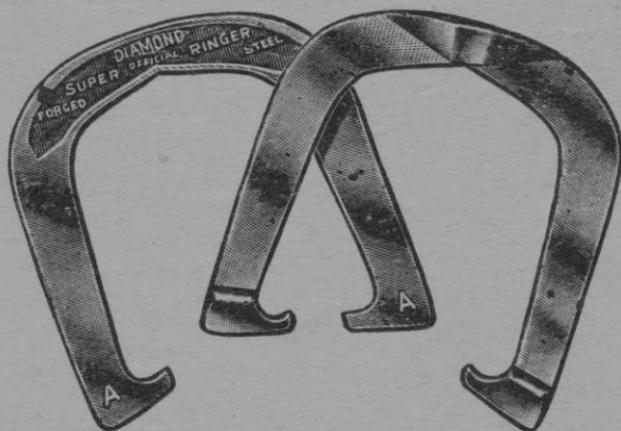


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EDITORIAL

In these times of high prices, including transportation, the majority of people are not anxious to throw away any of their hard earned cash. This includes horseshoe pitchers. This leads up to those fellows who intend driving their cars out to Murray, Utah in August to attend the championship games. How about inviting someone to share your car and your expenses for the trip? I have been fortunate enough on two former occasions to avail myself and the Missus of the opportunity and I would like to hear from someone in the East who intends driving, to take us along with them. Now that there is going to be a B and an A tournament there will be many more entrants this year and this would be a fine way to help them get out to Murray. Let me know if you are open to this proposition and I will publish invitations in the July issue of the magazine.

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THE PLAYER, HIS ORGANIZATION AND MAGAZINE

By Roy W. Smith, Author of "Science At The Stake" and Secy.-Treas. Southern Calif. H. P. A.

The coming season promises to be a most successful one for our sport. We are fortunate to have a wonderful group of people in the State of Utah sponsor the national tournament for both A and B classes. We are also fortunate to have several fine mediums of communication and publicity which were lacking a few years ago. We have television, radio, newspapers and our own association magazine as mediums whereby we can spread the gospel of horseshoe pitching as never before. Except for a few rare cases, little or nothing is being done to take advantage of the fine opportunities that are within our grasp.

President Dean and I believe in looking on the bright side of things. We realize that some progress has been made in the way of larger prize lists and a spectator scoring-device. But we can see little else through our rose colored glasses. Other details of the overall picture, viewed in the glaring light of reality, leaves much to be desired. Compared to other sports, horseshoe pitching continues to be a pale, anemic one, requiring a blood transfusion all too often to keep it alive. Many long-winded paragraphs are written about the origin and past history of the sport, but very little is done in the way of future planning for betterment. Like the Wampapoo bird, we are flying backward because we are not so much interested in where we are going as we are in where we have been!

Let's accompany the old Wampapoo bird in his backward flight to the year 1925. St. Petersburg, Florida was the capital of the horseshoe

world. Putt Mossman, Frank Jackson, Bert Duryee, Mrs. C. A. Lanham and Mrs. Mayme Francisco were the kings and queens of the courts. The total prize money for the February meet at Lake Worth was \$3,995. The ladies divided \$495 of this. And the money was worth a great deal more those days than it is now. Up until 1930, two national tournaments a year were quite common. During the depression years, the scene shifted to the middle West. Only two national tournaments were held (at Chicago in 1933 and Moline, Ill. in 1935) during the thirties. However, Des Moines, Iowa, became the mare mocasin capital and kept the ball rolling with the Mid-West meets which were open to the world. The prize list dropped almost as sharply as stocks in Wall Street. Money was scarce those days!

Des Moines continued to breathe life into the dying sport during 1940-4-. Then came Pearl Harbor and our nation had to spend five long, costly years in dealing with Hitler, Mussolini and Tojo. During World War II, horseshoe pitching—as far as civilian playing was concerned—hit an all time low. The NHPA became virtually extinct. Then, the Army put on its great promotional program. Thousands of returning servicemen, bitten by the horseshoe bug, revived the sport and brought its popularity up to an all time high in 1946-47. Des Moines lost no time in staging a 1946 national meet. Most of the world's greatest pitching records have been established there. The E. T. O. Horseshoe Pitching Program was directed by one of horseshoe's all time greats, Leland Mortenson, of Des Moines.

In 1947, the people of Utah showed their great faith in the future of the sport by building the finest courts ever constructed at Murray, near Salt Lake City: under the sponsorship of the Recreation Dept., there, the prize lists have been upped to \$5,000, which is the highest bid on record up to date. This is all well and good, but what about the actual status of the NHPA today compared to that of yesterday? As an organization, have we made the progress that we should? Like Ken Huber and a few others, I don't think so. Compared to the progress of other sports and other fields of scientific achievement since 1925, we have either gone backward or stagnated. The latter is the worst of the two evils because it means that we are not moving out of our tracks in any direction. What's the matter? Some claim that our scoring system is at fault. I don't think that the salvation of our sport lies in any scoring method that has been or can be devised.

Let's be honest and face facts. I am going to set them forth as I see them, without a chaser to take the bad taste out of anyone's mouth. Due to the long existing and continual lack of organization, monetary support, proper publicity, initiative and showmanship in presenting our sport to the public, we are still a barnyard or bush league outfit! As long as we continue our policy of "drifting and dreaming and waiting for the other fellow to do it all, we might as well make ourselves comfortable in a corner of the barnyard for that's where we are going to stay!

Upon being urged to join the NHPA and subscribe to its official magazine, several players have asked me this question: "What has the NHPA ever done for me?" I answer that question by asking another question: "What have YOU ever done for the NHPA?" Here are some more questions I would like to ask: How can any organization help any-

one if they do not think enough of it to give it a chance. Our entire nation could not exist without organization. Our schools, churches, business institutions, army, navy—everything depends on organization. If we had no horseshoe association, we would have no decent or standard playing equipment, no uniform set of rules, no nothing. Anyone who thinks that organization isn't important is just plain nuts.

Any organization, to be successful, needs the necessary funds to carry on its work. We claim that there are over 2,000,000 "organized" players in this country. Where are they? Honestly, I don't believe there are 10,000 and that includes all those who are not NHPA members! Out of all these, less than 2,000 or 2,500 are carrying the whole load. All the others are riding free and many of them are continually yapping because more things aren't done. When asked to put up a single, lone buck for a year's membership card, they take off like a cat that has been liberally dosed with turpentine!

Since 1940, two magazines devoted to the sport, have drowned in their own ink due to lack of support. "The Horseshoe Pitcher," a neatly printed monthly publication, devoted exclusively to our sport, is grimly hanging on by the skin of its teeth. If it wasn't for Jake and his friend Norman Compton, we would have no means of communication. A SPORT WITHOUT A MAGAZINE IS LIKE A DEAF, DUMB AND BLIND MAN! Where would the world be today without its publications and communication lines? Without a magazine, we have no way of knowing what the other fellow is doing or thinking. The entire horseshoe world is shut off to the player, except for the activities within the narrow limits of his own locality.

According to a survey, conducted by the University of Michigan, between 1946 and 1949, 48% of U. S. citizens never read a book. 18% read less than four; 7% less than ten. Of the 66% (99,000,000 persons) who read no books or less than four. 16% never read a newspaper and 60% never opened a magazine. THESE ARE THE MILLIONS EASILY MISLED BY FALSE PROPAGANDA!

I believe that 60% who never opened a magazine are horseshoe pitchers! Some, who have been in the game for many years do not know who is the present world's champion. I have seen a copy of the magazine lay around at a club for a week and these individuals are too lazy to pick it up and read it. They get all their information second or third hand, with embellishments that are really out of this world. When they add their own versions and pass the "information" on, it sounds like something coming from Moscow.

If you are reading this magazine and are not a subscriber, why aren't you? If you aren't a member of the NHPA why aren't you? If you love the game, isn't it worth \$3.00 a year to you? Why expect something for nothing all the time? If you have ideas to better the game, why not send them in for publication? Do you honestly feel that you are doing your bit toward building up the sport? Have you ever tried to sell a membership card and a magazine subscription to a friend? Are you using NHPA approved shoes and equipment?

All players who plan to attend the national tournament this year can help publicize the sport a lot if they will. Make arrangements with

your local newspapers to print stories and results of the tournament. Take a few air mail envelopes with you and shoot the dope back to your local newspaper editor. He will be more than glad to print them.

Let's be thankful for what slow progress (if any) we are making. But let's snap out of our complacency and lethargy. We have a long, long way to go yet. The only way to get there is to get up off our fannies and start. If we persist in just sitting around and waiting for others to drop bids and favors into our laps, we are going to develop calluses in some very odd and uncomfortable places! The future success or failure of our sport, organization and magazine depends on what each individual puts into them. If we fail in the face of the fine opportunities that are coming our way, we have only ourselves to blame. We have coasted on the Army's program as far as we can go. Let's start hauling our own freight for a change.

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WORLD'S TOURNAMENT PRIZE LIST!

The following will be the prize lists for the 1951 tournament at Murray, Utah:

MEN'S TOURNAMENT

1. \$550.00	10. \$160.00	19. \$85.00	28. \$55.00
2. 425.00	11. 150.00	20. 80.00	29. 50.00
3. 350.00	12. 140.00	21. 80.00	30. 50.00
4. 300.00	13. 130.00	22. 75.00	31. 50.00
5. 250.00	14. 120.00	23. 75.00	32. 50.00
6. 200.00	15. 110.00	24. 70.00	33. 50.00
7. 190.00	16. 100.00	25. 65.00	34. 50.00
8. 180.00	17. 90.00	26. 60.00	35. 50.00
9. 170.00	00'28 '81	27. 55.00	36. 50.00

WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT

1. \$50.00	6. \$15.00
2. 40.00	7. 10.00
3. 30.00	8. 8.00
4. 25.00	9. 7.00
5. 20.00	10. 5.00

MEN'S CLASS B TOURNAMENT

1. \$50.00	9. \$11.50	17. \$7.00
2. 35.00	10. 10.50	18. 6.50
3. 30.00	11. 10.00	19. 6.00
4. 20.00	12. 9.50	20. 6.00
5. 15.00	13. 9.00	21. 5.50
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HORSESHOES HOO'S HOO!

Our Fourth Vice President

This is the fifth in a series to be known as "Know Your Officers". I believe that our membership at large will be interested to know the type of officers at the head of their organization—Editor.

Marie Kampschroeder, a dyed in the wool horseshoe fan, is the wife of our perennial World's Championship qualifier, Ralph. While Marie has no children of her own, she has put in five years as Leader of a Girl Scout Troop. Among her other activities, she is now organizing a horseshoe club in her home town of Ottawa, Kansas, helps her spouse operate their Ottawa Bowling Alleys, is affiliated with the Business and Professional Women's Club and a member of the Chamber of Commerce of Ottawa. She is a graduate of the Lawrence High School in Kansas. In the Women's Tournament at Murray, Utah, last year she won fourth place. She has been active in horseshoes for the past five years. Her other hobbies are taking home movies and bowling. She believes we should have a National button or pin to be worn by all pitchers because she thinks it will create interest to others who may inquire about it. I forgot to mention that in the Milwaukee Tournament, Marie finished in second place.

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CALIFORNIA

By E. O. Beller

Results of Open Class A tournament of So. Calif. Horseshoe Pitchers Association of NHPA, held at Ontario Calif., May 5-6, 1951.

	W.	L.	%		W.	L.	%
1. L. Dean	11	0	75.5	7. J. Frizzell	5	6	60.8
2. Hook	8	3	57.3	8. R. Smith	5	6	60.5
3. Beach	7	4	60.0	9. J. Byrns	5	6	59.8
4. H. Harper	6	5	62.1	10. A. Nottingham	4	7	58.7
5. A. Gregson	6	5	60.3	11. A. Keith	3	8	53.4
6. H. Dolan	5	6	62.2	12. W. Hagy	1	10	52.1

Trophies for first three places. Also awards for next four places.

Many thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Al Newell and all the others who contributed to furnishing such a fine feast, enjoyed just before tournament time.

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MAINE

By Mrs. Marion E. Adams

It seems to me it is about time the National Horseshoe Pitcher's Association took a progressive step forward and recognized the women who have the patience and fortitude to learn to play horseshoes the hard way—40 feet. We are not asking them to abandon the present 30 foot set-up; we admit it has its merits, and should by all means be continued. But it is an injustice to the women who pitch 40 feet not

to be recognized when they are playing a game that men are recognized for by the Nat'l Ass'n and given a certificate and the women not given a certificate even though they hold a State and Nat'l card and pay a dollar for it just the same as the men do and the women who pitch 30 feet. They have class A, B and C for men; why can't we have a 40 foot division for women? If they don't want to bother to play in the Nat'l tournament at 40 feet why not recognize 40 feet in state playing at least?

It's men like you, Jake, that have a lot of influence, also Roy Smith, Archie Gregson, and President Louls Dean just to name a few more. If any of you good fellows are genuinely interested in promoting horseshoes, here is one way to do it. Women are getting a toe-hold more and more in the game, and with their enthusiasm I can see a bright future for the game in our city, and I hope with your help, in your city.

Hope to hear what you think about this, anyway.

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LONG LIVE ROY W. SMITH

By Charles Gerrish

Maybe it's like a voice from the Wilderness when you hear from Maine. Anyway you have treated us well in your pages, and have let the other states know that we are here.

Now and then some matter does get into the admirable little "Horseshoe Pitcher" not always pertaining to horseshoes, but I do want to commend that Roy Smith "Tossing Technique" item which appeared in this April issue I received today. It was a very meaty article, and its information on correct Swing and Step in Our Game was alone well worth a year's subscription to anyone who wants to gain in the science of tossing horseshoes and improve his ability to throw ringers. It is swell for players and our magazine to give out such valuable instruction for all to learn.

That idea of keeping the weight of a right hand thrower on the right foot all the time until making the Step is something I've tried a bit. Now to read that Isais practised this for months, is to convince me that I'm going in for it, and I believe it will benefit me in aim, steadiness and endurance. Thanks Roy, for telling so well about this,—and my ambition is also to rate 75% pitching.

In regard to that free arm roll to give the shoe its proper turn. The right form is quite simple,—and perhaps the more simply it is done the better the way to do the Swing. Probably the best form is to avoid all complications possible, especially any wasteful moves and labors. I hope I can add a testimony of some worth in regard to simple Swing. As the swing effort primarily has the purpose of getting the shoe across the 40-foot flight, here is my "simplicity" formula: The relaxed right arm is kept quite straight all the time the shoe is in the hand. (The "follow thru" may have an elbow bend after the shoe has left the hand.) The start of the swing has the shoe-hand about a foot back of the leg with arm hanging down full length. Time may here be taken to get balanced poise with weight on that right foot. Unrurriedness may help one, especially when the "going is tough." With this poised start one may always throw the shoe in the same way with the same

motion every time, and no losing of balance. Keeping the arm at length, a front swing is made to an easy height, say 45 degrees above horizontal, with no foot or body motion only to "square up" to the objective stake. Then the down and back swing is made, with body bend as one prefers, followed with the long forward swing which throws the shoe. Arm is kept full length all the time the shoe is handled,—a method that does away with frills or fancy motions. Any extra unnecessary movements are surely tiring and no help in making ringers

We hope the above may contain certain suggestions that will be of help to some, and may we further hope that others will give their ideas on good ringer doctrines.

Let's aim for the Biggest Year Ever for 1951.

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NEW YORK

By Jake

The Empire State Branch of the N.H.P.A. held their yearly Open Tournament on Memorial day, May 30th in Central Park on the 12 courts of the Hilltop H. C. There were three classes, A, B and C, consisting of three eight man round robins. While Vito Fileccia won the Class A event, he had to do it by playing Joe Zichella three extra games as Joe tied with him for first place.

CLASS "A"

	W.	L.	%				
1 Fileccia	6	1	66.8	5 Kolb (N. J.)	3	4	57.8
2 Zichella	6	1	67.6	6 Seacord	2	4	46.5
3 Heroux (R. I.)	5	2	67.9	7 Brennan	2	4	41.6
4 DiStefano	4	3	51.7	8 Farmer	0	7	45.5

CLASS "B"

	W.	L.	%				
1 Hardwick	7	0	54.3	5 Lynch (Va.)	3	4	35.7
2 Stines	5	2	50.7	6 Kirk	2	5	42.7
3 Brumek	4	3	50.5	7 Reed (Conn.)	2	5	31.2
4 Courtock (N. J.)	3	4	45.1	8 Millican	1	6	39.6

CLASS "C"

	W.	L.	%				
1 Kamszik (Conn.)	6	1	47.3	5 Wagner (Conn.)	3	4	34.0
2 O'Connell	5	2	47.1	6 Puglise (N. J.)	2	5	25.6
3 MacKeil, Sr. (C.)	5	2	37.1	7 Kenderski (C.)	2	5	23.9
4 Lugo	4	3	31.5	8 Spotto	0	7	21.2

Cash prizes were awarded to the top three men in each class.

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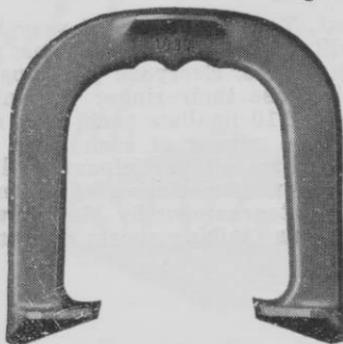
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TEXAS

By Ed McFarland and B. E. Sipple

This is to announce the selection of Stinnett, Texas as the site for the 1951 State Championship of Texas. This tournament will probably be held on September 2-3, 1951 but the date is not certain as yet.

Mr. Elbert E. Lee, Box 535, Stinnett, Texas has worked very hard preparing five first class courts which will have concrete platforms, pegs set in concrete or blocks, and clay in the boxes. Everyone participating in this tournament should be able to increase their ringer percentage by about 15%. There will be two classes of 10 finalists each, with cash prizes totaling \$250.00 and a trophy to the winner of each class. Mr. Lee expects about 25 participants. Of course, all participants will be members of the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association of America. Much local publicity is being given to this tournament by Monk Owens of the Amirillo Globe News and Glenn Elkins (talking sports columnist) of Borger, Texas.

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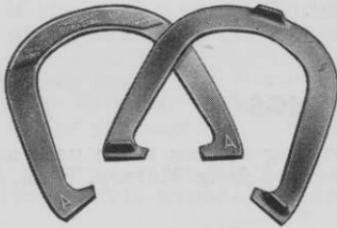
WASHINGTON STATE

By Arthur Lienes

The annual Washington State H. S. Ass'n picnic, a basket community affair, opened our season at Wright Park, in Tacoma, on June 3rd. We renewed friendships at this gathering, picked the State tournament site and started our membership drive.

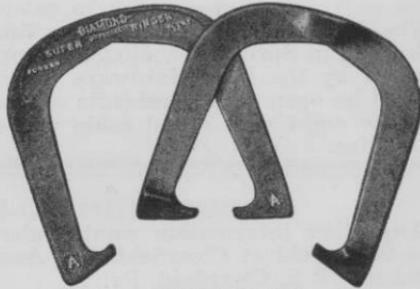
Bill McNeley, President and myself, Secretary of both the State Ass'n and Gray's Harbor County Ass'n, both hope the same system of membership will be put into effect in other clubs throughout the State

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JAKE'S JOTTINGS

Mr. E. O. Beller, inventor of the scoring devices to be used at the World Championship games, has just returned from Murray, Utah, after having delivered the scoring devices.

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The Missouri Open Horseshoe Tournament will be held in Grant Beach Park in Springfield, Mo., on Sept. 2nd and 3rd. This meet will be sponsored by the Peer Hardware Co. and the Springfield Park Board. This will be open to all residents of the State of Missouri. It will consist of an eight man round robin and each contestant will be awarded a cash prize.

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Any other information wanted about the Eastern National Tournament to be held at Clearfield, Pa., Aug. 1-4—get in touch with Mr. R. G. Kinkead, R 2, Clearfield, Pa.

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July 21-22-29, Exposition Park, Cal.—Class A Championship.
July 28, Wildwood, N. J.—Invitation Open.
July 29, Bridgeport, Conn.—Fairfield County, Bearsley Park
July 29, Hartford, Conn.—Northern Conn., Pope Park
August 1-4, Clearfield, Pa.—Eastern National Tournament.
August 8-14, Murray, Utah—World's Championship.
Aug. 12, Bridgeport, Conn.—Conn. State, Bearsley Park
August 24-26, Columbus, Ohio—State Tournament, Fair Grounds
August 25-26, South Gate, Cal.—Amateur Championship
August 25-26, Portland, Me.—State Tournament
September 1-3, Long Beach, Cal.—Western Class A Open.
September 2-3, Wheatland, Wyo.—State Tournament.
September 2-3, Springfield, Mo.—Open Tournament.
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WHERE TO PLAY WHEN YOU'RE AWAY

- ARIZONA—Casa Grande Park, Casa Grande; Rendesvous Park, Mesa; Encanto Park, Phoenix.
- ARKANSAS—Fair Park, Boyle Park and Mac Arthur Park.
- CALIFORNIA—Community Center, Compton; Exposition Park, Los Angeles; Union Pacific Courts, Long Beach; Mosswood Park, Oakland; Golden Gate Courts, San Francisco; Candlestick Cove, Lincoln Park, Santa Monica; Crocker-Amazon Courts, San Francisco; McNear Park, Petaluma; Ives Memorial Park, Sebastopol.
- CANADA—Dieppe Park, East York.
- CONNECTICUT—Bearsley Park, Bridgeport; Pope Park, Hartford.
- DIST. OF COL.—Commerce Courts, Washington.
- FLORIDA—South Waterfront Park, St. Petersburg.
- ILLINOIS—Welles Park, Chicago; Athletic Park, Canton; Riverside Park, Moline; Long View Park, Rock Island; Forest Park, Ottawa.
- INDIANA—Brookside Park, Indianapolis.
- IOWA—Birdland Park, Des Moines; Riverside Park, Ottumwa; Crapo Park, Burlington; Island Park, Cedar Falls; Ellis Park, Cedar Rapids.
- KANSAS—Gage Park, Topeka.
- KENTUCKY—Shady Shores, Covington.
- MAINE—Auburn, Riverside Courts, Bangor, Bangor Club, Farmington, City Park, Hebron, Community Courts, Portland, Deering Oaks, Rumford, High School, So. Portland, Wilkinson Park.
- MARYLAND—Carroll Park, Baltimore; Magruder Park, Hyattsville.
- MASSACHUSETTS—Municipal Playgrounds, Westfield.
- MINNESOTA—Como & Elfelt, St. Paul; Soldier Memorial Field, Rochester.
- MISSOURI—Municipal Park, Carthage; Neosho, Fair Grounds, Springfield, Grant Beach Park.
- NEW HAMPSHIRE—South Playground, Portsmouth; Ryan H. S. Club, Dover Point; Pop Ryans, 14 Central Ave., Portsmouth.
- NEW JERSEY—Warinanco Park, Elizabeth; Branch Brook Pk., Newark. Wildwood, Beach Park.
- NEW YORK—Central Park, Innwood Hill Park, New York City; St. Mary's Park, Williamsbridge Oval Park, Woodlawn, Van Cortlandt Park, all in the Bronx; Parade Grounds, Fort Green Park, Brooklyn; Belmont Lake State Park, Babylon, L. I., Kirk Park, Syracuse.
- OHIO—Jermain Park, Toledo; Cedar Point, Sandusky.
- OREGON—Laurelhurst Park, Portland.
- PENNSYLVANIA—District Courts, Pittsburgh; Pt. Marion, Frank Murphy's Courts; Joe Mett's Courts, Revere; Oakhurst Courts, Johnstown.
- RHODE ISLAND—Athletic Field, West Warwick; Schartner's Courts, Hamilton.
- UTAH—County Fair Grounds, Murray.
- WASHINGTON—Wright Park, Tacoma, Woodland Park, Seattle.
- WEST VIRGINIA—Bar B-Q Courts, East Nitro.
- WYOMING—Union Park, Cheyenne.

IF YOU ARE NOT LISTED HERE, GET BUSY!