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LAS VEGAS FUNFEST AND HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT 1994

-Jim Haupt

Karl Van Sant wins the Las Vegas Open.

Coming from the second pre-lim spot, Karl Van Sant, well known veteran "A" pitcher of Indiana, out-pointed the pre-lim winner, top seeded Russ Christopher, a 30' senior of Saskatchewan, in the last game of the step-ladder finals.

Myrna Kissick set the finals pace with high average but low on the ladder. Fellow Canadian, Marv Ellison won that pairing only to lose to California gal, Lupe Henry. She then sent Rich Pintor of Colorado down one step before being stopped herself as Van Sant protected his position.

Class "A" players' entering averages varied by more than 6% (actually 26%) therefore their games were handicapped and they scored using count-all. Last class pitchers also used the same system. Remaining classes played straight up, no handicap, cancellation. All classes pitched (a bonus this year) 40 shoes.

Pro Bowler of the Year, Walter Ray Williams Jr., led all entrants in average both entering and performance but the points he had to give caused four losses. Although he missed the finals, Williams' matches were the center of attention. ABC network had a camera crew following his every move for future national viewing. That man carries one bright torch for our game.

Three Hundred and seventy-four (374) pitchers, a full house, tossed shoes day and night, three days running in round robin preliminaries. Thursday the finalists walked through the step-ladder finish.

Las Vegas, the glamorized gaming town of the West, was the place of choice for BOO, or so, NHPA people this past January. Don Weaver and Donnie Roberts once more conducted what has become the richest money event next to the World Tournament - their 11th Annual Horseshoe Tournament in that town - the Las Vegas Funfest at the Hacienda Resort Hotel.

Pitching horseshoes in the carpeted Hacienda Hotel ballroom may seem like a pipe dream. Its possible because, thankfully, some willing pitcher-workers turn-to a few days early to set-up. Small but adequate portable pits are worked into a surrounding deck of plywood sheets. Synthetic clay 2½ inches thick cushions the landing shoe. True, it may have bounced some shoes but it is the A-1, state-of-the-art material of choice for indoor courts. Some pitchers, winners like they are, thrived, nearly equaling their entering averages. The 'clay' also served as a near perfect excuse for some of the losers.

A big red book set out for all to see. It is the NatStat bible - A two inch thick looseleaf with NHPA averages of every card carrying pitcher whose tournament results were reported. It made little difference what average entrants sent in. The proof was in the big red book. Looks like Oliver Smith has produced the forerunner of a World Tournament checklist for entering averages - very impressive.

It was horseshoes for some and fun for all. Not to separate the game from having fun but losing is not that bad in Vegas. There's plenty of time between court appearances to sample the casino games, enjoy the warm weather, the endless food, and unique shows. The Hacienda Resort Hotel was the place to get caught up in the sparkling scene.

Closing ceremonies, the banquet, provided Roberts the opportunity to thank all comers for all the ten years of participation. About twenty office people also received accolades. Special mention should go to Oliver Smith, NatStats, and Glenn Jamieson, California, stat-man, for the outstanding computer presentation. Canadians, by the ton, 48 just from Alberta, tested the photographer's wide lens in an assembled pose.

Roberts also told the story of conceiving the first Vegas tournament where he first heard of and met a local guy who liked to pitch horseshoes. From that point on the 'local guy', Don Weaver, became a force in the World Tournament, many of his own tournaments, and this, the Las Vegas Open. For eleven years of meritorious service, Weaver was awarded a hand-tooled leather shoe bag.

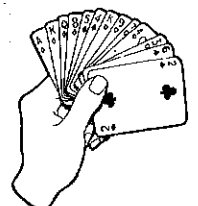
Efficiently, complete result sheets were issued only hours after Van Sant's winning double hit home. First names indicate only some of the thirty foot pitchers. Many senior men have chosen to continue pitching by opting for the shorter distance - so many that other pitchers were suggesting separate divisions.

As usual, Weaver lost his voice but said he and Roberts were meeting with the Hacienda people soon to discuss next year's Las Vegas Open. He announced the date as January 8th, 1995 but seemed cautiously indefinite.

Was it a good Time...? Ten below zero at home. Heck yes! That Vegas Fest is Fun.



LAS VEGAS



FROM THE PRESIDENT

A new membership program will get off the ground at the Spring Meeting, March 19th. A new brochure has been made³ to help all of us to get the word out as to what the WHPA and the NHPA is all about. The brochure, which has been developed and put together by Jim Haupt, contains all the needed information to get a newcomer interested in organized horseshoe. All members will be encouraged to make them available to all that show an interest, be it on the courts or family gatherings. Jim has put forth a great deal of time and effort to the project and I thank him for his work. I think when you see the brochures at the Spring Meeting, you will agree.

World Tournament news, all entries must be post marked between April 1st and May 16th. All tournament results must be in to NATSTATS by May 23rd. For tournament directors this means YOU MUST get your results to John ASAP if you have a tournament in late winter or early spring before the May 16th cut off. I would expect 75 to 100 Wisconsin pitchers in Syracuse this summer. Some may need that last tournament in May to enter so help us all out by sending in those results promptly.

SPRING MEETING As of now the only thing on the agenda will be some voting on some word changes in our Bylaws. Could be one of my shortest meetings yet. But, I doubt it. This is the time for you to voice YOUR OPINION. Hope to see many of you at the meeting.

WHPA President, Dick Hansen

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INDIANA INDOOR COURTS

BY RALPH MAYLAHN

This was my first visit to Jim Shilling's layout in Spencerville, IN. As it turned out, the other contestants gave me an early Christmas present.

Shilling has a great horseshoe set-up, built largely by himself and his two sons, six courts, set in concrete, with Chenoa clay. Plenty of room between courts and on spectator end. About 100 pitchers are involved in league play. Heat is supplied by a very economical and ingenious method. The heating unit is an old fashioned pipeless furnace with four flues generated by burning wood, trash, hay, etc.

Jim says the layout cost him only \$35,000, don't know how he could do it. The courts are located on Jim's property in rural country about 12 miles northeast of Fort Wayne. Tournaments are held monthly through March, 1994.

Shilling uses Walter Ray Williams Jr.'s computer program used at World Tourneys. A few minutes after the class is completed each player gets a printout of the class with individual stats for each player. Shilling says he has very little time to pitch these days, between league organization, tournaments and court maintenance (he is still working, plans to retire soon) the courts demand a lot of his time.

GROUP A CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

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| 1. Ralph Maylahn, WI | 7-0 74.0 |
| 2. Mark Seibold, IN | 6-1 80.1 |
| 3. Amy Brown, OH | 4-3 61.3 |

THE TOLL OF TIME

Henry Bartel, 89 of Wautoma died Dec. 6, 1993 at the Wautoma Care Center. Henry was a WHPA Hall of Famer, inducted in 1983. He was a great promoter for horseshoes.

Most people will remember Henry and his wife, Violet in recent years when the state meetings were held in Wautoma. Henry made all the arrangements for the meetings at the bank, always there to greet us and stayed throughout to help in any way.

Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Violet, a son and daughter, grandchildren and a great-granddaughter.

WISCONSIN GAMBLERS GO TO VEGAS

The Wisconsin Badgers win the Rose Bowl and suddenly lots of people want to march with the band. Just go out of state and you'll buy a badger sweatshirt too. We saw a few at the Las Vegas Open early January.

Dick Hansen was there early to work the tournament and attend an NHPA executive board meeting later in the week. He and the Tomahawk Hansen, Mike, pitched the same class. Mike just missed the cash line but Dick was closer to the bottom.

Randy Rein, WHPA State Champion, was the great Wisconsin hope. He was the second seed, next to Walter Ray and after the first day was looking good. Although Rein and Karl Van Sant tied their pre-lim game, the second day put the finals out of reach. Rein finished near mid-class, just out of the money.

Arthur DeRusha, from Eau Claire maybe, (with Bob Anderson) made his mark in class "Q". Entered with 12%, but pitched 20% in the finals going home with fourth place money. Bob Anderson, (we know he's from Eau Claire) pitched the same class but wound up on the other end.

Cecilia Trossen of Suring played in Class "N" finishing first in the second half of her class - no cash again.

Ken Kosky, Schofield, beat the pre-lim winner, Pat Prestige of Illinois in his last game. Kosky also finished first in the lower half of Class "M". (It means Kosky led the no-cash part of his class.) Leo Propp of Pardeeville and Bob Traber of Cedarburg duelled for the bottom of the same class, "M".

Tom Cutts, Janesville/Apache Junction, AZ, had the enviable position of 11th in class "L" - last position paid!

Teresa Donar, Cuba City, played class "H" and cashed in 8th place - 2nd best finisher from Wisconsin.

Jim Haupt, 15th in class "G" and it doesn't stand for Good.

How did you do it Art DeRusha? No one else from Wisconsin pitched their average!

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MAR 19 SPRING MEETING TOURNEY; PLOVER; INDOOR \$15
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APR 9-10 1994 ARENA OPEN: INDOOR \$15
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APR 24 BELOIT ENCORE; (indoor), Telfer \$15
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APR 29-30 MAY 1 TEAM-WORLD; Telfer, Beloit \$200/team
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JUNE 11-12 EAU CLAIRE OPEN \$13
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JUNE 18-19 MUSKEGO OPEN \$15
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AUG 20 ASHLAND OPEN Marengo \$12
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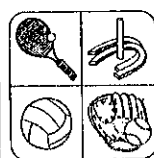
SEPT 3-4-5 WHPA STATE TOURNAMENT; EAU CLAIRE
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DOWN AND BACK

by Jim Haupt

I REMEMBER WHEN...

An excerpt from the Missouri Horseshoe News written by Earl Winston, a longtime member and 1st vice president of the NHPA.

In the early 1950's, on-site qualifying of pitching 100 shoes was standard practice at most tournaments in the central mid-western states. Most tournament directors offered the option of paying an additional entry fee and pitching a second 100 shoes for qualifying, with the pitcher selecting his choice of the two scores. Pitchers always chose the higher score. The qualifying fees were usually added to any cash prizes that might be involved, although most awards were trophies or medals.

In 1952, as president of the Missouri Horseshoe Pitcher's Association, I arrived at our State Tournament and found that pitchers were paying for three chances instead of two. I immediately asked the state secretary, in charge of stats, what was going on. The reply was that the Association vice president had been unhappy with his first two qualifying scores. So as senior officer present, he just declared that everyone could have three chances to qualify and that would increase the prize fund. The secretary had been unable to persuade him any differently, so that rule was enacted at the site of the State Tournament with qualifying already underway.

I probably don't have to tell you that this rule was never used again and the vice president served only one term in office. Sometimes strange things happen in the sport of horseshoes.

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Who lives who has not seen Michael Jordan and dueling for a "Big Mac", calling those dreamland shots like, "Off the wall, over the expressway, through the window - nothing but net". Now they have the place-kickers doing it. "Off the stone guy..."

Keep dreaming... Kevin Cone and Alan Francis are on the court. In the background, a MacDonald's quick meal awaits on the bench. Cone's first shoe has perfectly encircled the pin spinning four times as it settled to the clay. Francis propositions Cone, "Over the clothesline, through the trees, two 'n three-quarter reverse turn, - nothing but stake!" Betcha an order of fries he makes it.

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**TEAM WORLD TOURNAMENT
APRIL 29 & 30, MAY 1
TELFER PARK, BELOIT**

JANUARY AT ARENA

by Harry Nelson

The 1994 Freezeroo was an appropriate name for Ron Berg's horseshoe tournament January 8th & 9th. When I was driving to Arena about 6:30 Saturday morning, it was nine degrees below zero. My horseshoes were so cold I used gloves while warming up.

You could tell some planning had been done when two (2) scorekeepers were on each pit at starting time. When Ron received a few phone calls from some pitchers about not getting a schedule or receiving one back that was torn in half, he called the post office and was told an automatic mail sorter does that sometimes.

Ron found out there was a lot of work in putting on a tournament but everything seemed to run pretty smooth. Only about four pitchers out of ninety did not show up. Good job - well done, Ron.

HORSESHOES AND ARM WRESTLING

BY LORRAINE STERNBERG

It was a double first for junior, Penny Steinke, at the Freezeroo Tournament in Arena. Not only did Penny take a first in the junior division in horseshoes, she also received a first in the arm wrestling tournament that was going on at the multi sport facility.

The Arena team needed another girl and Penny fit that spot. This was a new sport for Penny so she had a quick lesson from her team captain. There were lots of horseshoe pitchers cheering her on along with her team members.

After it was over she was already talking about what she would do different the next time. The Arena team placed first and all the team members received a trophy. We were very proud of her.



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LOVAAS	KEN	BELOIT	2	30.26	MALICKI	TREVOR	CALEDONIA	2	19.15
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ECKSTROM	GEORGE	GILMAN	4	29.88	WEGNER	KARL	MILWAUKEE	5	18.78
BAKER	ORVILLE	PLATTEVILLE	8	29.77	HANSEN	DAVID	FOND DU LAC	3	18.20
BERG	RONALD	BARNEVELD	4	29.55	MACKAY	DICK	GERMANTOWN	3	18.13
BURNS	RUSSELL	JANESVILLE	6	29.47	COLTON	GARY	FOND DU LAC	4	17.77
PARENT	JACK	SOMERSET	2	29.44	JAKEL	JIM	SCHOFIELD	3	17.77
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WOODARD	DUANE	BELOIT	3	24.73					
SALMELA	AL	EAGLE	3	24.71					
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HAMMER	BUD	JANESVILLE	2	23.53					
LUETY	STAN	BELOIT	4	23.47					
JOHNSON	ARCHIE	BROTHERTON	2	22.95					
LOOK	FRANK	OAK CREEK	3	22.87					
GUSNER	KIP	BELOIT	6	22.86					
REHM	ROBERT	EAU CLAIRE	2	22.41					
ZAMZOW	LEO	MARKESAN	2	22.40					
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SIIRA	GEORGE	COLGATE	2	22.18					

JUNIORS

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WHPA SPRING MEETING
SATURDAY, MARCH 19TH

1:00 P.M.
ROYAL WOOD
PLOVER

WHPA HALL OF FAME

BY SUSIE PRITZLAFF

At the WHPA meeting this March, myself and the Hall of Fame committee will select a person(s) to be inducted into our Hall of Fame this fall. We have just a few people in our file at this time. There are many people in our state that should be nominated. I've been on this committee for a long time and each year, one or two are nominated and some years none. Take some time to think about this. There is someone in your club or league who is very active in promoting the sport of horseshoe or someone who has excelled with their horseshoe pitching ability. They do not have to be "over the hill" to be in the Hall of Fame.

We need their name, address and history.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: We will have our meeting, 12:00 PM, at Plover on Saturday, March 19th.

SEND NOMINATIONS TO:

Susie Pritzlaff
W204 N11912 Goldendale Rd.
Germantown, WI 53022

The popular horseshoe house at Arena, Wisconsin, known as the 'Sandbar', is on the State Schedule four times this coming year with four different host-directors. Each tournament is NHPA sanctioned.

The indoor season, October through April, is seven months - the larger part of the year. Like many a pitcher's game; we are off more than we are on. Three of the seven months, November, December, and March, are without sanctioned tournaments.

Just to keep things moving along between Sandbar tournaments, a few individuals regularly run some Saturday doubles events. The format changes from time to time but it usually allows for 32 to 36 pitchers to get a crack at the courts for three or four hours and provides some highly entertaining and interesting competition.

Its getting easier to break into the list of regular pitchers for the Saturday doubles, Not everybody wants to pitch every event. There are some openings. Call Tip Wipperfurth, 608-849-4655 or Carl Gilbertson, 608-929-7668. They have the place reserved on various occasions for the next two months.

Tip's doubles will happen January 15th and 23rd. Carl's, usually 80% doubles, will go January 29th and February 26th. Dates sometimes change. Best bet is to call.

See your State Schedule for an Arena NHPA tournament in January, February, and April.

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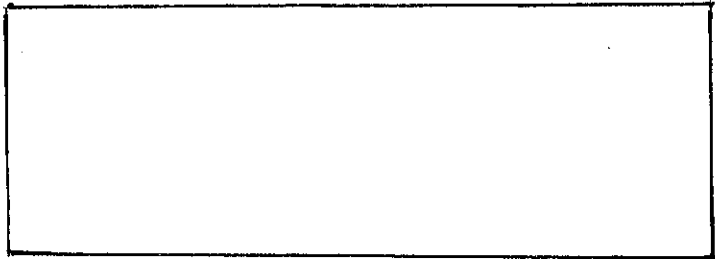
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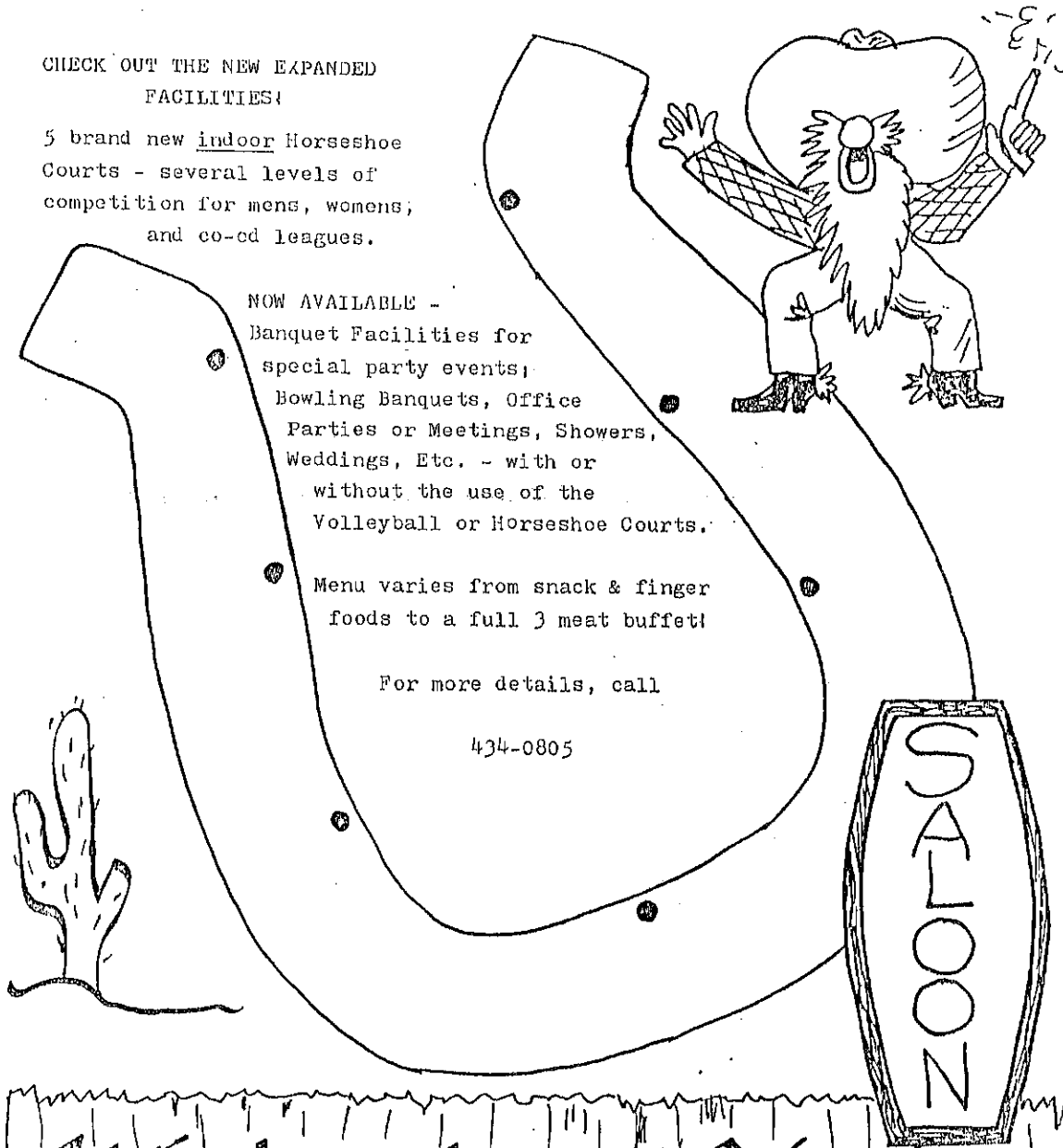
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