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TO ALL WISCONSIN HORSESHOE PITCHERS:

At the 1985 Spring Meeting, much discussion centered around various ways of creating more interest and participation in horseshoe.

A Wisconsin newspaper was suggested.

Al Lonning was asked to talk to the Minnesota Association which is currently publishing the Minnesota "Ringer Digest", and report back at the Fall Meeting.

At the Fall Meeting the newspaper subject was again discussed, and a committee of three formed to consolidate facts and report back at the 1986 Spring Meeting. The three on the committee are: Jane Smith of Balsam Lake, Rick Pritzlaff of Germantown and Al Lonning of Eau Claire.

The possibility of a Tri-State (Minnesota, Wisconsin and Upper Peninsula) paper was suggested.

Al Lonning agreed to meet again with the Publicity Directors, Lloyd and Brooks Henrikson, since they spend a great deal of time on the paper assisting Tom Yelle, the editor.

In order to determine the feasibility of a joint publication, the committee has prepared a questionnaire, which is enclosed, for all registered Wisconsin pitchers. Only eleven questions are on the form. It won't take long to fill out, so we are asking -- in fact pleading -- to all of you to complete and return it. We must know the thoughts of you, the pitchers, in order to best serve your interests.