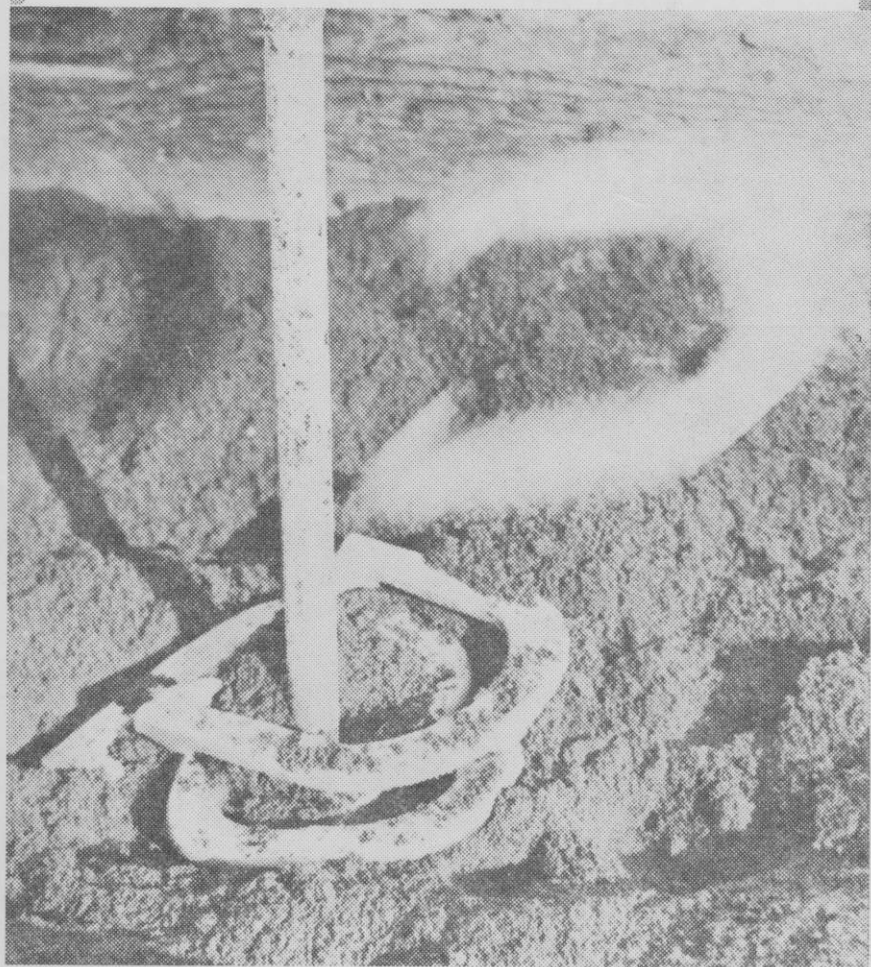


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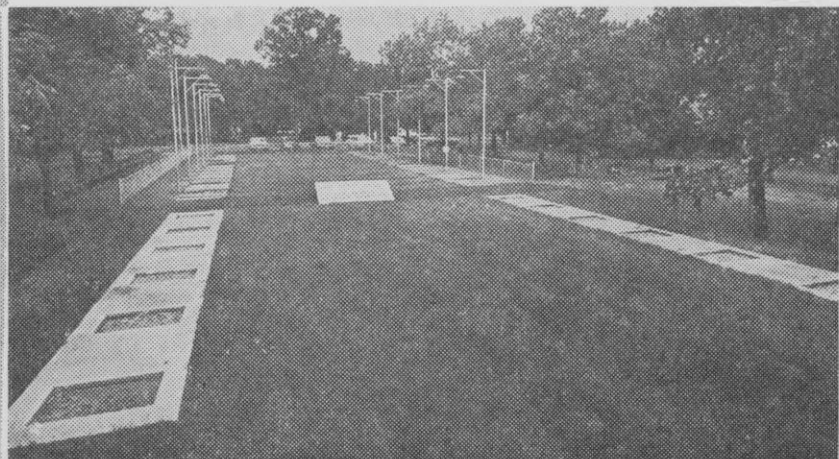


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## Danny Kuchcinski New Eastern National Champ

Danny Kuchcinski, youthful ringer artist from Erie, Pennsylvania, blazed a trail through 14 opponents to win the annual Eastern National Open tournament. His brilliant performance in the preliminary round, averaging 87.5% and then again in the championship finals when he averaged 86.1%, proved too much for his opponents. Carl Steinfeldt of Rochester, New York, was his nearest contender, averaging 83.3% in the preliminary round and dropping to 82.6% in the championship flight, to become the runner-up. The best run in consecutive ringers went to Dan Kuchcinski and Buck Engle, each having 30 ringers in a row.

Class A honors went to Paul Focht of Dayton, Ohio, while Howard Shriver of West Virginia topped Class B. Frank Williams of Pennsylvania clipped 7 straight to take Class C title. Rich Kuchcinski held up the family name by sweeping 14 straight to win Class D crown.

## GROUP A-1

	W	L	%
Carl Steinfeldt, N.Y. ....	7	0	83.3
Jim Knisley, Ohio .....	5	2	73.4
Sam Sutton, Pa. ....	4	3	76.5
Jack Potter, Pa. ....	4	3	70.2
Howard Shriver, W. Va. ..	4	3	68.3
Joe Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	2	5	64.6
Frank Kilinsky, Pa. ....	2	5	64.1
Frank Oliverio, Pa. ....	0	7	53.0

## GROUP A-2

	W	L	%
Elmer Hohl, Canada .....	6	1	81.7
Al Zadroga, Pa. ....	6	1	79.2
Steve Fenicchia, N. Y. ....	6	1	77.5
Stan Manker, Ohio .....	4	3	71.9
Herm Boyer, Pa. ....	3	4	62.2
John Fulton, Pa. ....	2	5	61.1
Frank Williams, Pa. ....	1	6	57.7
Joe Peters, Pa. ....	0	7	41.1

## GROUP A-3

	W	L	%
Dan Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	7	0	87.5
Buck Engle, Pa. ....	6	1	74.9
Dale Carson, Md. ....	5	2	73.3
Clyde Martz, Pa. ....	4	3	74.0
Harold Tuttle, Ohio .....	3	4	64.4
Glen Sebring, Pa. ....	2	5	66.0
Clare Bruce, Pa. ....	1	6	64.5
Jack Rainbow, Pa. ....	0	7	53.6

## GROUP A-4

	W	L	%
Ginger Natalie, N. Y. ....	6	1	78.8
Jim Solomon, Pa. ....	6	1	78.5
Paul Focht, Ohio .....	5	2	78.0
Wes Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	5	2	73.0
Dave Marsh, Pa. ....	3	4	63.7
Bob Pence, Ind. ....	2	5	53.8
Frank Hall, Pa. ....	1	6	43.3
Forfeit			

## GROUP B-1

	W	L	%
Gil Fridinger, Pa. ....	7	0	48.6
Paul Gangemi, Pa. ....	6	1	55.4
Dean Mayes, Pa. ....	4	3	45.2
Frank Graham, Pa. ....	4	3	42.6
Ed Czernek, Pa. ....	4	3	40.9
Ted Corbett, Pa. ....	2	5	23.8
Ray Ames, Pa. ....	1	6	31.6
Shorty Rathbun, N. Y. ....	0	7	28.9

## GROUP B-2

	W	L	%
Rich Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	7	0	62.0
Geo. Hale, N. Y. ....	6	1	49.3
O. Rockwell, N. Y. ....	5	2	50.2
Walt Skibicki, Pa. ....	3	4	43.6
Roy Wellman, Pa. ....	3	4	39.0
Joe Perkowski, Pa. ....	2	5	38.2
Bob Schwab, Pa. ....	2	5	26.2
W. Maloney, Pa. ....	0	7	20.7

**Eastern National — (Continued)****GROUP B-3**

	W	L	%
Gene Lobaugh, Pa. ....	6	1	47.0
Joe Balogh, Pa. ....	6	1	41.3
Clyde Falk, Pa. ....	5	2	45.8
Wm. Hyland, N. Y. ....	3	4	37.6
Geo. Rhea, Pa. ....	3	4	35.0
Ed Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	2	5	37.1
M. Alexander, N. Y. ....	2	5	34.0
Lloyd Short, N. Y. ....	1	6	30.0

**CHAMPIONSHIP**

	W	L	%
Dan Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	7	0	86.1
C. Steinfeldt, N. Y. ....	5	2	82.6
Al Zadroga, Pa. ....	4	3	77.3
Jim Solomon, Pa. ....	4	3	76.6
Elmer Hohl, Canada ....	3	4	81.5
Ginger Natale, N. Y. ....	3	4	75.9
Buck Engle, Pa. ....	2	5	74.5
Jim Klisley, Ohio ....	0	7	72.8

**CLASS B**

	W	L	%
Howard Shriver, W. Va. ..	6	1	69.2
Dave Marsh, Pa. ....	5	2	64.4
Harold Tuttle, Ohio ....	5	2	64.3
Joe Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	4	3	66.2
Glen Sebring, Pa. ....	3	4	62.5
Herm Boyer, Pa. ....	3	4	62.1
John Fulton, Pa. ....	2	5	57.6
Frank Peluso, Pa. ....	0	7	53.0

**CLASS D**

	W	L	%
Rich Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	7	0	61.9
Clyde Gilmore, Pa. ....	5	2	53.4
Paul Gangemi, Pa. ....	4	3	53.3
Gil Fridinger, Pa. ....	4	3	51.5
Geo. Hale, Pa. ....	3	4	50.2
Ed Blum, Pa. ....	3	4	49.9
Gene Lobaugh, Pa. ....	2	5	44.2
J. Balogh, Pa. ....	0	7	39.4

**CLASS F**

	W	L	%
Ed Czernek, Pa. ....	6	1	41.7
Ed Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	6	1	36.7
R. Wellman, Pa. ....	4	3	38.9
Joe Abbott, Pa. ....	4	3	36.3
Geo. Rhea, Pa. ....	4	3	34.1
J. Perkowski, Pa. ....	3	4	35.6
T. Corbett, Pa. ....	1	6	26.7
Art Adams, Pa. ....	0	7	26.4

**GROUP B-4**

	W	L	%
Ed Blum, Pa. ....	6	1	48.8
Clyde Gilmore, Pa. ....	5	2	53.4
Harry Westfall, Pa. ....	5	2	41.3
Paul Beer, Pa. ....	4	3	49.5
Bob Pence, Ind. ....	4	3	45.7
Joe Abbott, Pa. ....	3	4	37.2
H. Ehmke, Fla. ....	1	6	26.9
Bob Conrad, Pa. ....	0	7	21.3

**CLASS A**

	W	L	%
Paul Focht, Ohio ....	6	1	79.2
Sam Sutton, Pa. ....	6	1	77.3
Stan Manker, Ohio ....	4	3	71.4
Steve Fenicchia, N. Y. ....	3	4	74.5
Dale Carson, Md. ....	3	4	73.0
Clyde Martz, Pa. ....	3	4	71.8
Wes Kuchcinski, Pa. ....	2	5	72.7
Jack Potter, Pa. ....	1	6	69.0

**CLASS C**

	W	L	%
Frank Williams, Pa. ....	7	0	58.8
Clare Bruce, Pa. ....	5	2	61.8
Frank Kilinsky, Pa. ....	5	2	59.5
Jack Rainbow, Pa. ....	3	4	53.6
Frank Oliverio, Pa. ....	3	4	52.8
Frank Hall, Pa. ....	3	4	43.9
Ed Wurst, Pa. ....	1	6	39.4
Fred Koehler, Pa. ....	0	7	21.6

**CLASS E**

	W	L	%
Clyde Falk, Pa. ....	6	1	49.5
Paul Beer, Pa. ....	6	1	45.7
O. Rockwell, N. Y. ....	5	2	47.5
H. Westfall, Pa. ....	3	4	42.3
Frank Graham, Pa. ....	2	5	44.2
W. Skibicki, Pa. ....	2	5	39.8
Dean Mayes, Pa. ....	2	5	38.7
Wm. Hyland, N. Y. ....	2	5	36.4

**CLASS G**

	W	L	%
Merle Alexander, N. Y. ....	7	0	35.0
Lloyd Short, N. Y. ....	6	1	33.1
H. Ehmke, Fla. ....	4	3	27.1
Fred Koehler, Pa. ....	3	4	27.6
B. Schwab, Pa. ....	3	4	27.3
Shorty Rathbun, N. Y. ....	3	4	27.2
Wm. Maloney, Pa. ....	2	5	22.4
Bob Conrad, Pa. ....	0	7	20.8

**Order Your Championship Insignias NOW**

All state secretaries are requested to send in now for any champion insignias that will be required for the 1967 season. Send requests to Mrs. Lucille Hopkins, 124 South Cherry Street, Ottumwa, Iowa 52501. Mrs. Hopkins handles this item for the National association, being a vice-president.

## Canadian Championships — August 19 — Toronto

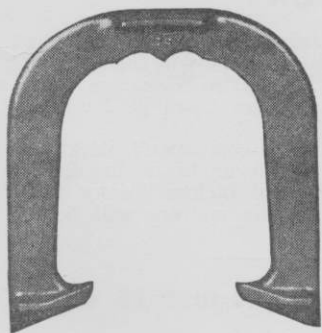
The Canadian Championship tournament for men will be held on Saturday, August 19. Qualifying will be till 10 a.m. Saturday. The top 48 will be divided into six groups of eight and classed A, B, C, D, E, F, and play round robin which should finish early Saturday evening. We have almost \$1,200 for this tournament.

The Canadian Juniors and Ladies will qualify Friday morning, August 18, and then put into two groups of six classed A and B. That will be the top 12 in both Juniors and Ladies. They will also play a round robin. The prize money will be \$166.

### NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Entry fee will be five dollars and throw 100 shoes for qualifying. The top 32 will be put into two groups of 16 and classed A and B. Qualifying will be from 8 a.m. till 4 p.m. on Thursday, the 17th. The round will start at 4:30 and finish on the night of the 18th. If any further information is needed, write George A. Schummer, 68 Brookdale Ave., Toronto. Any Canadians qualifying for the NORTH AMERICAN can use their scores also for the CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP tournament.

Accommodations as low as \$4.50 single and \$7.50 double available in the heart of downtown. Reservations should be made with me two weeks at least in advance. We would also like as many as possible to let us know if they are going to make it to the tournament. See address above.



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## **World Tournament Committees Assume Duties For Big Event**

Committees are taking shape for the 1967 World Horseshoe Tournament, which will be held at Fargo, North Dakota, July 29-August 8.

Those named are members of the Red River Valley League, which is hosting the tourney in conjunction with the National Horseshoe Pitchers Assn. Chairmen will name others to work with them for the 11-day event.

Chairmen are: Wes Myhre, fund-raising; Henry Wisness and Doug Classon, Housing; Wally Arndt, booster buttons; Al Odegard and Arland Workin, parking; Gust Magnuson, finances; Harold McDonald and Tom Fasteen, court and grounds maintenance; Willard Moberg, scoreboard; Ken Stockdell and Helmer Jallen, reception; Les Moe, statistician; Bob Olson, Sy Trotter and Ray Rheault, transportation; Willis Wiger, Reidar Haakenson and Harold Oien, NHPA dinner, and Will Gullickson, coordinator, and souvenir program.

The RRV League officials are working closely with the Fargo Park District in mapping plans for the tourney. A group of men will be hired to work on court maintenance.

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## **World Tourney Mailing Address**

Anyone wishing to contact individuals attending the World Tourney July 29 through August 8 can do so by addressing the individual in care of the World Tournament Headquarters, F-M Hotel, Moorhead, Minn.

NHPA Secretary Bob Pence will be quartered there and each day's delivery of mail will be taken to the courts and distributed as soon as it arrives.

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## **Special Notice**

NHPA Secretary Bob Pence will leave July 20 on a vacation trip that will last one month before he returns home. His itinerary will take him not only to the World Tourney in Fargo but also to the NHPA Wisconsin State meet in Combined Locks, Wis., and the North American Open in Toronto, Canada, before he returns home around August 21.

Horseshoe clubs and NHPA members who correspond with Bob should bear in mind that during this interim he will be unable to handle his mail.

Trophy orders should be addressed to the Hal Lieber Trophy Shops during this interval. All trophy orders handled in this manner will be taken care of promptly.

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## **Dormont Open Tournament, August 26 and 27**

The Dormont Horseshoe Club of Pennsylvania announces they will hold an open tournament on August 26 and 27. This event will be open to any player belonging to the NHPA, and will be held at the Dormont Recreational Center south of Pittsburgh.

Qualifying shall consist of submitting any sanctioned tournament average since January 1967. If a pitcher does not have an average during this period, he may submit his last sanctioned average. Any pitcher desiring to qualify may do so at the Dormont courts during the week before August 20, by throwing 100 shoes. Ten ringers will be subtracted from this score to place the contestant.

All entries must be postmarked by August 15, and sent with the pitcher's address along with \$5.00 to Michael Riedl, 2631 Broadway Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15216.

The tournament will consist of 32 men, 4 classes of eight men. Each pitcher will be notified of his pitching time and class in advance. Should a pitcher not be able to make the competition, his entry fee will be refunded. Beautiful trophies and cash awards will be given in all classes.

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### World Tournament Headquarters, Fargo-Moorhead

A flood of pre-World Tournament mail from all parts of the United States and Canada carries the same theme: The 1967 World Tournament promises to be one of the largest and most exciting on record. Flattered by the enthusiasm and confidence expressed by the writers, the officials of the Red River Valley League are making an all-out effort to make the expectations come true.

Advance planning for the classic started 18 months ago and will come to a climax during the home stretch weeks. The tournament runs July 29 - Aug. 8.

The World Tournament headquarters have received hundreds of letters of inquiry on the tournament. They have come from a wide range of people interested in the sport, including officers in the NHPA as well as those only mildly interested in the sport. The letters indicate that the fact the tournament is being held for the first time in some 20 years in the Upper Midwest it will attract one of the largest turnouts for all divisions.

Typical of the many letters is one from Bernie Lepper of British Columbia, who voices confidence in a record tournament in his letter in which he ordered World Tournament shirts, buttons and bumper stickers. Several inquiries were also received from Manitoba from pitchers who are spurring their efforts for a large turnout at the event.

Most satisfying has been the skyrocketing of interest throughout North Dakota — from Fargo on the eastern border to Minot and Dickinson out west; from Bottineau on the Canadian border to Havana on the South Dakota border. New to the sport this year are Hannaford, Grafton and Grand Forks, all with plans to organize leagues. A women's league was also in prospect in the Hannaford area. Long-time hotbeds in the sport, Fargo and Kindred, increased their court layouts and welcomed record turnouts of players.

Touching off the spark which led to the World Tournament site here for the first time were Ellis Cobb, Digest editor, and Robert G. Pence, NHPA secretary and tournament manager. They helped instill the go-go attitude in the Fargo-Moorhead group.

*COVER PICTURE . . . RINGERS! RINGERS! and more RINGERS! will be the main theme when the world's top pitchers gather at the Oak Grove park courts in Fargo, North Dakota, July 29 through August 8 for the 1967 World tournament. Ray Brumfield, Greater Seattle area champion, demonstrated for the photographer by ringing the stake with three shoes and the fourth about to go on to make it "four-high." It was a great "action" shot and is just a sample of the action that will take place in Fargo.*

## COMING EVENTS

- July 15 — Brownstown, Ill. County Fair tournament. Qualify til 11:30. Play starts at 1 P. M. Open to all pitchers.
- July 15-16 — Iowa Open tournament, Birdland park courts, Des Moines, Iowa.
- July 15-16 — Keene Open tournament, Wheelock park courts, Keene, New Hampshire. Juniors and Ladies tournament.
- July 16 — Annual Culbertson Open tournament, Culbertson, Montana.
- July 22-23 — Annual Beaver County tournament.
- July 21-22-23 — Official Wisconsin State tournament, Kamp's courts, Combined Locks, Wisconsin.
- July 22-23 — Annual Bremen Open tournament, East Main Street courts, Bremen, Ohio.
- July 29 - Aug. 8 — WORLD TOURNAMENT, Fargo, North Dakota and Moorhead, Minnesota. (Oak Grove park in Fargo, main site of tournament.)
- July 29-30 — Annual Northwest (Pennsylvania) tournament, Glenwood park courts, Erie, Penna.
- August 6 — Mississippi Valley Fair tournament, Fairgrounds, Davenport, Iowa.
- Aug. 10 — Afton, Iowa County Fairgrounds, Open, Qualify there till 11 a.m. Finals, 12:00-12:30 p.m.
- August 12-13 — New Hampshire State tournament, Wheelock park courts, Keene, New Hampshire. Juniors and Ladies tournament Saturday, August 12.
- July 16 — Corvallis Open, Avery park, starting time 10 a.m. Corvallis, Oregon.
- July 29 — Vernonia Friendship Jamboree, City park courts, Vernonia, Oregon.
- August 12 — Silver Shoe Open tournament, Holt's Horseshoe Club, Highway No. 8, Galt, Ontario, Canada.
- August 12-13 — Sioux Empire Open tournament, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.
- August 12-13 — Van Buren Homes Open tournament, Vanport, Pennsylvania.
- August 13 — Mound City Open tournament, Mound City, Missouri.
- August 13 — Annual Galesburg Open tournament, Lincoln park courts, Galesburg, Illinois.
- August 15-16 — Annual Illinois state tournament, Illinois state fairgrounds, Springfield, Illinois.
- August 16 — Annual Illinois State Boys' tournament, Illinois State fairgrounds, Springfield, Illinois.
- August 17-19 — North American Championships, and Canadian Championship, Horse Palace, Canadian Exhibition, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- August 19 — Silverton Open, City park, Silverton, Oregon.
- August 19-20 — Duke City tourney, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- August 19-20 — Bellingham International Open, Cornwall Park Courts, Bellingham, Washington.
- August 20 — Annual Topeka City Championships, Gage park courts, Topeka, Kan.
- August 19-20 — Hill City Open tournament, Miller park courts, Lynchburg, Virginia.
- August 20 — Massachusetts State Tournament, West Side Courts, West Springfield, Massachusetts.
- August 19 & 20 — Fifth Annual West Virginia Open, City park courts, Parkersburg, West Va.
- August 19 & 20 — Bellingham International Open, Cornwall Park, Bellingham, Wash.
- August 20 — Inland Empire Invitational Handicap, Spokane, Wash.
- August 20 — Annual Falls City Open tournament, City park courts, Falls City, Nebraska.
- August 25 — Annual Farmers tournament, Iowa state fair, Des Moines, Iowa.
- August 26, 27 — State Championship, Laurelhurst park courts, Portland, Oregon.
- August 26-27 — Annual Iowa state tournament, Iowa state fair, Des Moines, Iowa. Juniors tournament and Ladies tournament August 26.
- August 25-26-27 — Annual Erie County tournament, Glenwood park courts, Erie, Pennsylvania.
- August 27 — Greater Seattle Championship, Woodland Park, Seattle, Wash.
- Sept. 2-3 — Ottumwa Open tournament, Riverside park courts, Ottumwa, Iowa.
- Sept. 2-3 — Annual Nebraska State tournament, Cozad, Nebraska.
- Sept. 3-4 — Oklahoma State tournament, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
- Sept. 2-3 — Annual New York State tournament, Hornell, New York.
- Sept. 3 — Annual Rock River Valley Open tournament, Lawrence park courts, Rock Falls, Illinois.
- Sept. 2-3 — North Dakota state tournament at Bismarck.
- Sept. 2-3-4 — Kansas State tournament, Gage park courts, Topeka, Kansas.
- Sept. 2-3-4 — Kentucky State tournament. Tournament site and time to be announced.
- Sept. 2-3-4 — Minnesota State tournament, Minneapolis, Loring Park.
- Sept. 2-3-4 — New England Championships, Wheelock park courts, Keene, New Hampshire. Juniors and Ladies tournament, Saturday, September 2.
- Sept. 2-3-4 — Annual Texas State tournament, Lakeside Club courts, San Antonio, Texas.
- Sept. 2, 3, 4 — Washington State Tournament, Wright Park, Tacoma, Wash.
- Sept. 10 — Fifth Annual Monmouth Open tournament, Monmouth park courts, Monmouth, Ill.
- Sept. 10 — Hillsboro Invitational & Washington County, Shute park, Hillsboro, Ore.
- Sept. 10 — Pasadena Park Class "B" Handicap, Spokane, Wash.
- Sept. 16-17 — Northwest Open tournament, Elks Memorial Park Courts, Yakima, Washington.
- Sept. 16-17 — New Mexico State tournament, Los Altos park, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- Sept. 16 & 17 — Northwest Open, Elks Memorial Park, Yakima, Wash.
- Sept. 17 — Afton Open tournament, Fairgrounds courts, Afton, Iowa.
- Sept. 24 — Pasadena Park Class "A" Handicap, Spokane, Wash.

### NORTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHEDULE

- July 16 — San Jose — D
- July 22-23 — Santa Rosa Fair — A
- July 30 — Vallejo — C
- August 6 — Arroyo — B
- August 19-20 — Santa Clara Fair State Championship
- August 27 — Vallejo — B
- Sept. 3-4 — Northern Championship Mosswood Park — A
- Sept. 17 — Grass Valley — A
- Sept. 24 — Seaside — D Championship
- Oct. 1 — Sacramento — A
- Oct. 8 — Arroyo — A
- Oct. 15 — Mosswood — B Championship
- Oct. 22 — Los Gatos — C Championship

## Coming Events — Continued

### SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHEDULE

July 15-16 — \*Western Open, South Gate  
 July 23 — Oxnard "AA" and "C", Oxnard  
 July 29 — Barstow Open, Barstow  
 July 30 — \*Pomona "F" Open, Pomona  
 August 6 — Oxnard "B" and "E", Oxnard  
 August 12 — Special Open (SAT).  
 Baldwin Park  
 August 13 — \*Pomona "G" Open, Pomona  
 August 20 — \*Long Beach "E", Long Beach  
 August 26 — Fullerton Doubles (SAT),  
 Fullerton  
 August 27 — South Gate "D" and "F" Open,  
 South Gate  
 Sept. 3-4 — Ringer Round Up, South Gate  
 Sept. 10 — Champ "A" and "G", South Gate

Sept. 24 — Champ "B" and "F", South Gate  
 October 1 — Baldwin Park "D" Open,  
 Baldwin Park  
 October 8 — San Diego "C" and "E" Open,  
 San Diego  
 October 15 — Champ "AA" and "E",  
 South Gate  
 October 22 — Champ "C", Baldwin Park  
 October 29 — \*Fullerton "A" Open, Fullerton  
 November 5 — Champ "D", Pomona  
 November 12 — S. Gate Open and 60 Years,  
 South Gate  
 November 19 — South Gate Doubles,  
 South Gate  
 \*No qualifying for players in said class. Percentage will determine who enters.

## Camping Facilities For World Tournament Visitors

World Horseshoe tournament visitors to Fargo-Moorhead who have their designs on camping or tenting should look to Lindenwood Park in Fargo, Buffalo State Park, located 17 miles east of Fargo-Moorhead on U.S. Highway 10, or a new 10-acre campground located just east of Moorhead.

From Oak Grove, it is best for the campers to take the following route: Leave Oak Grove on 6th Ave., go to 10th St., turn left and head south until reaching 17th Ave., turn left on 17th to Lindenwood. By taking this route the traveler misses the downtown Fargo traffic.

Buffalo State Park, located near the two-way U.S. 10, just past Glyndon, Minn., is a popular camping grounds with showers, wash rooms, swimming area, playgrounds, etc. The 247-acre park is a forest of stately elms, ash, cottonwood and basswood trees. Carved out of the forest is an artificial swimming pool, fed by the cool waters of the Buffalo River.

The park, with the rustic beauty of the terrain and timber around the swift-flowing river, attracts thousands of visitors each year. The daily park fee is 50 cents and an annual permit good in all state parks costs \$2.

The new campground with modern facilities near Moorhead is located east of Junction U.S. 52 and Interstate 94. The grounds is affiliated with Campgrounds of America, Inc., a chain of locally-owned campgrounds designed to host the camping traveler. The unit is designed to accommodate 100 campers. Facilities include a store, restrooms, a meeting place, showers, laundry facilities, picnic tables and fireplaces. The grounds are designed to accommodate travelers with tents, trailers, pickup campers or bus campers.

## Fourteenth Annual Corn Belt Open Tournament

WHERE — Crapo Park, Burlington, Iowa. Two miles south on Main St. near Madison St. entrance. Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 19 and 20, 1967. Qualifying Saturday noon until 10 p.m. C.D.T., and 8 - 10:30 a.m., Sun., Aug. 20. Qualifying fee \$2.00 for first 100 shoes; \$1.00 for second 100 shoes. Sat. only. "A" Class will have 12 men, two groups of six. Four trophies for top four men. "B" Class will have 12 men in two groups of six. Four trophies in this class. "C-D-E" Classes will have eight men in each class, two groups in each class. There will be six trophies for classes C-D-E. Ladies Qual. 50 shoes, \$1.00 entry fee. Two trophies. Juniors Qual. 50 shoes, \$1.00 entry fee. Two trophies.

Class A will pay additional \$3.00 entry fee. Class B will pay additional \$2.00 entry fee. All other classes \$1.00 additional. Lower classes start at 11 a.m. CDST. Classes A and B will follow opening ceremonies at 1:30.

Camping facilities are free. Refreshments galore. Plan now to enter Iowa's best tournament. Rest rooms and bowling alley close by.

## "Operation Publicity"

All local horseshoe clubs are urged to formally contact the Sports Dept. of their local newspaper with a request that daily coverage be given the World Tournament in Fargo, July 29 - August 8th.

A letter of request from the officers of organized clubs will usually achieve success in this respect. Individuals should also make a similar request.

Daily stories on the tournament will be carried by the wires services, both Associated Press and United Press International.

In addition, your local paper can make arrangements for special coverage, by contacting Will Gullickson at the Fargo Forum newspaper in Fargo. Will is not only an NHPA Vice President, but a sportswriter for the Fargo Forum paper, and will have complete results available every day.

## "Fireman's Day" Celebration Open Tourney Antwerp, Ohio

The Antwerp, Ohio club will be hosts at the "Fireman's Day" Open tournament to be held on the newly dedicated courts in Riverside park in Antwerp,



Ohio on Saturday, July 29. The Antwerp club has 31 members and together with their officers, hope to have several tournaments this season. They are most proud of their six new courts, all of which are well lighted for night pitching and well shaded for day-time pitching. Riverside park is located one block from the downtown business district. Shown in the picture at the left are: Left to right — Lyn Bickard and H. Donnell, Park Board members; Andy Panico, club secretary-treasurer, and C. Long, club president.

## Old Horseshoes Wanted for World Tourney

### WANTED:

Old horseshoes of any kind, type or shape.

These horseshoes will be used as a display during the World Horseshoe Tournament to be held at Fargo-Moorhead July 29-Aug. 8.

The World tournament committee asks these horseshoes be mailed to World Horseshoe, care of Erik Svenkerud, 707 9th St. N., Moorhead, Minn.

The person mailing in the most unusual horseshoe will be awarded a prize during the tournament.

## Hall Of Fame Selectees Will Attend World Tourney

All three individuals who will be honored with Horseshoe Pitching Hall of Fame plaques this year will attend the World Tourney in Fargo.

Putt Mossman, World Champion in 1924 and 1925, now lives in Missouri; Mrs. Grace Zimmerman, wife of Guy Zimmerman, the 1954 Champion and the only man to toss a perfect game in the tourney, lives in Danville, Calif.; Elmer Beller, NHPA Vice President, also lives in California. All three will be at Fargo.

Hall of Fame induction ceremonies will take place Sunday evening, August 6, with Marvin Chrisman of the selection committee acting as M.C.

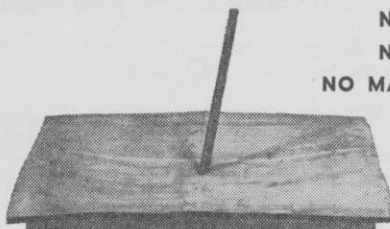
## Special Note From The Editor . . . .

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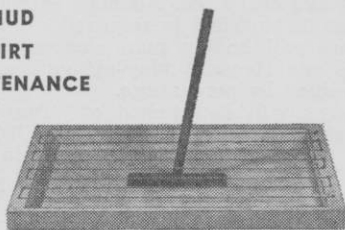
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## In Memoriam

The horseshoe world is saddened by the death of Mrs. Gussie Craig of Farmland, Ind., the mother of NHPA President Harold Craig and his brother Marvin who has appeared in the championship division of many World Tournaments.

Mrs. Craig died the last week of June after a very lengthy illness. She is survived by her husband, in addition to Harold and Marvin and a number of grandchildren.

The entire membership of the NHPA sends its heartfelt sympathy to the Craig family in its hours of bereavement.

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The Muncie, Indiana club recently lost one of its most active members in the passing of F. G. Campbell, who had for a number of years participated in Indiana tournaments and served for awhile as an officer of the Muncie Club.

## Fayette County Free Fair Open Meet Set For Aug. 15-17

The Fayette County, Indiana, Free Fair tournament will be held on the Roberts Park courts, Connersville, Indiana, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, August 15, 16, and 17, and will be open to any pitcher living in the U. S. or Canada. There will be 100 shoe qualifying at the courts on Thursday and Friday evenings, August 3 and 4, 6 to 9 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday afternoons, August 5 and 6, 1 to 6 p.m.

Anyone living outside of Fayette County may mail in his qualification score with \$2.00 entry fee. All mail entries must be postmarked by 6 p.m., Sunday, August 6. No card is required.

There will be six man classes playing 50 point cancellation round robin games and 50 point play-off games of first place ties; all other ties will be determined by percentage.

Classes will be pitched off Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, August 15, 16, and 17. Pitchers will be notified of their time to pitch by mail.

All entry fees of \$2.00 each, plus \$35.00 donated by the Fayette County Free Fair Assn., will be given out in cash and trophies. Mail entry fee and qualification to Ray Pitcher, 2416 Virginia Avenue, Connersville, Indiana.

## Special Notice — Tournament Date Changes

California pitchers are advised of the change in date for the "Special Open" tournament which has been re-scheduled for August 12 instead of August 19. Change was made, due to conflict with California State Tournament which is scheduled to be held on August 19 and 20.

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The Van Buren Homes, Vanport, Penna. Open will be held on Saturday, August 12-13 instead of August 19-20 as previously scheduled. Entry deadline will be August 7. Entry fee of \$3.00 should be sent to Herman Boyer, Rt. 2, Beaver, Penna. 15009.

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## Ohio State Championship—Greenville, Sept. 1-4

Qualify Fri. and Sat. till noon. Finals Labor Day.

**C. Day Winner of Spring Open at Connersville, Indiana****CLASS A**

|                               | W | L | %    |
|-------------------------------|---|---|------|
| C. Day, Frankfort .....       | 6 | 0 | 83.1 |
| R. Carpenter, Union City      | 5 | 1 | 72.5 |
| J. Kemple, Rushville .....    | 4 | 2 | 69.3 |
| G. McFatridge, Rushville      | 3 | 3 | 72.2 |
| R. Thornburgh, Winchester     | 2 | 4 | 67.9 |
| R. Rambo, Jeffersonville      | 1 | 5 | 61.0 |
| R. Pitcher, Connersville .... | 0 | 6 | 58.5 |

**CLASS B**

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| L. Mullins, Muncie .....    | 5 | 0 | 68.1 |
| G. Grubb, Richmond .....    | 4 | 1 | 64.2 |
| H. Holland, Indianapolis .. | 3 | 2 | 60.7 |
| C. Andrews, Centerville ..  | 2 | 3 | 56.3 |
| H. McFatridge, Arlington    | 1 | 4 | 54.5 |
| E. Mendenhall, Noblesville  | 0 | 5 | 50.7 |

**CLASS C**

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| M. Chrisman, Connersville   | 4 | 1 | 55.7 |
| R. Pence, Gary .....        | 3 | 2 | 58.1 |
| D. Pittman, Winchester ..   | 3 | 2 | 51.2 |
| E. Hinshaw, Indianapolis    | 3 | 2 | 51.0 |
| R. Wood, Connersville ....  | 2 | 3 | 48.4 |
| M. Mullins, Indianapolis .. | 0 | 5 | 30.2 |

**CLASS D**

|                               | W | L | %    |
|-------------------------------|---|---|------|
| D. Holland, Indianapolis ..   | 5 | 2 | 54.8 |
| B. McClay, Connersville ....  | 3 | 3 | 52.1 |
| E. Parshall, Centerville .... | 3 | 3 | 50.9 |
| J. Stone, Beech Grove ....    | 2 | 3 | 46.8 |
| J. Ashbaugh, Valparaiso ..    | 2 | 3 | 45.5 |
| J. Pine, Anderson .....       | 2 | 3 | 43.9 |

**CLASS E**

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| P. Van Sickle, Indianapolis | 4 | 1 | 48.7 |
| M. McCollum, Lynn .....     | 3 | 2 | 45.0 |
| C. Estelle, Indianapolis .. | 3 | 2 | 39.8 |
| E. Lachman, Scipio .....    | 3 | 2 | 39.0 |
| A. Overdorf, Brownsburg     | 1 | 4 | 35.3 |
| C. Mengedoht, Connersville  | 1 | 4 | 34.5 |

**CLASS F**

|                           | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------|---|---|------|
| L. Dearing, Greenfield    | 5 | 0 | 33.3 |
| J. Hamilton, Connersville | 4 | 1 | 33.5 |
| E. Eader, South Bend .... | 3 | 2 | 30.8 |
| B. Lykins, Muncie .....   | 2 | 3 | 23.7 |
| A. Seaver, Richmond ..... | 1 | 4 | 30.4 |
| W. Eader, South Bend .... | 0 | 5 | 16.2 |

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## 1967 Van Buren Spring Warm-Up Tournament Won by Enge

### CLASS A

|                           | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------|---|---|------|
| Oscar Enge, Pa. ....      | 5 | 1 | 76.4 |
| Howard Shriver, W. Va. .. | 4 | 2 | 73.1 |
| James Solomon, Pa. ....   | 3 | 2 | 75.4 |
| Sam Sutton, Pa. ....      | 2 | 3 | 69.6 |
| Harold Tuttle, Ohio ..... | 2 | 3 | 63.6 |
| Frank Kilinsky, Pa. ....  | 0 | 5 | 66.3 |

### CLASS B

|                        | W | L | %    |
|------------------------|---|---|------|
| Clyde Martz, Pa. ....  | 5 | 0 | 75.8 |
| Joe Wohar, Pa. ....    | 3 | 2 | 61.5 |
| Pete Sowa, Pa. ....    | 2 | 3 | 62.3 |
| Joe Sis, Pa. ....      | 2 | 3 | 61.6 |
| John Ruskin, Pa. ....  | 2 | 3 | 57.0 |
| Frank Peluso, Pa. .... | 1 | 4 | 58.3 |

### CLASS C

|                          | W | L | %    |
|--------------------------|---|---|------|
| Dave Marsh, Pa. ....     | 5 | 0 | 55.8 |
| Richard Maroni, Pa. .... | 4 | 1 | 58.5 |
| Tom Board, Pa. ....      | 3 | 2 | 51.2 |
| Clair Bruce, Pa. ....    | 2 | 3 | 51.3 |
| Carl Nagode, Pa. ....    | 1 | 4 | 44.1 |
| Herman Boyer, Pa. ....   | 0 | 5 | 45.2 |

### CLASS D

|                          | W | L | %    |
|--------------------------|---|---|------|
| Frank Oliverio, Pa. .... | 6 | 2 | 56.7 |
| Jack Rainbow, Pa. ....   | 4 | 2 | 55.9 |
| Carl Elder, Pa. ....     | 4 | 2 | 52.3 |
| Relman Wilson, Pa. ....  | 3 | 2 | 45.0 |
| Al. Booth, Pa. ....      | 1 | 4 | 51.0 |
| Larry Hineman, Pa. ....  | 0 | 5 | 35.3 |

### CLASS E

|                          | W | L | %    |
|--------------------------|---|---|------|
| Charles Sowa, Pa. ....   | 5 | 0 | 53.0 |
| Mele Boslet, Pa. ....    | 3 | 2 | 47.3 |
| Jim Funkhouser, Pa. .... | 3 | 2 | 47.6 |
| Dean Mayes, Pa. ....     | 2 | 3 | 48.6 |
| Cyril Enders, Pa. ....   | 2 | 3 | 44.4 |
| George Combs, Pa. ....   | 0 | 5 | 42.0 |

### CLASS F

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Ross Hitchcock, Ohio ..... | 5 | 0 | 42.8 |
| Jim Scheck, Pa. ....       | 4 | 1 | 43.3 |
| Raymond Henry, Pa. ....    | 2 | 2 | 40.0 |
| Pete Vlachos, Pa. ....     | 2 | 3 | 39.5 |
| Nick Skorich, Pa. ....     | 1 | 4 | 28.9 |
| Earl Winsper, Ohio .....   | 0 | 5 | 23.0 |

### CLASS G

|                            | W | L | %    |                           | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|---------------------------|---|---|------|
| Albert Stahlbock, Pa. .... | 5 | 0 | 37.5 | S. L. Rathbun, N. Y. .... | 2 | 3 | 30.3 |
| Mike Churley, Pa. ....     | 4 | 1 | 32.0 | Ted Corbett, Pa. ....     | 1 | 4 | 27.0 |
| Clarence Black, Pa. ....   | 3 | 2 | 30.1 | William Smith, Ohio ..... | 0 | 5 | 15.4 |

The largest crowd to watch a Horseshoe Tourney at Vanport Courts to see Oscar Enge in a play-off win the Vanport Open over Howard Shriver of Wadestown, West Virginia.

## Southern California — Oxnard Open

### CLASS "C" OPEN

|                                 | W | L |                                  | W | L |
|---------------------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|---|---|
| Jim Weeks, Norwalk .....        | 7 | 0 | Ernie Knorp, Goleta .....        | 7 | 0 |
| Joe Dawsey, Oxnard .....        | 6 | 1 | Leo Dooley, Long Beach .....     | 6 | 1 |
| Ronnie Simmons, South Gate .... | 5 | 2 | Wally Shipley, San Gabriel ..... | 5 | 2 |
| Jesse Gonzales, San Luis Obispo | 4 | 3 | Will Charmow, Santa Barbara ..   | 4 | 3 |
| Lee Rusch, Oxnard .....         | 4 | 3 | Harold Slagg, Ontario .....      | 3 | 4 |
| Fred Percy, La Habra .....      | 2 | 5 | Larry Ackerman, Santa Barbara    | 2 | 5 |
| Pat Brady, Torrance .....       | 1 | 6 | Paul Charmow, Santa Barbara      | 1 | 6 |
| Ed McFarland, Sepulveda .....   | 0 | 7 | Salvador Ybarra, Santa Barbara   | 0 | 7 |

## Eau Claire, Wisconsin Club To Hold Open Meet, August 26-27

The Eau Claire, Wisconsin club will stage an Open tournament on Saturday and Sunday, August 26 and 27, on the newly completed 12-court layout in Carson park in Eau Claire, Wisconsin. A most cordial invitation is extended to all pitchers to come and compete on the new courts. For further details, write to Tilmer Rustad, Rte No. 1, Eau Claire, Wisconsin 54701.

# CARLING'S OPEN DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

City of Hull, Prov. of Quebec, Canada

July 22 and 23, 1967

**Place** — St. Jean Park — corner of Labelle St. and Laramée St.

**Time** — Entries will be accepted between 10 a.m. and 12 noon each day.

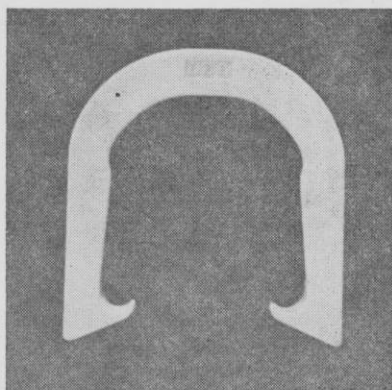
**Fee** — \$1.50 or \$2.00 (not finalized) per person. 1967 membership cards not required.

**Conduct of Tournament** — Round robin in groups of 12 teams. The top two or three teams in each group (depending on the number of groups) will meet in a final round robin event starting late afternoon or early evening on Sunday 23 July 67.

**Prizes** — Winning team—\$250 with trophies  
 Runner up team — \$100 with trophies  
 Other finalists will share prizes of \$150 or more.

For further information write: Mr. Andre Lacroix, 27 Labelle St., Hull, P.Q. Canada.

**Note:** Hull, Quebec, is located across the Ottawa River from Canada's Capital City — Ottawa. These cities are approximately 120 miles from the World's Fair at XPO 67, Montreal, P.Q., Canada. All horseshoe players from Canada and the United States who may be visiting EXPO 67 and Ottawa during these dates and would like to stretch their travel weary legs on the horseshoe courts are extended a hearty welcome to enter this tournament.



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## Paul Focht Wins Spring Open at Ostrander, Ohio

One of the most select group of Class A pitchers participated in the spring open tourney at Ostrander, Ohio. In this group was Paul Focht, Dayton, Ohio, a former World's Champion and also State of Ohio Champion. Also in the Class A group was Stan Manker of Martinsville, Ohio and Glenn Riffle of Dayton, Ohio, both former State of Ohio Champions. Focht's only loss was to Glenn Riffle. Focht also won the high qualifier trophy at 85% with 271 points. Longest game in the Class A event was between Stan Manker and Jim Knisley, going 124 shoes with Manker pitching 75.0% for 50 points to Knisley's 74.2% for 49 points. Highest percentage game was pitched by Paul Focht at 88.1% over Bob Redding.

### CLASS A

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| P. Focht .....   | 6 | 1 | 80.2 |
| C. Young .....   | 5 | 2 | 75.7 |
| S. Manker .....  | 5 | 2 | 75.0 |
| G. Riffle .....  | 4 | 3 | 75.5 |
| J. Knisley ..... | 3 | 4 | 73.4 |
| H. Anthony ..... | 2 | 5 | 71.4 |
| W. Kabel .....   | 2 | 5 | 70.5 |
| B. Redding ..... | 1 | 6 | 64.7 |

### CLASS B

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| D. Roberts ..... | 5 | 0 | 66.4 |
| G. Roberts ..... | 4 | 1 | 63.6 |
| C. Johnson ..... | 3 | 2 | 62.5 |
| K. Dawes .....   | 2 | 3 | 60.1 |
| L. Rose .....    | 1 | 4 | 56.7 |
| J. DeWeese ..... | 0 | 5 | 57.6 |

### CLASS C

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| R. Miller .....  | 7 | 0 | 62.1 |
| D. Knotts .....  | 4 | 3 | 56.0 |
| M. Gardner ..... | 4 | 3 | 55.8 |
| T. Harris .....  | 4 | 3 | 55.5 |
| T. Boesch .....  | 3 | 4 | 51.2 |
| R. Bennett ..... | 3 | 4 | 50.2 |
| M. Kalb .....    | 2 | 5 | 49.4 |
| J. Boesch .....  | 1 | 6 | 49.3 |

### CLASS D

|                     | W | L | %    |
|---------------------|---|---|------|
| H. McPhearson ..... | 6 | 1 | 52.5 |
| H. Witter .....     | 5 | 2 | 49.0 |
| C. Brickles .....   | 5 | 2 | 46.9 |
| I. Merriman .....   | 4 | 3 | 47.7 |
| C. Long .....       | 4 | 3 | 40.7 |
| R. Garrett .....    | 2 | 5 | 36.3 |
| F. Park .....       | 1 | 6 | 30.4 |
| J. Turner .....     | 1 | 6 | 29.6 |

### CLASS E

|                  | W       | L | %    |
|------------------|---------|---|------|
| J. Wilkes .....  | 5       | 2 | 47.4 |
| C. Hannah .....  | 5       | 2 | 53.1 |
| R. VonDach ..... | 4       | 3 | 54.0 |
| G. Hoddy .....   | 4       | 3 | 52.3 |
| L. Mathews ..... | 4       | 3 | 45.6 |
| S. Conley .....  | 3       | 4 | 48.1 |
| N. Hageman ..... | 3       | 4 | 46.8 |
| B. Jones .....   | Forfeit |   |      |

### CLASS F

|                   | W | L | %    |
|-------------------|---|---|------|
| S. Kalb .....     | 7 | 0 | 60.3 |
| F. Sumpter .....  | 5 | 2 | 47.4 |
| D. Peterson ..... | 4 | 3 | 48.1 |
| J. Hodges .....   | 4 | 3 | 47.2 |
| L. Miller .....   | 3 | 4 | 43.6 |
| G. Mitchell ..... | 2 | 5 | 34.9 |
| P. Beach .....    | 2 | 5 | 32.7 |
| L. Eichler .....  | 1 | 6 | 30.1 |

### CLASS G

|                    | W | L | %    |
|--------------------|---|---|------|
| J. Hodges .....    | 6 | 1 | 45.3 |
| B. Horner .....    | 6 | 1 | 41.5 |
| E. Lomax .....     | 5 | 2 | 47.0 |
| B. Dougherty ..... | 5 | 2 | 46.2 |
| O. Reno .....      | 3 | 4 | 37.5 |
| J. Dunkerly .....  | 2 | 5 | 35.2 |
| D. Stewart .....   | 1 | 6 | 32.1 |
| J. Howell .....    | 0 | 7 | 27.9 |

### CLASS H

|                    | W | L | %    |
|--------------------|---|---|------|
| F. Boerner .....   | 4 | 1 | 36.2 |
| D. Baldwin .....   | 3 | 2 | 37.4 |
| J. Clevenger ..... | 3 | 2 | 30.7 |
| H. Patrick .....   | 3 | 2 | 29.7 |
| H. Reed .....      | 2 | 3 | 23.2 |
| L. King .....      | 0 | 5 | 22.5 |

### CLASS I

|                    | W | L | %    |
|--------------------|---|---|------|
| C. Noland .....    | 4 | 1 | 33.1 |
| D. Clevenger ..... | 4 | 1 | 36.5 |
| R. Morse .....     | 3 | 2 | 31.8 |
| C. Robinson .....  | 3 | 2 | 30.4 |
| R. Cooper .....    | 1 | 4 | 25.5 |
| R. Larcom .....    | 0 | 5 | 09.0 |

### CLASS J

|                  | W       | L | %    |
|------------------|---------|---|------|
| E. Horn .....    | 5       | 0 | 43.5 |
| D. Larcom .....  | 3       | 2 | 31.7 |
| E. Redding ..... | 3       | 2 | 29.4 |
| H. Noland .....  | 3       | 2 | 23.7 |
| C. Hagar .....   | 1       | 4 | 17.6 |
| Thatcher .....   | Forfeit |   |      |

## Hibbing, Minnesota Open Tournament — July 22-23

**QUALIFICATIONS:** From July 10-22, 11 a.m. Open to all. A player must pitch 100 shoes to qualify. A player may qualify up to 3 times, no more. The cost is \$1.75 for first 100 shoes, \$1.00 for additional 100 shoes. The highest score must be used. A player may qualify at his home courts.

**FINALISTS:** Must pay \$3.00 more to compete in tournament.

**PLAYING SCHEDULE:** Saturday morning — July 22, 11 a.m., Qualifications close. Class A, 6 games. Class B, 6 games.

Saturday evening — July 22, 5 p.m., Class C, 7 games. Class D, 7 games. Class E, 7 games.

Sunday morning — July 23, 10 a.m., Class A, 5 games. 10 a.m., Class B, 5 games.

**RESERVATIONS:** CHARLIE STRAFACCIA, PRESIDENT, MINNESOTA STATE HORSESHOE PITCHERS ASSOCIATION, 2620 SIXTH AVENUE EAST, HIBBING, MINNESOTA 55746.

## Monasmith Wins Portland Ore. Rose Festival Tournament

The Annual Portland Rose Festival Tournament was held June 10 and 11, in Portland, Oregon, under cloudy but rainless skies and about 72 degrees. Forty-eight pitchers took part. Many travelled from Washington to make up an excellent field. The highlight of the tournament was the last game in which John Monasmith, former world's champion, of Yakima, Washington, who has attended this tournament the last 19 years, duelled Bob West of McMinnville, Oregon, and the present Oregon State Champ, for 126 shoes before John Came out on top 50-43. John pitched 81.7% and Bob 77%. However, Bob had the highest single game percentage when he reached 97%, missing only one shoe.

### CLASS A

|                             | W  | L  | %    |
|-----------------------------|----|----|------|
| Monasmith, Yakima .....     | 11 | 0  | 81.7 |
| West, McMinnville .....     | 9  | 2  | 80.9 |
| Reedy, Lyndon .....         | 8  | 3  | 64.5 |
| Hill, Portland .....        | 7  | 4  | 69.3 |
| Davis, Creswell .....       | 7  | 4  | 67.3 |
| Peterson, Portland .....    | 6  | 5  | 66.5 |
| Pidde, Seattle .....        | 6  | 5  | 64.1 |
| Winetrout, Lummie I. ....   | 4  | 7  | 65.2 |
| Miller, Portland .....      | 4  | 7  | 61.6 |
| C. Chapelle, Portland ..... | 3  | 8  | 61.9 |
| Foss, Tacoma .....          | 1  | 10 | 57.1 |
| VanEgdom, Lyndon .....      | 0  | 11 | 45.6 |

### CLASS B

|                             | W | L | %       |
|-----------------------------|---|---|---------|
| Zumaran, Portland .....     | 9 | 0 | 57.0    |
| Matteson, Bremerton .....   | 8 | 1 | 48.6    |
| Leggett, Roseburg .....     | 6 | 3 | 57.5    |
| Alexander, Vancouver .....  | 6 | 3 | 50.2    |
| B. Chapelle, Portland ..... | 5 | 4 | 51.8    |
| Hulshof, Portland .....     | 5 | 4 | 45.7    |
| Hagy, Las Vegas .....       | 3 | 6 | 39.0    |
| Tysver, Bremerton .....     | 2 | 7 | 30.8    |
| Wagner, Portland .....      |   |   | Forfeit |
| Shaumberg, Portland .....   |   |   | Forfeit |

### CLASS C

|                              | W | L | %    |
|------------------------------|---|---|------|
| Robertson, Portland .....    | 5 | 0 | 41.1 |
| Christiansen, Hillsboro .... | 4 | 1 | 45.4 |
| Kosterman, Vancouver ....    | 2 | 3 | 35.5 |
| Kraus, Portland .....        | 2 | 3 | 32.7 |
| Weller, Portland .....       | 1 | 4 | 32.1 |
| Karlbom, Hillsboro .....     | 1 | 4 | 28.9 |

### CLASS D

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Swartwood, Hillsboro ..... | 3 | 2 | 31.5 |
| Katafias, Vancouver .....  | 3 | 2 | 31.1 |
| Cameron, Portland .....    | 3 | 2 | 24.1 |
| Bionda, Portland .....     | 2 | 3 | 27.4 |
| Envoldson, Vernonia .....  | 2 | 3 | 25.9 |
| Prill, Vancouver .....     | 2 | 3 | 23.0 |

### CLASS E

|                             | W | L | %       |
|-----------------------------|---|---|---------|
| Wilson, Portland .....      | 5 | 1 | 26.1    |
| Anderson, Vancouver .....   | 5 | 1 | 22.7    |
| Stafford, Hillsboro .....   | 4 | 2 | 27.7    |
| Mosher, Portland .....      | 2 | 4 | 30.0    |
| Dowe, Salem .....           | 2 | 4 | 27.1    |
| O. Envoldsen, Vernonia .... | 1 | 4 | 22.7    |
| P. Hall, Portland .....     |   |   | Forfeit |

### WOMEN

|                           | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------|---|---|------|
| Frye, Salem .....         | 5 | 0 | 20   |
| Dowe, Salem .....         | 4 | 1 | 15.6 |
| Hahn, Portland .....      | 3 | 2 | 11.6 |
| W. Van Egdom, Lyndon ..   | 2 | 3 | 9.9  |
| A. Van Egdom, Lyndon .... | 1 | 4 | 5.2  |
| Robertson, Portland ..... | 0 | 5 | 3.9  |

## Indiana State Horseshoe Association 1967 Tournament Schedule

**JULY 15-16; MIDWEST "RINGER ROUND UP"** at Dyke Cowell's Courts, Weston, Mich. Open to all — Juniors and Women Tournaments also. Deadline for entries — Monday, July 10. Entry fee \$5.00. No entry fee for Juniors, Women's entry fee \$3.00. Send entries to NHPA Secretary Bob Pence, 341 Polk St., Gary, Ind.

**JULY 22-23; CENTRAL INDIANA** (open to all Indiana players) At Fairview Park, Anderson, Ind. Deadline for entries — Monday, July 17. Entry fee \$3.00. Send entries to Earle Wilmore, 1350 Dearborn St., Gary, Ind.

**AUGUST 12-13; HIGHLAND PARK OPEN** at Highland Park, Kokomo, Ind. Deadline for entries — Friday, Aug. 4. Entry fee \$3.00. Send entries to Hazel Shuck, Rt. #2, Sharpsville, Ind.

**AUGUST 19-20; SOUTHERN INDIANA** (open to all Indiana players) at Fairgrounds, Franklin, Ind. Deadline for entries — Monday, August 14. Entry fee \$3.00. Send entries to Earle Wilmore, 1350 Dearborn St., Gary, Ind.

**AUGUST 26-27; INDIANA FAMILY DAY EVENTS** at Fairview Park, Anderson, Ind. Seniors, Lefthanders, Father-Son, Husband-Wife, other special events. No deadline for entries. Details will be announced later.

**SEPT. 2-3-4; INDIANA STATE TOURNAMENT** at Dornier Park, Frankfort, Ind. Deadline for entries — Monday, August 28. Entry \$5.00. Some portions of this tournament may be played at Highland Park, Kokomo. Send entries to Earle Wilmore, 1350 Dearborn St., Gary, Ind.

**SEPT. 16-17; INDIANA-OHIO OPEN** at Heekin Park, Muncie. Deadline for entries — Monday, Sept. 11. Entry fee \$5.00. Send entries to Earle Wilmore, 1350 Dearborn St., Gary, Ind.

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## Paul Focht Wins Greenville Open

Paul Focht of Dayton, Ohio, won the Greenville, Open, the annual spring warm-up tournament sponsored by the Darke County Horseshoe Club. Focht defeated Glen Riffle, also from Dayton, in a playoff game, after the two were tied following regulation play. Stan Manker, winner of the tournament the past two years, slipped to 6th in a field of 8.

On his way to the title Focht threw 79.1% ringers, with high games of 91 and 87%. In all there were 11 games with ringer percentages of 80% or higher. These included games of 83.3% by Berdine Scholl of Greenville and 81.5% by Gary Roberts of Lucasville, Ohio, winners of Class B and Class C titles respectively.

### CLASS A

|                           | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------|---|---|------|
| Paul Focht, Ohio .....    | 6 | 1 | 79.1 |
| Glen Riffle, Ohio .....   | 6 | 1 | 73.7 |
| Wilbur Kabel, Ohio .....  | 5 | 3 | 76.1 |
| Harold Anthony, Ohio .... | 5 | 3 | 75.7 |
| Dick Carpenter, Ind. .... | 2 | 5 | 71.9 |
| Stan Manker, Ohio .....   | 2 | 5 | 70.6 |
| Jim Knisley, Ohio .....   | 2 | 5 | 69.2 |
| Bob Thornburg, Ind. ....  | 0 | 7 | 64.4 |

### CLASS C

|                              | W | L | %    |
|------------------------------|---|---|------|
| Gary Roberts, Ohio .....     | 7 | 0 | 67.9 |
| Ray Miller, Ohio .....       | 6 | 1 | 62.6 |
| Ray Pitcher, Ind. ....       | 4 | 3 | 56.8 |
| Ancil Copeland, Ohio .....   | 3 | 4 | 59.5 |
| Don Knotts, Ohio .....       | 3 | 4 | 52.7 |
| Alidor VandePitte, Ohio .... | 2 | 5 | 48.8 |
| Robert Hoff, Ohio .....      | 2 | 5 | 34.4 |
| Robert Colville, Ohio .....  | 1 | 6 | 48.9 |

### CLASS E

|                           | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------|---|---|------|
| Tony Boesch, Ohio .....   | 5 | 0 | 56.3 |
| Harold McPhearson, Ky. .. | 3 | 2 | 49.6 |
| Frank Sumpter, Ohio ..... | 3 | 2 | 49.3 |
| Eugene Bussard, Ind. .... | 2 | 3 | 48.6 |
| John Napier, Ohio .....   | 2 | 3 | 43.3 |
| Harold Hudson, Ind. ....  | 0 | 5 | 35.3 |

### CLASS G

|                            | W       | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---------|---|------|
| Rollin Futrell, Ohio ..... | 4       | 1 | 38.6 |
| Jack Slamer, Ohio .....    | 3       | 2 | 43.8 |
| Ray Wood, Ohio .....       | 3       | 2 | 38.3 |
| Lloyd Anthony, Ohio .....  | 3       | 2 | 36.8 |
| Robert Chappel, Ohio ..... | 2       | 3 | 32.7 |
| Marvin McCollum, Ind. .... | Forfeit |   |      |

### CLASS B

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Berdine Scholl, Ohio ..... | 5 | 2 | 67.7 |
| Donnie Roberts, Ohio ..... | 5 | 2 | 68.7 |
| Lee Bennett, Ohio .....    | 4 | 3 | 66.5 |
| Lonnie Mullens, Ind. ....  | 4 | 3 | 66.0 |
| Ben Shores, Ind. ....      | 4 | 3 | 62.1 |
| Joe Pillion, Ohio .....    | 3 | 4 | 63.9 |
| Fred Collins, Ohio .....   | 2 | 5 | 61.0 |
| Lee Jacobs, Mich. ....     | 1 | 6 | 59.1 |

### CLASS D

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Ed Custer, Ohio .....      | 6 | 1 | 56.7 |
| Kenneth Kugler, Ohio ..... | 5 | 2 | 54.9 |
| Oscar Crider, Ohio .....   | 5 | 2 | 52.2 |
| Mike Gardner, Ohio .....   | 4 | 3 | 48.4 |
| Herman May, Ohio .....     | 3 | 4 | 45.5 |
| Lester Peary, Fla. ....    | 2 | 5 | 53.1 |
| Bob Detrick, Ohio .....    | 2 | 5 | 45.9 |
| George Stifel, Ohio .....  | 1 | 6 | 43.8 |

### CLASS F

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Marvin Chrisman, Ind. .... | 5 | 0 | 49.3 |
| Carl Long, Ohio .....      | 3 | 2 | 42.7 |
| Louie Dexter, Ohio .....   | 2 | 3 | 41.5 |
| Glen Gibbons, Ohio .....   | 2 | 3 | 40.1 |
| Norman Hageman, Ohio ..    | 2 | 3 | 38.0 |
| Bert Lykens, Ind. ....     | 1 | 4 | 32.6 |

### CLASS H

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| William Robinette, Ohio .. | 4 | 1 | 31.4 |
| Dick Imhoff, Ohio .....    | 3 | 2 | 28.6 |
| Carl Baumgardner, Ohio ..  | 3 | 2 | 25.0 |
| George Neff, Ohio .....    | 3 | 2 | 23.4 |
| Mike Walker, Ohio .....    | 2 | 3 | 28.8 |
| Jim Lane, Ohio .....       | 0 | 5 | 17.7 |

## Midwest "Ringer Round-Up" — July 15-16.

The 1967 Midwest "Ringer Round Up" will be held July 15-16 on the Dyke Cowell courts in Weston, Michigan. These are a deluxe set of 22 courts, the largest setup anywhere in the country on private grounds. The deadline for entries is Monday, July 10th. Send entries to NHPA Secretary, Bob Pence, 341 Polk, Gary, Indiana.

There will be no qualifying — entrants will be placed in classes on the basis of their current record and notified by mail of the time they are scheduled to play. Players without a current record can send in a 100 shoe qualifying score with their entry. There will be a Junior division and a Women's division

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All tournament action—including results, features and special column material—will be covered by Will Gullickson, assistant sports editor of The Forum, World Tournament coordinator and 2nd vice president of the NHPA. A long-time pitcher himself, Gullickson is an authority on the game and will give first class coverage.

## MAINE-(ly) HORSESHOES

By BILL HOOD

The Lewiston and Auburn Horseshoe Club sponsored the first Tournament of the season at Marcotte Park in Lewiston on June 4th. This Spring Round-Up Tourney drew 64 participants representing most parts of Maine. In Class A, Albert Lord of Mechanic Falls defeated Paul Tobey, Kittery, a former Maine State Champion in a play-off match for top honors. Porter Clark of Auburn, another former champion, finished third.

Play-offs also were required in Classes B, E, F. and G, with the latter being a four-man round-robin affair. The only undefeated players were Rene Sirois, the 1966 New England Junior Champion, pitching in Class C; A. Roux of Sanford in Class D, and Claude Hewett of Winthrop in Class H. Roger Bolduc, State Association President, served as director of this highly successful Tournament.

The L & A Club will sponsor the "Maine Open" in Lewiston on July 29-30. The State Tourney will also take place in Lewiston during mid-August.

### CLASS A

|                     | W | L | %    |
|---------------------|---|---|------|
| Al Lord .....       | 6 | 1 | 58.3 |
| Paul Tobey .....    | 6 | 1 | 58.4 |
| P. Clark .....      | 5 | 2 | 56.6 |
| Phil Smith .....    | 3 | 4 | 47.2 |
| I. Cushman .....    | 3 | 4 | 45.6 |
| C. Simmons .....    | 2 | 5 | 49.0 |
| R. Boudreault ..... | 2 | 5 | 46.3 |
| Rog Bolduc .....    | 1 | 6 | 38.0 |

### CLASS C

|                   | W | L | %    |
|-------------------|---|---|------|
| Rene Sirois ..... | 7 | 0 | 57.6 |
| Ken Martin .....  | 6 | 1 | 39.4 |
| Norm Bailey ..... | 5 | 2 | 39.5 |
| Bob Sirois .....  | 4 | 3 | 42.2 |
| G. Bonnevie ..... | 3 | 4 | 35.1 |
| A. Puia .....     | 2 | 5 | 32.2 |
| Stan Allen .....  | 1 | 6 | 32.2 |
| F. McDonald ..... | 0 | 7 | 26.5 |

### CLASS B

|                    | W | L | %    |
|--------------------|---|---|------|
| Lee Cameron .....  | 6 | 1 | 56.9 |
| Joe Johnson .....  | 6 | 1 | 48.5 |
| Ray Roux .....     | 4 | 3 | 45.6 |
| R. Whitemore ..... | 3 | 4 | 42.8 |
| Pat Gallant .....  | 3 | 4 | 41.5 |
| M. Courtois .....  | 3 | 4 | 40.6 |
| Ike Davis .....    | 3 | 4 | 37.2 |
| Harry Reid .....   | 0 | 7 | 26.0 |

### CLASS D

|                    | W | L | %    |
|--------------------|---|---|------|
| A. Roux .....      | 7 | 0 | 42.1 |
| Dom Pepin .....    | 5 | 2 | 38.3 |
| Rene Doyon .....   | 5 | 2 | 37.0 |
| Ed Roux .....      | 4 | 3 | 36.5 |
| R. Poulin .....    | 4 | 3 | 33.0 |
| S. Cielinski ..... | 2 | 5 | 28.2 |
| C. Hewett .....    | 1 | 6 | 24.5 |
| W. Wright .....    | 0 | 7 | 19.2 |

**Maine Spring Round-Up — (Continued)****CLASS E**

|                    | W | L | %    |
|--------------------|---|---|------|
| R. Tardiff .....   | 6 | 1 | 43.4 |
| Phil Johnson ..... | 6 | 1 | 38.4 |
| Jim Smith .....    | 4 | 3 | 39.1 |
| D. Webb .....      | 4 | 3 | 31.1 |
| Bill Hood .....    | 3 | 4 | 33.4 |
| Bob Pilot .....    | 3 | 4 | 29.8 |
| M. Thibeault ..... | 2 | 5 | 32.0 |
| Carl York .....    | 0 | 7 | 25.5 |

**CLASS G**

|                    | W | L | %    |
|--------------------|---|---|------|
| R. Griffin .....   | 5 | 2 | 25.2 |
| Roger Burns .....  | 5 | 2 | 33.7 |
| A. St. Ours .....  | 5 | 2 | 25.3 |
| K. Libbey .....    | 5 | 2 | 24.5 |
| W. Scribner .....  | 3 | 4 | 20.3 |
| B. Helwig .....    | 3 | 4 | 17.5 |
| Edgar Poulin ..... | 2 | 5 | 17.0 |
| Bryce York .....   | 0 | 7 | 10.1 |

**CLASS F**

|                      | W | L | %    |
|----------------------|---|---|------|
| Dick Brousseau ..... | 6 | 1 | 30.5 |
| Roland Moulin .....  | 6 | 1 | 31.9 |
| D. Mathieu .....     | 5 | 2 | 32.2 |
| F. Conant .....      | 5 | 2 | 29.1 |
| C. Roux .....        | 2 | 5 | 29.5 |
| W. Patenaude .....   | 2 | 5 | 22.1 |
| F. Jacques .....     | 1 | 6 | 25.4 |
| Paul Lavoie .....    | 1 | 6 | 17.0 |

**CLASS H**

|                     | W | L | %    |
|---------------------|---|---|------|
| Claude Hewett ..... | 7 | 0 | 37.1 |
| A. Ouellette .....  | 6 | 1 | 23.0 |
| Al Pepin .....      | 5 | 2 | 19.1 |
| R. Vennell .....    | 4 | 3 | 23.4 |
| L. Roux .....       | 3 | 4 | 16.8 |
| R. Pepin .....      | 2 | 5 | 19.1 |
| John Lavoie .....   | 1 | 6 | 12.6 |
| M. Morin .....      | 0 | 6 | 10.4 |

**Del Wright in Comeback to Win Northeastern Indiana****CLASS A**

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Del Wright, Col. City ..... | 5 | 0 | 66.8 |
| D. Owens, Summitville ....  | 3 | 2 | 68.6 |
| I. Rookstool, Syracuse .... | 2 | 3 | 59.0 |
| J. Hoyer, Pleasant Lake ..  | 2 | 3 | 57.1 |
| E. Grable, Michigan .....   | 2 | 3 | 55.7 |
| R. Davis, Ft. Wayne .....   | 1 | 4 | 57.1 |

**CLASS C**

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| J. Pine, Anderson .....     | 6 | 0 | 49.4 |
| Du. Wright, Col. City ..... | 5 | 1 | 45.6 |
| E. Pauley, Elkhart .....    | 4 | 2 | 42.8 |
| R. Wolfinger, Elkhart ..... | 2 | 4 | 41.1 |
| R. Grable, Co. City .....   | 2 | 4 | 40.6 |
| V. Fuller, Michigan .....   | 1 | 5 | 41.4 |
| L. Dearing, Greenfield ..   | 1 | 5 | 34.0 |

**CLASS B**

|                           | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------|---|---|------|
| D. Trindle, Elkhart ..... | 4 | 1 | 48.4 |
| R. Strang, Elkhart .....  | 3 | 2 | 47.2 |
| E. Bussard, Marion .....  | 3 | 2 | 43.4 |
| L. Fisher, Elwood .....   | 3 | 2 | 41.8 |
| R. Kimmell, Albion .....  | 1 | 4 | 36.6 |
| E. Diehm, Avilla .....    | 1 | 4 | 30.0 |

**CLASS D**

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| B. Tom, Elkhart .....      | 6 | 1 | 34.9 |
| L. Frederick, Hudson ..... | 5 | 2 | 36.0 |
| H. Garman, Auburn .....    | 4 | 2 | 33.6 |
| L. McCoy, Albion .....     | 4 | 2 | 31.5 |
| R. Lemish, Albion .....    | 2 | 4 | 34.1 |
| R. McCoy, Albion .....     | 1 | 5 | 25.3 |
| D. Replogle, Elkhart ..... | 0 | 6 | 17.3 |

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## Minot, N. D. Open Crown Goes To Gullickson

Will Gullickson took time out from promoting the World Tournament to win Class A championship honors in the first Minot Open June 18. The Moorhead, Minn., pitcher, who is coordinator of the World Tournament and second vice president of the NHPA, won six of seven games.

Willis Wiger of Fargo and Dick Neumann of Bismarck also posted 6-1 records, but had lower ringer percentages. Gullickson averaged 54.5, Wiger 54.0 and Neumann 53.9. Gullickson rallied from a 48-40 deficit with a string of doubles to deal Wiger his only loss.

The tourney was staged at beautiful Roosevelt Park, a 16-court layout. More than 100 spectators watched at times during the championship competition. Three members of the Newman family of Minot played in Class D. Ron took second with 6-1, Bob was 3-4 and Ken 2-5. Ken, president of the Minot League, is father of Bob, 19, and Ron, 16. Gullickson was the tourney's top qualifier with 235 points and 69 ringers.

### CLASS A

|                                 | W | L |
|---------------------------------|---|---|
| Will Gullickson, Moorhead ..... | 6 | 1 |
| Willis Wiger, Fargo .....       | 6 | 1 |
| Dick Neumann, Bismarck .....    | 6 | 1 |
| Marc Schneider, Bismarck .....  | 4 | 3 |
| Harris Sundet, Maddock .....    | 2 | 5 |
| Arnie Smedsrud, Minot .....     | 2 | 5 |
| Hank Wisness, Fargo .....       | 1 | 6 |
| Dan Schneider, Bismarck .....   | 1 | 6 |

### CLASS B

|                                  | W | L |
|----------------------------------|---|---|
| Reidar Haakenson, Hillsboro .... | 7 | 0 |
| Kermit Nestegard, Minot .....    | 5 | 2 |
| Jim Wagner, Minot .....          | 5 | 2 |
| Orville Vinnard, Maddock .....   | 4 | 3 |
| Helmer Jallen, Fargo .....       | 3 | 4 |
| Ken Wisness, Maddock .....       | 2 | 5 |
| Frank Ihle, Minot .....          | 1 | 6 |
| Casper Storseth, Minot .....     | 1 | 6 |

CLASS C — Walter Manz, Minot, 5-2; John Molberg, Bottineau, 4-3; Milford Gronneberg, Hannaford, 4-3.

CLASS D — Warren Hervey, Minot; Ron Newman, Minot, 6-1; Wilbert Ihli, Minot, 3-4.

## Pinch "Pinches" Five To Win June Open At New Castle, Pa.

Herb Pinch of Sharon, Pa., won the Class A championship of the annual June Open tournament held at the George Washington courts, New Castle, Pa., over the weekend under the sponsorship of the New Castle Horseshoe Club. At the end of regular play, Pinch and Frank Peluso of New Brighton, Pa., were tied with 4 wins and one loss apiece, with Pinch winning the deciding game.

### CLASS A

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Herb Pinch, Sharon, Pa. ... | 5 | 1 | 67.7 |
| Frank Peluso, N. Brighton   | 4 | 2 | 58.5 |
| Clair Bruce, N. Wilmington  | 3 | 2 | 58.5 |
| Carl Elder, N. Wilmington   | 3 | 2 | 54.2 |
| Merle Brightshue, N. Castl  | 1 | 4 | 53.8 |
| Bob Morris, New Castle ..   | 0 | 5 | 51.1 |

### CLASS AA

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Ed. Blum, Darlington ..... | 3 | 0 | 46.7 |
| Wayne Richards, Monaca     | 2 | 1 | 43.2 |
| Chuck Milliren, Jack. Ctr. | 1 | 2 | 39.8 |
| Joe Balogh, Erie .....     | 0 | 3 | 40.2 |

### CLASS B

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Clyde Gilmore, Volant .... | 3 | 0 | 55.9 |
| Tom Board, Rochester ....  | 1 | 2 | 52.9 |
| Ed Blum, Darlington .....  | 1 | 2 | 51.1 |
| Wayne Richards, Monaca     | 1 | 2 | 46.5 |

### CLASS C

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Ross Hitchcock, Poland, O.  | 4 | 1 | 43.5 |
| Cyril Enders, Beaver .....  | 4 | 1 | 40.5 |
| Clarence Black, Beaver .... | 3 | 2 | 39.7 |
| Opal Corbett, New Castle    | 3 | 2 | 28.9 |
| Dutch Strauss, Gr. City     | 1 | 4 | 30.2 |
| Ted Corbett, New Castle     | 0 | 5 | 25.3 |

CLASS D — Nick Skorich, 1-0-25.0 and Al Stahlbock, 0-1-20.5.

## North American Horseshoe Championships, Toronto, Canada, August 17-18; \$3,000.00 Cash Prizes

All NHPA members, both in the U.S. and Canada, are urged to attend this tourney which will be held indoors in the Horse Palace at the Canadian National Exposition grounds in Toronto, Canada. Qualifying will end at 4:00 p.m., August 17.



*Pictured above are the men who recently formed the Canadian National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association. In this meeting the plans for the North American tournament were discussed. From left to right: John Newton, Ken Reeb, Frank Corbin, Jack Adams, George Holtl, Elmer Hohl, former World Champion, George Schummer, association president, Harold Leis, Bill Stevenson, Logan Cruise, Norm Black and Cal Honderick. Harold Blackman, Dean McLaughlin and R. Shreve were unable to be present when picture was taken.*

The Canadian players have reorganized with a new and energetic group of officers who are determined to make this a successful event and to promote the game in the future in co-operation with the NHPA.

Canadian Championships will be held on August 19 following the Open event the previous two days to both Canadian and U.S. players.

Top money in the North American Open will be \$400 with a total of \$3,000 while the Canadian tourney will have an additional \$1,359 in cash awards.

Housing reservations may be made in advance. Contact the President of the Canadian Horseshoe Pitchers', George Schummer, 68 Brookdale Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, who has made extensive arrangements to take care of the accommodations for all visiting horseshoe players and their families. Note: It is less than a day's drive from Toronto to Expo 67 at Montreal.

## Baker In Successful Defense of Oil Capital Open Title

David Baker won Oil Capital Open and retained his championship. He tied with Vernon Valdois with 6 wins and 1 loss, but defeated Valdois in a playoff, at Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Class B was won by Roger Branine, 14-year-old Sharpshooter from Mulvane, Kansas. Second place in B ended in a 3-way tie and was decided by ringer percentage and was won by Fanning of Missouri.

Willis Bettis of Tulsa won Class C with 9 wins and no losses. Don Renbarger of Oklahoma City won second and Jim Copenhaver of Bartlesville won third place.

### CLASS A

|                   | W | L | %    |
|-------------------|---|---|------|
| Baker, D. ....    | 6 | 1 | 71.4 |
| Valdois, V. ....  | 6 | 1 | 65.5 |
| Mogus, A. ....    | 5 | 2 | 59.3 |
| Shrum, C. ....    | 4 | 3 | 60.2 |
| Muirhead, W. .... | 3 | 4 | 50.0 |
| Elkins, J. ....   | 3 | 4 | 52.4 |
| Kahle, G. ....    | 1 | 6 | 42.4 |
| Reheis, M. ....   | 0 | 7 | 47.0 |

### CLASS B

|                  | W | L | %       |
|------------------|---|---|---------|
| Branine, R. .... | 4 | 1 | 55.0    |
| Fanning ....     | 3 | 2 | 54.0    |
| Moritz ....      | 3 | 2 | 51.0    |
| Branine, P. .... | 3 | 2 | 48.5    |
| Hyde, G. ....    | 2 | 3 | 37.0    |
| Livingood ....   |   |   | Forfeit |
| Allredge ....    |   |   | Forfeit |
| Morton ....      |   |   | Forfeit |
| Ersham ....      |   |   | Forfeit |

## World Tournament Picture Very Much In Evidence At Fargo

There's evidence everywhere of the 1967 World Horseshoe Tournament, which will be staged in Fargo, North Dakota, for the first time July 29 - Aug. 8. It hits you square in the eyes, no matter which way you look. Fargo-Moorhead's sports-minded populace is eagerly looking forward to the classic.

Here are some examples:

The brilliant red-and-white sign at the Fargo Park District's Oak Grove courts which say boldly: "On These Courts Will Be Played the 1967 World Horseshoe Tournament."

The large letters on the marquee of the Civic Memorial Auditorium in downtown Fargo, 201 4th St. N., which exclaims: "World Horseshoe Tournament in Fargo, July 29 - Aug. 8."

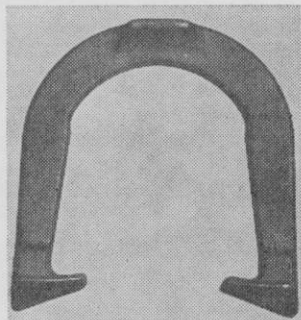
One Moorhead club — the Kiwanis — moved their regular weekly meeting to the Oak Grove courts to hold their noon picnic. More than 50 members turned up and 20 of them took part in a 10-shoe pitchoff which was won by Fred Ogren. President Don Pederson joined in with the members in the pitch-off and said all enjoyed the experience immensely.

Results of many of the leading open tournaments have been carried in The Forum, Fargo-Moorhead's daily newspaper. The TV and radio stations are planning intense coverage during the World Tournament.

Several special events are planned during and immediately following the tournament. The Fargo Moose Lodge 1410, located on Broadway in downtown Fargo, will stage a party for horseshoe officials and players Friday night, August 4. Marv Mickelson, manager of the club, invites tournament-goers to stop by the lodge during the classic.

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## Southwestern Ohio District Tournament — Sept. 8-9-10

Southwestern Ohio District Horseshoe Tournament will be held at FRANKLIN, OHIO, at the Franklin Miami Valley Horseshoe Club Courts, the Franklin Community Park on Route 123 southeast of Franklin, Ohio, one mile west from I-75, on September 8-9-10, 1967. Qualifying Friday night 6:00 to 9:30; Saturday till 12:00 Noon. 100 shoe Total points. All games round robin, and 50 point cancellation. This district includes the following counties: Adam, Brown, Butler, Champaign, Clarke, Clinton, Clermont, Darke, Fayette, Greene, Highland, Hamilton Logan, Miami, Montgomery, Preble, Shelby, and Warren. This is a sanctioned tournament, and Wilbur Kabel from Darke County, is defending champion.

### Places To See While at World Tournament

Minnesota's famed resort area is located only a short distance from Fargo-Moorhead, World Horseshoe Tournament site.

Nearest resort area is Detroit Lakes, located 45 miles east of Fargo-Moorhead on U.S. Highway 10, a double-lane highway. There are 412 lakes within 25 miles, largest being Detroit, Sallie, Melissa and Big Cormorant.

Widely-known as a fishing paradise, the Minnesota lakes areas also are known for their other sports attractions such as golf courses, water carnivals, skeet shooting and baseball.

Brainerd, Park Rapids, Bemidji and Alexandria are three of the other excellent resort areas. Fergus Falls and Perham also are high on the list.

Itasca State Park, 32,000 acres of Virgin Pines and Spruce, is located north of Park Rapids and is the site of the mouth of the Mississippi River.

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## Southern California — San Diego Open

|                                   | W | L | R   | SP  | %    |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|-----|-----|------|
| Ronnie Simmons, South Gate .....  | 6 | 1 | 364 | 494 | 73.6 |
| Jim Weeks, Norwalk .....          | 5 | 2 | 395 | 528 | 74.8 |
| John Walker, Chula Vista .....    | 5 | 2 | 395 | 534 | 73.9 |
| Joe Dawsey, Oxnard .....          | 5 | 2 | 360 | 492 | 73.1 |
| John Snyder, Chula Vista .....    | 4 | 3 | 355 | 504 | 70.4 |
| Pat Brady, Torrance .....         | 2 | 5 | 273 | 446 | 61.4 |
| Terry Earley, Redondo Beach ..... | 1 | 6 | 217 | 402 | 53.7 |
| Gunnar Hansen, Baldwin Park ..... | 0 | 7 | 203 | 372 | 54.5 |

## San Diego "D" Open

|                               | W | L | R   | SP  | %    |
|-------------------------------|---|---|-----|-----|------|
| Willis Sims, Long Beach ..... | 5 | 0 | 118 | 254 | 46.4 |
| Leo Dooley, Long Beach .....  | 4 | 1 | 108 | 314 | 34.3 |
| Eldon Carrier, Downey .....   | 3 | 2 | 114 | 314 | 36.3 |
| Larry Ford, San Diego .....   | 2 | 3 | 91  | 272 | 33.4 |
| Harold Slagg, Ontario .....   | 1 | 4 | 91  | 312 | 29.1 |
| Larry Wiley, San Diego .....  | 0 | 5 | 23  | 206 | 11.1 |

## Southern California — South Gate "G" Open

### GROUP ONE

|                                      | W | L | R   | SP  | %    |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|-----|-----|------|
| Russ Erickson, Valinda .....         | 5 | 0 | 109 | 302 | 36.0 |
| Lloyd Whitrock, San Bernardino ..... | 3 | 2 | 82  | 272 | 30.1 |
| Harry Morin, San Bernardino .....    | 3 | 2 | 78  | 290 | 26.8 |
| Mel Lingenfelter, Canoga Park .....  | 2 | 3 | 94  | 316 | 29.7 |
| Jerry Hofer, Baldwin Park .....      | 2 | 3 | 94  | 334 | 28.1 |
| Sut Oesterick, Glendora .....        | 0 | 5 | 74  | 348 | 21.3 |

### GROUP TWO

|                                     | W | L | R   | SP  | %    |
|-------------------------------------|---|---|-----|-----|------|
| Ernest Erickson, Downey .....       | 5 | 0 | 110 | 356 | 30.9 |
| Sam Haigh, Loma Linda .....         | 4 | 1 | 104 | 288 | 36.1 |
| Ken Mapes, Fullerton .....          | 3 | 2 | 94  | 294 | 32.9 |
| Joe Holder, Downey .....            | 2 | 3 | 74  | 338 | 21.8 |
| Virgil Dickey, San Bernardino ..... | 1 | 4 | 81  | 342 | 20.7 |
| Larry Wiley, San Diego .....        | 0 | 5 | 40  | 278 | 14.3 |

### PLAYOFF

|                                      | W | L | R  | SP  | %    |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|----|-----|------|
| Russ Erickson, Valinda .....         | 3 | 0 | 72 | 202 | 35.6 |
| Sam Haigh, Loma Linda .....          | 1 | 2 | 75 | 222 | 33.7 |
| Lloyd Whitrock, San Bernardino ..... | 1 | 2 | 66 | 218 | 30.2 |
| Ernest Erickson, Downey .....        | 1 | 2 | 58 | 194 | 29.8 |

## Southern California — Fullerton "F" Open

|                                      | W | L | R   | SP  | %    |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|-----|-----|------|
| Ken Mapes, Fullerton .....           | 9 | 1 | 161 | 506 | 31.8 |
| Ray Victor, Huntington Park .....    | 8 | 2 | 163 | 496 | 32.8 |
| Russ Erickson, Valinda .....         | 7 | 2 | 162 | 496 | 32.6 |
| Louie Strauss, El Segundo .....      | 6 | 3 | 135 | 468 | 28.8 |
| Mel Lingenfelter, Canoga Park .....  | 5 | 4 | 135 | 430 | 31.3 |
| Ross Faulkner, Huntington Park ..... | 5 | 4 | 148 | 498 | 29.7 |
| Ray Faulkner, Fullerton .....        | 3 | 6 | 106 | 426 | 24.1 |
| Walter Powe, Paramount .....         | 2 | 7 | 117 | 486 | 24.0 |
| Jerry Hofer, Baldwin Park .....      | 1 | 8 | 108 | 482 | 22.4 |
| Larry Wiley, San Diego .....         | 0 | 9 | 63  | 454 | 11.6 |

**Darnold Winner of Ottumwa, Iowa Indoor Meet****CLASS A**

|                                  | W | L |
|----------------------------------|---|---|
| Harold Darnold, Burlington, Ia.  | 4 | 1 |
| Phil Robertson, Garden Gr., Ia.  | 3 | 2 |
| W. C. Vandegriff, Fairfield, Ia. | 2 | 3 |
| John Paxton, Ottumwa, Ia.        | 2 | 3 |
| Ernie Danielson, Burlington, Ia. | 2 | 3 |
| Dean Carter, Council Bluffs, Ia. | 2 | 3 |

**CLASS B**

|                               | W     | L |
|-------------------------------|-------|---|
| Paul Jensen, Monmouth, Ill.   | 4     | 1 |
| Byron Hafner, Letts, Ia.      | 3     | 2 |
| Lewis Jeter, Afton, Ia.       | 3     | 2 |
| Bernard Ricker, Afton, Ia.    | 3     | 2 |
| Charles Foxx, Ottumwa, Ia.    | 2     | 3 |
| Charley Hopkins, Ottumwa, Ia. | Forf. |   |

**CLASS C**

|                                  | W | L |
|----------------------------------|---|---|
| Madelo Blake, Letts, Ia.         | 5 | 0 |
| Ralph Ritz, Selma, Ia.           | 4 | 1 |
| Junior Waddle, Ottumwa, Ia.      | 2 | 3 |
| Andy Jackson, W. Burlington, Ia. | 2 | 3 |
| Earl Ryner, Monmouth, Ill.       | 1 | 4 |
| Cecil King, Ottumwa, Ia.         | 1 | 4 |

**CLASS D**

|                             | W     | L |
|-----------------------------|-------|---|
| Harold Paxton, Ottumwa, Ia. | 5     | 0 |
| Fred Harden, Oakville, Ia.  | 4     | 1 |
| Bill Burgess, Ottumwa, Ia.  | 3     | 2 |
| Lloyd Austin, Wapello, Ia.  | 2     | 3 |
| Jack Cook, Ottumwa, Ia.     | 1     | 4 |
| Art Reed, Creston, Ia.      | Forf. |   |

**CLASS E**

|                                | W | L |
|--------------------------------|---|---|
| Jake Davis, Col. Jct., Ia.     | 4 | 1 |
| Bob St. George, Monmouth, Ill. | 4 | 1 |
| Hollis Wainscott, Selma, Ia.   | 3 | 2 |

|                               | W | L |
|-------------------------------|---|---|
| Carl Doud, Keosauqua, Ia.     | 3 | 2 |
| Walter Killup, Monmouth, Ill. | 1 | 4 |
| Larry Waddle, Ottumwa, Ia.    | 0 | 5 |

**Ohio Pennsylvania Open Decided By Play-off****CLASS A-1**

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| P. Focht, Ohio   | 4 | 1 | 79.3 |
| H. Anthony, Ohio | 3 | 2 | 73.6 |
| H. Tuttle, Ohio  | 3 | 2 | 72.7 |
| C. Young, Ohio   | 3 | 2 | 70.7 |
| G. Roberts, Ohio | 2 | 3 | 67.4 |
| J. Pillion, Ohio | 0 | 5 | 54.3 |

**CLASS A-2**

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| J. Knisley, Ohio | 4 | 1 | 73.3 |
| S. Manker, Ohio  | 4 | 1 | 73.6 |
| R. Reading, Ohio | 3 | 2 | 67.7 |
| R. Miller, Ohio  | 3 | 2 | 67.3 |
| J. Boesch, Ohio  | 1 | 4 | 51.4 |
| T. Harris, Ohio  | 0 | 5 | 46.7 |

**PLAYOFF**

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| P. Focht, Dayton, O.        | 2 | 1 | 76.4 |
| S. Manker, Martinsville, O. | 2 | 1 | 75.2 |
| J. Knisley, Bremen, O.      | 0 | 3 | 69.4 |
| H. Anthony, Arcanum, O.     | 2 | 1 | 71.9 |

This required another play-off. H. Anthony played, S. Manker won 41 to 50. Anthony played, P. Focht, and won 31 to 50. This game was the 3rd game between Anthony & Focht. Focht won the other two games.

**CLASS B-1**

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| J. Ruskin, Pa.   | 5 | 0 | 55.3 |
| R. Bennett, Ohio | 3 | 2 | 61.4 |
| D. Knotts, Ohio  | 3 | 2 | 44.7 |
| L. Rose, Ohio    | 2 | 3 | 54.4 |
| R. VonDach, Ohio | 2 | 3 | 52.9 |
| O. Reno, Ohio    | 0 | 5 | 40.6 |

**CLASS B-2**

|                     | W | L | %    |
|---------------------|---|---|------|
| D. Roberts, Ohio    | 5 | 0 | 74.6 |
| D. Whiteman, Ohio   | 4 | 1 | 55.6 |
| M. Montgomery, Ohio | 3 | 2 | 51.3 |
| P. Swartz, Ohio     | 1 | 4 | 45.4 |
| J. Witschger, Ohio  | 1 | 4 | 42.8 |
| H. Godfrey, Ohio    | 1 | 4 | 39.7 |

**CLASS C**

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| N. Hageman, Ohio | 4 | 1 | 36.0 |
| C. Falk, Ohio    | 4 | 1 | 50.8 |
| G. Mitchel, Ohio | 2 | 3 | 42.3 |
| C. Long, Ohio    | 2 | 3 | 39.7 |
| P. Beach, Ohio   | 2 | 3 | 35.9 |
| C. Hannah, Ohio  | 1 | 4 | 38.1 |

**CLASS D**

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| H. Witter, Ohio  | 5 | 0 | 55.7 |
| L. Beach, Ohio   | 3 | 2 | 35.9 |
| H. Slyh, Ohio    | 3 | 2 | 35.0 |
| F. Park, Ohio    | 2 | 3 | 45.4 |
| R. Foltz, Ohio   | 2 | 3 | 38.4 |
| J. Schuetz, Ohio | 0 | 5 | 22.3 |

**CLASS E**

|                  | W | L | %    |
|------------------|---|---|------|
| W. Daily, Ohio   | 3 | 0 | 40.0 |
| H. Strider, Ohio | 2 | 1 | 39.6 |

|                     | W | L | %    |
|---------------------|---|---|------|
| J. Dunkerley, Ohio  | 1 | 2 | 29.6 |
| J. Howell Jr., Ohio | 0 | 3 | 23.4 |

## Jack Stout Tops Northwest Indiana Open

Stout came out on top in a play-off game with Walter Wilhoite, Indiana State President, to win the Northwest Indiana Open. B. Flaughner by taking the play-off game from V. Wray won the Class B title. The Kouts Horseshoe Club held a special feature by having an exhibition between Curt Day, World Champion, and Clarence Bellman, Northern Indiana Champion. In spite of high wind Day and Bellman put on a good display of horseshoe pitching. Bellman took two games out of three from Day by pitching 84.8% in the final game. Both pitched 211 ringers in all three games. Through the medium of radio and newspaper the match was well advertised.

### CLASS A

|                                   | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|------|
| J. Stout, Melrose Park, Ill. .... | 5 | 1 | 63.0 |
| W. Wilhoite, Lebanon .....        | 4 | 2 | 60.1 |
| R. Billingsley, Crawfordsvle ..   | 3 | 2 | 60.5 |
| P. Stetler, Attica .....          | 2 | 3 | 54.0 |
| R. Konieczny, La Porte ....       | 2 | 3 | 51.0 |
| D. Claypool, Mellott .....        | 0 | 5 | 48.8 |

### CLASS B

|                                 | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------------|---|---|------|
| B. Flaughner, Lebanon .....     | 5 | 1 | 53.9 |
| V. Wray, Valparaiso .....       | 4 | 2 | 52.7 |
| L. Thompson, Valparaiso ..      | 3 | 2 | 56.7 |
| J. Ashbaugh, Valparaiso ..      | 2 | 3 | 50.0 |
| D. Overholser, Alsip, Ill. .... | 1 | 4 | 49.7 |
| R. Claussen, Hebron .....       | 1 | 4 | 44.6 |

### CLASS C

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| G. Eaton, Catlin, Ill. .... | 4 | 1 | 38.8 |
| R. Howard, Valparaiso ....  | 3 | 2 | 47.5 |
| L. Overholser, So. Bend ..  | 3 | 2 | 43.1 |
| B. McGriff, Kouts .....     | 2 | 3 | 38.1 |
| J. Wark, Valparaiso .....   | 2 | 3 | 29.8 |
| R. McKinniss, Lafayette ..  | 1 | 4 | 34.7 |

### CLASS D

|                                | W | L | %    |
|--------------------------------|---|---|------|
| M. Pattee, Frankfort .....     | 5 | 1 | 45.3 |
| O. Stewart, Pendleton ....     | 4 | 2 | 42.1 |
| M. Gunyon, Frankfort ....      | 3 | 2 | 38.2 |
| B. Mohlke, Valparaiso .....    | 3 | 2 | 37.3 |
| V. Martin, Kouts .....         | 1 | 4 | 32.0 |
| I. Pearson, Chicago, Ill. .... | 0 | 5 | 25.4 |

### CLASS E

|                          | W | L | %    |                               | W | L | %    |
|--------------------------|---|---|------|-------------------------------|---|---|------|
| D. Hough, La Porte ..... | 5 | 0 | 47.6 | J. Hammons, Crawfordsvl. .... | 2 | 3 | 31.1 |
| M. Wallace, Kouts .....  | 3 | 2 | 33.0 | T. Eader, South Bend ....     | 2 | 3 | 27.7 |
| G. Kuk, La Porte .....   | 2 | 3 | 32.3 | R. McBride, Frankfort ....    | 1 | 4 | 27.3 |

## Annual Illinois State Meet Set For August 15-16

The annual Illinois state tournament will be held at the Illinois state fairgrounds at Springfield, Illinois, on August 15 and 16. The annual Boys' tournament will get underway on Wednesday, August 16, starting at 8 a.m.

This being an NHPA sanctioned tournament all contestants must have a state and national card for 1967. Cards will be available at the courts for all those who do not have them. Entry fee will be \$1.00 plus the NHPA card which is \$5.00. Card also includes News Digest for one year.

The 24 high qualifiers will play as in the past; that is, being divided into three groups of 8 men each, and playing a 7-game round robin on the first day and the top four out of each group playing on the second day in an 11-game round robin for the state title. The second 24 high qualifiers would be divided into groups of 6 and play a 5-game round robin immediately following completion of the first day's semi-finals. All 4 groups of the second 24 men will complete their games under lights on the evening of the first day.

All pitchers in the men's division will pitch 200 shoes taking their best 100 for placement. All entrants will be required to pay an EXHIBITOR'S FEE as in the past. This is a rule of the Illinois State Fair Board. It entitles holder to admission to the fair each day of the fair. Cash premiums will be awarded as in the past together with trophies for winners in each class including the boys.

Boys' tournament will play on Wednesday, August 16, beginning at 8 a.m. Entry fee will be \$1.00. NHPA card is not required for play. Each will pitch 50 shoes for qualifying score. Top 8 will play in the finals.

## Baker Edges Tamboer to Win Oklahoma Open Title

The longest game of the tournament was in Class A between Baker of Missouri and Tamboer of Kansas with Baker winning 52-47 on 116 shoes. Baker also had the highest ringer percentage in a game with Livengood of Oklahoma, throwing 45 ringers out of 52 shoes for a percentage of 86.5.

### CLASS A

|                            | W | L | %    |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| David Baker, Mo. ....      | 6 | 0 | 74.8 |
| Marines Tamboer, Kan. .... | 5 | 1 | 74.7 |
| W. F. Muirheid, Okla. .... | 4 | 2 | 63.3 |
| Vernon Valdois, Kan. ....  | 2 | 4 | 58.7 |
| Ted Livengood, Okla. ....  | 2 | 4 | 58.3 |
| John Elkins, Mo. ....      | 2 | 4 | 55.1 |
| Andy Mogus, Okla. ....     | 0 | 6 | 58.1 |

### CLASS B

|                             | W | L | %    |
|-----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Roger Branine, Kan. ....    | 5 | 0 | 52.9 |
| Paul Dronyk, Okla. ....     | 3 | 2 | 51.8 |
| Eddie Alldredge, Okla. .... | 3 | 2 | 49.3 |
| R. Carver, Mo. ....         | 3 | 2 | 48.8 |
| Jim Woodson, Texas ....     | 1 | 4 | 53.9 |
| Paul Branine, Kan. ....     | 0 | 5 | 47.4 |

### CLASS C

|                           | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------|---|---|------|
| Bob Belden, Okla. ....    | 5 | 1 | 40.6 |
| W. Bettes, Okla. ....     | 5 | 1 | 37.0 |
| K. C. Honn, Okla. ....    | 4 | 2 | 33.3 |
| Leonard Holey, Okla. .... | 3 | 3 | 32.0 |
| Al Belden, Okla. ....     | 3 | 3 | 30.9 |
| Guy Goddard, Okla. ....   | 1 | 5 | 22.1 |
| J. Norton, Okla. ....     | 0 | 6 | 18.8 |

### CLASS D

|                          | W | L | %    |
|--------------------------|---|---|------|
| Leon Vogt, Okla. ....    | 5 | 1 | 22.6 |
| Ben Blair, Okla. ....    | 5 | 1 | 24.8 |
| Buck Honn, Okla. ....    | 3 | 3 | 21.7 |
| Richard Honn, Okla. .... | 3 | 3 | 19.4 |
| H. Madison, Okla. ....   | 3 | 3 | 14.6 |
| Fred Vogt, Okla. ....    | 2 | 4 | 18.3 |
| Casey Honn, Okla. ....   | 0 | 6 | 13.5 |

## Joe Schilling Memorial Open Won by Curt Day

Curt Day was in rare form for the Annual Joe Schilling Memorial Open, with an 85.8% average to take the Class A title. Harry Holland, vice president of the Indiana Assn. won the play-off game from Walter Wilhoite, Indiana State President, to win Class B honors. The courts were in excellent shape due to the fine care of George Kingma and Randy McKinniss of Lafayette Horseshoe Club. Meet was played in LaFayette, Indiana.

### CLASS A

|                               | W | L | %    |
|-------------------------------|---|---|------|
| C. Day, Frankfort ....        | 7 | 0 | 85.8 |
| C. Bellman, Bremen ....       | 5 | 2 | 74.4 |
| V. Taylor, Greencastle ....   | 4 | 3 | 71.6 |
| F. Fowler, Greencastle ....   | 3 | 4 | 74.8 |
| K. Van Sant, Cayuga ....      | 3 | 4 | 73.7 |
| D. Owens, Summitville ....    | 3 | 4 | 70.1 |
| B. Taylor, Greencastle ....   | 3 | 4 | 67.2 |
| R. Rambo, Jeffersonville .... | 0 | 7 | 65.2 |

### CLASS B

|                                 | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------------|---|---|------|
| H. Holland, Indianapolis ....   | 7 | 1 | 62.6 |
| W. Wilhoite, Lebanon ....       | 6 | 2 | 65.2 |
| E. Mendenhall, Noblesville .... | 4 | 3 | 60.7 |
| P. Stetler, Attica ....         | 3 | 4 | 58.7 |
| B. Flaughner, Lebanon ....      | 3 | 4 | 53.1 |
| L. Thompson, Valparaiso ....    | 3 | 4 | 51.8 |
| R. Konieczny, La Porte ....     | 2 | 5 | 54.4 |
| M. Orr, Franklin ....           | 1 | 6 | 56.3 |

### CLASS C

|                                  | W | L | %     |
|----------------------------------|---|---|-------|
| V. Wray, Valparaiso ....         | 5 | 2 | 52.9  |
| D. Holland, Indianapolis ..      | 5 | 2 | 51.7  |
| R. Claussen, Hebron ....         | 5 | 2 | 50.0  |
| E. Bussard, Marion ....          | 4 | 3 | 48.1  |
| A. Yount, Bargersville ....      | 4 | 3 | 47.7  |
| S. Brooks, Paris, Ill. ....      | 4 | 3 | 46.8  |
| C. Estelle, Indianapolis ....    | 1 | 6 | 37.0  |
| P. Van Sickle, Indianapolis .... | 0 | 7 | Forf. |

### CLASS D

|                                 | W | L | %    |
|---------------------------------|---|---|------|
| L. Fisher, Elwood ....          | 6 | 1 | 43.7 |
| A. Oeverdorf, Brownsburg ....   | 6 | 1 | 41.3 |
| G. Eaton, Catlin, Ill. ....     | 5 | 2 | 43.7 |
| M. Gillespie, Indianapolis .... | 3 | 4 | 42.7 |
| J. Hammons, Crawfordsvl. ....   | 3 | 4 | 37.6 |
| D. Hough, La Porte ....         | 3 | 4 | 33.4 |
| G. Kuk, La Porte ....           | 2 | 5 | 31.6 |
| M. Gunyon, Frankfort ....       | 0 | 7 | 33.3 |

### CLASS E

|                           | W | L | %    |                           | W | L | %     |
|---------------------------|---|---|------|---------------------------|---|---|-------|
| M. Pattee, Frankfort .... | 5 | 0 | 45.0 | R. Grable, Columbia City  | 2 | 3 | 38.2  |
| L. Dearing, Greenfield .. | 3 | 2 | 36.3 | T. Eader, South Bend .... | 2 | 3 | 30.4  |
| W. Turner, Lafayette .... | 3 | 2 | 30.2 | D. Reeves, Lafayette .... | 0 | 5 | Forf. |

## G. Lykken in Play-Off Victory for Kindred Open Crown

Gene Lykken of Kindred, N.D., won a three-way playoff for the eighth annual Kindred Open championship held in Kindred, North Dakota.

### CLASS A

### CLASS B

|                              | W | L | %    |                            | W | L | %    |
|------------------------------|---|---|------|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Gene Lykken, Kindred ....    | 7 | 2 | 61.2 | Harvey Peterson, Havana    | 9 | 0 | 59.8 |
| Art Engebretson, Fargo ..    | 7 | 2 | 66.8 | Wally Rislov, Cooperstown  | 7 | 2 | 64.3 |
| Andy Paglarini, Hibbing      | 7 | 2 | 64.1 | Art Holter, Minneapolis    | 5 | 4 | 56.6 |
| Joe Anzaldi, St. Paul .....  | 6 | 3 | 62.7 | Quentin Olson, Enderlin .. | 5 | 4 | 53.6 |
| Curt Bestul, Eau Claire .... | 5 | 4 | 58.3 | Harry Benson, Hibbing .... | 5 | 4 | 51.7 |
| Gust Magnuson, Moorhead      | 4 | 5 | 63.1 | Augie Kiekhoefer, St. Paul | 5 | 4 | 46.9 |
| Frank Stinson, Minneapls.    | 3 | 6 | 58.8 | Willis Wiger, Fargo .....  | 3 | 6 | 52.2 |
| Lee Sharff, Jamestown ....   | 3 | 6 | 56.2 | Will Gullickson, Moorhead  | 3 | 6 | 46.6 |
| Bill Lybeck, Kindred .....   | 3 | 6 | 55.7 | Lloyd Olfert, Minneapolis  | 2 | 7 | 49.2 |
| Jim Johnson, Minneapolis     | 0 | 9 | 44.8 | Earl Hamry, Kindred .....  | 1 | 8 | 41.3 |

CLASS C — 1, Norman Kroening, Morris, Minn. (won ringer percentage trophy); 2, Ken Jevne, Eau Claire, Wis.; 3, Ray Simon, Eau Claire; 4, Henry Wisness, Fargo; 5, Reider Haakenson, Hillsboro; 6, Jacob Jacobson, Hannaford; 7, Harold McDonald, Moorhead; 8, Bob Anderson, Eau Claire; 9, Cliff Barkis, Hibbing, Minn.; 10, Herman Rensvold, Moorhead.

CLASS D — 1, Si Andrews, Montevideo, Minn.; 2, Ray Rheault, Horace (ringer trophy); 3, Helmer Jallen, Fargo; 4, Wally Arndt, Fargo; 5, Art Wentzell, Fergus Falls; 6, Albert Schmidt, Fargo; 7, Wes Myhre, Fargo; 8, Al Hendrickson, Minneapolis; 9, Sy Trottier, Fargo; 10, Howard Sander, Hannaford.

CLASS E — 1, Ted Stearns, Eau Claire; 2, Lloyd Fonken, Fergus Falls (ringer trophy); 3, Norman Liudahl, Davenport; 4, John Taylor, Kindred; 5, Erie Svenkeinde, Moorhead; 6, Oliver Jordheim, Leonard; 7, Wally Graff, Kindred; 8, Gerhart Olson, Kindred.

CLASS F — 1, Bill Kenady, Kindred; 2, Art Agre, Montevideo; 3, Joe Milton, McLeone (ringer trophy); 4, Ebert Carlson, Hannaford; 5, Robert Olson, West Fargo; 6, John Andvik, Kindred; 7, Leo Bratland, Sheldon; 8, Rodney Lee, Kindred.

CLASS G — 1, Cliff Christenson, Eau Claire (ringer trophy); 2, Dick Nellermeoe, Kindred; 3, Joe Trottier, Horace.

## Southern California — South Gate "D" Open

|                                  | W | L | R   | SP  | %    |
|----------------------------------|---|---|-----|-----|------|
| Dick Powell, Fullerton .....     | 6 | 1 | 210 | 452 | 46.4 |
| Sam Puopulo, Baldwin Park .....  | 5 | 2 | 207 | 426 | 48.5 |
| Leo Dooley, Long Beach .....     | 5 | 2 | 186 | 428 | 43.4 |
| Eldon Carrier, Downey .....      | 4 | 3 | 200 | 454 | 44.0 |
| John Stoddard, Los Angeles ..... | 4 | 3 | 219 | 504 | 43.3 |
| Ed St. Pierre, El Segundo .....  | 3 | 4 | 183 | 416 | 43.9 |
| Harold Slagg, Ontario .....      | 1 | 6 | 172 | 426 | 40.3 |
| Joe Goode, Downey .....          | 0 | 7 | 86  | 344 | 25.0 |

## Tournament Dates For Province of Quebec, Canada

Open Invitation — Doubles — St. Michel, Montreal — July 29 & 30  
 Provincial Singles Championship — Windsor Mills — August 5 & 6  
 Open — Doubles, Class A, B, C, D — Granby — August 12 & 13  
 Centennial Doubles — Hull — August 19 & 20  
 Provincial Doubles Championship — Sorel — August 27  
 Open Doubles — Gatineau — September 2, 3, 4  
 Open Doubles — St. Hyacinthe — To be announced

## Pennsylvania State Tournament, September 2-3-4

The Redmill Horseshoe Club of Washington, Pa., will hold the Pennsylvania State Horseshoe tournament during September 2, 3, and 4 at Scotty's Restaurant located approximately 2 miles south of Washington on route 18.

Qualifying will consist of submitting your highest tournament average during the 1967 season. However, if this is not available, your last tournament average, regardless of when thrown, must be used.

The tournament will consist of 64 men: Class A will be a 16-man round-robin and Classes B, C, D, E, F, G will be 8-man round-robins. Trophies will be awarded as prizes to the winner and runner-up in Class B through G and the first five places in Class A. If money can be raised, cash awards will also be given. All entries must be postmarked on or before August 22 and sent to Clyde W. Martz, 3233 Arapahoe Road, Pittsburgh, P. 15234, along with \$5.00 entry fee, 1967 NHPA card number, your highest 1967 tournament average and from what tournament, your address and phone number. (Don't forget to include your ZIP code.) Any player not able to make the competition will have his money refunded.

## Haffner Tops Page In Play-off For Northeast Iowa Crown

Byron Haffner of Letts, Iowa edged Harry Page of Waterloo, Iowa to win the Northeast Iowa title on June 4 on the Island park courts in Cedar Falls,

### CLASS A

|                                       | W | L |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| Byron Haffner, Letts, Ia. ....        | 5 | 1 |
| Harry Page, Waterloo, Ia. ....        | 4 | 2 |
| Dale Dixon, Des Moines, Ia. ....      | 3 | 2 |
| Ernie Danielson, Burlington, Ia. .... | 2 | 3 |
| Carl Bennett, Des Moines, Ia. ....    | 1 | 4 |
| Clarence Spier, Waverly, Ia. ....     | 1 | 4 |

### CLASS B

|                                       | W | L |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| Harold Darnold, Burlington, Ia. ....  | 4 | 1 |
| Madeleo Blake, Letts, Ia. ....        | 4 | 2 |
| Andy Jackson, W. Burlington, Ia. .... | 3 | 3 |
| Francis Rogers, Waverly, Ia. ....     | 3 | 2 |
| Walter Wedewer, Dyersville, Ia. ....  | 2 | 3 |
| Royce Gale, Des Moines, Ia. ....      | 0 | 5 |

### CLASS C-1

|                                     | W | L |
|-------------------------------------|---|---|
| Mel Diehl, Waterloo, Ia. ....       | 3 | 0 |
| Junior Waddle, Ottumwa, Ia. ....    | 2 | 1 |
| Bill Burgess, Ottumwa, Ia. ....     | 1 | 2 |
| Jake Davis, Columbus Jct., Ia. .... | 0 | 3 |

### CLASS C-2

|                                      | W | L |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| Harry Savage, Des Moines, Ia. ....   | 3 | 0 |
| Henry Hinder, Independence, Ia. .... | 2 | 1 |
| John Willard, Independence, Ia. .... | 1 | 2 |
| Larry Waddle, Ottumwa, Ia. ....      | 0 | 3 |

## Southwestern Iowa Title Goes To Paxton

### CLASS A

|                           | W | L |
|---------------------------|---|---|
| John Paxton, Iowa ....    | 4 | 1 |
| Ray Cavin, Missouri ....  | 4 | 2 |
| Dale Dixon, Iowa ....     | 3 | 3 |
| W. W. Uhlig, Iowa ....    | 2 | 3 |
| Harold Darnold, Iowa .... | 2 | 3 |
| Dean Carter, Iowa ....    | 1 | 4 |

### CLASS B

|                             | W | L |
|-----------------------------|---|---|
| Bernard Ricker, Iowa ....   | 5 | 0 |
| Earl Kaiser, Iowa ....      | 4 | 2 |
| Charles Foxx, Iowa ....     | 3 | 3 |
| Darwin Wells, Missouri .... | 2 | 3 |
| Phil Robertson, Iowa ....   | 2 | 3 |
| Art Reed, Iowa ....         | 0 | 5 |

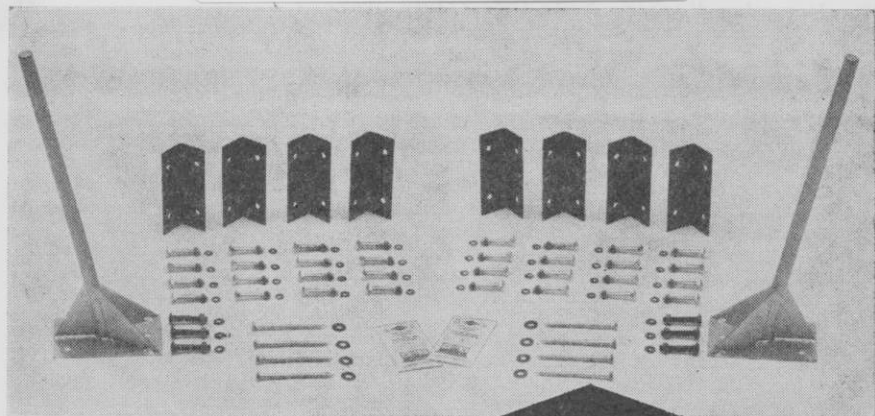
### CLASS C

|                             | W | L |
|-----------------------------|---|---|
| Earl Kaiser, Iowa ....      | 5 | 0 |
| Gail Nielson, Nebraska .... | 4 | 1 |
| Charles Foxx, Iowa ....     | 2 | 3 |
| Lewis Jeter, Iowa ....      | 2 | 3 |
| Woody Wilson, Iowa ....     | 2 | 3 |
| Joe Foster, Nebraska ....   | 0 | 5 |

### CLASS D

|                               | W | L |
|-------------------------------|---|---|
| Vern Nordgren, Nebraska ....  | 5 | 0 |
| Clair Woollums, Iowa ....     | 4 | 1 |
| Harold Paxton, Iowa ....      | 3 | 2 |
| Paul Bernhagen, Nebraska .... | 2 | 3 |
| Richard Callen, Missouri .... | 1 | 4 |
| Vernie Miller, Iowa ....      | 0 | 5 |

CLASS E — Ed Eckles, 5-1; Don Pendegraft, 4-2; Tipton Alexander, 3-2; Wilbur Andrews, 2-3; John Moon, 2-3; Vince Ehrmann, 0-5.



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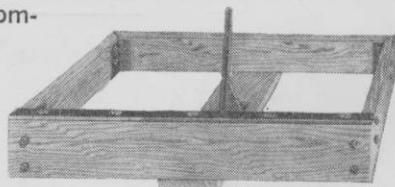
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