shaw tossed a total of 42 ringer out of 60 shoes for a 70 per cent average, while Thomas had 31 ringers out of 60 shoes for a 52 per cent average. Jesse Carnal had the best game for Ottumwa when he threw 27 ringers out of 46 shoes for a 60 per cent average. Shaw, besides his best game performance, went through the match undefeated, winning five straight games with a fine average of 62 per cent. He also set a record for doubles in one game with 15, a record for match play here this year.

Summaries follow:

	W	L	P	SP	R	DR	Pe
S. Johnson	4	1	223	268	134	35	50
A. Thomas	4	1	226	314	146	35	47
C. Musgrove	3	2	211	284	122	23	43
P. Thomas	3	2	225	318	134	32	42
J. Carnal	2	3	203	250	114	30	46

### What Cheer

	W	L	P	SP	R	DR	Pe
Shaw	5	0	250	298	154	50	62
Baughman	3	2	227	328	155	33	46
Johannas	1	4	186	294	120	24	41
Sauers	0	5	144	292	102	20	35
Kudarff	0	5	114	272	86	10	31

On Sunday, October 7, the county tournament was held at the courts in Wildwood Park after rain had delayed the tournament for some weeks. The contest was originally scheduled for Friday night, Sept. 23, under lights, but was delayed by the first rain in a month. Continued rainy

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weather caused further delay until it was too chilly to be played at night. The committee which consisted of Pete Thomas, chairman, A. L. Lightner, Lee Orman and Laverne Barker, decided it would be best to hold the carnival on Sunday, thereby getting away from the chilly nights and to allow non-pitchers in the county to compete at their convenience.

Scott Johnston, veteran horseshoe tosser and holder of the county titles more than anyone else, regained his title that he lost last year to the late Ernest Peckham, but only after a series of play-offs. In the final standings, Scott Johnson, Jesse Carnal and James Ware tied for first place, with 10 victories and one defeat. After drawing straws to see which two pitched first, Scott Johnston defeated Jesse Carnal, last year's city champion, 50 to 36 in a well-played game. Scott Johnston then defeated James Ware, 50 to 22, with his best game of the tournament with 30 ringers out of 50 shoes for a 60 per cent ringer average. Jesse Carnal then defeated James Ware for second place by a 50 to 28 score.

The summaries

	W	L	P	SP	R	DR	Pc
S. Johnson	10	1	558	604	284	66	47
J. Carnal	10	1	553	644	303	68	47
J. Ware	10	1	558	708	298	59	42
C. Musgrove	7	4	499	672	292	58	43
W. Hall	7	4	416	642	237	39	37
P. Thomas	5	6	429	684	248	48	36
B. Jay	4	7	466	712	286	67	40
Ed Tutor	3	8	387	696	226	30	33
R. McCall	3	8	448	690	221	38	32
Junior Hall	3	8	351	652	211	31	32
Bob Martin	2	9	390	732	224	30	31
Charles Johns	2	9	294	570	141	22	25

**Play-off Games**

	P	R	DR	S	Pc
Scott Johnston	50	34	8	70	49
Jesse Carnal	36	29	4	70	41

Scott Johnston	50	30	9	50	60
James Ware	22	20	3	50	40

Jesse Carnal	50	21	5	46	46
James Ware	28	13	3	46	30

On Sunday, October 14, a week after the county tournament, the annual city tournament was held at the horseshoe courts in Wildwood Park. Being so late in the season only a small percentage of the pitchers in town were represented and after delaying the tournament to allow belated pitchers to arrive, some of

whom failed to show up at all, the tournament got under way with only eight starters. Clate Musgrove led the qualifiers with 91 points, while Pete Thomas and Junior Hall, a 13-year-old boy, tied for second with 83 points each. As things turned out, the qualifying scores were unnecessary, but the highest was given first chance to draw his number, followed by the second, third, etc.

James Ware won the city title by finishing ahead of seven other opponents, winning six out of seven games. A break in the rules cost Pete Thomas the title he would have won but for his opponent looking at the score and telling him the score each time. Thomas had a 33 to 10 lead, but became nervous from hearing the scores at different times, and the game was soon anybody's game.

The worst break for Thomas was yet to come, as his opponent again looked at the score and told him it was 48 to 46 in Thomas favor. Becoming nervous on hearing the score and with the tension greater still, Thomas threw his first shoe clear out of the box, but steadied down and flopped the next one on. His opponent came back with a double to make the score 48 to 49 in his opponent's favor. His opponent missed going back but got a shoe flat against the stake. Thomas' first pitch rolled up behind the stake and leaned against it. It was a crucial moment for Thomas as he prepared to pitch the next shoe. When he hesitated as to what to do, other pitchers started giving him suggestions, making the situation a very tense one for Thomas. Knowing what the score was, Thomas was sure if he did throw a ringer it would flip off and at the same time knock the other shoe away, giving his opponent the necessary point to win. If Thomas had not known what the score was he would not have hesitated a bit on throwing his second shoe. He finally pitched the shoe landing at the side of the peg, making a no-count of the pitches. On the return pitch Thomas missed the peg by a small margin, but his opponent got a ringer on his last throw to win.

As the tournament turned out, Thomas tied for second along with Jesse Carnal and Clate Musgrove with five wins and two defeats. If Thomas had won his first game with Ware, the standings would have been Thomas six and one, while Ware,

Carnal and Musgrove would have tied for second.

Announcement was made after the game that players were not to be given the score at any time, but that was just one round too late for Mr. Thomas.

What are the rules governing players telling scores to their opponents, if any. If the player knew it bothered his opponent, what could be done before the announcement was made. It looked rather unsportsmanlike to tell him yourself and make other pitchers think you an unfair pitcher. It has sure been a mess of trouble for that pitcher, at least.

A special exhibition between two of Ottumwa's women pitchers was arranged during the tournament, but at a last minutes' notice, one of the ladies could not compete. They were Dorothy Thomas and Hazel Clouse, who have been practicing all summer on our private courts.

James Ware, new city champ, also had the best game pitched when he threw 27 out of 46 shoes, getting 11 doubles for a 59 per cent average. Musgrove and Thomas had the next best games with 55 and 54 per cent respectively. By throwing 50 shoes in the playoff for second and third, Jesse Carnal took second with 101 points, and Musgrove third with 94.

	W	L	P	SP	R	DR	Pc
James Ware	6	1	328	420	185	41	44
Jesse Carnal	5	2	347	472	209	45	44
C. Musgrove	5	2	340	426	200	50	47
Pete Thomas	5	2	341	428	195	37	46
Verne Wilson	3	4	287	470	168	27	36
L. Barker	2	5	275	424	146	29	34
Junior Hall	1	6	190	346	110	20	32
Lee Orman	1	6	246	448	124	15	28

**50-Shoe Play-off**

Jesse Carnal	50	101	29	10	58
Clate Musgrove	50	94	25	6	50
Pete Thomas	50	70	15	3	30

Leon L. Cole has moved from Ceres, N. Y., to Millport, N. Y.

James Boatelle, Townshend, Vt., is a horseshoe enthusiast.

Alvin L. Earle, 54 Westminster Ave., Arlington Heights, Mass., is interested in the game.

H. L. Gaskill is president of the North Park Horseshoe Club in Portland, Oregon.

He—We are coming to a tunnel, are you afraid?

She—Not if you take that cigar out of your mouth.

## NEW JERSEY STATE HORSESHOE PITCHING CHAMPION

Lawrence Mahoney, sensational 15-year-old player, became America's youngest state champion when he won the New Jersey State horseshoe pitching championship at the Trenton state fair, September 26th. A week before "Larry," as he is popularly known, became 15 years of age. He defeated a strong field of players for the New Jersey crown. Champions from every section of the state were present. Young or old and veterans with many years of experience, fell before the mighty pitching arm of young Mahoney. He defeated them all in the finals and romped off with nine straight victories. Barely half as tall as most of the men he opposed, Mahoney nevertheless displayed a ringer tossing ability that was only surpassed by Joe Puglise of Paterson, the defending champion. Mahoney averaged 58.8 per cent ringers for the nine games; had one 70 per cent game and four other games over 60 per cent.

Larry is one of a family of horseshoe pitching enthusiasts. His father finished tenth in Class B and his older brother reached the semi-finals of Class C. They hail from Lincraft, N. J., a few miles from Red Bank.

A wildly excited crowd of over 500 spectators roared their approval as young Mahoney mowed down his opponents, one after the other, with apparent ease. He clinched the title as early as the seventh round when he defeated Joe Puglise of Paterson, by a score of 50-27. It was one of the best games of the day. The crowd continually applauded the fine ringer pitching. Five times there were four ringers on the stake and every inning had at least one ringer on the stake. Both players started off even but at the start of the sixth inning Mahoney started to pull away to gain a lead of 22-13, then 31-14 and safely protected this lead as he averaged 73 per cent ringers for the rest of the game, 15 innings, to win. Mahoney averaged 63.3 per cent ringers, while Puglise averaged 50 per cent, his lowest of the entire day.

Mahoney's opponents averaged less than 15 points per game. Gene Hillman, of Paterson, who finished second, scored the most points against him—32. It was the fifth round and both players were tied for the lead, each having won four straight. Hillman went into the lead at 9-4 but it

quickly vanished as Larry tossed 13 ringers out of 18 shoes to jump ahead at 24-9. Hillman tried hard to close the gap and after a volley of ringers the score was 26-34 against him. Mahoney then pitched a streak of seven ringers out of the next 10 shoes and ran out the game 50-32. In the last 24 innings, Mahoney pitched 32 ringers out of 48 shoes pitched and ended the games with an average of 61.6 per cent ringers, while Hillman averaged 48.3 per cent. The biggest surprise of the day came when Mahoney defeated MacNeil, New Jersey invitation champion, 50-6. He averaged 56 per cent, while MacNeil had his poorest game of the day, 32 per cent ringers.

Many spectators who witnessed last years' matches recalled that young Mahoney was runner-up to the Class B title with an average of 23.8 per cent ringers. Compared with his average this year of 58.8 per cent, his improvement is one of the outstanding events in New Jersey horseshoe pitching circles.

Joe Puglise, although deprived of his title, reaped considerable satisfaction from the fact that he established two new state records. His average of 62.1 per cent ringers for the day was the best of the day and good for a new record. He defeated Koczon, former metropolitan champion, 50-4, and tossed 75 per cent ringers for a new state championship record. He also had a 73 per cent game; two games of 66.7 per cent and another of 65.4 per cent. None of his games were lower than 50 per cent ringers. Puglise, in failing to retain his crown, not only lost to Mahoney but also to a pair of other rivals, Gene Hillman, a fellow Patersonian, and George MacNeil of Atlantic City. His match with Hillman was the first of the day and turned out to be the most thrilling of the entire day. It was the first indication that new records and many upsets were in store for the tourney. Hillman held the score even until Puglise pulled away at 11-12 to make the score 11-27, pitching 10 ringers out of 12 shoes. Hillman duplicated the feat of pitching 10 ringers out of 12 shoes to trail at 27-34

Puglise then again pulled away to lead at 27-42. However, Hillman was not to be denied and at this stage he started an attack that thrilled the

crowd. He tossed 11 ringers out of 12 shoes to jump into the lead at 43-42. Puglise then retaliated with a double ringer to lead 48-42. He endeavored to run out the game but in an exchange of ringers Hillman fared better and came within one point of tying the score at 47-48. Another exchange of ringers did not change the score. In the next inning Puglise missed ringers but both shoes rested against the stake for what seemed two points. Hillman, pitching slowly and carefully, missed the stake with the first shoe, but the next one floated down on the stake for a ringer and the game, 50-48.

He jubilantly jumped into the air but Puglise quickly brought him "down to earth" by heartily congratulating him. The crowd applauded both players for their exciting match. Hillman averaged 57.8 per cent and Puglise 56.5 per cent. The other game Puglise lost to MacNeil ended 50-25, with MacNeil pitching 59 per cent ringers and Puglise 51.5 per cent.

Hillman finished second with eight wins and one loss. MacNeil, who finished third, won seven and lost two, losing to Mahoney and Hillman. In his match with Hillman, he was leading 40-32 when he hit a poor streak only getting six ringers out of 16 shoes pitched. Hillman quickly seized the opportunity and let loose a barrage of ringers that ran out the game 50-40.

The qualifying rounds consisted of two tries of 50 shoes, with the highest 50 shoes counting. Joe Puglise led the field with 115 points and 66 per cent ringers, followed by Larry Mahoney, with 108 points and 64 per cent ringers; Kyle McMurtry, of Camden, with 98 points and 54 per cent ringers; George MacNeil with 96 points and 58 per cent; Gene Hillman with 96 points and 56 per cent; Frank Boyce, of Old Bridge, state champion 1925-33, with 94 points and 52 per cent ringers. Others to qualify were, Garry DeYoung, of Paterson, Leroy Boggs of Camden, a newcomer to Class A range; Alex Robertson, of Jersey City, another newcomer to Class A, and 1933 Class C champion; Andrew Koczon of Rahway, former Metropolitan champion. Paul Puglise, of Paterson, much to

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**NEW JERSEY STATE HORSESHOE PITCHING CHAMPIONSHIP**

the surprise of many of his followers, failed to qualify for Class A.

**Class A. Final Standing**

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.
Lawrence Mahoney, Lincroft.....	9	0	450	254	72	432	129	58.8
Eugene Hillman, Paterson.....	8	1	432	268	75	548	293	48.9
George MacNeil, Atlantic City.....	7	2	396	277	72	527	274	52.5
Joseph Puglise, Paterson.....	6	3	400	286	87	460	226	62.1
Frank Boyce, Old Bridge.....	5	4	325	223	38	512	339	43.5
Andrew Koczon, Rahway.....	4	5	297	155	31	474	360	32.7
Garry DeYoung, Paterson.....	3	6	342	220	41	582	392	37.8
Kyle McMurtry, Camden.....	2	7	271	156	21	510	421	30.6
Alex. Robertson, Jersey City.....	1	8	211	132	17	480	441	27.5
Leroy Boggs, Camden.....	0	9	202	114	14	480	450	23.8

Sam Mongillo, Jersey City, won the Class B championship with nine straight victories. His nearest rival was Paul Puglise who finished with seven wins and two losses. Mongillo had the high ringer percentage for a game in this class, 53.3 per cent; also top honors for ringer average, 44.7 per cent. Most of his games were easy wins except his game with John Sullivan of Paterson. Sullivan ran away to a quick lead of 19-4, but Mongillo crawled to 14 points and then passed his opponent at 24-23. From this point on the game was even. With the score at 39-37 Mongillo stepped out and won the game 50-40.

Paul Puglise, beside losing to Mongillo, lost a close game to Williams of Navesink. The score was 14 all when Williams, with a spurt of ringers, jumped to a lead of 36-14. Later

to 43-20. Puglise then settled down and started a campaign of his own and just fell short of tying the score at 42-43. In a series of ringers Williams scored six points to lead 49-42, but on the next pitch Puglise garnered six points and the score stood at 48-49. Puglise then pitched one ringer and Williams tossed a double ringer to win.

Williams, who finished third, lost games to Mongillo, Nolan and Brown. He was leading Nolan 48-47 when Nolan pitched a double ringer to win. Brown defeated him 50-35 and led all the way. Clarence Hackett and Sullivan were tied for fourth prize, but it was decided on ringer percentage and Hackett won out by a slim margin of three-tenths of one per cent. Martin Nolan and C. P. West, two veterans, caused plenty of trouble but found the going a bit too tough to place in the prizes.

**Class B. Final Standing**

	W	L	P	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.
Samuel Mongillo, Jersey City.....	9	0	450	212	52	474	232	44.7
Paul Puglise, Paterson.....	7	2	422	199	31	542	264	36.8
William Williams, Navesink.....	6	3	419	206	25	614	374	33.6
Clarence Hackett, Camden.....	5	4	370	188	22	616	427	30.2
John Sullivan Paterson.....	5	4	374	174	26	580	351	30.0
George Miller, Linden.....	4	5	368	180	29	544	340	33.0
D. E. Brown, Camden.....	4	5	315	138	14	502	367	27.5
C. P. West, Allentown.....	3	6	360	177	20	626	395	23.3
Martin Nolan, Hightstown.....	1	8	272	127	10	576	448	22.0
M. Mahoney, Lincroft.....	1	8	232	99	13	506	414	19.6

Claude Hart, of Jersey City, by far the largest man in the tourney, all of six feet and well over 200 pounds, won the Class C championship by defeating John Dailey, of Navesink, 30-28, 30-26. Class C was by elimination and matches were two out of three 30-point games. Hart's semi-final victim was Joe Mahoney, brother of Larry, 30-3, 30-21. Dailey conquered William Kelly of Everett, in a hard-fought semi-final match, 30-25, 2E-30, 30-20. Other quarter finalists

were Mack Maddred, of Camden, Joe Glover, of Camden, Will Gaffnery, of Red Bank, and Amos Sanders of Pompton Plains.

J. Fred Margerum, general manager of the Trenton State Fair, presented the prizes to the winners with congratulatory remarks and was much impressed with the fine showing of the tourney. Larry Mahoney was presented the handsome Senator A. Crozer Reeves trophy (about half his size) and the Trenton Fair gold

medal, emblematic of the state championship. Sam Mongillo was presented the Twin Column H. G. Hoffman trophy and the Trenton Fair medal, emblematic of the Class B championship. Claude Hart was presented the Trenton Fair medal, emblematic of the Class C championship.

The excellent ringer pitching at this tournament was very gratifying to the state association. Last year 36 per cent won the state championship, while 58.8 per cent was necessary this year. Last year the highest average was 43 per cent, and the high single game was 53.5 per cent, while this year 62.2 per cent was the high average and 75 per cent the high game. Only two games were over 50 per cent last year. This year there were 27 over 50 per cent; nine over 60 per cent, and three over 70 per cent. Last year Class A averaged 29.7 per cent ringers; this year the average was 41.7 per cent.

These championships were the feature event of Farmers' and Grange day at the Trenton State Fair. They were conducted by the New Jersey Horseshoe Pitchers' Association and sanctioned by the National association. Much credit for the huge success of the tournament is due J. Fred Margerum, general manager of the Trenton State Fair. His personal efforts in providing excellent courts and ideal conditions, fine seating arrangements and a long prize list of 14 prizes for three classes stimulated real interest in the game throughout the state. It was also through the efforts of Mr. Margerum and Miss Helen G. Laffan, assistant secretary of the Trenton State Fair, that announcements of the tournament were broadcast throughout the grandstands and over the air through stations WMAC, New York and WLIT, Philadelphia, during the afternoon.

The National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association will award certificate of championships to the winners.

W. E. Santoro, of Newark, was tournament director. He was assisted by R. Santoro of Perth Amboy, and B. T. Murphy, of Jersey City. Official score keepers were A. J. Dunbar, of Pa., L. Kremer, of Old Bridge; Sam Puglise and Ben Sullivan, of Paterson; J. Mahoney, of Lincroft; Calhoun, Matthew, Staas, Bordonaro and C. Miller, of Camden; Tom Garland and J. Pangaro of Jersey City.

W. E. SANTORO,  
Tournament Director

## AMATEUR HORSESHOE PITCHING IN MAINE

### Cumberland County Amateur Tournament, Deering's Oaks Park, Portland, August 1-8

By Rev. E. V. Stevens

The Recreation Commission of Portland is very enterprising and up-to-date in all amateur sports. Their most recent effort has been to build a fine horseshoe court with 16 lanes with clay pitching boxes and bleacher seats for 1200 people.

Deerings Oakes Park is large and beautiful in the heart of the West Side. Many of the outdoor sports are provided for, including soft ball and bowling on the green.

This summer in co-operation with the Cumberland Co. Horseshoe Pitching Association, they fostered a splendid meet during the last week of July and the first week of August.

Sixty men entered for the contest that was an elimination play from start to finish. They played a round robin, best two out of three from beginning to end. They started at 6 o'clock daylight savings time on Monday evening, August 27th, and continued each evening, weather permitting, until finals on Wednesday, Aug. 8th.

With 16 courts they were able to eliminate 16 men each evening until they selected the eight men for finals and semi-finals.

Mr. Granville R. Lee, Supt. of the playground commission of the city, G. M. Barlow, city manager, and Mr. Armbey, member of the city council worked with the committee from the Horseshoe club. Rev. E. V. Stevens was asked to act as referee for the semi-finals and finals. The tournament moved very smoothly and happily and attracted hundreds of fans every day. The city papers gave generous space with large cuts each day. Mr. Lee the recreation commissioner, told the writer that it was the most successful tournament they had held for the season in any sport.

From 1000 to 1200 people attended the games every evening for the last week and on Wednesday, the closing night, excitement ran high. I have never witnessed a more exciting finish nor have I seen greater enthusiasm on the part of the crowd than I did that August evening.

The first place was won by Mr. Llewellyn Carver, a veteran who took the title of amateur champion of Cum-

berland county for the fourth consecutive year. He had, however, the fight of his life, to win the second and winning game. It was not decided until the 79th shoe was thrown. Ralph Finch, a charming 17-year-old boy just out of high school led the game until the 40th frame. At the close of the 35th frame, Finch led by a score of 48 to 39, and threw six ringers out of the next 10 shoes, while Carver threw eight, making the score 48 to 46 in favor of Finch, at the end of the 39th frame; but in the 40th frame Carver threw doubles and Finch failed to cover, giving the game to Carver by a score of 52 to 48. Carver took both games by the following figures:

	P	R	DR	SP	Pct
Carver .....	51	38	11	62	61
Finch .....	25	29	6	62	47

Carver .....	52	40	8	80	50
Finch .....	48	39	9	80	49

For the third place, Mr. George Austin played great horseshoes and was an easy winner throwing the highest percentage of any man in the tournament in the second and winning game, 65.9-10 per cent.

Austin .....	54	24	4	58	41.3
Pillsbury .....	24	15	4	58	25.8

Austin .....	51	27	9	44	65.9
Pillsbury .....	8	13	2	44	29.5

This remarkable game of Mr. Austin indicates very clearly what the amateur horseshoe pitchers are doing and it is plain to be seen they are close on the heels of the professionals.

Handsome trophies, cups and nickelplated shoes and other attractive gifts were presented to the winners by Rev. E. V. Stevens acting for the club and Mr. Lee, Recreation commissioner, and Mr. Barlow, the city manager. The city of Portland has not had a mayor for several years and Mr. Barlow has been very successful and popular.

The Portland club is to be congratulated for the splendid way it put this tournament over. They are now holding a city championship meet and have asked permission of the National association to have a New Eng-

land meet to be conducted strictly along amateur lines wholly satisfactory to the A. A. U.

They have many boys in high school and college sports and are very particular not to in any way compromise them in any athletic activities they may wish to enter.

My contact with this tournament confirms my belief that if we wish to make our favorite sport a popular and front page game we must place more emphasis upon the amateur phase.

A very interesting bit of horseshoe pitching came under my observation on my stay in Maine.

They have what is known as the Three-quarter Century Club, open to all residents or former residents of Maine, who have lived 75 or more years. They meet annually and the state shows them great honor. Horseshoe pitching is always a feature of the day's pleasure. The Governor of the state always attends and presents the winner with a Governor's trophy. Mr. Lysander Monk, now 83 years old, won this trophy when he was 79. Governor Gardner, when he presented this shoe, told Mr. Monk that it carried \$65.00 of Pure gold. This is probably now worth \$125.00.

They are not giving away gold any more, but yearly present an equally valuable and greatly to be desired trophy. Mr. Monk is very proud of his gold horseshoe as well he may be. He does not play now because of infirmities of age, but when he did play he was throwing a big percentage of ringers as the writer can testify.

The charm of horseshoe pitching is in the doing it yourself. The meeting of friends and neighbors in a social way and learning to place them open at the stake.

The newspapers are always zealous to report all amateur activities and I feel we will never find our sport on the front page of the dailies until we begin to place more emphasis on this phase of the old patriotic game and make it social and fascinating for the average player.

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## CALIFORNIA MEET WON BY ALLEN

Reports from California, although very meager, state that Ted Allen, world's champion horseshoe pitcher, won the tournament held in Los Angeles recently.

The tournament, arranged by John A. Gordon, unfortunately was not a trouble was experienced as a result of a lack of prize money, according to press dispatches from California.

The tournament was conditionally sanctioned by the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association, President Alex. Cumming offering a sanction if certain conditions, including prize money and other stipulations, as was mentioned in the last Horseshoe World. When it became evident these conditions were not being met the sanction, of course, was automatically cancelled. Many pitchers wired the offices of the National Association for information and as a result did not go to California.

The Horseshoe World hoped to give the scores of the meet, but is unable to obtain them due to the difficulties experienced at the meet.

Charles Hill, Hamilton, Ohio, recently won the Butler County championship.

## HAVE GREAT SEASON

The Greater Lawrence, Mass., League has had a great season, due in a great measure to the splendid leadership of H. N. "Nick" Bulger, president.

Bulger, with his brother Tom, held the team championship from 1921 to 1931. They now devote their time to the upbuilding of the game.

To Nick Bulger goes the credit for "educating" his newspapers on horseshoe publicity, the Greater Lawrence league getting more publicity, perhaps, than any other league.

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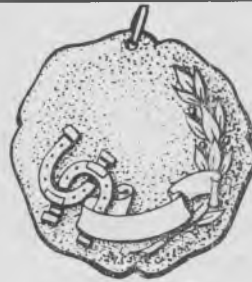
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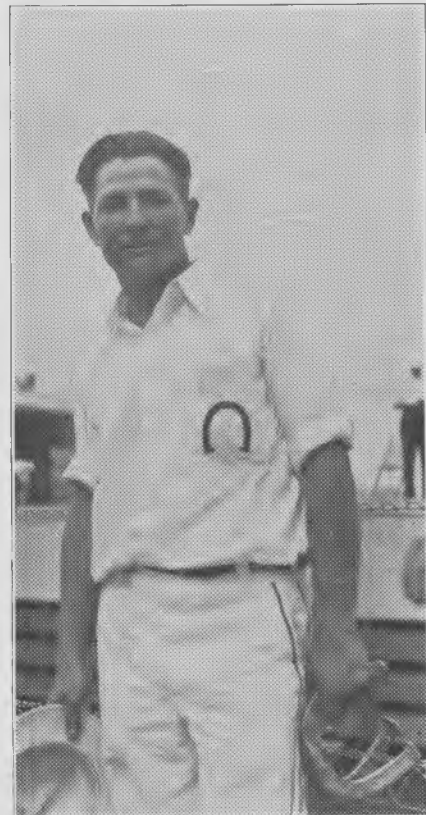
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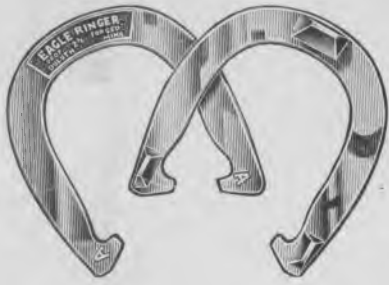


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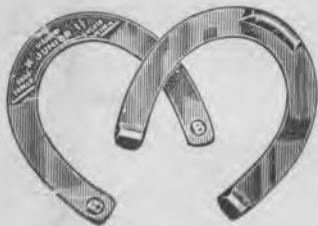
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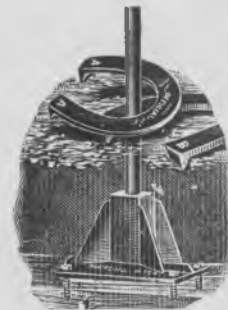
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