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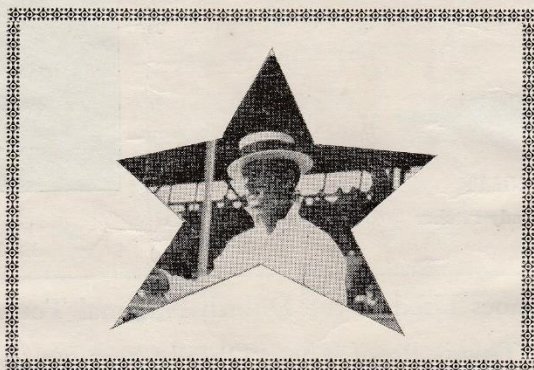
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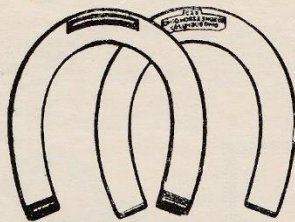
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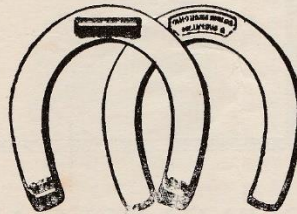
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Davis Repeats as National Champion

FROM a field of nine state champions and two former world's champions — Frank Jackson and Putt Mossman—and 23 other contestants, Charlie Davis, Columbus, Ohio, who for the third time won the world's championship at St. Petersburg, Florida, last February, repeated his performance and for the fourth time was crowned King of Horseshoe Pitchers of the World at the National Tournament open to all the horseshoe pitchers of the world, held at Duluth, Minnesota, August 8th to 15th.

Duluth had made great preparations for this national event by putting in 26 new clay courts equipped with Diamond Official Stake Holders and Stakes, manufactured by the Diamond Calk Horseshoe Co. There were plank walks around and between the stakes. The courts were beautifully located in Lief Erickson Park, not far from the center of the city, and near the shore of Lake Superior. Passenger steamers and freighters, laden with ore, grain, coal and other commodities, entering and leaving the harbor, were in plain view from the courts. The weather for which Duluth is famous in August, was cool and invigorating—about right for pitching most of the time.

Shoes were weighed and measured, the players and scorekeepers instructed, and numbers of the players were drawn, so that the games began about 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, and 133 games were played before night. Davis, Frank Jackson, Collier and Risk were the only ones not defeated the first day. Davis was in the lead with a percentage of .623.

Curtis and Jones of South Dakota, and Gibson from Wisconsin, dropped out, leaving only 35 men the second day, and for the rest of the preliminaries.

On Tuesday each man played 12 games, Collier, Risk and Davis each losing to Frank Jackson. Collier also lost to Duryee, Elmerson and V. Jackson. Davis also lost to Duryee. This left Frank Jackson the only man undefeated at the end of the second day's play.

Duryee on Tuesday made the largest percentage in any one game in the Duluth tournament, in his game with Ransdell.

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct.
Duryee	50	33	15	38	.869
Ransdell . . .	6	19	4	38	.500

Wednesday there was some rain which held up the playing in the forenoon, but before night each man had

played eight more games. Frank Jackson met his first and only defeat in the preliminaries at the hands of his own son Vyrl, with the following result:

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct.
V. Jackson	50	40	15	58	.690
F. Jackson	21	31	9	58	.534

The preliminaries ended Thursday night with Frank Jackson having the highest total percentage of ringers, and having lost only one game. It began to look as though the Old Warhorse was going to stage a come-back for another world's championship, which he had won so many times before. He had pitched the second best game of the tournament Thursday, considering percentage of ringers, when he defeated Vail, as follows:

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct.
F. Jackson	50	22	9	26	.846
Vail	0	5	1	26	.191

The defeating of his father by Vyrl Jackson put him and Reese in a tie for twelfth place. They agreed to play best two out of three 50-point games to decide. Reese won first two games putting him in the finals.

The twelve highest men in the preliminaries were to play each other one game each day for three days, the man winning the most games to be declared world's champion. It was put to a vote of the twelve men how a tie for first place should be decided if there should be one. Six voted for a series of best four out of seven, and six for a series of best six out of 11 50-point games, so the final decision was left to the tournament committee should the question arise.

The first day of the finals no player won all his games—Davis lost to Collier, Duryee lost to Davis, and C. Jackson; and Frank Jackson lost to Davis, Risk and Duryee. The Frank Jackson and Duryee game was the best of the tournament, considering the number of

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct.
Duryee	50	63	20	90	.700
F. Jackson	36	58	19	90	.644

Davis' percentage in all games the first day of the finals was .680.

Saturday was warmer than it had been—a beautiful day in every way. Davis was the only man to win all his games. F. Jackson lost only one game and that to Davis. Duryee lost to Davis, C. Jackson, F. Jackson, H. Jackson and Putt Mossman.

The jinx seemed to have selected Art Cumming for its Saturday victim, for he lost three consecutive games, having 47 points in one and 49 points in each of the other two. Following are the scores:

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct.
Hilst	50	35	10	68	.515
Cumming . . .	47	36	6	68	.530
H. Jackson	50	50	12	92	.544
Cumming	49	50	11	92	.544
C. Jackson	50	60	18	94	.638
Cumming	49	57	15	94	.606

If Cumming had won these games it would have made considerable difference in his final standing. Davis finished the second day of the finals with a total percentage of .688 in his 22 games.

Monday, the last day, the wind was rather strong, and held down the ringer percentage somewhat. Davis lost to Jackson and Duryee, but captured the championship, having won 30 of his 33 games in the finals, and made a percentage of .646 in his total final games. His nearest competitor Frank Jackson, lost his last three games to Collier, H. Jackson and C. Jackson, but won second place with a total of 26 games won and seven lost, and a percentage of .611. These last three games were as follows:

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct.
Collier	50	43	8	78	.551
F. Jackson	45	40	10	78	.513

H. Jackson	50	31	6	84	.369
F. Jackson	48	27	2	84	.321
C. Jackson	50	37	8	76	.487
F. Jackson	43	34	8	76	.447

These games put C. Jackson in fifth place and H. Jackson in the with Mossman, Collier and Cumming for seventh place. The four agreed to each pitch 100 shoes, counting all points, the number of points to decide. Mossman and Collier tied for seventh place, but H. Jackson won from Cumming for ninth place. Collier and Mossman agreed to pitch 50 more shoes, which was won by Mossman, giving him seventh place and Collier eighth.

The prizes were awarded Monday night after the meeting of the convention of the National Association at the office building of the Duluth Board of Education. The gold medals set with diamonds, given to both the men's and women's champions were probably the most beautiful and costly ever presented in similar tournaments. The cups and trophies were a fine selection and very pleasing to the winners. The Diamond Calk Horseshoe company and the Putt Mossman Horseshoe company each presented a number of pairs of horseshoes to different players in addition to the other trophies.

There are no records of any previous tournament where 4 men had over 51 per cent ringers after each pitching 34 games. That is a record-breaker for the Duluth tournament, showing the best horseshoe pitching talent ever assembled for such a national event.

The thanks of all the players and everybody else interested are due to Mr. Otto Swanstrom, president of the Diamond Calk Horseshoe company, whose untiring efforts in the securing, planning and financing made this tournament the great success it was in having such fine courts and the bringing together of such an array of the best pitchers in the world; and also to the Frolic committee of the city of Duluth, who stood back of the whole project.

Mr. Fay Marvin, secretary of the Minnesota State Horseshoe Pitchers' association, and Recreational Director of the City of Duluth, in addition to looking after a great deal of the detail both before and during the tournament, acted as manager of the grounds and called the players for the games on the different courts.

The writer acted as tournament director, planning the schedule of games, keeping the records and furnishing the information which was published daily in the morning and evening papers,

and wired twice each day by the press associations throughout the country.

He was ably assisted with the records by Miss Moore and Mr. Bartlett of Duluth, and Miss Julia Cole of Grand Rapids, Mich.

The Duluth News Tribune, the morning paper, and the Duluth Herald, the evening paper, gave liberally of their space, often on the front page in featuring daily the high lights of the plays as the tournament progressed, and also in publishing numerous pictures of the players and officials.

Two moving picture concerns each made a number of hundred feet of film for their news reels to be shown throughout the country.

B. G. Leighton, former secretary of the National association, acted as one of the tournament committee with Mr. Fay Marvin and the writer.

W. E. Stimson, Cleveland, Ohio, who, accompanied by his wife, came to Duluth to enjoy the tournament, acted as one of the judges.

D. D. COTTRELL.

ILLINOIS MEET

The State Horse Shoe Pitchers association of Illinois held a most successful tournament at the Illinois State Fair at Springfield, Illinois, on August 24, 1927, where ninety-eight horseshoe pitchers entered.

Entries were closed at 10:30 a. m. in order to finish the tournament in one day.

Cash prizes aggregating \$500 were given by the fair management, which was divided into 24 prizes. Walter Torbert, of Clinton, winner of the championship, carried off all honors in the state for the second time, winning all his games with a ringer percentage of 64.

C. R. Thompson finished second; Geo. Hilst finished third and C. Jackson finished fourth.

Other pitchers as they finished were, H. Jackson, fifth; G. W. Peterson, 6th; C. Linewebber, 7th; Edd Kruse, 8th; H. Collier, 9th; Fred Senn, 10th; Art Johnson, 11th; S. G. Smith, 12th; E. R. Baker, 13th; E. M. Crank, 14th; Jess Ninemier, 15th; H. C. McQueen, 16th; R. G. Bright, 17th; Carl Dietz, 18th; R. G. Bright, 17th; L. J. Monken, 20th; Estle McGee, 21st; R. E. Peters, 22nd, Merle Bright, 23rd; Theo Spicer 24th.

The election of officers of the State association following the finals, resulted as follows:

S. E. Tanner, Anchor, Ills., president; O. G. Addleman, Springfield, Ill., 1st vice president; A. W. Houston,

Gibson City, Ill., 2nd vice president; M. F. Watt, Atlanta, Ills., secretary; S. G. Smith, Anchor, Ills., treasurer.

The organization also voted to affiliate with the National association.

SEASON CLOSED

The activities of the Sextette Horse Shoe Pitching League were successfully brought to a conclusion in a grand banquet at Southwick Inn, Southwick, Mass., Tuesday evening, August 31st.

Representatives from six teams and officers totaling over 60 men.

After a short business meeting, Mr. W. O. Johnson, president, presented the winners of the tournament, The Columbias, of Westfield Mfg. Co.,—with \$30.00 in gold,—Capt. Shean accepting with appropriate remarks.

The six team captains, officers and guests sat at head table, which really formed the speakers' table,—each captain spoke briefly regarding accomplishment of past year, and plans for next year.

The guest and speaker of the evening was P. N. Hall, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. In a somewhat humorous and pleasing way he complimented the league on its fine work the past season, and urged for co-operation of all to make next season better.

President Johnson reported on the Charles Davis championship exhibition which was a grand success in every way.

Following officers were elected for coming season:

President, W. O. Johnson; vice president, Wm. Smith; secretary, John Lynch; treasurer, John Scanlon; official scorer, A. W. Butler.

Standing of teams for 1927, below:
108 games played.

Captains	Teams	Won	Lost	Pct
John Shean, Columbias	86	12	.888	
Harry Keyes, Bryant				
Box Co. ....	.87	21	.805	
Geo. Barden, Foster				
Mch. Co. ....	.53	55	.490	
Wm. Smith, Strathmore Pa. Co. ....	.47	61	.435	
John Lynch, Warren				
Thread Co. ....	.31	77	.287	
L. D. Phillips, Kiwanis	16	92	.148	

—W. O. JOHNSON

GIVES INVESTIGATION

Through the efforts of Gus Glasow, president of the Fond du Lack Horseshoe club, Fond du Lack, Wisfl., Putt Mossman, former national champion, put on a splendid exhibition in that city the latter part of July,

Official Records, Men's Tournament

NATIONAL HORSESHOE PITCHERS' ASSOCIATION, DULUTH, MINN.,
AUGUST 8 TO 15, 1927

PRELIMINARIES

	W	L	Pts	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.R
1 Frank Jackson, Lamoni, Iowa.....	33	1	1671	1107	344	1754	709	.631
2 C. C. Davis, Columbus, Ohio.....	30	4	1636	1068	326	1712	713	.624
3 James Risk, Montpelier, Ind.....	29	5	1587	1087	286	1922	885	.565
4 Bert Duryee, Wichita, Kansas.....	28	6	1611	1053	313	1790	823	.588
5 Hansford Jackson, Chicago, Ill.....	28	6	1610	1094	288	2100	1091	.521
6 Geo. J. Hilst, Green Valley, Ill.....	27	7	1566	1065	277	1982	1029	.554
7 Carroll Jackson, Chicago, Ill.....	26	8	1563	1016	273	1894	1009	.537
8 Art Cumming, Minneapolis, Minn.....	26	8	1588	1061	276	2052	1090	.517
9 Putt Mossman, Eldora, Iowa.....	25	9	1578	1081	280	2018	1043	.536
10 Howard Collier, Canton, Ill.....	25	9	1555	947	229	1888	1023	.502
11 Cecil R. Freel, Murray, Iowa.....	24	10	1546	1051	293	1894	945	.555
12 Harvey Reese, Lake City, Iowa.....	23	11	1440	970	251	1908	1112	.508
13 \$35 Vyril Jackson, Lamoni, Iowa.....	23	11	1533	1019	284	1944	1046	.524
14 \$25 Harvey Elmeron, Kenosha, Wis.....	22	12	1459	993	255	1894	1172	.514
15 \$20 John L. Dahl, Minneapolis, Minn.....	21	13	1488	961	236	2058	1198	.467
16 W. P. Yocum, Zanesville, Ohio.....	20	14	1386	921	196	2022	1203	.454
17 Milton Tate, Knoxville, Ill.....	18	16	1406	904	207	1988	1226	.455
18 Verne G. Licht, Milwaukee, Wis.....	18	16	1390	817	185	1944	1284	.420
19 Roy W. Slater, Canton, Ill.....	16	18	1303	845	177	1952	1305	.434
20 Seymour J. Johnson, Madison, Wis.....	15	19	1254	820	157	2018	1418	.406
21 John Anderson, Duluth, Minn.....	14	20	1352	900	173	2140	1345	.421
22 Lee Rose, Detroit, Mich.....	13	21	1178	785	147	1996	1443	.393
23 R. M. Ransdell, Minneapolis, Minn.....	12	22	1103	720	126	1962	1465	.367
24 Emmett Mossman, Eldora, Iowa.....	12	22	1107	698	136	1940	1490	.360
25 Sidney Plott, Shreveport, La.....	11	23	1185	758	133	1948	1420	.389
26 Fred Culley, Deerfield, Wis.....	11	23	1135	744	151	1958	1558	.329
27 Frank Stinson, Minneapolis, Minn.....	8	26	1010	627	101	1850	1595	.339
28 Elmer Lewis, Minneapolis, Minn.....	8	26	827	490	56	1840	1570	.266
29 R. L. Shrewsbury, Wyzetta, Minn.....	7	27	1016	629	107	1972	1568	.324
30 Ralph Rasmussen, Minneapolis, Minn.....	6	28	893	552	84	1848	1551	.299
31 W. E. Vail, Duluth, Minn.....	5	29	810	501	73	1786	1613	.280
32 John Perkins, Richland Center, Wis.....	5	29	780	460	67	1718	1619	.268
33 Kenneth Hart, Minneapolis, Minn.....	4	30	848	496	73	1832	1669	.271
34 Wesley Frederickson, Minneapolis, Minn.....	1	33	650	460	66	1752	1695	.263
35 J. Hopkins, Superior, Wis.....	1	33	531	289	27	1572	1670	.184
Totals.....	595	595	44595	28989	6653	66848	44595	.434

Reese and V. Jackson tied for twelfth place for the finals. They agreed to play best two out of three 50-point games to decide place. Reese won as follows:

	Pts	R	DR	SP	Pts	R	DR	SP	
Reese ..	50	28	9	42	V. Jackson..	13	18	4	42
Reese ..	50	39	9	74	V. Jackson..	41	38	10	74

FINALS — MEN'S TOURNAMENT

	W	L	Pts	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.R
1 \$375 C. C. Davis, Columbus, O.....	30	3	1615	1302	423	2010	888	.648
2 325 Frank Jackson, Lamoni, Iowa.....	26	7	1601	1292	390	2116	955	.611
3 250 Bert Duryee, Wichita, Kans.....	23	10	1461	1197	355	2016	1050	.593
4 200 Cecil Freel, Murray, Iowa.....	20	13	1344	1170	326	2130	1302	.549
5 125 Carroll Jackson, Chicago, Ill.....	17	16	1489	1224	340	2246	1425	.545
6 95 James Risk, Montpelier, Ind.....	16	17	1270	1023	272	1970	1336	.519
7 85 Putt Mossman, Eldora, Iowa.....	12	21	1184	1030	277	2030	1506	.501
8 75 Howard Collier, Canton, Ill.....	12	21	1219	996	237	2056	1499	.484
9 65 Hansford Jackson, Chicago, Ill.....	12	21	1314	1114	289	2142	1510	.520
10 55 Art Cumming, Minneapolis, Minn.....	12	21	1198	1133	292	2164	1511	.523
11 45 Harvey Reese, Lake City, Iowa.....	10	23	1176	996	258	2014	1507	.4941
12 40 Geo. J. Hilst, Green Valley, Ill.....	8	25	1172	1069	271	2164	1554	.4940
Totals.....	198	198	16043	13546	3730	25058	16043	.541

P. Mossman, Collier, H. Jackson and Cumming, who tied for seventh place, agreed to each pitch 100 shoes, the number of points counted by each to decide place. P. Mossman made 191 points, 57 ringers, 19 double ringers; Collier, 191 points, 49 ringers, 13 double ringers; H. Jackson, 167 points, 50 ringers, 14 double ringers; Cumming, 160 points, 41 ringers, 8 double ringers. This put H. Jackson in ninth place and Cumming in tenth place, but left P. Mossman and Collier still tied for seventh place. They agreed to each pitch 50 more shoes. The result was: P. Mossman, 97 points, 27 ringers, 9 double ringers, giving him seventh place; Collier got 94 points, 25 ringers, 6 double ringers, putting him in eighth place.

GRAND TOTALS—FINALS

		W	L	Pts	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.R
\$1515	St. Petersburg, Fla., February 14 to 23, 1927.....	198	198	15225	13337	3735	24046	15225	.554
\$2710	St. Petersburg, Fla., February 8 to 18, 1926.....	165	165	12513	10288	2815	19308	12513	.513
	Lake Worth, Fla., February 16 to 28, 1925.....	330	330	26709	23624	6617	42112	26709	.561

GRAND TOTALS — MEN'S TOURNAMENTS

Entries	Prizes		W	L	Pts	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.R
35	\$1815	Duluth, Minn., Aug. 8 to 15, 1927.....	793	793	60638	42535	10383	91906	60638	.463
26	\$1670	St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 14-23, 1927.....	523	523	38734	27102	6764	59214	38734	.458
33	\$3055	St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 8-18, 1926.....	693	693	52148	3253	7451	78980	52148	.412
32	\$3500	Lake Worth, Fla., Feb. 16-28, 1925.....	826	826	64665	47384	11837	98740	64665	.490
24	\$....	Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 17-24, 1924.....	276	276	20092	12008	2703	28650	20092	.417
23	\$1830	Lake Worth, Fla., Feb. 18-23, 1924.....	253	253	19323	10402	1996	28784	19323	.362
50	\$ 900	Cleveland, O., Sept. 19-23, 1923.....	449	449	34950	21855	4704	52976	34950	.413
29	\$1855	*St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 19-24, 1923.....	435	435	33334	15990	2565	49960	33334	.320
22	\$....	St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 20-24, 1922.....	231	231	18429	7725	875	.....	18429	...
	\$ 900	Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 29-Sept. 1, 1922.....	120	120	.....	5492	1120	.....	.....	...
22	\$....	St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 21-27, 1921.....	231	231	18446	6942	793	.....	18446	...
37	\$....	Akron, Ohio, Aug. 8-14, 1920.....	666	666	51849	20905	2067	.....	51849	...
25	\$....	St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 23-28, 1920.....	300	300	23125	6375	.....	.....	23215	...
55	\$....	St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 22-26, 1919.....	1485	1485	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
26	\$....	Kansas City, Kans., Oct. 23-24, 1915.....	325	325	9489	1399	.....	.....	9489	...

* First national tournament held, at which a score card was used that recorded the number of shoes pitched in each game. This score card was arranged by D. D. Cottrell.

The above table gives all the information at hand about dates and totals of past tournaments. There were five national tournaments held by the Grand League American Horseshoe Pitchers Association which was organized May 6, 1914, at Kansas City, Kans., but to date the records have not been available. If any reader can give further information not recorded above about any tournaments, please write to D. D. Cottrell, North Cohocton, N. Y., Secretary, National Horseshoe Pitchers Association, who compiled the figures given herewith.

Letters to the Editor

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 20th, 1927.
The Horse Shoe World,
London, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Editor:

What is the reason for the Associated and United Press paying so little attention to the Horse Shoe Pitching Game? Is it the fault of the Press Committee, where tournaments are held, or don't the sport editors con-

sider the game of enough importance to give it space?

During the National Tournament at Duluth, Minn., I bought copies of practically all the leading daily papers published in Kentucky, Tennessee and Alabama, and in only two of them did I find any notice of tournament, and only a few lines at that.

There are thousands of people and horseshoe pitchers in every state

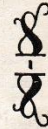
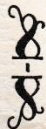
that are interested in this game and would enjoy reading such news. Would like to know what other readers of your valued publication have to say on this subject and if it is the fault of the Horseshoe Pitchers themselves. I think something should be done to correct this seeming negligence on their part before the winter tournament is staged at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Yours very truly,
J. G. RAY.

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Mrs. Lanham Again is Champion

Another one of the great trio of women horseshoe pitchers has again won the World's Championship. Mrs. C. A. Lanham, Bloomington, Ill., won the first prize, gold medal, and the title of Queen of Women Horseshoe Pitchers at the Duluth tournament from Mrs. Mildred Brouillette, Minneapolis, Minn.

The first women's tournament was held at Akron, Ohio, in August, 1920, and won by Miss Marjorie Voorhees, Asbury Park, N. J. Since that date Mrs. Mayme Francisco, St. Petersburg, Fla., with Mrs. Brouillette and Mrs. Lanham have been the only women champions, each of them having won

the title a number of times.

There were eight women contestants at the Duluth tournament who played each other one game of 50 points. The four that stood highest then played each other three round robin series. First series of games Friday afternoon and the second and third series on Saturday. Mrs. Lanham won all her games except in the second series when she lost one game to Mrs. Brouillette as follows:

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct
Mrs. Brouillette	50	32	9	50	.640
Mrs. Lanham	18	21	5	50	.420

The best game in the Women's Tournament, considering number of

ringers played in the preliminaries and won by Mrs. Lanham, as follows:

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct
Mrs. Lanham	50	42	13	68	.618
Mrs. Brouillette	38	39	14	68	.574

In the preliminaries Mrs. Lanham broke the World's Record for percentage of ringers in a national tournament game as follows:

	Pts.	R	DR	SP	Pct
Mrs. Lanham	50	28	8	24	.833
Mrs. Young	0	3	0	24	.125

Mrs. Lanham in this game equalled the world's record in women's tournament by pitching six consecutive double ringers. In the whole game she never missed having at least one ringer on the peg.—D. D. Cottrell.

MICHIGAN MEET

Following are the results of the Michigan State Championship Horseshoe Tournament held in Battle Creek, Michigan, September 3, 4, 5.

This is the second contest of this kind to be staged in Battle Creek, the last one being held in 1926, at which time Mr. Frank Seals, of Cappelopolis, captured the State Championship.

The silver cup, emblematic of the State Championship was donated by the Battle Creek Horseshoe club, while the second prize cup was donated by the A. B. Stove Co., of Battle Creek.

Michigan State Championship Horseshoe Tournament

Preliminaries (100 Shoes Pitched)

Name	City	Pts	R	DR
E. Walls, Detroit	220	63	21	
J. Latzko, Mt. Pleasant	214	64	21	
B. Emerson, Battle Creek	206	56	12	
W. Wulf, Battle Creek	200	57	15	
D. Latzko, Mt. Pleasant	188	51	15	
H. Rizor, Detroit	188	54	14	
A. Seals, Cassopolis	184	52	13	
R. Middleton, Flint	180	46	10	
H. Ellerby, Albion	174	44	10	
D. Walls, Detroit	174	42	10	
R. White, Battle Creek	172	42	9	
J. Skinner, Athens	171	41	9	
T. Sirrine, Midland	166	42	8	
R. Baxter, Hudson	164	45	10	
L. Wilkes, Battle Creek	158	38	6	
W. George, Kalamazoo	155	36	8	
C. Emerson, Battle Creek	150	42	9	
P. Harper, Hillsdale	150	37	6	
R. Cadwallader, Hickory Corners	150	34	6	
E. Couchenour, Niles	149	33	3	
C. Frisby, Flint	147	35	5	
F. O'Melay, Hillsdale	142	36	9	
L. Rose, Detroit	141	41	8	

S. DeLeeuw, Gr. Rapids	138	30	8
C. Sebo, Battle Creek	135	33	4
L. Harrison, Battle Creek	135	25	4
J. Kossen, Grand Rapids	131	32	2
J. Chapman, Ionia	129	27	2
O. Kossen, Grand Rapids	128	25	2
F. Seals, Cassopolis	127	31	5
A. Christensen, Battle Creek	124	23	1
H. Harmon, Battle Creek	121	24	2
E. Schoder, Battle Creek	121	23	3
E. Wilson, Kalamazoo	110	19	1
M. Maurer, Battle Creek	109	22	4
N. Case, Battle Creek	91	20	2

Finals

Squad "A"

Michigan State Championship Horseshoe Tournament

Finals—Squad "A"

Name	Won	Lost	Points	Shoes Pitched	Ringers	Double Ringers	Per Cent Ringers
F. Walls	11	0	550	572	324	89	56.6
J. Latzko	8	3	521	706	345	76	49.9
F. Seals	8	3	475	622	284	56	45.7
B. Emerson	8	3	467	564	276	57	48.9
A. Seals	8	3	501	674	317	79	47.0
J. Skinner	8	3	504	632	281	72	44.5
W. Wulf	5	6	389	640	258	49	40.3
H. Ellerby	4	7	409	664	243	36	36.6
R. White	3	8	344	626	199	33	31.8
H. Rizor	2	9	328	636	194	38	30.5
D. Walls	0	11	312	630	211	40	33.5
D. Latzko	1	10	364	650	186	30	28.6

Squad "B"

R. Baxter	11	0	550	602	307	76	51.0
P. Harper	9	2	484	610	252	59	41.3
R. Cadwallader	8	3	491	686	276	50	40.2
L. Harrison	7	4	487	646	262	58	40.5
L. Rose	7	4	490	688	281	62	40.8
J. Skinner	5	6	459	686	278	60	40.5
E. Gouchenour	5	6	437	630	230	44	36.5
E. Seals	4	7	398	722	222	36	30.7
C. Sebo	3	8	417	718	246	38	34.2
W. George	3	8	402	672	233	30	34.7
C. Emerson	3	8	369	684	210	35	30.8
F. O'Melay	1	10	312	668	181	26	27.1

The tie for second place in squadpitch 100 shoes for points. They were "A" was decided by having each man then given ranking according to the

number of points made.

The ties in Squad "B" were pitched off in one fifty point game. The three men tied in Squad "B" did not pitch off as they were out of the money.

List of Prizes

Squad A "Championship Squad"
First, Ed Walls, silver cup and \$50 cash.

Second J. Latzko, silver cup and \$25 cash.

Third, F. Seals, \$20 cash.

Fourth, B. Emerson, \$15 cash.

Fifth, A. Seals, \$10 cash; 6th, J. Skinner, \$5 cash; 7th, W. Wulf, auto light, donated by Marks Auto Accessories; 8th, H. Ellerby, shaving cabinet, by Owl Drug Co.

Ninth, R. White, box cigars, by Ye Olde Mission; 10th, H. Rizor, carton Camel cigarettes, by Parker Jones Drug Co., 11th, D. Latzko, 5 pounds peanuts, by Hamilton Coffee Ranch;

12th, D. Walls, necktie, by Butcher Shop.

Squad B

First, R. D. Baxter, Gillette safety razor, donated by Speaker Drug Co.

Second, Perry Harper, thermos jug, by Battle Creek Tent & Awning Co.

Third, R. Cadwallader, shaving cabinet, donated by Owl Drug Co.

Fourth, L. Harrison, tie and handkerchief set, by Maurice Gordon.

Fifth, Lee Rose, box stationery by Gage Printing Co.

Sixth, J. Skinner, belt, by E. F. Bretz.

Special Prizes

Youngest Entry, Don Walls, belt by John Brandl.

Oldest entry, Fred O'Malay, shaving set, by Army and Navy Store.

Man Coming Greatest Distance—Thos. Cirrine, shaving set, by Freeman Drug Co.

Most Ringers in Squad A—Joe Latzke, necktie, by Skinner & Titus.

Most Ringers in Squad B—R. D. Baxter, necktie, Kapp Clothing Co. Most Doubles in Squad A—Ed. Walls, necktie, Brown & Sons.

Most Doubles in Squad B—R. D. Baxter, necktie, Amos H. Stevens Co.

A lot of pitchers still address the Horseshoe World at Wilmington. The offices have been in London, Ohio, for almost four years and the editor will appreciate it if more care will be exercised in sending us mail. Many manuscripts, photos, etc. have been lost through this error.

The fire engine house boys at Vallejo, Calif., send two subscriptions. That's right—one copy won't go around when there's more than one person to read 'em.

Official Records, Women's Tournament

NATIONAL HORSESHOE PITCHERS' ASSOCIATION, DULUTH, MINN.,
AUGUST 8 TO 15, 1927

PRELIMINARIES

	W	L	Pts	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.R
1 Mrs. C. A. Lanham, Bloomington, Ill.....	7	0	350	169	50	290	80	.583
2 Mrs. Mildred Brouillette, Minneapolis, Minn.....	6	1	338	160	42	330	137	.485
3 Mrs. Doris M. Cole, Grand Rapids, Mich.....	5	2	310	144	19	404	214	.356
4 Mrs. John Dahl, Minneapolis, Minn.....	4	3	278	112	14	386	217	.290
5 \$7.50 Mrs. C. D. Young, Minneapolis, Minn.....	3	4	231	75	6	386	263	.122
6 \$5.00 Miss Julia Cole, Grand Rapids, Mich.....	1	6	142	41	1	462	344	.089
7 \$2.50 Mrs. W. Frederickson, Minneapolis, Minn.....	1	6	145	59	1	426	338	.112
8 Mrs. O. E. Witt, Hibbing, Minn.....	1	6	140	42	3	452	341	.093
\$15.00 Totals.....	28	28	1934	802	136	3136	1934	.256

Ties for sixth, seventh and eighth places were played off, resulting as shown above.

FINALS

1 \$100 Mrs. C. A. Lanham, Bloomington, Ill.....	8	1	412	241	67	430	187	.560
2 50 Mrs. Mildred Brouillette, Minneapolis, Minn....	7	2	384	248	59	442	228	.561
3 25 Mrs. Doris M. Cole, Grand Rapids, Mich.....	3	6	311	211	42	544	420	.388
4 10 Mrs. John Dahl, Minneapolis, Minn.....	0	9	178	127	19	442	450	.285
\$185 Totals.....	18	18	1285	827	187	1858	1285	.445

GRAND TOTALS — WOMEN'S TOURNAMENTS

Entries Prizes	W	L	Pts	R	DR	SP	OP	Pct.R
8 \$200 Duluth, Minn., Aug., 1927.....	36	36	3219	1629	323	4994	3219	.327
5 190 St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb., 1927.....	28	28	2249	1248	245	3264	2249	.382
6 405 St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb., 1926.....	33	33	2585	1280	213	3916	2585	.327
9 500 Lake Worth, Fla., Feb., 1925.....	54	54	3673	1771	363	5608	3673	.316
12 ... Minneapolis, Minn., Sept., 1924.....	66	66	4423	1474	213	6964	4423	.212
7 180 Lake Worth, Fla., Feb., 1924.....	21	21	1491	654	82	2232	1491	.293
8 360 Cleveland, O., Sept., 1923.....	28	28	1994	707	108	3312	1994	.214
6 ... St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb., 1923.....	15	15	1179	493	59	1872	1179	.260
100 Des Moines, Iowa, Aug., 1922.....	36	36	.....	642	64	.....	.....	...
Cup St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb., 1921.....	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
2 Akron, Ohio, Aug., 1920.....	5	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...

No records available for February, 1921.



Pacific Grove, Calif., has a club of 40 members.

Mayor Rybolt, of Akron, tossed the first shoe at the recent opening of the new K. of C courts at Akron, Ohio. George May, ex-national champion, and Loren May pitched an exhibition match.

The State Fair of Texas, Dallas, will hold a horseshoe tournament in October.

Oregon State Horseshoe Association has applied for affiliation with the National association. Hayder won the Oregon championship again this year.

Grand Ridge, Ill., has a horseshoe club of 32. Officers are Z. O. Jackson, president and F. W. Neuman, secre-

tary-treasurer. The latter is postmaster at Grand Ridge. Neighboring towns are invited to compete with Grand Ridge.

Oh, look at this! Sidney Smith, famous creator of the equally famous Andy Gump, said a plenty the other day when he had andy speak on the subject of horseshoes. "Horseshoes is the best game invented by man since Adam slammed the front gate of paradise. Look at golf. You have to buy clubs—bags—balls; hire a professor to teach you and a caddie to guide you before you hit the first ball. Even though you are able to borrow a lawn without buying a net, racket and balls there can be no tennis; polo costs a fortune; baseball requires bats, balls, gloves and money for their upkeep; even a deck of cards will wear out but if your grandfather dies and leaves you a set of horseshoes you can start right in without a teacher and enjoy a great outdoor sport for the next hundred years without spending a dime." Now isn't that fine? The cartoonist evidently is a horseshoe fan. What he says is very true—only too true

about "without spending a dime." Too many pitchers are trying to get by without spending anything to help keep up their club grounds. But anyway it's a real sport and economical, too.

The horseshoe pitchers of Nashville, Tenn., held a tournament the latter part of August, pitching on 24 fine lanes provided in Centennial Park by Ewell Costello, superintendent of parks.

Jacob Boesiger and wife, of Columbus, Ohio, are motoring to California. Mr. Boesiger is Treasurer of the Ohio Horseshoe Co., manufacturers of pitching shoes at Columbus, Ohio.

We have some mighty fine ideas for horseshoe club letterheads at the Horseshoe World office. Let us print your stationery.

Some farm magazine should sponsor a tournament in every state. Ohio, one of the leading horseshoe states, had no state tourney this year. Let's get busy.

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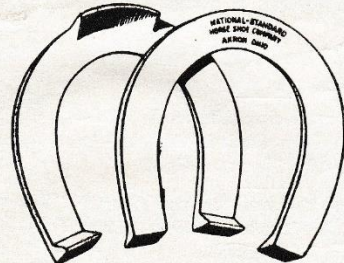
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DULUTH TOURNAMENT

	Anderson	Collier	Cumming	Dahl	Davis	Duryee	Elmerson	Frederickson	Freel	Hart	Hilst	Hopkins	C. Jackson	F. Jackson	H. Jackson	V. Jackson	Johnson	Lewis	Licht	E. Mossman	P. Mossman	Perkins	Plott	Qualley	Ransdell	Rasmussen	Reese	Risk	Rose	Shrewsbury	Slater	Stinson	Tate	Vail	Yocum	Total Games Won		
Anderson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	14	
Collier	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	37
Cumming	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	38
Dahl	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	21
Davis	1	3	3	0	2	1	1	4	1	4	1	4	2	4	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	60
Duryee	1	4	3	1	2	0	1	3	1	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	51
Elmerson	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	22
Frederickson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Freel	1	3	2	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	0	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	44
Hart	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Hilst	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	35
Hopkins	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
C. Jackson	1	2	2	1	0	3	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	43	
F. Jackson	1	3	4	1	2	3	1	1	4	1	4	1	3	3	0	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	59
H. Jackson	1	3	2	1	0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	40	
V. Jackson	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	23	
Johnson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	15	
Lewis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	
Licht	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	18	
E. Mossman	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
P. Mossman	1	2	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	37
Perkins	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Plott	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	
Qualley	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	
Ransdell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	
Rasmussen	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
Reese	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	33	
Risk	1	3	3	1	0	2	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	43	
Rose	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	
Shrewsbury	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	
Slater	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	
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Vail	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5		
Yocum	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20		
Total Games Lost	20	30	29	13	7	16	12	33	23	30	32	33	24	8	27	11	19	26	16	22	30	29	23	23	22	28	34	22	21	27	18	26	16	29	14	733		

Compiled by D. D. Cottrell

Leesburg Has New Park

Much Interest Being Shown by Citizens Since New Park is Completed; Looks Fine at Night

Leesburg, O.—Leesburg now boasts of one of the finest horseshoe pitching courts in the country. Four sets of pegs, each with a brilliant light above it making night pitching a pleasure and the crowds which collect each evening proves that the new park is attracting much attention.

The plans were drawn up by Louis Pausch and much credit is due him in carrying them out. The court is covered with gravel with concrete

around each peg making it a very substantial one as well as a beautiful one.

Although it is a little late in the season for opening up a new park yet there will be time before cold weather sets in to hold several match games with visiting teams from surrounding towns.

The club is called the Leesburg Horseshoe Club and is composed of about 20 members. The new court cost in the neighborhood of \$75 making the cost to begin with about \$5 per member.

The officers wish to call the attention to those who are beginning to break some of the rules, those who are not members; and also members:

1. The court is for club members only.
2. If you can't pay, don't play.
3. Each member must own his own

shoes—don't borrow.

4. After you are through pitching see that the clay around the pegs is in good shape, level up the dirt and help keep things in order.

5. Dues are payable the 10th of each month.

6. Please be careful of the language used—let your conscience be your guide.

Editor's Note:—C. E. Sturm, former business manager and part owner of the Horseshoe World, now publishes a newspaper in Leesburg. The above is from his paper and he is, of course, too modest to take credit for the fine things being done in Leesburg. He should have a big share of credit. Sturm is a crack pitcher.

Scoresheets, \$3.25 per 1000, F. O. B. London.

KENTUCKY MEET

Sam Mattingly won the Kentucky state horseshoe pitching championship with a record of fourteen games won and two lost, and a ringer average of 38 per cent. Ed Beckmann and L. Hagan tied for second place in the championship division and Hagan won in the play-off.

The Davis, or championship division, was pitched at Shawnee Park and play has been in progress since August 24. The Jackson division was pitched at Iroquois, and the Moosman group held sway at Central.

M. H. Jones won the championship in the Jackson division by winning eleven out of twelve games and C. R. Sengel won the Moosman title after a play-off with J. P. Hamilton and C. L. Sengel.

All prizes at the tourney were presented Sunday, Sept. 11, at Shawnee Park, when the Kentucky Association of Horseshoe Pitchers held a field day. The main event was a match game between the members of the Bluegrass Pitchers' Association of Lexington and the all-star team of Louisville pitchers.

The complete tourney standing:
Davis Group—Shawnee Park

	W.	L.	R'g%
Sam Mattingly	14	2	38
L. Hagan	13	3	38
Edward Beckman	13	3	37
J. Bohlein	11	5	35
B. Bowles	11	5	30
William Gregory	10	6	34
L. Garrett	9	7	34
J. Shaw	9	7	32
W. Hess	8	8	33
F. Borcharding	7	7	27
O. L. Daily	7	9	28½
C. Jordan	6	10	27
H. Garrett	6	10	24
S. Morris	5	11	28
T. P. Storey	3	13	19½
J. Strotman	2	14	21
J. Bell	1	15	20

Jackson Group—Iroquois Park

M. H. Jones	11	1	27½
C. Steier	10	2	23
E. Fife	9	3	26½
J. Bennett	8	4	27½
Edward Young	8	4	20
C. Winter	7	5	25
R. Frazier	5	7	26½
L. J. Gagner	5	7	22
C. Pigg	5	7	16½
R. Happel	4	8	20
L. Sletner	4	8	19
T. Denham	1	11	16
R. White	1	11	16

Moosman Group—Central Park

C. R. Sengel	12	2	20
J. P. Hamilton	12	2	20½
C. L. Sengel	12	2	22¾

Roy Hornbeck	9	5	16%
William Reynolds	9	5	13½
L. Soete	8	6	19¾
R. Black	8	6	16¾
J. Heouren	8	6	13
J. Obermiller	7	7	16½
E. McQuillen	6	8	11¾
G. Linton	5	9	10¼
William June	5	9	5
W. E. Anderson	2	12	6¼
C. Feldhouse	2	12	20½
R. Holmes	0	14	6½

DES MOINES TO HAVE INDOOR SHOE COURT

Horseshoe fans in Des Moines, Iowa, have petitioned the City Council to build a large indoor horseshoe court at the Gun Club in that city.

FAIRBURY FAIR IS SCENE OF TOURNEY

Fairbury, Ill. Sept 5—Opening day of the 52nd annual Fairbury fair brought a crowd estimated at 10,000 persons to witness a good program of varied entertainment, during the day and night.

Frank Jackson, Kellerton, Iowa, won the tournament, one of the big features of the day's program. He defeated Walter Torbet, of Clinton, the state champion this year and last year by a narrow margin. There were 51 entries and a purse of \$250 was split between 24 winners in three classes. A hundred shoes were pitched to determine places.

Hilst High on Ringers

Jackson, who won all seven games, threw 247 ringers and 83 double ringers. Torbet who lost only one game threw one more ringer in the seven games, 248, but only 75 double ringers. George Hilst, of Green Valley, third, lost two out of seven but was high ringer man of the meet, with 250 to his credit. He also made 76 double ringers. Others in class A and their places were: fourth, S. G. Smith, Anchor; fifth, H. Collier, Canton, sixth G. Peterson, Toluca; seventh, A. Johnson, Arrowsmith; eighth, E. R. Baker, Mazon.

Winners in class B were: first, V. Jackson, Kellerton, Ia., son of the champion, who threw 216 ringers and 46 double ringers; second, E. M. Crank of Wilbern, 191 ringers, 55 double ringers; third, R. G. Bright, Hudson; fourth, Rolla Leach, Mazon; fifth Lane, Stanford; sixth, C. Heffner, East Peoria; seventh, Rolla Siegfried, Burnside; eighth, George Frederking, Gibson City.

Class C winners were: first, R. Slater, Canton, 198 ringers, 46 double ringers; second, C. Lineweber, San

Jose, 189 ringers, 46 double ringers; third, Paul Ingersoll, San Jose; fourth, M. Bright, Hudson; fifth, H. Hulse, Cissna Park; sixth, George Schleeter, Anchor; seventh, George Zimmerman, Pekin; eighth, Burl Lawson, Green Valley.

Faster Tournament

The tournament drew unusual interest and though there were fewer entries than in the state tournament last year, there were better players competing. The event was conducted by the State Horse Shoe Pitchers Association of Illinois, Inc., of which L. E. Tanner, of Anchor, is president, O. G. Addleman, Springfield, and A. W. Houston, Gibson City, are vice presidents; S. G. Smith, of Anchor, treasurer, and M. F. Watt, Atlanta, secretary.

CUTLER WINS DES MOINES MEET

Edgar Cutler successfully defended his title as champion horseshoe pitcher of Des Moines, Iowa, July 10, when he waded through eleven players without a single defeat. The most scored on him was 47 points made by S. Nicholas. The best game in the meet was between Cutler and Scott Jones, the score being 50-43, both players pitching consistently to the peg, first one leading and then the other, with Cutler pitching more steadily near the end.

J. W. Okey defeated Scott Jones in a playoff of a tie for second and third places, 50-46, and S. Nicholas defeated O. E. Anderson 50-19 in a play-off of a tie for fourth and fifth places.

The prize winners:

	Won	Lost
1. Edgar Cutler	11	0
2. J. W. Okey	9	2
3. Scott Jones	9	2
4. S. Nicholas	8	3
5. O. E. Anderson	8	3

Al. Michler, Akron, former president of the National has gone to Lake Worth for the winter.

THIS THIEF KNEW A GOOD THING WHEN HE SAW IT
 The police began yesterday searching for a pair of horseshoes, valued at \$6, reported stolen by Mrs. Ralph Linley, 1104 E. Main-st, from the rear of her home. The shoes are the property of the Big Four Athletic club.—Springfield (O.) News.

 * **MORE NEXT MONTH** *
 * More news about the Duluth *
 * tournament and the national *
 * convention will be printed next *
 * month. This issue is crowded *
 * with national and state tour- *
 * nament news and it could not *
 * all be handled in one issue. *
 * We want to acknowledge *
 * the kindness of Secretary Cott- *
 * rell in furnishing facts and *
 * figures of the national meet. *
 * —Editor. *

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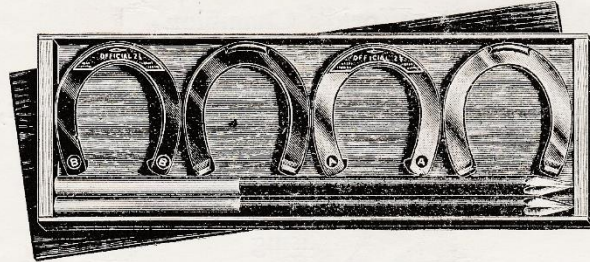


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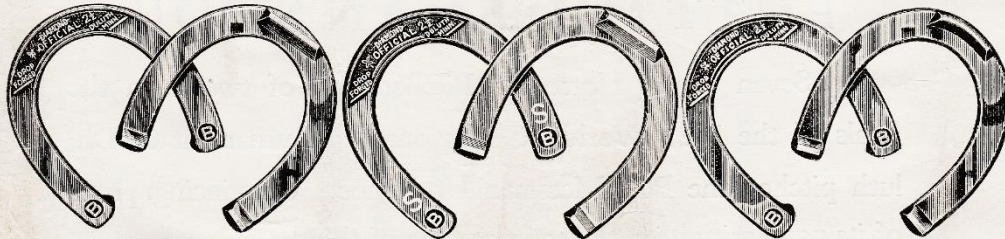
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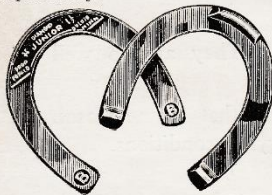
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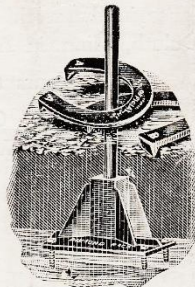


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