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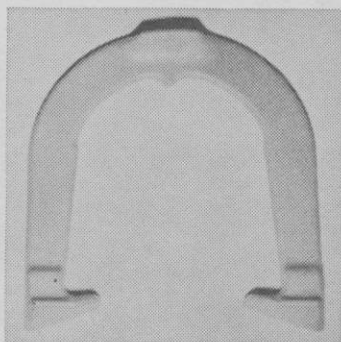
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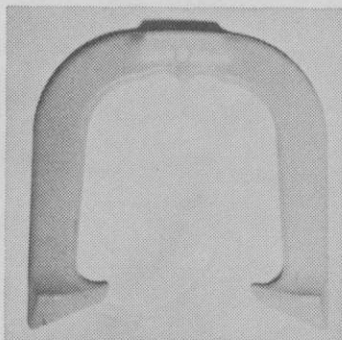
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World Tournament Chairman Requests Advance Information From Camper Visitors

By HAL HANANIA

As there are no licensed campgrounds within a reasonable distance of Middlesex, we are planning to allow camping in our Mountain View Park where the 1971 World Tournament will be held. In order to prepare our park properly to be used as a campground to accommodate our visitors, we must have an idea how many campers we can expect. We would appreciate being notified as soon as possible, by letter addressed to Hal Hanania, 448 Runyon Avenue, Middlesex, New Jersey 08846, as to how many visitors will be using our facilities for camping and the type of camper (or tent) they will use.

Directional signs will be a bright crimson "Day-Glo" background with a solid black horseshoe and arrow. These will be posted at convenient turn-off points from the main highways and at strategic points to help our visitors locate Middlesex and the park with the least amount of trouble.

Daily Newspaper Available For 1971 World Tournament

The Middlesex Horseshoe Club has made arrangements with The Home News of New Brunswick, N. J. to supply two weeks of the daily and Sunday paper covering the 1971 World Horseshoe Pitching Championships, to be mailed daily to subscribers who wish to follow the progress of the tournament.

The total cost to the subscriber is \$1.50 and anyone wishing this service should complete the coupon below and mail it to the address listed.

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N.H.P.A. Scoring Device Blueprints

Blueprints of the NHPA scoring device used in World Tourney play at Fargo, Keene and Erie are now available to clubs wishing to build their own. The price is \$1.00. This scoring device is visible from all sides and angles with two and a half inch numbers. Both names and scores read across instead of up and down as many devices do.

The device was designed and built by the late Vern Fuller of Michigan with the help of his buddy, Jim Davis. The drawings were drafted by the son of Dean Wolfe, Michigan Wolverine Association prexy. The drawings were given to the NHPA by Mrs. Fuller in memory of her husband Vern and the many happy hours he spent on the horseshoe courts.

Ottie Reno's 320-Page Book Available — "Pitching Championship Horseshoe"

A brand new and comprehensive book on horseshoe pitching, entitled "Pitching Championship Horseshoe," is now available to players and fans. The price is \$2.95 for the paperback edition and \$5.95 for the hardback.

Written and compiled by Ottie Reno of Ohio with the assistance of NHPA Secretary Bob Pence and the official records from the files of the NHPA, this is by far the most comprehensive and authentic book ever printed about horseshoe pitching. The book's 320 pages are garnished with 73 photographs, numerous charts and scale drawings to illustrate the technical articles and the historical sections. World Tournament records, past champions in all divisions, along with complete results of the 36-man championship division dating back to 1961, is included. The records section also includes a complete listing of state champions and records, some dating back to 1915.

Every player should have this book and should see to it that his local public library has a copy or is given one as a gift. All profits from the sale of this book will be turned over to the general fund of the NHPA.

Order your copies from any of the following:

Ottie W. Reno, Rt. 5, Box 305, Lucasville, Ohio 45648
Robert Pence, 341 Polk St., Gary, Indiana 46402
Don Koso, 803 East 12th St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355
Herb Pinch, 592 Hull St., Sharon, Pennsylvania 16146

Ron Miller Wins Season Opener At Rock Hill, S. Car.

Ron Miller had an 8-1 record to win the first open tournament of the season at Rock Hill, South Carolina. Tourney was played on April 3 on the Joslyn Park courts in Rock Hill. Herschel Carter was runnerup.

	W	L	%		W	L	%
Ron Miller	8	1	56.4	Boyce White	5	4	46.3
Herschel Carter	8	2	52.0	William Love	4	5	46.0
Marvin Williford	7	3	50.0	John Reeves	3	6	40.9
Charles Brakefield	5	4	48.7	William Murr	2	7	40.4
Palmer Burn	5	4	47.7	Ebenezer Bradley	0	9	39.6

COVER PICTURE . . . The Colorado Springs Club will use new scoring devices this season which were designed and made by Russell Nehar and members of the club. They will be used in all tournaments in Colorado including the annual state tournament. In the background is the western Rocky Mountain range dominated by Pike's Peak.

World Tournament Qualifying Procedure

There will be some changes made in the scoring methods and the rules application will be tightened up during qualifying at the 1971 World Tournament in Middlesex, N. J., July 31 through August 10.

Duplicate scoresheets will be used so that each player will have a copy of his qualifying score.

The new scoresheets will have only two columns — one will register the points scored in each frame or inning — 1, 2, 3, 4 or 6 points; the other column will carry a running total of the score. Thus, the scorekeepers will not be marking an X or O for each ringer. Total ringers will be tabulated by the office workers who will check each scoresheet, crediting one ringer for each time a 3 or 4 appears in the point column and two ringers for each time a 6 appears.

As in the past, two scorekeepers will be used for each qualifier and they must be from a state other than the qualifier.

Another change will be that each qualifier must notify the judges that he has completed his warm-up and is ready to start scoring with his next pitch. This is designed to eliminate the confusion that exists because in some sections of the country it has been the practice to start qualifying with a double ringer which is contrary to the official qualifying rules.

Five To Be Selected To Hall Of Fame

It was recommended at the last convention to concentrate for a spell on electing a greater proportion of "old-time greats" to the Hall of Fame while they are still in our memories. The President and Secretary agreed, and nothing to the contrary has been heard from the Committee. Therefore, the approved method devised for this year will be as follows:

Five people, instead of the usual three, will be selected to the Hall of Fame.

Flash — Lancaster Open Tournament To Be Played At Lancaster, Ohio — June 4-5-6

The Lancaster Open tournament, previously scheduled to be played at Bremen, Ohio will be played at the new courts in Lancaster, Ohio on Route 33, directly across from the Plaza Shopping Center, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 4, 5 and 6. Jim Knisley of Bremen, Ohio is the defending champion.

Pitchers must pitch 100 shoes for a qualifying score on Friday, beginning at 6 p.m. or on Saturday morning from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m.

Classes will then be drawn up and tournament play will start in the afternoon. Class A will have 8 men and will start at 5 p.m. on Saturday evening.

The six courts in nearby Bremen, Ohio will be available for some classes if needed.

This tournament will be NHPA sanctioned and will be conducted by the Lancaster club assisted by the Ohio Buckeye Association, and will be open to all NHPA members.

There are restaurants and motels within walking distance of the courts.

Midwest Ringer Round-Up, July 17-18, Burr Oak, Mich.

The annual Midwest "Ringer Round-Up" will be held July 17-18 at Burr Oak, Michigan with divisions for Women, Junior Boys and Girls in addition to the Men's division. There will be both cash prizes and trophies in all classes.

The tournament was originally slated for the new courts at LaPorte, Indiana, but inability of the LaPorte club to obtain lights in time, forced the change in the tournament site to nearby Burr Oak, Michigan.

Players will be placed in classes on the basis of past tournament records. Deadline for entries by mail or phone is midnight, Thursday, July 8. The entry fee for men is \$6.25 and for women \$3.25. There is no entry fee for Junior Boys and Girls.

Tournament Director will be NHPA Secretary Bob Pence assisted by officials of both the Michigan Wolverine and Indiana State Associations and the Burr Oak club.

Mail entries to Bob Pence, 341 Polk Street, Gary, Indiana 46402 (phone 883-5952 area code 219).

Official 1971 Illinois State Tournament Site Moved To Bradley Park, Peoria, Illinois

Pursuant to a suggestion made at the 1970 Illinois State tournament at Springfield for changing the future State tournament sites, a special notice was mailed to all members of this association to be present at a special meeting at the Recreation Office in Champaign, Illinois on October 4, 1970.

Harvey Kohlenberger, president, outlined the purpose of the meeting, after which much discussion was had by the members present as to re-locating the State tournament. There were three locations suggested, they being Quincy, Galesburg and Peoria. After some discussion, a vote was taken and the Peoria site was selected. August 20-21 and 22 was chosen for the date.

It was to be up to the host club to raise the necessary prize money, but the State Association would conduct the tournament as has been the custom in the past years. The State Association would furnish all the trophies as before. The host club would handle the courts and see that scorekeepers were available.

Therefore, for the 1971 State Tournament the entry fee will be \$2.00 plus a State and National card. Each entrant should pitch 200 shoes on his own court, being witnessed by another State member. He should send in his two best 50's of the 200 to the State Secretary, F. Ellis Cobb, P. O. Box 1606, Aurora, Illinois 60507 together with the fee. This will be the official NHPA Sanctioned State Championship.

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In Memoriam

FRED M. BRUST

Fred M. Brust, winner of the 1919 World's Horseshoe Pitching title in St. Petersburg, Florida, died last May in Columbus, Ohio, at the age of 85. Surviving is his widow, Gertrude, of 993 Geers Avenue, Columbus.

Mr. Brust, with the aid of blacksmiths V. G. Ray and Jacob Bresiger, founded the Ohio Horseshoe Company in 1921 and for 50 years beginners and champions alike have appreciated Brust's drop forged shoe with the hooked toe and scalloped heel design. Brust sold the company to Claude Benedict in 1950 and five years later the Columbus Forge and Iron Co., became owners.

As a senior citizen, Mr. Brust made beautiful wood carvings in the past ten years and his contribution to the game of horseshoe should make him a prime candidate for the Horseshoe Pitcher's Hall of Fame.

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FRANCIS W. PARK

Hearts hang heavy at the New Rome Horseshoe Club near Columbus, Ohio, as a charter member and loyal supporter of the game has answered his Master's call. Francis W. Park, 55, died in Riverside Hospital, Columbus, after a two weeks illness. He had no survivors.

Park was a maintenance employee of the Ohio State School for the Blind for the past 10 years and his principal hobby was horseshoes. His pitching style was very deliberate and he averaged about 40 per cent ringers, but as a club worker and NHPA supporter he was always 100 per cent.

Besides the New Rome Club, Francis was a key man in the Clintonville Conservation Horseshoe Club of Columbus. He was laid to rest Sunday, April 25 in the Raymond Cemetery in Union Co., Ohio, within sight of his birthplace.

Petersen Perseveres; Possesses Pitching Prize — Wins Santa Rosa, Calif. Class C

Walt Petersen of the Sonoma County Club, who started pitching in Petaluma, California more than 30 years ago, pyramided six wins with only one setback to easily outdistance seven opponents on the new "Livermore" clay at the Sonoma County Fairgrounds in Santa Rosa, California. Walt pitched the high percentage game of 57.1% on his way to a nifty 48% overall average. Bill Fulwider continued along the comeback trail, by copping the runner-up position by percentage and compiled a four to three won and lost record.

Jerry Nowlin of Sacramento was unstoppable in Group II action in winning seven straight decisions and Stone Kirkes of Livermore pitched the day's high percentage, but lost to Nowlin and settled for second. Roy Hildebrandt, new Mosswood (Oakland) club member, pitched the high percentage game of Group II.

The turnout was overwhelming as 30 pitchers vied for the 16 starting berths in qualifying rounds. Frank Duncan, president of the new Sutter Butte Club, made his pitching debut, winning four of 7 games in the championship group.

CHAMPIONSHIP

	W	L	%
W. Petersen, Santa Rosa ..	6	1	48.0
B. Fulwider, Santa Rosa ..	4	3	39.2
R. Land, Rio Dell	4	3	38.7
F. Duncan, Sutter Butte	4	3	33.5
D. Muenchow, Mosswood	3	4	38.8
W. East, Arroyo Viejo	3	4	34.7
"Ace" Koehler, G'den Gate	2	5	39.2
J. Larsen, Santa Rosa	2	5	37.8

GROUP II

	W	L	%
J. Nowlin, Sacramento	7	0	35.6
S. Kirkes, Livermore	6	1	37.8
B. Hanlon, Santa Rosa	4	3	32.2
R. Hildebrandt, Mosswood	3	4	37.0
R. Tonneson, Golden Gate	3	4	32.6
L. Keller, Vallejo	2	5	30.3
E. Brazzi, Vallejo	2	5	27.0
S. Hatsme, Vallejo	1	6	24.2

In Memoriam

Word has been received of the passing of Jacob Schak, 89, North Dakota's Grand Old Man of horseshoes. He passed away at the Elim Nursing Home in Fargo, North Dakota on April 26.

Mr. Schak was a prominent figure in horseshoe circles for many years but stopped active participation in league and tournament action in 1952. He stayed with the sport by attending the scoring table and was a top promoter in the area. He was in attendance at the world championship tournament in Fargo in 1967. While at the nursing home at Arthur, he set up a court for the residents in the home, where he resided previous to moving to Fargo.

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DELBERT WRIGHT

Delbert Wright of Columbia City, Indiana, one of the top-ranking players in the country, passed away suddenly in April with a heart attack.

Del was active in the game until the time of his death, having played in several indoor tournaments in Ohio and Kentucky this past winter. His best record on the courts was in 1968 when he was in the 36-man championship class of the World Tournament in Keene, N. H., where he posted a 72.0 ringer average for his 35 games with wins over such well known players as Ted Allen, Jim Solomon, and Ralph Maddox. He posted an 80 plus average against Frank Stinson.

The same year he was the only one to chalk up a win against Curt Day in the Indiana State Tourney and finally finished second to Curt. Last year he was nosed out of the Class B title in the World Tournament at South Gate in a playoff match by Harold Anthony.

His daughter, Carolyn Truman Wright, won the Girl's title in the 1968 World Tournament in Keene and is one of the better players in the Women's division.

Del was the driving force behind building of courts and forming a local league in his home town. He was 57 and is survived by his wife, two daughters and a son. His son, Duane, is also an NHPA member and has participated in Indiana and Ohio tournaments.

His absence will be keenly felt at tournaments this year and the NHPA and the Indiana association extends its heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Wright and the family.

DeHart Wins Scottsburg, Indiana, Indoor Open Meet

CLASS A — Russ DeHart, Greenwood, 7-0-65.7; Reece Baughn, New Castle, 6-1-67.4; Robert Rambo, Jeffersonville, 5-2-58.8; Walter Wilhoite, Lebanon, 3-4-57.3; Robert Sheppard, Rushville, 3-4-57.1; John Stevenson, Kentucky, 3-4-56.5; Herb McCoskey, Pekin, 1-6-53.6; Amos Engle, New Castle, 0-7-46.8.

CLASS B — Joe Morgan, Scottsburg, 7-0-56.5; Jim Noble, Kentucky, 5-2-55.9; Irvin Motsinger, Salem, 4-3-57.2; Lowell Hinkle, Middletown, 4-3-51.5; Charles Mull, Scottsburg, 3-4-53.6; Charles Bennett, Jr., Jeffersonville, 3-4-51.8; Jim Flowers, New Castle, 2-5-40.8.

CLASS C — Glen Zollman, Scottsburg, 6-1-45.9; James Pierson, Mooresville, 5-2-47.1; George Thomas, Madison, 5-2-41.5; John Hammons, Crawfordsville, 4-3-45.6; Morris Gillispie, Indianapolis, 3-4-39.8; Lowell Dearing, Greenfield, 3-4-31.2; Fred Armentrout, Speedway, 2-5-40.2.

CLASS D — Charles Sisson, Greenwood, 7-0-43.8; Arthur Burch, Scottsburg, 6-1-43.7; Marvin Stevenson, Kentucky, 5-2-38.6; Richard Hostettler, Indianapolis, 3-4-39.5; Raymond Beckett, Henryville, 3-4-32.0; Ed Mattingly, Kentucky, 3-4-29.1; Lloyd Karsten, Rushville, 0-7-8.5.

Greenville, Ohio, Ringer Classic — July 1-2-3-4-5

The annual Greenville Ringer Classic will be held at the City Park courts in Greenville, Ohio, from July 1 through July 5. The tournament will be sponsored by the Darke County Horseshoe Club and the City Park Commission and will be sanctioned by the Ohio Buckeye Association.

All entrants for the Men's Division must qualify by pitching 100 shoes. Qualifying times will be from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. on July 1 from 12 noon to 10 p.m. on July 2 and from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. July 3. All entrants must be signed in by 11 a.m. Saturday, July 3. Due to the large entry last year, contestants are urged to come qualify early. We do have nine additional courts to be used for any overflow of entries. The entry fee will be \$7 with those who qualify for Class A paying an additional \$5. First place in Class A will again be \$150.

There will be a Ladies Tournament and Junior Tournaments for boys and girls on July 3 starting at 12 noon. All contestants must be signed in by 11 a.m. on July 3. No qualifications. There will be an entry fee of \$5 for women but none for the Juniors.

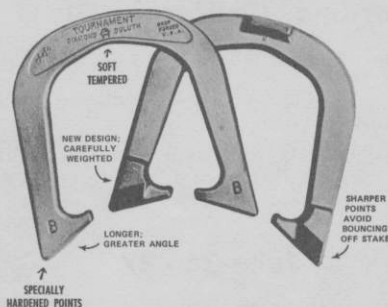
Tentative plans are for Class A entries to begin approximately 2:30 p.m., Sunday, July 4, and at 10 a.m. on Monday, July 5. Lower classes will begin pitching Saturday afternoon, July 3. Any requalifying, if wanted, must be done immediately after qualifying and cannot be done after 10 a.m., Saturday, July 3. Requalifying fee is \$4.

Memorial Day Open — Milford, Ill. — May 30

The annual Memorial Day Open tournament sponsored by the Milford, Illinois Lions Club will be held on the Milford Park courts, on Memorial Day, Sunday, May 30. Qualifying at 11:30 with tournament play starting at 12:30 or 1:00 p.m. There will be 4 classes, with trophies for each class.

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Bill Neal, Anaheim	6	2	41.7
Wally Shipley, Alhambra	4	3	37.4
John Mejica, South Gate	3	4	36.2
Sam Haigh, Loma Linda ..	4	1	32.9
Larry Tarbell, Brea	3	2	36.7
Bob Schmidt, Corona	3	2	32.0
Jack Lockett, Los Angeles	2	3	34.4
Ray Faulkner, Fullerton ..	1	4	26.2
C. Mortenson, Culver City	1	4	18.5
Art Williams, Whittier	0	5	25.5
R. Faulkner, Hunt'gt'n Pk.	0	5	19.3

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	W	L
E. Brown — D. Griffin	13	0
S. Brown — D. Moore	9	4
S. Haigh — R. Schmidt	9	4
L. Lambert — H. Ives	8	5
F. Percy — J. Duenez	8	5
R. Weber — K. Ratley	7	6
J. Raby — C. Quintana	7	6
A. Williams — L. Stevenson	6	7
D. Judon — H. Morin	6	7
R. Quintana — G. Quintana	6	7
H. Slagg — E. Hogan	4	9
R. Alvine — V. Dickey	4	9
B. Schmidt — L. Whitrock	4	9

1971 World Tournament Brochure

The big response to the offer by Southern California to take mail orders for their brochure last year prompts the Middlesex club to make a similar offer to those unable to attend. We are planning a brochure which has up-to-date and verified statistics and records, emphasis on state associations and clubs, gives pointers for better pitching, has interesting information about your fellow players, plus many other features.

For each copy send \$1.50, which covers the cost of mailing and entitles you to the 36-man championship schedule. Make checks payable to Middlesex Horseshoe Pitchers' Club. Send your order to: Dale R. Eberhart, president, 319 Beechwood Ave., Middlesex, N. J. 08846.

Deadline for ordering brochure is July 15, 1971.

Ratley Winner Of San Bernardino, California Class D

Ken Ratley of San Bernardino, California, was the winner in the club's spring tournament for Class D players.

Three trophies were awarded in the tournament which was played on the Perrishill park courts in San Bernardino on April 18.

CHAMPIONSHIP — Ken Ratley, 7-1-23.5; Dave Griffin, 6-2-17.0; Elmer Briggs, 5-2-20.0; Jim Duenez, 4-3-11.6; Frank Munez, 3-4-9.7; Earl Hogan, 2-5-9.2; Howard Bellamy, 2-5-8.2.

Annual St. Joe Open — June 26 - 27

The annual St. Joe Open Tournament will be held June 26-27th at Noyes Field Courts, 28th and Edmond Streets in St. Joseph, Mo. In order to ease the tremendous schedule on Sunday, there will be a Saturday night session, June 26th, starting at 6 p.m. sharp. Four 6-man classes will take part in this session. Sunday morning sessions will start promptly at 9 a.m.

Send complete name, address, zip code number and ringer percentage, or ringer count of 200 shoes to Ray Cavin, 1824 Holman, St. Joseph, Mo. 64501, not later than June 20th. We must have your entry by this time. You will be notified by mail (post card) as to what day, and time you will pitch.

A, B, and C classes will be 8-man groups, starting at 1 p.m. Sunday, with \$4.00 entry fee. All other classes will be 6-man groups, with \$3.00 entry fee.

Saturday and Sunday, September 11 and 12, we will hold the "Midland" Tournament on the same courts, under the same conditions as the "St. Joe Open."

San Diego — Southern California — South Gate**SAN DIEGO OPEN**

	W	L	%
J. Walker, Chula Vista	8	1	71.4
G. Schneider, Pico Rivera ..	7	2	70.8
R. Vogel, Santa Monica	7	2	67.3
E. Brown, Anaheim	5	4	62.6
R. Randall, Barstow	4	5	65.8
J. Snyder, Chula Vista	4	5	59.6
B. Cessna, Midway City ..	4	5	55.2
J. Weeks, Norwalk	3	6	58.5
C. Tucker, La Jolla	3	6	57.9
H. Drogemuller, Van Nuys ..	0	9	43.3

SAN DIEGO "D" OPEN

	W	L	%
D. Stewart, S. Ber'dino	7	0	44.5
W. Shipley, Alhambra	5	2	38.8
S. Stayner, San Diego	4	3	42.0
S. Dobson, La Mesa	4	3	39.0
H. Slagg, Ontario	3	2	38.0
C. Calkins, Loma Linda ..	3	2	36.4
R. Hudson, La Jolla	2	3	43.5
D. Baker, San Diego	2	3	37.0
L. Ford, San Diego	2	3	35.1
R. Weber, Alhambra	1	4	30.5
P. Aurand, San Diego	1	4	25.1
R. Alvine, Chula Vista	0	5	22.5

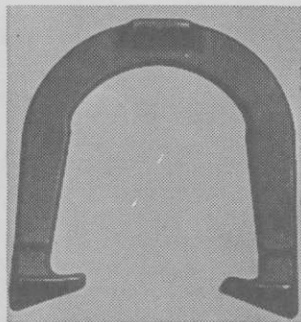
SOUTH GATE "E" OPEN

	W	L	%
D. Harren, Norwalk	7	1	38.1
R. Erickson, Malinda	7	1	36.4
W. Shipley, Alhambra	6	2	38.8
F. Brown, Exeter	5	3	37.7
J. Holder, Downey	5	2	37.9
J. Mejica, South Gate	5	2	37.1
B. Neal, Anaheim	4	3	38.3
B. Geddings, Culver City ..	4	3	39.2
L. Tarbell, Brea	4	3	36.5
N. Draper, Barstow	3	4	35.9
E. Carrier, Downey	3	4	24.0
E. Erickson, Downey	3	4	22.1
R. Weber, Alhambra	1	6	30.3
A. Williams, Whittier	0	7	24.4
W. Powe, South Gate	0	7	23.3

60 YEARS AND OVER

	W	L	%
R. Randall, Barstow	5	0	65.3
E. Knorp, Goleta	3	2	55.1
H. Morse, Beaumont	3	2	45.3
R. Hudgens, Lynwood	2	3	51.0
L. Geer, Rosemead	1	4	38.6
N. Smith, Culver City	1	4	36.2

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Michigan Waterwonderland Open — June 26-27

The Michigan annual Waterwonderland National Open will be held at Burr Oak, Mich., bordering the Indiana and Michigan state lines. The tournament will be held on June 26-27. Championship division will be made up of the top 12 players with a \$100 cash prize for first place; second, \$40; third, \$20, plus a trophy in the first three places. All other classes will be 6-8 man groups, with cash plus trophies.

The entry fee will be \$10 in the championship class, \$5 in all other men's classes, and \$3 for the women. Entry fee must be in by June 13, and should be mailed, along with ringer percentage, to Richard Gyorkos, 22003 Koth, Taylor, Michigan 48180.

Harold Anthony of Arcanum, Ohio, is defending champion of this annual tournament.

The Ostrander, Ohio, Spring Open — June 17-18-19-20

The sixth annual open tournament will be held at the Ostrander Horseshoe courts, Henry Street, Ostrander, Ohio, June 17-18-19-20. Harold Anthony is the defending champion. The entry fee is \$5.50, fifty cents of which will be donated to the Darke County Horseshoe Club, Greenville, Ohio, for the 1972 World Tournament.

Class A will consist of eight men; all other classes will be 6-men Round Robin. Send your percentage or qualifying score no later than June 10 to: Delbert Stewart, President, Route 3, Plain City, Ohio 43064, or Clifford Noland, 4764 Warrensburg Rd., Delaware, Ohio 43015.

We reserve the right to re-classify any pitcher. You will be notified of your pitching date and time by mail. A refreshment stand will be at the courts.

"Stone" Kirkes Rolls, Gathers "Moss"-Wood (No. Calif.) Class D; Koehler Korral's Runnerup "Spot"

Oakland's Mosswood Park was the site, Stone Kirkes was Mr. Right, as the sophomore Livermore pitcher mowed down five opponents including tough Don "Ace" Koehler of San Francisco's Golden Gate Club. Don, who pitches a double-flip shoe, rang up the tourney's high ringer percentage of 40.7%, with Stone hitting 38.1%.

Group II laurels went to Bob Blow also of Livermore by virtue of a 53-21 playoff win over fellow club member, Larry Butterfield. The Bob's (Johnson and Hanlon) of the Sonoma County Club (Santa Rosa) went undefeated to sweep Groups III and IV.

Interest of the new Class D and pitchers has been at "fever pitch" intensity at the early 1971 Northern California tourneys. Adoption of the "no-qualifying" rule for D and E classes has sparked abnormally high turnouts and several consolation groups have had to be added to accommodate the attendees. Our new crop of "ringer seekers" has swelled the Northern California membership rolls to a new early season high.

CHAMPIONSHIP

	W	L	%
S. Kirkes, Livermore	5	0	38.1
D. Koehler, Golden Gate ..	4	1	40.7
V. Rasmussen, ArroyoV'jo	3	2	27.7
P. McNally, Arroyo Viejo	1	4	26.4
S. Hatsme, Vallejo	1	4	25.0
E. Holly, Mosswood	1	4	20.4

GROUP II

	W	L	%
B. Blow, Livermore	5	1	26.8
L. Butterfield, Livermore	4	2	26.9
B. Fulwider, Santa Rosa ..	3	2	31.2
L. Rondeau, Santa Clara Co.	2	3	32.1
C. Halunen, Santa Clara Co.	2	3	27.2
O. Saffle, Vallejo	0	5	12.2

GROUP III — B. Johnson, Santa Rosa, 3-0-26.4; J. Josovich, Santa Clara Co., 2-1-24.8; A. Lewis, Stockton, 1-2-25.9; A. Powere, Livermore, 0-3-20.3.

GROUP IV — B. Hanlon, Santa Rosa, 3-0-34.5; A. Ross, Livermore, 2-1-29.8; G. Kinkel, Santa Clara Co., 1-2-19.3; R. Collins, Santa Rosa, 0-3-14.6.

Pomona — Southern California — San Bernardino**POMONA "G" OPEN**

	W	L	%
J. Lockett, Los Angeles	7	1	32.1
L. Forest, Canoga Pk	7	1	32.2
R. Weber, Alhambra	7	1	40.0
B. Schmidt, Corona	5	3	25.0
A. Hodson, Los Alamitos ..	5	2	24.8
V. Dickey, S. Bernardino ..	5	2	24.8
A. Amador, Los Alamitos ..	4	3	23.1
H. Morin, San Bernardino	4	3	23.0
K. Harris, Chino	4	3	16.9
R. Faulkner, Fullerton ...	3	4	23.8
M. Lingenfelter, Fullerton..	3	4	20.8
R. Schmidt, Corona	2	5	14.2
R. Faulkner, Hun'ton Pk	1	6	14.0
C. Finnegan, Lakewood	1	6	12.2

SAN BERNARDINO "F" OPEN

	W	L	%
R. Weber, Alhambra	6	1	34.8
S. Brown, San Bernardino	5	2	30.3
L. Forest, Canoga Pk	4	3	30.6
S. Haigh, Loma Linda	4	3	29.5
J. Lockett, Los Angeles ..	3	2	27.6
L. Judon, S. Ber'dino	3	2	23.1
W. Powe, So. Gate	2	3	28.4
H. Morin, S. Ber'dino	2	3	24.3
K. Ratley, S. Ber'dino	2	3	23.4
B. Schmidt, Corona	2	3	23.3
A. Williams, Whittier	1	4	22.9
R. Schmidt, Corona	0	5	19.3

Darke County Ohio Group Closes Winter League

The Darke County Horseshoe Club has completed a most active winter schedule with six days a week, seven-man teams in a most successful handicap system of league play. Approximately 50 members participated in the 20-week schedule with trophies to winners. End of season Handicap Doubles Tournament won by Jim McCombs - T. J. Cool with 736 points; second, Duane Detrick - Joe Pillion with 715 points. Singles Handicap Tournament results went to Duane Detrick, first, and Bob Broderick, second.

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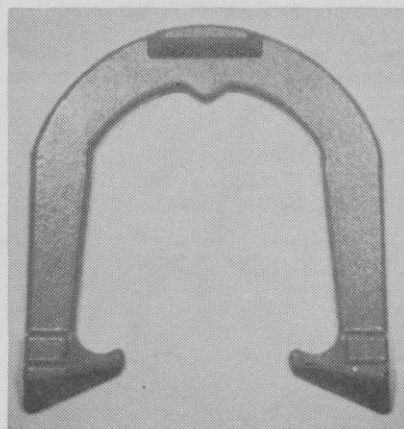
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Elmer Beller "\$700.00" Open

By Wally Shipley

The Southern California Horseshoe Pitchers Association invites you to attend the Elmer Beller Open, 36-man, 2-day tournament, July 17 - 18 at South Gate, California. We increased our cash prizes this year to \$700.00. (This is a \$500.00 increase over 1970). The top 16 qualifiers, "AA" class will play a round robin for the cash prizes, plus a trophy for first place. Next 10 qualifiers will be placed in "BB" class. Bottom 10 qualifiers will be placed in "B" class. The "BB" and "B" class will each play a round robin and each will be awarded 4 trophies. Qualifying fee, \$5.00 for everyone, second try, \$5.00. Entry fee for "AA" class \$10.00. "BB" and "B" classes \$3.00. Qualifying starts noon Friday, July 16 and ends 3 p.m. Saturday, July 17. Tournament starts 4 p.m. Saturday, July 17 for all classes. Saturday, AA class will play 8 games, BB and B class 5 games. Play will resume for all classes at 12 noon Sunday, July 18.

Cash Prizes for "AA" Class.

1. \$200.00	5. \$45.00	9. \$17.00	13. \$10.00
2. 125.00	6. 33.00	10. 15.00	14. 10.00
3. 100.00	7. 21.00	11. 15.00	15. 10.00
4. 60.00	8. 19.00	12. 10.00	16. 10.00

We will have another \$750.00 Open tournament, October 2 - 3, at Yucca Valley, California. More details later.

Bell - Collins Sweep Livermore (No. Calif.) Class E

Sonoma County Club's Harold Bell and Ralph Collins sashayed through four of five opponents each to grab the Championship and Group II titles, respectively, in the third Northern California Class E tourney of the 1971 season. Bell and Collins, two of the "new breed" recruited by Sonoma County Club ramrodders, President Lou Gayet and George Chickenoff, had the necessary ammo when needed, and Bell pitched the high game of the day — 35%. Chuck Shaver was second while newcomer Del Lovdahl of Stockton, pitching in his first tournament, garnered second position in Group II. Vince McKindley, another new Stockton pitcher, also came under fire for the first time.

The scheduling of extra, early-season Class C, D, and E tourneys has resulted in an unprecedented turnout of first and second year pitchers and, as a result, Northern California memberships have reached a five-year high. Magazine subscriptions have also kept pace, with the Sonoma County Club listing 85 per cent of their members as subscribers.

CHAMPIONSHIP — H. Bell, Santa Rosa, 4-1-25.3; C. Shaver, Arroyo Viejo, 3-2-20.6; D. Schopf, Livermore, 2-3-23.9; G. Kinkel, Santa Clara, 2-3-19.6; H. Puckett, Santa Rosa, 2-3-19.5; A. Alviso, Livermore, 2-3-19.3.

GROUP II — R. Collins, Santa Rosa, 4-1-18.5; D. Lovdahl, Stockton, 3-2-18.9; C. Lung, Livermore, 3-2-18.1; O. Saffle, Vallejo, 3-2-16.2; C. Sabo, Livermore, 2-3-13.8; V. McKindley, Stockton, 0-5-5.0.

Kansas City Club Open Tournament — July 18

The Heart of America Horseshoe Club of Kansas City, Missouri, announces that it will hold an open tournament on July 18. Location of courts is at St. John and Belmont streets, just east of Montgomery Ward store. (Northeast Athletic Field.)

As there will not be any qualifying on the courts, all pitchers are requested to send their qualifying scores and entry fee of \$3 to Horace Gilmore, 2001 E 54 Terrace North, Kansas City, Missouri 64118.

Lower classes will start at 9 a.m. sharp. Top classes will begin at 1 p.m. Trophies will be awarded to first, second and third place winners in all classes.

Bob West Wins Annual Laurelhurst Open

The 1971 Oregon Horseshoe pitching season opened with another win for Bob West in the May 1 tournament at Laurelhurst Park in Portland, Oregon. Ron Miller took second place honors in Class A with two games higher than 80 per cent ringers.

Class B was captured by Bob Hildebrant, while Bill Hulshof placed second. Class C had a three-way tie for first with Pete Ediger winning the play-off.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
B. West, Scappoose	7	0	82.3
R. Miller, Woodburn	6	1	70.8
A. Richardson, Salem	5	2	64.5
H. Peterson, Portland	4	3	63.6
B. Chapelle, Portland	3	4	56.3
J. Burke, Albany	2	5	54.8
W. Terry, Portland	1	6	50.4
L. Hill, Troutdale	0	7	46.7

CLASS B

	W	L	%
B. Hildebrant, Portland	7	0	54.4
B. Hulshof, Portland	5	2	44.5
D. Gutter, Bend	4	3	46.4
T. Christiansen, Hillsboro	4	3	43.6
O. Hartzell, Bothell, Wash.	3	4	36.5
L. Sears, Portland	2	5	38.1
L. Wagner, Portland	2	5	35.9
S. Snyder, Kelso, Wash.	1	6	34.6

CLASS C — P. Ediger, Dallas, 5-1-52.1; L. Phillips, Dallas, 5-2-42.8; E. Logsdon, Corvallis, 4-2-36.7; W. Hufschmid, Portland, 2-3-34.7; J. Frazier, Dallas, 1-4-25.6; A. Langland, Beaverton, 0-5-32.5.

CLASS D — R. Burke, Albany, 4-1-33.5; R. Schiedler, Mt. Angel, 3-2-32.2; M. Cooper, Hillsboro, 3-2-30.8; C. Schaumburg, Portland, 3-2-25.7; F. Dummer, Portland, 1-4-29.8; J. Cameron, Portland, 1-4-28.7.

CLASS E — B. Bushnell, Portland, 6-1-22.7; D. Sarff, Dallas, 5-2-31.9; D. Sturdevant, Newberg, 5-2-27.8; B. Luehring, Corvallis, 4-3-29.3; G. Russell, Vernonia, 4-3-20.1; P. O'Day, Portland, 2-5-20.2; R. Egberg, Beaverton, 2-5-15.8; H. Metzler, Portland, 0-7-6.1.

LADIES — G. Frazier, Dallas, 3-0-22.6; J. Luehring, Corvallis, 0-3-10.3.

Gonzales Hamstrings Opposition; Tops Seaside, California "Ole" Hansen Open

Jesse Gonzales won his third straight 1971 Northern California Open championship and successfully defended his 1970 "Ole" Hansen title by winning seven straight matches. This annual Open, to honor H. "Ole" Hansen, founder of the Seaside Club and a former Northern California Association President, was a cakewalk for Gonzales as he outdistanced fellow club member Fred Lavett by two games. Lavett, veteran campaigner, chalked up his best percentage of the year and served notice he is about to hit his stride.

Third spot went to Lloyd Potter as he rallied from a 12-point deficit in the final game to finish with a 4 and 3 record.

The Group II title was grabbed by another Seaside member, Sam Jensen, with five straight wins. Fast-improving Herb Rushing of Livermore was 2nd, and Marv Haaland, second-year tosser of Oakland's Mosswood Club was 3rd. The Seaside ladies outdid themselves as usual and served another gourmet's delight.

CHAMPIONSHIP

	W	L	%
J. Gonzales, Seaside	7	0	71.9
F. Lavett, Seaside	5	2	63.5
L. Potter, Santa Clara	4	3	57.3
B. Weathers, Stanislaus ..	3	4	64.9
B. McNally, Arroyo Viejo	3	4	56.6
V. Zelmar, Santa Clara	3	4	55.7
T. Turner, Santa Clara	2	5	53.3
J. Sadowski, Santa Clara..	1	6	47.7

GROUP II

	W	L	%
S. Jensen, Seaside	5	0	52.3
H. Rushing, Livermore	3	2	43.4
M. Haaland, Mosswood	2	3	38.8
O. Overman, Seaside	2	3	37.0
B. Miller, Reno	2	3	34.3
V. Mauricio, Santa Clara ..	1	5	44.0

Gonzales Clips Zelmar To Win San Jose (N. Calif.) Open

Jesse Gonzales, given a second chance when Monty Latino edged Verdan Zelmar for the Santa Clara County pitcher's first loss, turned on a spectacular ringer barrage to win the playoff showdown 50-20. Verdan had decisively outgunned Jesse in the second game of the 8-man round robin, but after being derailed by Latino in the fourth game, Gonzales pulled even to necessitate the playoff. Jesse, pitching for the Seaside Club, averaged 71% for the tourney and is now hitting close to 80% for the new season. Clarence Cummins of the host Santa Clara County Club came in third in the Championship round robin, losing only to Gonzales and Zelmar.

Fred Lavett of Seaside marched through Group II opposition with ease to win seven straight games and make it a clean sweep for the Seaside Club. Joe Sadowski garnered second position by percentage over Earl Blanton of Oakland's Mosswood Club.

CHAMPIONSHIP

	W	L	%
J. Gonzales, Seaside	7	1	71.7
V. Zelmar, Santa Clara	6	2	60.1
C. Cummins, Santa Clara ...	5	2	60.9
M. Latino, Sacramento	4	3	60.4
M. Santos, Mosswood	2	5	60.1
B. McNally, Arroyo Viejo ...	2	5	57.0
D. Loucks, Santa Clara	2	5	54.6
L. Potter, Santa Clara	1	6	56.5

GROUP II

	W	L	%
F. Lavett, Seaside	7	0	59.2
J. Sadowski, Santa Clara ...	5	2	52.0
E. Blanton, Mosswood	5	2	48.0
S. Jensen, Seaside	4	3	48.0
K. Ludlow, Santa Clara	3	4	52.5
V. Mauricio, Santa Clara ...	3	4	46.5
C. Halunen, Santa Clara ..	1	6	35.5
J. Jozovich, Santa Clara ..	0	7	31.5

Rock Hill, South Carolina Association Sets Up Schedule

The Rock Hill, South Carolina, Chapter of the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association announces its 1971 Tournament Schedule. All tournaments here-within will be sanctioned and conducted under National Horseshoe Pitchers Association rules. Following are tournament dates: May 29, June 12 (State Tournament), July 17, August 21, September 4, September 25, October 9, October 23, November 6.

All of the above tournaments will be held at the Joslin Park facilities and contestants will be installed in Classes (A, B, C, D) which will be determined by qualifying scores.

Information concerning the tournaments will be sent out prior to each event indicating entry fees, qualifying and entry deadline dates pertaining to that particular tournament. All tournaments will be open to any member of the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association except the state tournament in June which will be limited to state members only.

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South Gate — Southern California — Baldwin Park**SOUTH GATE CLASS B OPEN**

	W	L	%
Chuck Tucker, La Jolla	7	0	60.0
Vern Beard, San Diego	6	1	52.3
Chas. Scott, San Bernardino	5	2	50.0
Ward Berg, Pasadena	3	4	47.2
Jim Douglas, Lakewood	3	2	53.2
Sam Faulkner, Fullerton ..	3	2	40.8
Bill Cork, Las Vegas	2	3	48.6
Hal Slagg, Ontario	2	3	44.5
L. Mahlstedt, Los Angeles	2	3	44.5
Cliff Calkins, Loma Linda	1	4	39.7
Stan Staneley, Htn. Beach	0	5	42.5
Don Shubert, Los Angeles	0	5	42.0

SOUTH GATE CLASS F OPEN

	W	L	%
Dick Harrens, Norwalk	6	1	38.5
Sam Haigh, Loma Linda	5	2	36.8
Jack Lockett, Los Angeles	5	2	28.5
Wally Shipley, Alhambra	4	3	34.5
Jim Mejica, South Gate	3	2	32.2
Erwin Klessig, Bell G'dens	3	2	31.1
Ralph Weber, Alhambra ..	2	3	29.0
Lee Forest, Canoga Park	2	3	25.4
Eldon Carrier, Downey	2	3	22.2
Art Williams, Whittier	1	4	26.0
Bob Schmidt, Corona	1	4	20.9
Ray Faulkner, Fullerton ..	0	5	25.3

SOUTH GATE CLASS H OPEN

	W	L	%
Gene VanSant, South Gate	7	0	32.0
Art Amador, Los Alamitos	5	2	26.9
Jim Lowes, Baldwin Park	5	2	26.7
L. Whitrock, San Ber'dino	4	3	22.9
Amos Hodson, Los Alamitos	3	2	24.1
George Quintana, S. Gate	3	2	21.8
Kirk Harris, Chino	2	3	24.3
Ken Ratley, San Bernardino	2	3	21.5
Carlos Quintana, San Pedro	1	4	22.7
Ross Faulkner, Hunt Park	1	4	18.5
Rick Schmidt, Corona	1	4	15.5
B. Humphries, San L. Obispo	0	5	14.6

BALDWIN PARK A OPEN

	W	L	%
Chuck Tucker, LaJolla	7	1	61.9
Eston Brown, Anaheim	6	2	65.4
Clarence Cummins, Orcutt	5	2	67.2
Walter Krowel, Simi	4	3	56.0
Ward Berg, Pasadena	4	3	53.9
H. Drogemuller, Van Nuys	2	5	54.3
Harry Morse, Beaumont ..	1	6	42.4
Wally Shipley, Alhambra	0	7	40.1

SOUTH GATE C OPEN

	W	L	%
Jim Douglas, Lakewood	8	0	51.0
Stan Dobson, La Mesa	5	3	45.3
Fred Brown, Arizona	6	2	43.2
R. St. Thomas, Paramount	6	2	48.5
Bill Cork, Las Vegas, Nev.	5	2	50.0
D. Stewart, San Bernardino	5	2	40.3
Sal Ybarra, Santa Barbara	4	3	40.0
Steve Stayner, San Diego	4	3	33.7
Russ Hudgens, Lynwood ..	3	4	45.1
Don Shubert, Los Angeles	2	5	46.6
Harry Morse, Beaumont ..	2	5	42.3
Wally Shipley, Alhambra ..	2	5	40.7
Harold Slagg, Ontario	2	5	39.7
Larry Ford, San Diego	2	5	34.1
Joe Holder, Downey	1	6	37.2
Newell Flann, Gardena	1	6	33.9

SOUTH GATE G OPEN

	W	L	%
Jim Lowes, Baldwin Park	8	0	32.2
Lee Forest, Canoga Park	6	2	31.1
Robert Herber, Hunt. Park	6	2	32.7
Richard Quintana, S. Pedro	6	2	27.9
Jack Lockett, Los Angeles	5	2	31.8
Stanley Mehan, S'nBerdino	5	2	30.0
E. Klessig, Bell Gardens	3	4	27.8
Mel Lingenfelter, Fullerton	3	4	25.5
Eldon Carrier, Downey	3	4	23.3
Art Amador, Los Alamitos	3	4	23.2
G. Quintana, South Gate	3	4	22.4
Paul Aurand, San Diego ..	2	5	25.6
Ray Faulkner, Fullerton ..	2	5	21.6
C. Mortenson, Culver City	2	5	21.3
Chas. Finnegan, Lakewood	1	6	17.0
R. Faulkner, Hunt'gton Pk.	0	7	18.8

Horseshoe Advertising

The Southern California Horseshoe Pitchers' Association has placed ads in California newspapers in an attempt to interest players and people who are unaware of the NHPA in hopes that new members will be gained.

The ads are two columns wide and 10 inches long. They are attractive ads that give information about the NHPA and the Southern California Association and the schedule of activities.

This promotion will be closely watched for results and, if it is successful, the information will be passed along so that other state associations can duplicate Southern California's experiment which is probably the brainchild of Wally Shipley, NHPA vice president and Southern California president.

Ludlow, No. Calif. Class B Champ, Shows How; Wins Sacramento B

Kim Ludlow of the Santa Clara County Club served notice to all that he's back on his game, as he swept past seven opponents and brought in a 52% tourney average to latch on to the Sacramento Class B title. The Georges did it, as George Greeott gained second position by percentage over George Chickenoff. The Sonoma County Club (Santa Rosa) pitchers lost only twice each. High percentage game of the day was racked up by Martin Lasich of Santa Clara County, a spectacular 75% effort. Martin returned to the horseshoe wars after a year's layoff due to arm problems.

The Group II title was grabbed by Bud Lathe of the host Sacramento club. Bud lost only once to edge Lou Gayet, Santa Rosa prexy, and George Palmer of Sacramento. Bud pitched the high percentage game in Group II, 62.4%. Herb Rushing of Livermore and Oscar Statham of the home club pitched well in the warm Sacramento sunshine and moved up to Class B. Bill Dise, newcomer from Grass Valley, played in his first tournament.

CHAMPIONSHIP

	W	L	%
K. Ludlow, S. C. Co.	7	0	52.0
G. Greeott, Santa Rosa	5	2	49.8
G. Chickenoff, Santa Rosa ..	5	2	48.1
P. Manitone, Sacramento ..	4	3	46.0
M. Lasich, S. C. Co.	3	4	46.9
L. Bousfield, Grass Valley ..	3	4	43.1
B. Vines, Stanislaus	1	6	42.1
A. Peters, Santa Rosa	0	7	37.2

GROUP II

	W	L	%
B. Lathe, Sacramento	6	1	49.0
L. Gayet, Santa Rosa	5	2	47.5
G. Palmer, Sacramento	5	2	45.0
H. Rushing, Livermore	4	3	45.9
O. Statham, Sacramento ..	4	3	45.8
V. Mauricio, S. C. Co.	3	4	45.5
J. Nowlin, Sacramento	1	6	34.0
B. Dise, Grass Valley	0	7	28.3

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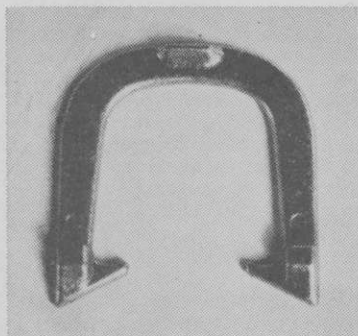
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Pidde Wins 7th Winter Classic Series At Seattle

Herb Pidde defeated John Reedy 33-32 in what proved to be the championship game to cop top spot in the 7th series of the Winetrout Winter Classic held at Woodland Park in Seattle, Washington. Third place went to "Winnie" Winetrout. Ole Vallen went undefeated in Class B as he averaged an even 52%.

Class C honors went to Earl Kuhne, who, in order to win first, had to defeat his wife 30-29. If Millie had won, she would have garnered first. Both Kuhne's averaged 54%. Elmer Andersen edged Bill Owens in a playoff for Class D. Roy Clark put it together in Class E to go undefeated through his five games. John Cayko, the Eastern Washington traveler from Ephrata, garnered the runnerup spot. Young Ray Durfee, in his first tourney, averaged 38% plus to win Class F over runnerup Ray Pedersen.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
Herb Pidde	7	0	61.4
John Reedy	6	1	64.2
Francis Winetrout	4	3	61.4
Mark Alvord	4	3	55.7
Ellis West	3	4	57.4
Bill Van Egdom	2	5	46.0
Jim Malvern Jr.	1	6	44.5
Bill Hulshof	1	6	42.0

CLASS B

	W	L	%
Ole Vallen	5	0	52.0
Bob Clark	3	2	44.8
Ray Brumfield	3	2	41.6
Herb Godfrey	2	3	45.2
Jim Malvern, Sr.	2	3	41.2
Harry Glombicki	0	5	33.2

CLASS C — Earl Kuhne, 4-1-54.0; Millie Kuhne, 3-2-54.4; Al Oertel, 3-2-45.2; Bernie Green, 3-2-40.4; Vern Riel, 2-3-35.6; Ed McKay, 0-5-26.0.

CLASS D — Elmer Andersen, 4-1-35.6; Bill Owens, 3-2-32.0; Harry Wilkerson, 2-2-37.0; Al Frosch, 1-3-36.0; Oliver Hartzell, 1-3-35.0.

CLASS E — Roy Clark, 5-0-48.4; John Cayko, 4-1-52.4; Jim Smith, 3-2-38.4; Bob Brown, Sea., 2-3-38.8; Wayne Chastain, 1-4-21.2; George Dooley, 0-5-26.4.

CLASS F — Ray Durfee, 5-0-38.4; Ray Pedersen, 4-1-27.6; Dean Durfee, 3-2-23.6; Myles Sursely, 2-3-26.0; Russ White, 1-4-18.0; Bill Milburn, 0-5-8.4.

West Retains Daffodil Open Title At Tacoma, Wash.

Present Western States Open Champion Bob West of Scappoose, Oregon, successfully defended his title at the Daffodil Open as he threw an average of 74.5%. This marked the first tournament of the 1971 season on the Washington circuit, which gets into full swing during the month of May. West won all nine of his games and finished ahead of Howard Peterson of Portland, and Bill Foss of Tacoma, second and third place finishers.

Barry Chapelle, varsity baseball coach and high school instructor at Jefferson High in Portland, captured Class B laurels. Bill Van Egdom of Lynden placed second while lefty Bob Clark of Port Orchard took third. Oliver Hartzell of Bothell finished ahead of Herb Godfrey of Aberdeen and Ed Bartlett of Everett to cop top honors in Class C. Mike Miller, the Seattle veteran, edged out Cecil McKean of Tacoma and Ray Brumfield of Lynnwood in one of the closest classes of the day, to take the hardware home in Class D.

Harvey Snyder, the Atomic City thrower from Richland, won Class E. Two Everett men, Joe Peton and Vern Riel, finished second and third respectively. Bernie Green of Seattle won his second tourney in a row as he walked away with honors in Class F. Bernie previously came home from Eureka with first place hardware earlier this year. Second place went to Herb Okeson of Bothell, while third went to the Eastern Washington traveler, Ray Black of Yakima.

In the Ladies A, state champion Mildred Kuhne nosed out Lorraine Woodman of Colbert for the top spot. Ladies Class B went to Lorraine's daughter Debbie, who won her first tournament she had ever thrown in. Babe Bartlett of Everett was second to Debbie.

In the Junior Boys' Division, another Woodman, Sam this time, won all of his games to garner top spot in his division.

West Retains — (Continued)

CLASS A				CLASS B			
	W	L	%		W	L	%
Bob West	9	0	74.5	Barry Chapelle	7	0	59.5
Howard Peterson	6	3	63.5	Bill Van Egdom	6	1	59.4
Bill Foss	6	3	62.5	Bob Clark	4	3	49.7
Ellis West	4	5	60.6	Mac McDaniel	4	3	47.3
Herb Pidde	4	5	60.4	Bob Edwards	3	4	44.6
John Reedy	4	5	60.3	Roy Larson	3	4	43.0
Herb Criss	3	6	61.0	Harry Glombicki	1	6	37.0
Cletus Chapelle	3	6	60.3	Albert Oertel	0	7	32.7
Francis Winetrout	3	6	56.5				
Mark Alvord	3	6	55.9				

CLASS C — O. Hartzell, 6-1-42.7; H. Godfrey, Sr., 5-2-45.7; Ed Bartlett, 4-3-43.7; B. Perry, 4-3-38.5; O. Vallen, 3-4-46.7; R. Brumfield, 3-4-43.3; S. Snyder, 2-5-33.6; H. Godfrey, Jr., 1-6-34.0.

CLASS D — M. Miller, 7-1-46.7; C. McKean, 6-2-46.3; R. Brumfield, 4-3-47.3; D. Woodman, 4-3-43.1; M. Smith, 4-3-39.9; Ed McKay, 2-5-39.4; P. Russell, 2-5-37.9; J. Giacommini, 0-7-30.4.

CLASS E — H. Snyder, 7-0-41.8; J. Peton, 6-1-42.7; V. Reil, 4-3-40.7; K. Foss, 4-3-39.7; J. Cayko, 4-3-39.1; H. Eastman, 2-5-29.8; R. Smith, 1-6-35.3; H. Wilkerson, 0-7-31.5.

CLASS F — B. Green, 6-0-40.8; H. Okeson, 5-1-35.5; R. Black, 3-3-32.9; Ed Welsch, 3-3-29.5; C. Varner, 2-4-27.6; B. Ertsgaard, 2-4-22.4; P. Walette, 0-6-19.0.

LADIES CLASS A — M. Kuhne, 6-0-49.6; L. Woodman, 4-2-34.4; M. Bailey, 2-4-18.7; L. McKay, 0-6-09.7.

LADIES CLASS B — D. Woodman, 8-0-29.7; B. Bartlett, 5-3-16.3; R. Welsch, 4-4-11.7; G. Clark, 3-5-14.8; K. Williams, 0-8-04.8.

JUNIOR BOYS — S. Woodman, 6-0-32.1; J. Bartlett, 2-4-28.5; K. Bartlett, 1-5-23.7.

Statham Slams East To Win Playoff For No. Calif.**Class C Championship**

Oscar Statham and Walt East went to overtime to settle the Class C championship and Ed Holly won by two games to capture the Class E title, as the Livermore Valley Horseshoe Club hosted scores of early season pitchers at Robertson Park in the Rodeo Grounds. Jerry Nowlin, Sacramento, took the Class C Group II title with three straight wins, and Marvin Haaland of the Mosswood club, moved up to Class B with his steady ringer stacking and annexed the Group III title.

Stone Kirkes and "Ace" Koehler, second year pitchers also moved up to Class C with steady ringer barrages. Lex Parker, one of six entrants from the new Stockton Club, defeated Howard Puckett of Santa Rosa for the Group II title in Class E, while C. R. Williamson of Stockton placed second to Holly in Class E. Herb Rushing, tournament coordinator, did a masterful job placing the multitude of entrants, as ringer slingers had really come out for this tourney. The Livermore ladies were perfect hostesses with a bountiful dinner table.

CLASS C CHAMPIONSHIP

	W	L	%		W	L	%
O. Statham, Sacramento ..	7	1	44.2	A. Crossman, Vallejo	3	4	34.0
W. East, Arroyo Viejo	6	2	37.2	"Ace" Koehler, Gld'n Gate	2	5	36.7
L. Pitney, Seaside	4	3	39.3	O. Farmer, Stockton	2	5	31.0
S. Kirkes, Livermore	3	4	37.4	E. Kiser, Arroyo Viejo	2	5	30.9

Statham Slams — (Continued)

GROUP II — J. Nowlin, Sacramento, 3-2-36.3; J. Adams, Stanislaus, 2-1-34.3; L. Fontaine, S. C. County, 1-2-32.2; A. Lewis, Stockton, 0-3-25.2.

GROUP III — M. Haaland, Mosswood, 3-0-42.9; A. Gates, Seaside, 2-1-44.7; B. McVicar, Arroyo Viejo, 1-2-34.9; S. Hatsme, Vallejo, 0-3-23.8.

CLASS E CHAMPIONSHIP — E. Holly, Mosswood, 5-0-32.4; C. R. Williams, Stockton, 3-2-25.0; R. Barnett, Livermore, 3-2-21.1; C. DiDonato, Stockton, 2-3-26.4; P. Jenson, Seaside, 2-3-24.1; R. Collins, Santa Rosa, 0-5-13.7.

GROUP II — L. Parker, Stockton, 5-1-24.1; H. Puckett, Santa Rosa, 4-2-22.4; W. Wilcox, Livermore, 3-2-22.6; L. Cagle, Stockton, 3-2-18.6; C. Sabo, Livermore, 1-4-13.6; D. Schopf, Livermore, 0-5-16.6.

John Reedy Top Man In Winetrout Winter Classic Finale

The 8th and Final Round of the Winetrout Winter Classic played at Woodland Park in Seattle, Washington, was won by John Reedy who sneaked past Bob Ellis 33-31. This was Reedy's fourth Class A Division crown this season of winter pitching.

Bob Clark edged Earl Kuhne and Ole Vallen to take top honors in Class B. Millie Kuhne had to throw 58% in the playoff game to edge Oliver Hartzell in Class C. Oliver threw 52% and still got beat. Vern Riel threw 60% in his final game to cap a perfect day in Class D. He edged Ed Bartlett.

Class E went to John Cayko, who finally rid himself of the customary bridesmaid role in the last Classic. He won the 9th game of the day 25-24 over newcomer Ron Billings. George Dooley jumped from last place in the 7th Classic to first this time as he edged three others by one game in Class F. Jim Smith, Al Alexander, and Bob Brown all tied for second.

Class G was something else. In a sense, it perfectly described the type of individual belonging to NHPA and WSHPA. Randy Oard, at the end of regular play, had the best record of 4-1, followed closely by Joe Bartlett, Tory Gadwa, and Lois Stellman, all of whom had identical 3-2 records. Oard declined to take the trophy as he felt that he was a better player than that to be in a class with newcomers. (He has a 38% state average.) This left the three runnersup then in a first place tie. But newcomer 81-year-old Tory Gadwa didn't feel like a playoff, and this left Joe and Lois in position for the title. Joe finally edged Lois by two ringers.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
Reedy	5	1	68.7
West	4	2	63.3
Winetrout	3	2	64.0
Pidde	3	2	62.4
Gadwa	1	4	48.4
Van Egdom	0	5	49.6

CLASS B

	W	L	%
B. Clark	5	2	48.6
E. Kuhne	3	3	48.3
Vallen	3	3	43.7
Godfrey	2	3	44.4
Miller	2	3	42.8
Russell	2	3	42.4

CLASS C — M. Kuhne, 5-1-49.0; Hartzell, 4-2-43.3; Reed, 3-2-40.8; C. McKay, 2-3-42.0; McDaniels, 1-4-40.0; Glombicki, 1-4-38.4.

CLASS D — Riel, 5-0-50.8; E. Bartlett, 4-1-48.0; Oertel, 3-2-46.4; Ja. Smith, 2-3-44.0; R. Clark, 1-4-36.0; K. Bartlett, 0-5-23.2.

CLASS E — Cayko, 6-2-40.5; Billings, 6-3-39.6; Green, 5-3-35.5; Andersen, 4-3-32.9; Okeson, 3-4-30.6; Moorman, 3-4-26.3; Owens, 2-5-27.7; Wilkerson, 1-6-18.9.

CLASS F — Dooley, 4-1-33.6; Ji. Smith, 3-2-33.2; Alexander, 3-2-30.8; B. Brown, 3-2-30.4; M. Stellman, 1-4-32.4; Norris, 1-4-30.0.

CLASS G — Oard, 4-1-34.4; J. Bartlett, 4-2-31.6; L. Stellman, 3-3-23.2; Gadwa, 3-2-22.0; M. Bailey, 1-4-22.0; Marsh, 1-4-19.6.

DATE CORRECTION

Quincy, Ill. Open Tournament — Saturday, June 5

The Quincy, Illinois Club will hold an open tournament at the Reservoir Park courts in Quincy on Saturday, June 5.

Pitchers may bring a 100-shoe qualifying score or they can qualify on the courts until 12 noon with round robin play starting soon afterward. Entry fee will be \$5 to \$3. There will be five classes with three trophies being awarded in each class.

On August 28, another open meet will be held on the same courts with all the same conditions.

Bill Riley New Champion In '71 Florida State Tournament

Beautiful weather prevailed and a new state champion was crowned at Sunshine Park in Orlando, Florida on Saturday, April 17. Bill Riley of Bradenton defeated John Rademacher of Plant City in the deciding game 52-46.

In Class B, Jack Ellis of Bradenton was the titlist. In Class C Tony Whittle of Miami was the winner, and in Class D, Whittmer of Orlando was king.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
W. Riley, Bradenton	7	0	62.2
J. Rademacher, Plant City	6	1	73.7
T. Harrison, Eau Gallie	4	3	60.8
W. Keegan, Hollywood	4	3	63.5
C. Hansen, Sarasota	3	4	55.6
P. Hoover, Miami	2	5	59.0
L. Miller, Sarasota	1	6	52.7
J. Clingan, Apopka	1	6	52.3

CLASS B

	W	L	%
J. Ellis, Bradenton	6	1	46.3
J. Hoover, Miami	5	2	48.5
D. Campbell, Naples	4	3	49.3
L. Hostetler, Sarasota	4	3	47.8
L. Peary, Bradenton	3	4	42.5
H. Cheffer, Naples	3	4	41.1
D. Weigel, Homestead	2	5	35.5
R. Hitchcock, Bradenton ..	1	6	36.0

CLASS C — Tony Whittle, Miami, 6-1-36.7; Alex Seeh, Vero Beach, 6-1-35.1; E. Ronnemus, Bradenton, 5-2-41.0; Ralph Fisher, Orlando, 3-4-33.1; Joe Thonert, Zephyrhills, 3-4-32.2; Earl Johnson, Bradenton, 3-4-29.1; R. Ferguson, Sarasota, 2-5-28.2; Ed Grover, Deland, 0-7-28.5.

CLASS D — M. Whittmer, Orlando, 7-0-30.4; Wayne Warner, Plant City, 5-2-25.7; Carl Black, Bradenton, 5-2-23.7; Johnny Rademacher, Plant City, 5-2-25.5; Barclay Webster, Orlando, 3-4-13.7; Sarg Cook, Seminole, 2-5-14.6; Harvey Hookway, Bradenton, 1-6-11.9; Ted Corbett, Orlando, 0-7-6.3.



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Middlesex, N. J. Lodging Accommodations For 1971 World Tournament July 31 Thru August 10

All inquiries for housing at the 1971 World Tournament to be held at Middlesex, N. J., July 31 through August 10 should be sent to Mr. Vincent Yanetti, 322 Longwood Ave., Bound Brook, N. J. 08805. Phone 201-356-3862. He has a listing of other motels in the Middlesex area.

When making reservations, please let them know you're coming for the 1971 World Horseshoe Tournament.

HOLIDAY INN — U. S. Highway 22, Somerville, N. J. 08876 Phone 201-526-9500. 106 Units with TV, Coffee Shop, Restaurant, Cocktails, Entertainment (Wed. thru Sat.) Single \$14.00 Double \$16.00.

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Summer rate may be slightly higher for some motels. All motels are within four miles of courts in Middlesex. There are plenty of all types of eating places in the immediate vicinity of all motels.

Carson, North Dakota Open — June 26 - 27

The fifth annual Carson Open will be held on Saturday and Sunday, June 26 and 27 at Carson, North Dakota.

There will be three trophies in each class, plus a high ringer percentage award. Also a traveling trophy.

The entry fee is \$5.00 and should be sent together with ringer average from two previous tournaments to Chester Danzeisen, Lark, North Dakota 58550.

Fourth Annual Oblong, Illinois Open — June 19

The Fourth Annual Oblong Open Tournament will be held Saturday, June 19 at Oblong, Illinois.

All players should send a qualifying score to Leo Schlosser, Oblong, Ill., as there will not be any qualifying on the courts. Players should all be on time at 9:30 a.m. as the tournament will start at 10 a.m. sharp, starting with Classes C, D and F. Classes A, B and E will play at 1 p.m.

The entry fee will be \$4.00, payable at tournament time. Trophies will be awarded to the top three pitchers in all classes. All pitchers are welcome

Eau Claire Open — June 19-20 — Eau Claire, Wisconsin

The Eau Claire, Wisconsin, Horseshoe Club will hold its 5th Annual Open Tournament Saturday and Sunday, June 19-20, at the Carson Park courts. Due to the large entry last year, we are adding four more classes; thus, 96 pitchers will play.

Qualifying will be on home courts. Entry fee of \$3 with 100-shoe qualifying score must be received no later than June 7. Entries should be sent to Curt Bestul, Tournament Chairman, 1412 Sherwin Ave., Eau Claire, Wis. 54701.

Entrants will be notified of class and time. A and B finalists will pay \$4; all others \$3. Joe Anzaldi, St. Paul, Minnesota, is the defending champion.

Cash awards — Class A, first four places. Trophies — Class B, first four places; Classes C-E, first three places; Classes F-M, first two places.

Galesburg, Illinois National Open — August 15

The Thirteenth Galesburg National Open will be held August 15. As usual, the courts will be open to the national players for practice on Saturday, Aug. 12. Entry fee will be \$3 — 100-shoe qualifying score. Entries should be mailed in by July 31 with the fee to Ross Sornberger, Treasurer, 1904 Baird Ave., Galesburg, Ill. 61401. It will be \$2 more to play.

The top 32 players will play at 1 p.m. — next 32 players at 9 a.m. All games are 50 points. Three trophies will be presented in each class, with all players receiving prizes. Players will be notified as to the time they play. All those not able to qualify in the top 64 will have their money refunded. The Galesburg Chamber of Commerce is once again donating a trophy for the Best Dressed Player.

Franklin, N. H. Club Gets Set For State of New Hampshire Tournament

President Don Fales states that they are ready for the New Hampshire State tournament to be held on Sunday, August 22nd. This club has come a long way and will be an asset to the city of Franklin. The Parks and Recreation Department under director Douglas Dicey has made arrangements for this club to use the lower end of the park. Pete Shepard, New England Regional Director assisted in the arrangements.

There are eighteen courts located at Odell Park. The facilities already include softball fields, tennis courts, trampoline, swings, swimming pool, fireplaces to cook, and picnic tables. Now they have added horseshoe courts to the park.

Plenty of parking for cars, trailers and campers, too. You can sit in the shade of the beautiful pines, maples and birches. See and enjoy a good game of horseshoes. Rest rooms with running water and above all, plenty of night lights for all pitchers who want to pitch later in the evening.

Each and every member has worked eagerly to bring this event about and has made special effort to provide us with a decent place for pitching horseshoes. We urge you to come and participate with your families.

The courts are approved by the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association and everyone is welcome.

June 5-6 Date For Colo. Springs, Colo., Open Tournament

On June 5 and 6 the Colorado Springs horseshoe club will host an open tournament on their new 12-man courts in Memorial Park.

Two hundred dollars in cash and 22 trophies will be awarded. Entry fee of \$4.00 should be sent in by June 3 to Secretary Russell Neher, 809 W. Bijou, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80905.

Tremont Turkey Festival Open, Tremont, Ill., June 12

The sixth annual Tremont Turkey Festival open horseshoe tournament will be held in the park at Tremont, Ill., on Saturday, June 12. All players must send a 50-shoe qualifying score, as there will not be any qualifying the day of the tournament.

All players MUST be on the courts by 9:30 a.m., Saturday, June 12. Tournament will start promptly at 10 a.m.

This tournament is limited to the first 48 entries only. Entry fee is \$3.50 payable at the courts. All entries after the first 48 will be returned. There will be 8 men in each class. Classes D, E and F will play to 35 points starting at 10 a.m. — trophies awarded. Classes A, B and C will play to 50 points starting at 1:00 p.m. — trophies awarded.

Send entries to Clyde Coddington, Box 136, R. R. 2, Tremont, Ill.

Marcus, Iowa Centennial Open — June 24, 25, 26

The Marcus Mets Horseshoe Club will hold a Centennial Open Round Robin Tournament on June 24, 25, 26 at the Marcus Fair Grounds, Marcus, Iowa.

The boys' tournament (aged 17 and under) will be held June 24. No entry fee for boys but a 50-shoe qualifying score must be mailed in by June 15.

The men's tournament will be held June 25 and 26. Entry fee will be \$3 and 100-shoe qualifying score must be mailed in by June 15. All scores and entry fees should be mailed to Robert Galles, R.R. 1, Pierson, Iowa 51048. The first 32 qualifying entries only, in the men's division, will be accepted. All others will be returned. All players will be notified as to the day and time they play.

Trophies for the first two places in each class will be awarded and prize money also.

Annual Casey, Illinois Open Tournament — June 20

The annual Casey Open tournament will be held on the Casey park courts in Casey, Illinois on Sunday, June 20. The meet will be sponsored by the North Fork Coon Hunters' Club. There will be five classes with trophies awarded for first, second and third place in each class. All players should be at the courts by 9 a.m. as play will start promptly at 10 a.m. Pitchers should send a qualifying score to Mr. Charles W. Cook, 1103 East Main St., Casey, Illinois 62420. Entry fee of \$4.00 will be payable at the courts.

New Castle, Pa. Annual Spring Fling — June 12-13

The annual New Castle Spring Fling tournament will be held on the new Scotland Meadow's courts west of New Castle, Pennsylvania, just off of Route 224. The entry fee will be \$5.00 and should be sent with qualifying score and name and address to: Mr. Clair Bruce, 119 Glen Moore Blvd., New Castle, Pennsylvania not later than June 5th. The tournament will start each day at 9:30 a.m. with classes for everyone.

Yernberg Winner In First Count-All Meet On Ice

John Yernberg of St. Paul, Minnesota was the winner in the first Count-All tournament held on the ice of White Bear Lake at St. Paul, Minnesota held on March 9. The event attracted 44 entries and was sponsored by the VFW of St. Paul. George Linbeck was the coordinator for the meet. Mayor Dean Fenner opened the tournament by pitching the first shoe. Temperature was a balmy 30 degrees Fahrenheit. Many sno-mobilers paused during their journey across the lake to watch the unusual event.

1971 World Tournament Cash Prize List — \$8,500.00

Plus approximately 75 trophy awards

CLASS A		CLASS B		CLASS C		CLASS D			
1	.....\$702.00	1	.....\$ 47.00	1	.....\$ 29.00	1	.....\$ 17.00
2	.....507.00	2	.....45.00	2	.....28.00	2	.....16.50
3	.....397.00	3	.....44.00	3	.....26.50	3	.....16.50
4	.....332.00	4	.....43.00	4	.....26.00	4	.....16.00
5	.....282.00	5	.....41.50	5	.....24.50	5	.....16.00
6	.....237.00	6	.....41.00	6	.....24.50	6	.....16.00
7	.....212.00	7	.....40.50	7	.....24.00	7	.....15.50
8	.....187.00	8	.....40.00	8	.....24.00	8	.....15.50
9	.....167.00	9	.....39.50	9	.....20.50	9	.....15.50
10	.....147.00	10	.....39.00	10	.....20.50	10	.....15.00
11	.....132.00	11	.....38.50	11	.....20.00	11	.....15.00
12	.....117.00	12	.....38.00	12	.....20.00	12	.....15.00
13	.....107.00	13	.....36.50	13	.....19.50	13	.....14.50
14	.....98.00	14	.....36.00	14	.....19.50	14	.....14.50
15	.....90.00	15	.....35.50	15	.....19.00	15	.....14.50
16	.....83.00	16	.....35.00	16	.....19.00	16	.....14.50
17	.....78.00	17	.....34.50	17	.....18.50	17	.....14.00
18	.....74.00	18	.....34.00	18	.....18.50	18	.....14.00
19	.....71.00	19	.....33.50	19	.....18.50	19	.....14.00
20	.....69.00	20	.....33.00	20	.....18.50	20	.....14.00
21	.....67.00	21	.....32.50	21	.....18.00	21	.....14.00
22	.....66.00	22	.....32.00	22	.....18.00	22	.....13.50
23	.....65.00	23	.....31.50	23	.....18.00	23	.....13.50
24	.....64.00	24	.....31.00	24	.....18.00	24	.....13.50
25	.....63.00	25	.....30.50	25	.....17.50	Total ..\$357.00	
26	.....62.00	26	.....30.00	26	.....17.50		
27	.....61.00	27	.....29.50	27	.....17.50	Total ..\$648.00	
28	.....60.00	28	.....29.00	28	.....17.50		
29	.....59.00	29	.....28.50	29	.....17.00		
30	.....58.00	30	.....28.50	30	.....17.00		
31	.....57.00	31	.....28.00	31	.....17.00		
32	.....56.00	32	.....28.00	32	.....17.00		
33	.....55.00	33	.....27.50				
34	.....54.00	34	.....27.50				
35	.....53.00	35	.....27.00				
36	.....52.00	36	.....27.00				

Total \$5041.00

Total \$1243.00

WOMEN

SENIOR & INTER- MEDIATE

WOMEN, SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE

CLASS A		CLASS A		CLASS B		CLASS C	
1	\$ 77.00	1	\$ 52.00	1	\$ 17.00	1	\$ 12.00
2	57.00	2	37.00	2	16.00	2	11.00
3	42.00	3	27.00	3	15.00	3	10.00
4	32.00	4	22.00	4	14.50	4	9.00
5	30.00	5	20.00	5	14.00	5	8.00
6	29.00	6	19.00	6	13.50	6	7.00
7	28.00	7	18.00	Total \$94.00 ea.		Total \$61.00 ea.	
8	27.00	8	17.00				
Total ..\$322.00		Total \$212.00 ea.					

Junior Boys and Junior Girls — Trophy awards only

COMING EVENTS

- May 28-29-30 — Ohio-Pennsylvania Open tournament, courts on Rte 33 opposite Plaza Shopping Center, Lancaster, Ohio.
- May 30 — Maine Round-up, Marcotte Park, Lewiston, Maine (Rain date June 6).
- May 29-30 — Seattle Memorial Tournament, Woodland Park, Seattle, Washington.
- May 29-30-31 — First Annual Piqua, Ohio Open tournament, Eisenhower Park courts, Piqua, Ohio.
- June 5 — Quincy Open Tournament, Reservoir Park courts, Quincy, Illinois.
- June 5-6 — Erie Spring Warm-up tournament, Erie Pennsylvania. Contact Joe Abbott, 5840 Peck Road, Erie, Pennsylvania 16510.
- June 5-6 — Northwest (Ohio) District Tournament, Fairgrounds, Wauseon, Ohio. Sanctioned. Fee \$5.00, Deadline May 25.
- June 5-6 — Colorado Spring Open, Memorial Park. All classes, plus junior's and women's. Entry fee, \$4.00. Deadline entry time and details, write to Russell Neher, 809 W. Bijou, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80905.
- June 6 — Open Singles tournament, Billings, Montana.
- June 6 — Fairbury Open Tournament, Fairbury, Nebraska. Qualification scores to be sent to Jacob Isaac, 1208 Third St., Fairbury, Nebraska 68352. Deadline May 29th. Tournament time 9 a.m.
- June 6 — Columbia Basin Invitational Handicap Tournament, Peninsula Park, Moses Lake, Washington.
- June 12 — Annual Tremont Turkey Festival Open tournament, City Park courts, Tremont, Illinois.
- June 12-13 — Lewis & Clark Open Tournament, Vernon Park, Clarkston, Washington.
- June 19 — North Carolina State, Miller Park, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
- June 17-18-19-20 — Ostrander Open tournament, Henry Street courts, Ostrander, Ohio.
- June 19 — Fourth Annual Oblong Open Tournament, Oblong, Illinois. Send qualifying scores to Leo Schlosser, Oblong, Illinois.
- June 19-20 — Nevada State Open. To be held in Sparks, Nevada. Classes 1, 2, 3, 4.
- June 19-20 — Hill City Invitational, Miller Park courts, Lynchburg, Virginia.
- June 19-20 — 5th Annual Eau Claire Open, Carson Park Courts, Eau Claire, Wisconsin.
- June 20 — Open Singles tournament, Lewistown, Montana.
- June 20 & 27 — Massachusetts Open, West Side Courts, Route No. 20, West Springfield, Mass.
- June 26-27 — Annual Michigan Water Wonderland Open Tournament, Burr Oak, Michigan.
- June 26-27 — Tacoma Open Tournament, Wright Park, Tacoma, Washington.
- June 25-26-27 — Thresher's Open Tournament, Fairgrounds, Wauseon, Ohio, Fee \$4.00, Deadline June 12, 1970 Average.
- June 27 — Open Singles tournament, Great Falls, Montana.
- July 4 — Annual 4th of July tournament, Mound City, Missouri. Send score to Stanley Brickey, Mound City, Missouri 64470.
- July 4 — Old Fashioned 4th July, Miller Park, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
- July 3-4 — Bremerton Open Tournament, Evergreen Park, Bremerton, Washington.
- July 5 — Annual 4-State tournament, Falls City, Nebraska. Send score to Don Koso, 803 East 12th St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355.
- July 10 — Albin Days Open, entry fee \$2.00, Albin Courts, Albin, Wyoming.
- July 11 — Western Montana Doubles tournament, Big Timber, Montana.
- July 11 — Maine Open, Marcotte Park, Lewiston, Maine.
- July 12 — Winston-Salem Singles, Miller Park, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
- July 17 — Medicine Bow Open, Medicine Bow, Wyoming.
- July 17-18 — John Monasmith Open Tournament, Elks Park, Yakima, Washington.
- July 18 — Heart of America Open Tournament, Northeast Athletic Field, St. John and Belmont Streets, Kansas City Missouri. Send \$3.00 fee and score to Horace Gilmore, 2001 E. 54th Terrace, Kansas City, Missouri 64118.
- July 18 — Open Singles tournament, Helena, Montana.
- July 19 — Winston-Salem Doubles, Miller Park, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
- July 24-25 — 19th Annual Northwest Open Tournament, Ramsey County Fairgrounds, St. Paul, Minnesota. Send qualifying score and \$3.00 entry fee to: Ed Tio, 1717 Wellesley Ave., St. Paul, Minnesota 55105. Deadline, July 14.
- July 24-25 — Rocky Mountain Open, Pow Wow Park, Boulder, Colorado. 10 a.m. Saturday, through evening and Sunday about mid-afternoon. All classes, plus juniors and women. Entry fee, \$4.00, deadline entry time Thursday night, July 22. To Ted Allen, 1045 Linden Ave., Boulder, Colorado 80302.
- July 24-25 — Hill City Open, Miller Park courts, Lynchburg, Virginia.
- Aug. 1 — Open Singles tournament, Bozeman, Montana.
- August 7-8 — All-Coast Open Tournament, Vancouver, Washington.
- Aug. 8 — Annual Falls City Open tournament, Falls City, Nebraska. Send score to Don Koso, 803 East 12th St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355.
- Aug. 8 — Southern Maine Invitational, Deering Oaks, Portland, Maine. (Rain Date, Aug. 15).
- Aug. 8 — Western Mass. Invitational (Closed), West Side Courts, Route No. 20, Springfield, Mass.
- Aug. 8 — Eastern Mass. Invitational (Closed), Greater Lowell Horseshoe Pitcher's Association, Westford, Mass.
- Aug. 14 — Fremont County Tournament, City Park, Riverton, Wyoming.
- Aug. 14-15 — Tri-State Tournament, Washington Park, Laramie, Wyoming. Send \$4.00 entry fee to Harold Bindschadler, 520 South 12th St., Laramie, Wyoming 82070. Fee deadline Aug. 10.
- Aug. 14-15 — Tri-State, only Nebraska-Colorado-Wyoming, at Laramie, Wyoming. For information and details, write Harold Bindschadler, 520 So. 12th St., Laramie, Wyoming 82070.
- Colorado State Fair Open. State fairgrounds, Pueblo, Colorado. For information and details, write Russell Neher, 809 W. Bijou, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80905.

Coming Events — Continued

Aug. 15 — Annual Mound City Open tournament, Mound City, Missouri. Send score to Stanley Brickey, Mound City, Missouri 64470.

Aug. 14 or 21 — High Point Open, High Point, North Carolina.

Aug. 14-15 — Maine State Tournament, Marcotte Park, Lewiston, Maine. (Rain dates Aug. 21-22).

August 21-22 — Bellingham International Open Tournament, Cornwall Park, Bellingham, Washington.

August 21-25 — "Burning Leaves" Open, Miller Park courts, Lynchburg, Virginia.

Aug. 22 — Massachusetts State, Greater Lowell Horseshoe Pitcher's Association, Westford, Mass.

Aug. 22 — Western Montana Championships, Livingston, Montana.

August 22 — Inland Empire Invitational, Spokane, Washington.

Aug. 28 — Quincy Fall Open Tournament, Reservoir Park courts, Quincy, Illinois.

Aug. 28-29 — Raymond L. Frye Memorial Open, Winchester, Virginia.

Aug. 28-29 — Annual Nebraska State tournament, Crete, Nebraska. Players must qualify at courts in Crete on Saturday, August 28. Annual meeting and Banquet, Saturday evening.

August 28-29 — Greater Seattle Open Tournament, Woodland Park, Seattle, Washington.

Aug. 28, 29 — Southeastern, Miller Park, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Sept. — Greensboro Open, Cone Recreation Park, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Sept. — Statesville Open, Statesville, North Carolina.

Sept. 4 — Satoma. To be held in Sparks on El Rancho Drive. Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, Ladies and Juniors.

Sept. 4-5 — Annual Georgia State Tournament, For details contact Carl Garmon, Rte 2, Duluth, Georgia 30136.

Sept. 5 — Montana State Championships, Lewistown, Montana.

Sept. 5-6 — Colorado State Championship, Washington Park, Denver, Colorado. All classes, plus junior and women. Entry fee, \$4.00. Deadline entry time, Friday night, Sept. 3rd, to Ted Allen, 1045 Linden Ave., Boulder, Colorado 80302.

Sept. 5-6 — Wyoming State Tournament, City Park, Riverton, Wyoming. Entry fee deadline Aug. 29.

Sept. 4-5-6 — Washington State Tournament, Wright Park, Tacoma, Washington.

Sept. 18-19 — Annual Columbus Open Tournament, Whetstone Park courts, Columbus, Ohio. Classes A, B and C will pitch on Sept. 25 and 26.

Sept. 18-19 — Northwest Open Tournament, Elks Park, Yakima, Washington.

September 4-5-6-7 — Fulton County Fair Open Tournament, Fairgrounds, Wauseon, Ohio. Fee \$4.00, Deadline August 21, 1970 Average.

September 18-19 — Polar Bear Tournament (Sanctioned), Fairgrounds, Wauseon, Ohio. Fee \$5.00, Deadline September 10, 1970 Average.

Sept. 18 & 19 — Nevada State. To be held at the Washoe Co. fairgrounds. Classes A, B, C, D, E, Ladies and Juniors.

Oct. 9 — Dixie Classic, Fairgrounds, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

NEW JERSEY TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

May 30 — Mid-Atlantic Open, Mountain View Park, Middlesex, New Jersey.

June 13 — John Rosset Memorial Open, Warinanco Park, Elizabeth, New Jersey.

June 27 — New Jersey AAU Open, Mountain View Park, Middlesex, New Jersey.

July 11 — Essex County Anniversary, Closed, Branch Brook Park, Newark, New Jersey.

July 25 — New Jersey Open, Mountain View Park, Middlesex, New Jersey.

August 14 — Middlesex Open, Mountain View Park, Middlesex, New Jersey.

August 21 — New Jersey Senior AAU, Closed, Mountain View Park, Middlesex, New Jersey.

August 21 — New Jersey Junior Championship, Closed, Mountain View Park, Middlesex, New Jersey.

September 4 — Essex County Open, Branch Brook Park, Newark, New Jersey.

September 6 — New Jersey Singles Championship, Closed, Mountain View Park, Middlesex, New Jersey.

September 18 — New Jersey Doubles Championship, Closed, Mountain View Park, Middlesex, New Jersey.

PENNSYLVANIA SCHEDULE

May 22, 23 — Vanport Spring Warmup, Vanport, Pa. Contact David Charron, 79 A Street, Van Buren Homes, Beaver, Pa. 15009.

June 12, 13 — New Castle Spring Fling, Newcastle, Pa. Contact H. Clair Bruce, 119 Glen-Moore Blvd., New Castle, Pa. 16105.

June 19, 20 — Eastern National Tournament at Erie, Pa. Contact Joe Abbott, 5840 Peck Road, Erie, Pa. 16510.

June 26, 27 — Dormont Open at Pittsburgh, Pa. Contact Mike Riedl, 2631 Broadway Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15216.

July 10, 11 — Northwest Pa. Invitational at Glenwood Park, Erie, Pa. Contact Joe Abbott, 5840 Peck Road, Erie, Pa. 16510.

July 17, 18 — Van Buren Open at Vanport, Pa. Contact David Charron, 79 A St., Van Buren Homes, Beaver, Pa. 15009.

July 24, 25 — Pennsylvania Open at New

Cumberland, Pa. Contact Daniel Beshore, RD No. 1, New Cumberland, Pa. 17070.

Aug. 28 — Lawrence County Open at New Castle, Pa. Contact H. Clair Bruce, 119 Glen-Moore Blvd., New Castle, Pa. 16105.

Aug. 28, 29 — Erie County Tournament, Glenwood Park, Erie, Pa. Contact Joe Abbott, Erie, Pa. 16510.

Lawrence County Tournament, New Castle, Pa. Contact Opal Corbett, Evergreen Mobile Park, Rte No. 1, Edinburg, Pa. 16116. Beaver County Tournament.

Allegheny County Tournament.

Sept. 4, 5, 6 — Pennsylvania State Tournament at New Castle, Pa. In charge of Joe Abbott, State secretary or Clyde Martz.

Sept. 25, 26 — Fall Ringer Roundup at New Castle, Pa. Contact Opal Corbett, Evergreen Mobile Park, Rte No. 1, Edinburg, Pa. 16116.

Coming Events — Continued

IOWA SCHEDULE

May 23 — Des Moines, Iowa, Birdland Park, IHHPA members, Men, Juniors, Ladies if enough. Can qualify Saturday p.m. Birdland Park or mail score to Harry Savage, 902 Clinton, Des Moines, Iowa 50313 by May 21. Entry fee, \$4.00. Sanctioned.

May 30 — Osceola, Iowa, Eastside Park, Highway 34 East. Mail score to Maurice Clark, Rt. 2, Box 220, Osceola, Iowa 50213. Open, Entry fee \$3.00. Sanctioned.

June 6 — Cedar Falls, Iowa, Island Park, Open, NHPA members upper classes. Qualify till 11:30 a.m. Trophies each class. Entry fee \$3.50.

June 13 — Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Ellis Park, Iowa, Open to all. Sanctioned, NHPA card required. Qualifying till 10 a.m. Send score to Walter Krapfl, 1012 Eastern Drive, S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Entry fee \$4.00.

June 20 — Southwest Iowa Open Tournament, Legion Park courts, Red Oak, Iowa. Entry fee, \$5.00. Must be in by 9 a.m. on June 19. Finals start at 10 a.m. June 20. Mail score and percentage to: Woody Wilson, 701 Sunset, Red Oak, Iowa 51566.

June 20 — Dyersville, Iowa, Candy Cane Park, Iowa pitchers. Qualify till noon. \$1.00 qualifying fee and \$2.50 entry fee. Mail score to Walt Wedewer, 1418-1st Ave. East, Dyersville, Iowa 52040.

June 27 — South Muscatine, Iowa, Kent-Stein Park. Qualify 8:30-11:30 a.m. Entry fee, \$3.50. Open, Iowa-Illinois.

July 4 — New Sharon, Iowa, Prairie Knolls. Open. Entry fee \$3.50. Send score to Leonard Williams, New Sharon, Iowa, 50207. Trophies or cash for all classes. Food available on grounds.

July 5 — Atkins, Iowa, Iowa pitchers. Qualify till noon. Entry fee, \$2.50.

July 11 — Columbus Junction, City Park, Open. Further details later in News Digest.

July 18 — Iowa Open, Des Moines, Birdland Park. Open to all. Sanctioned. Can qualify Saturday p.m. Birdland Park or mail score to: Harry Savage, 902 Clinton,

Des Moines, Iowa 50313 by July 15. Entry fee, \$4.00.

July 26-27 — Red Oak, Iowa. Outdoor State Tournament (\$500.00), near Legion Park, south of highway 34 to Red Oak town. Details similar to Indoor State Tournament at Iowa State Fair, Des Moines, Iowa.

Aug. 1 — Burlington, Iowa Corn Belt Tournament, Crapo Park, see News Digest.

Aug. 5 — Osceola, Iowa, Clarke County Fairgrounds. Open, Entry fee, \$3.00. Send score to Maurice Clark, Rt. 2, Box 220, Osceola, Iowa 50213 now. Trophies in all classes.

Aug. 8 — Davenport, Iowa, Mississippi Valley Fair Tournament, watch News Digest.

Aug. 12 — Afton, Iowa County Fair at Fairgrounds, Open. Qualify to 11:30 a.m. Trophies each class. Entry fee, \$3.50.

Aug. 27-28 — Farmers and Ladies, Junior Boys, Iowa State Fairgrounds, Des Moines, Iowa.

Aug. 29 — Iowa State Indoor Tournament, Iowa State Fairgrounds, Des Moines, Iowa.

Sept. 5 — Ottumwa, Iowa, Riverside Park. Open. Labor Day Week-end Celebration. Qualify Saturday p.m. or mail score to: Lucille Hopkins, 124 S. Cherry, Ottumwa, Iowa 52501 by Sept 3. Entry fee \$4.00.

Sept. 6 — Anita, Iowa, Iowa pitchers, Men, and Junior Boys qualify previously or mail score to: W. W. Uhlig, Anita, Iowa 50020. Entry fee \$3.50 - men. Contact Merle Robison, Anita, Iowa 50020.

Sept. 6 — Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Ellis Park, Iowa, Open. Qualifying till 10 a.m. Sanctioned. Must have NHPA card. Mail score to Walter Krapfl, 1012 Eastern Drive, S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52401, Entry fee \$4.00.

Sept. 11-18 — Spencer, Iowa Fair, details in News Digest later.

Sept. 19 — Afton, Iowa, Open, County Fairgrounds, Mail score with \$3.50 entry fee, to: Bernard Ricker, Afton, Iowa 50830.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHEDULE

June 6 — Class C - Seaside.

June 13 — Class B - Los Gatos.

June 13 — Class E - Livermore.

June 20 — Class D - Vallejo.

June 20 — Class A (no qualifying) - San Jose.

June 26-27 — Open (Gold Country) - Grass Valley.

July 5 — (Monday) Open - Livermore.

July 11 — Class B - Mosswood.

July 18 — Open (Sonoma County Fair) - Santa Rosa.

July 25 — Class C - Vallejo.

July 25 — Class A and D (no qualifying) - San Jose.

July 31 thru August 10 — World Tournament - (New Jersey).

August 1 — Class B - Seaside.

August 7 — (Saturday) Open (Stanislaus County Fair) - Turlock.

August 8 — (Sunday) Class C and E - San Jose.

August 15 — Class A - Santa Rosa.

August 22 — Class E - Livermore.

August 29 — Open - Los Gatos.

August 29 — Open - Grass Valley Fair.

September 5-6 — California State (Men's A,

B, C) Women's, Jr. Girls, Jr. Boys - Eureka.

September 12 — Class C - Golden Gate.

September 12 — Class A - Modesto.

September 19 — Class B - Arroyo Viejo.

September 19 — Class E - Mosswood.

September 26 — Class D - Livermore.

October 3 — NCHPA Class A Championship - Arroyo Viejo.

October 10 — NCHPA Class AA Championship - Sacramento.

October 10 — NCHPA Class E Championship - Livermore.

October 16 — (Saturday) NCHPA Championship Women, Jr. Girls, Jr. Boys - Santa Rosa.

October 17 (Sunday) NCHPA Class B Championship - Santa Rosa.

October 24 — NCHPA Class C Championship - Seaside.

October 31 — NCHPA Class D Championship - San Jose.

November 7 — Open (no qualifying) Arroyo Viejo.

November 14 — Class D - Livermore.

November 21 — Turkey Shoot Open (no qualifying) - San Jose (Unofficial NCHPA tourney).

Coming Events — Continued

INDIANA TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

SEND ALL ENTRIES TO BETTY WILHOITE, 120 NORTH ALLEN DRIVE, LEBANON, INDIANA 46052. Phone 482-5937 Area Code 317 - unless otherwise noted in schedule. Entries MUST be received by midnight on deadline date. Ladies and Juniors will play at all tournaments where there are enough entries.

May 29-30 — Ben Shores Memorial at Fairview Park, Anderson. Deadline May 20. Entry fee \$4.25.

June 5-6 — Northwest Open at LaPorte. Deadline May 27. Entry fee \$4.25.

June 5-6 — George Johnson Special at Garfield Park, Indianapolis. Deadline May 27. Entry fee \$4.25.

June 12-13 — Western Indiana at Dornier Park, Frankfort. Deadline June 3. Entry fee \$4.25.

June 19-20 — Earle Wilmore Memorial at Fairview Park, Anderson. Deadline June 10. Entry fee \$4.25.

June 26-27 — Eastern Indiana at Goodrich Park, Winchester. Deadline June 17. Entry fee \$4.25.

July 3-4-5 — Boone County Open at 4-H Fairgrounds at Lebanon. Deadline June 24. Entry fee \$4.25.

July 10-11 — Clyde Green Memorial at Goodrich Park, Winchester. Deadline July

1. Entry fee \$6.25. Cash prizes and trophies.

July 17-18 — Midwest Ringer Open. Location to be announced at a later date. Deadline July 8. Entry fee \$6.25.

July 24-25 — Open date.

Aug. 14-15 — Southern Indiana at Fairgrounds in Franklin. Deadline August 5. Entry fee \$4.25.

Aug. 21-22 — Marion Open at Marion. Deadline August 12. Entry fee \$4.25.

Aug. 29 — Indiana Family Day at Fairview Park, Anderson. Left-handers, Old-timers, Father and Son, Husband and wife. Sign up at site of tournament.

Sept. 4-5-6 — Indiana State at New Albany. Floyd County Community Park. Deadline August 26. Entry fee \$6.00.

Sept. 11-12 — Indiana and Ohio Open at Heekin Park, Muncie ??? Deadline September 2. Entry fee \$6.25.

Sept. 18-19 — Autumn Open at New Albany. Floyd County Community Park. Deadline September 9. Entry fee \$4.25.

Oct. 2 — Scottsburg Open at Fairgrounds in Scottsburg. Indoor. Deadline September 23. Entry fee \$4.25.

NORTH DAKOTA SCHEDULE

June 5-6 — Hannaford Open, Hannaford, N. D. Milford Gronneberg, Hannaford, N. D., Manager.

June 12-13 — Kindred Open, Kindred, N. D. Floyd Lund, Kindred, N. D., Manager.

June 20 — Hebron Open, Hebron N. D. Norbert Underdahl, Hebron N. D., Manager.

June 27-28 — Carson Open, Carson, N. D. Chester Danzeisen, Lark, N. D., Manager.

July 3-4 — Red River Valley Open, Oak Grove Park, Fargo, N. D. Parker Kvebak, 1802 4th St., No. Fargo, N. D., Manager.

July 17-18 — Sheldon Open, Sheldon, N. D. Leo Bratland, Sheldon, N. D., Manager.

July 17-18 — Bismarck Open, Bismarck, N. D. Andrew Schroedl, 1419 16th St., Bismarck, N. D., Manager.

July 17-18 — Minot Open, Minot, N. D. Ken Newman, 422 10th Ave. S. W., Minot, N. D., Manager.

Sept. 4-5 — North Dakota State, Oak Grove Park, Fargo, North Dakota.

Sept. 6 — Sargent County Open, Forman, N. D., Harvey Peterson, Forman, N. D., Manager.

Sept. 6 — Hebron Open, Hebron, N. D., Norbert Underdahl, Hebron, N. D., Manager.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHEDULE

June 6 — Lowell Gray Open, Pomona.

June 12 — San Bernardino Doubles, San Bernardino.

June 13 — Class A & H Open, South Gate.

June 19-20 — Senior Sports International, South Gate.

June 26 — Fernando Isais Open & Boys, South Gate.

June 27 — Baldwin Park E Open, Baldwin Park.

July 3 — Semana Nautica B, Santa Barbara. July 4 — Semana Nautica AA, Santa Barbara.

July 11 — South Gate B & H Open, South Gate.

July 17-18 — Elmer Beller Open, \$700.00, South Gate.

July 25 — San Diego C and E Open, San Diego.

Aug. 8 — Al Rogers Doubles, South Gate. Aug. 22 — Baldwin Park D Open, Baldwin Park.

Aug. 29 — San Bernardino A Open, San Bernardino.

Sept. 4-5 — Ringer Round Up Handicap Open, South Gate, no qualifying. All members attending can play.

Sept. 5-6 — California State Championship, Eureka, California.

Sept. 12 — Championship B & F, South Gate.

Sept. 18 — San Diego D & F Open, San Diego.

Sept. 19 — San Diego AA & C Open, San Diego.

Sept. 26 — Championship A & G, South Gate.

Oct. 2-3 — Yucca Valley Open, \$750.00, Yucca Valley, California.

Oct. 10 — Championship C, Baldwin Park.

Oct. 17 — Championship AA & E, South Gate.

Oct. 23 — Championship H & Womens & Boys, South Gate.

Oct. 24 — Championship D, Pomona.

Oct. 31 — Gunnar Hansen A Open, Baldwin Park.

Nov. 7 — Sam Haigh C Open, San Bernardino.

Nov. 14 — John Gordon Open & 60 Years, South Gate.

Nov. 21 — Championship - Doubles, South Gate.

Jan. 16, 1972 — Annual Meeting, Baldwin Park at 1:00 p. m.

Coming Events — Continued

OREGON TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

June 5 — Lebanon Strawberry Festival, River Park, Lebanon, Oregon.

June 12 - 13 — Portland Rose Festival Open, Laurelhurst Park, Portland, Oregon. Mail \$2.00 registration fee in advance to Barry Chapelle 2716 SE 61st Ave. Portland, Oregon 97206.

June 20 — Father's Day Tournament, Bush Pasture Park, Salem, Oregon.

July 3 — Hillsboro Happy Days, Shute Park, Hillsboro, Oregon.

July 11 — Corvallis Open, Avery Park, Corvallis, Oregon.

July 17 — Vernonia Friendship Jamboree, City Park, Vernonia, Oregon.

July 31 & Aug. 1 — LaGrande Open, Riverside Park, LaGrande, Oregon.

Aug. 14 - 15 — Southern Oregon Open, Douglas County Fairgrounds, Roseburg, Oregon. Classes A, B, and C Sunday, all others Saturday.

Aug. 21 — State Doubles Championship, Polk County Fairgrounds, Rickreall, Oregon. Residents only.

Aug. 28 — Washington County Open, Shute Park, Hillsboro, Oregon.

Sept. 4 & 5 — Oregon State Tournament, River Park, Lebanon, Oregon. Residents only.

Sept. 12 — Corvallis Team Doubles, Avery Park, Corvallis, Oregon.

KENTUCKY TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Oct. 2 - 3, — Fall Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

Nov. 13 - 14 — Day-Bell Doubles Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

Dec. 4 - 5 — Winter Classic Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

Jan. 22 - 23, 1972 — Icicle Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

Feb. 19 - 20, 1972 — Valentine Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton Kentucky. (Each woman entry receives a corsage).

Mar. 11 - 12, 1972 — Harry Henn Memorial Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

April 15 - 16, 1972 — Spring Tune-Up Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

May 6 - 7, 1972 — Club Teams, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky. Clubs are invited to send in entries of four men to compete against other clubs. Watch "News Digest" for more information.

Oct. 7 - 8, 1972 — Fall Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

Nov. 11 - 12, 1972 — Day-Bell Doubles Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

Dec. 2 - 3, 1972 — Winter Classic, Open, Day-Bell courts, Dayton, Kentucky.

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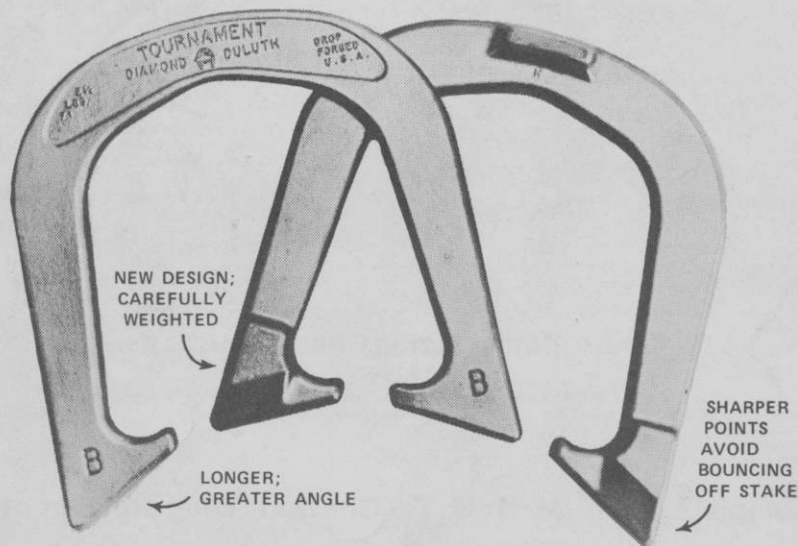
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