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DALE MUNROE NEW CRIBBAGE WORLD EDITOR

Beginning with the February issue of the Cribbage World, your new editor will be Dale Munroe of Unionville, CT. For the past 2 years and 5 months it has been a pleasure serving the members of the American Cribbage Congress as your editor. My wife Elda, my son Mark and I, Bob Madsen, have learned many things regarding the publishing and printing of a monthly newsletter. We have received many fine compliments for which we are very grateful and we have also received some constructive criticism from which we tried to learn. We are thankful to Dale for volunteering to take on this task and we wish him all the success in the world.

All further news items that any of the members of the Congress may write and want published should be sent to Dale Munroe, 109 River Rd., Unionville, CT 06085. Dale can be reached at (203) 673-4007. Good luck Dale.

We wish to thank all of the people who have contributed to the Cribbage World and we hope that you will continue to help your new editor as you have helped us in the past.

All tournament reports must be sent to Jim Fabian and all correspondence regarding the Secretary-Treasurer of the American Cribbage Congress shall continue to be sent to Bob Madsen, P.O. Box 48893, Niles, IL 60648.

WINE VALLEY CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT SEPT. 28, 1985 NAPA, CA

Tournament director Jack Monroe tells us that 141 eager players turned out at the Town and Country Fairgrounds for this event. The cribbage players enjoyed the cribbage and the wine tasting that went on as the day progressed. Good fun was had by everyone who attended.

All of the top 4 players were from California. Taking first place was Nancy Harris from Vacaville. She outlasted Jesse Jarrell from Pittsburg. Finishing in the 3rd spot was Frank Zabrowski from Monterey who is the director of the Pacific Coast Tourney which was held Sept. 7th. He nosed out Morton Dibble of Alameda who finished 4th. There were no reported 28 hands.

SIERRA NEVADA CRIBBAGE FEST OCT. 26-27, 1985 SPARKS, NV

Karl's Casino was the setting for this Octoberfest of cribbage under the directorship of Bill Irons. 98 participants attended with Jeff Monroe of Concord, CA finishing first and J. Michael Weger of Tahoe Vista, CA in second. Mike Paborski was third place winner over Jerry Olsen of Sparks.

The consolation tournament had 48 players with an all California finish. Jesse Jarrell, of Pittsburg, who had taken 2nd place at the Wine Valley on Sept 28th, took first place over Nick Ayoob of Quincy. In 3rd was George McLeod, Willows, with Steve Harding of Graeagle finishing 4th. No 28 hands were reported.

MINNESOTA VALLEY OPEN OCT. 26, 1985 CHASKA, MN

Joan and Jim Rein welcomed 102 cribbage players to the VFW in Chaska. Returning to defend his first place win of a year ago was Gene Biegler of West Bend, WI but Gene had to be content with second place as Ray Jones of Prescott, WI snatched the first place honors. Third and fourth were taken by Minnesotans Bonnie Jennie of Chaska and Gregg Trytten of Albert Lea.

It was an all Minnesota finish in the consolation event. Ike Rutherford of Maplewood was first over Frank Trojan of St. Paul. Third place was won by Gene Bristol of Mound with Tammy Thaemert of Moundsview coming in fourth. No 28 hands were reported.

DANTE WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS TOURNAMENT NOV. 3, 1985 W. SPRINGFIELD, MA

Tournament director George Bickford was deligated to report the largest attendance at a Dante Club Tourney thus far and a payback of 96%. From a field of 160 players, Lelia Devereaux of Somerville, MA emerged victorious over James Herbik from Stafford Springs, CT. Third place was won by Al Miller of Nashua, NH and fourth was Romolo Picciarda of Mansfield, MA.

The consolation contest drew 106 peggers with two players from Schenectady, NY battling for top honors. Jacque Briskie bested Rod Hosler in the match for first and second while John Marston of Norton. MA won over Arthur Martin of Northboro for third and fourth.

This tournament produced two 28 hands over the weekend of play. These hands were received by Helen Bossard of Albany, NY and Francis Gillis of Millis, MA. George asked us to announce a doubles tourney on Feb. 1 at the Dante Club. It is not sanctioned by the Congress.

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GREAT PLAINS FALL CLASSIC NOV. 3,1985 LINCOLN, NE

Jack Wunderlich, the tournament director for this 4 time a year get-together, reported 92 players attended the fall classic at the Airport Inn in Lincoln. A local player, Mickey Griffin of Lincoln, took the top nonors by defeating Bill Gandy of Sioux City, IA. Another Lincolnite, Victor Seidell, beat out Charlene Rea, Sioux City, for 4th place.

Three Nebraskans took the top 3 spots in the consolation tournament. Walter Mack of Omana edged out Bill Krause of Seward to take 1st place. Marv White of Lincoln nosed out a tough Des Moines, Ia. player, Alan Lichty, for 3rd place.

There were no 28 hands reported. Jack is preparing for his next date on February 2, 1986 at the same place.

RIVER CITY CRIBBAGE CLASSIQUE NOV. 9-10, 1985 LA-CROSSE, WI.

It was the ladies turns to take top honors at the Ramada Inn in La Crosse, the site of this popular Wisconsin tournament. Dick and Barb Sjolander did their usual fine job running this affair. A familiar name on the midwest trail, Barbara Buntrock of Cedarburg, WI, walked off with 1st place. She beat Leonard Davy of Madison. 3rd place was captured by Herb Arndt of Luck, WI over Nancy Welch.

The ladies continued their domination in the consolation as Joy Jerdee of Robbinsdale, MN defeated Betty (what's ner name) Ward from Menominee Falls for the first place honors. Our famous President, Joe Wergin, took 3rd place from Walt Chowanec, of Milwaukee, who was 4th. There were no 28 hands.

A SPECIAL NOTE

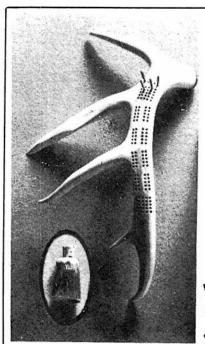
In the December issue of the Cribbage World we inadvertently reported the winners of the consolation tournament at the Colorado Championship in Boulder on Oct. 28, 1985. That portion of the tourney was not sanctioned because there were no playoffs.

FLORIDA OPEN CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT NOV. 23-24,-1985 KISSIMMEE, FL

We received this tournament report from Haley Johnson who tells us that Jim Arblaster was in the hospital. We nope everything is okay with Jim and wish him a speedy recovery. It seems that Joe Seigle likes to get out of the cold weather in Coventry, CT, get down to Florida and win cribbage tournaments. Joe not only was the top qualifier, he also took 1st place over Lindsay Peever of Waynesville, NC. Luis Lizarribar came down from Martinez, GA to take 3rd place from Howard Burman of Hollywood, FL.

The consolation was won by Russ Cummings, the director of the Portside Open. Russ is from Portsmouth, VA. He topped Jim Shea of Shalimar, FL. Taking 3rd place was Woody Stokes of Ellenton, FL and 4th was won by Howard Moran of Ft. Walton Beach.

Joe Seigle not only won the main tournament, he also got a 28 hand as did Jasper Nichols of Orlando, FL.



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MASTER POINTS

With the new reporting system that the American Cribbage Congress installed this year, there have been some misunderstandings regarding what must be reported by tournament directors. Most of the time directors have been quickly and efficiently sending in their reports along with their sanctioning fees. Because the reports are not complete, master points cannot be awarded. Those people that have master points coming from tournaments that have not been fully reported will receive them shortly. Please be patient. Tournament directors have been notified and are diligently trying to update their reports.

The master points shown below include all tournaments thru December 31, 1985 except the following:

Wine Valley	Napa, CA	Sept. 28,	1985
Sierra Nevada	Sparks, NV	Oct. 25-26,	1985
Great Plains	Lincoln, NE	Nov. 3,	1985
River City	LaCrosse, WI	Nov. 9-10,	1985
Ann Arbor	Ann Arbor, WI	Dec. 1,	1985

WESTERN REGION

1.	JOE LUSIGNAN	Salinas, CA	228
2.	SCOTT KOOISTRA	Yankton, SD	196
3.	DELYNN COLVERT	Missoula, MT	172
4.	LESTER MILLS	Napa, CA	168
5.	DICK MURPHY	Incline Village, NV	166
6.	JUDY THOMAS	Sunnyvale, CA	160
7.	LAWRENCE TOMKO	Littleton, CO	154
8.	NICK AYOOB	Quincy, CA	132
9.	BILL CARNEY	Hayward, CA	128
10.	DAVE NASH	Kennewick, WA	128
11.	BUTCH KELSO	Baker, OR	123
12.	COSTY HADDAD	Aurora, CO	117
13.	JESSE JARRELL	Pittsburg, CA	107
14.	JERRY BLACKMAN	San Jose, CA	106
	MARY CORNWELL	Sunnyvale, CA	106
16.	STEVE SIMMONS	Denver, CO	104
17.	GORDON DRUMMOND	Cove, OR	100
	WALTER ROGERS	Buellton, CA	100
19.	GARY MORAN	Jordan Valley, OR	96

20.	BART HURLEY	Hayward, CA	94		
1000 CO	LEO MIGHT	Missoula, MT	94		
	DONALD WIGGIN	Vallejo, CA	94		
23.	DICK STRONG	Billings, MT	91		
	BILL HILL	Hermiston, OR	88		
	MIKE KUVAAS	Stayton, OR	88		
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	EAST	PERN REGION			
1.	LELIA DEVEREAUX	Somerville, MA	210		
2.	ALBERT MILLER	Nashua, NH	188		
3.	ROMOLO PICCIANDRA	Mansfield, MA	163		
4.	ED BERHAUPT	Schenectady, NY	150		
5.	FRAN GILLIS	Millis, MA	146		
	HARRY MOLLOY	Milford, MA	140		
7.	GEORGE BICKFORD	Hartford, CT	136		
8.	FRANK O'CONNOR	Dednam, MA	132		
	JOE RYAN	Columbia, SC	120		
	LEON PACKARD	Fayville, MA	114		
	HARRY PALMER	E.Springfield, MA	113		
	AL DINWOODIE	Slocum, RI	112		
13.	JOE SEIGLE	Coventry, CT	108		
14.	MARCO AMATO	W.Springfield, MA	102		
	CORINNE MOORE	Westminster, MA	99		
	RICHARD LAFERRIERE	Windosky, VT	96		
300	STUART STROMBERG	W.Springfield, MA	88		
	DONNA DOOLITTLE	Bristol, CT	82		
19.	WALTER SWEENEY	S.Burlington, VT	79		
20.	TED MONROE	Honea Path, SC	76		
	MAURICE RAMSAY	Avon, MA	76		
	JACQUE BRISKIE	Amsterdam, NY	73		
23.	HOWARD BURMAN	Hollywood, FL	72		
	PAUL CORMIER	Marlboro, ,MA	72		
25.	LINDSAY PEEVER	Orlando, FL	66		
MIDWEST REGION					
	MIKE LIPINSKI	Mundelein, IL	300		
	MICK MICHAELIS	Marinette, WI	243		
	BUD ATKINSON	N. Chicago, IL	228		
	DENNIS HANNA	Albert Lea, MN	203		
	ART BOYCE	Madison, WI	197		
6.	TED KLIORA	N. Cnicago, IL	182		
7.	BOB MADSEN	Cnicago, IL	180		
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MIDWEST REGION (cont.)

8.	RAY JONES	Prescott, WI	166	
9.	SYL LULINSKI	LaGrange Park, IL	151	
10.	BARBARA BUNTROCK	Cedarburg, WI	148	
11.	GRACE CUMMINGS	Madison, WI	146	
12.	RUSS LARKIN	Mantomedi, MN	145	
13.	FRED KATZUNG	Milwaukee, WI	138	
	JIM REIN	Carver, MN	132	
15.	GENE BIEGLER	West Bend, WI	130	
	GERALD GRUBER	Minneapolis, MN	125	
	HARRY RIEHLE	Germantown, WI	118	
	GREG TRYTTEN	Albert Lea, MN	99	
19.	CARL SCHROEDER	Appleton, WI	98	
	RAPHAEL STATZ	Cross Plains, WI	98	
21.	AL BOOTH	Col. Hgts., MN	97	
	JAMES SHAFFER	Milladore, WI	95	
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Because of President Joe Wergin's recent eye surgery we have no grass roots news but we do have standings for the Saturn and Jupiter Divisions top ten.

SATURN DIVISION JUPITER DIVISION 1. Bud Bishop Prineville, OR 1.Gil Tollen Bend, OR 2.Mary Riggs Hermiston, OR 2.Len Davy Madison. WI 3. John Crouch DesMoines, IA 3. Roberta Dyer Bend, OR 4.Dan Mills Prineville, OR 4.Sue Snyder Bend, OR 5. Pat Weaverline Mesa. AZ 5. Fred Tilker Madison, WI 6. John Tilker Madison, WI 6.Jerry Gagnon Orlando, FL 7. Frank Schweig Cry. Lake, IL 7.Bo Van Orsow Bend, OR 8. Snamus O'Connor Hambrg, NY 8. Ray Statz Madison, WI 9. Larry Loupee DesMoines, IA 9. Marg. Williams Bend. OR 10. Ginny Hoover Orlando, FL 10. Vince Capaul Madisn, WI

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JAN. 18-19: 3rd Georgia Open, V.F.W. Post 3200, Augusta, GA. Entry fee: \$37.00 incl lunch. For info contact Ken Cambell, Georgia Open, 83 Lee Drive, Modoc SC 29838. Early bird Friday night.

JAN. 25-26: Rocky Mountain Cribbage Champ. Littleton Elks Club, 5749 S. Curtice, Littleton, CO. Entry \$26.00. For info contact Dick Graham, 300 E. Hampden, Englewood, CO or call: (303) 781-7854.

JAN 31: Karl's Silver Club, Sparks, NV by invitation only for the top master point finishers during the past 3 years. There is a close out date of Jan. 15. ADVANCED ENTRY IS REQUIRED. Get entries in now!!!!!!!

FEB. 1-2: Western Open, Karl's Silver Club, Box 3567, Sparks, NV. Entry:\$43.00. Entry closing date is Jan. 29, 1985. ADVANCED ENTRY IS REQUIRED. No walk-ins will be accepted. Call Bill Irons (702) 358-4916 for info.

FEB. 8-9: Fairfield Cribbage Tour. Senior Center, 1200 Civic Center Dr, Fairfield, CA. Entry fee: \$41.00 incl coffee & lunch. Contact; George Halterman, 1314 Astoria Circle, Fairfield, CA 94533.

FEB. 8-9: Florida Cribbage Classic at Quality Inn East. Entry: \$36.00 incl. lunch. Friday nite earlybird Sat.nite special and consolation. For info write to Florida Crib. Assoc. P.O.Box 565, Kissimmee, FL 32741. FEB. 22: Fifth Annual Willows Tournament at the Willows Elks Club, Willows, CA. For info contact Carl E. Martens at P. O. Box 666, Willows, CA 95988.

FEB. 23: Central New England Open at the Marlboro Moose Lodge, Fitchburg St., Marlboro, MA. Contact Paul Cormier at 28 Wasnington St., Marlboro, MA.,01752 or call Paul at (617) 485-4252.

MARCH 1: Super Bowl of Cribbage at the Santa Maria Elks Lodge, Santa Maria, CA. Entry fee: \$75.00 which includes coffee, lunch, dinner and awards. Contact Butch Reynolds, 884 Blake St., Santa Maria, CA 93455.

MARCH 15-16: Warren Swett Memorial Tour. at American Legion Post 171, Crystal Lake, IL. Entry:\$35.00 incl. lunch on Sat. For info call John Swett (815) 459-4276 or Ralph Madsen (815) 459-2713. 8:00 earlybird Fri.Nt.

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