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## DEEP FREEZE CAN'T COOL CRIBBAGE CONTENDERS

Despite remarkably cold weather loyal cribbage enthusiasts continued their activities in hot competition in leagues and tournaments across the country. Each event brings new members to the Congress and we are grateful to the tournament directors as well as the recruiters who are spreading the news of the American Cribbage Congress.

The leading recruiters to date are headed by our diligent President Joe Wergin of Madison who continues to find new players in Wisconsin, enlisting 84 new members through his "GRASS ROOTS" program. Edward "Ned" O'Brien of South Burlington, VT, who has single-handedly put Vermont in the top ten states with recruitment of 72 new members is followed by Jim Arblaster of Kissimmee who has directed his energies to recruitment since stepping down from the secretary's post and has successfully brought 34 Floridians into membership in the Congress. Rhode Island's membership has increased by the efforts of Al Dinwoodie who has signed up 31 new peggers. Keep those new memberships coming, the Guy Pence Award awaits the top recruiter.



L. to R. Roderick O'Connor, Nelson Ira Pendergast, A. Was'ko

### TOP VOLUNTEER

Nelson Ira Pendergast was recently honored with the James Park Silver Tray Award by the Veterans Administration Medical Center Hospital in Albany, NY for 20,000 hours of volunteer service to hospitalized veterans. One of the activities he organized is a daily cribbage tournament among the veterans. His December 26, 1983 marked the 300th event. His untiring efforts have brought many members to the Congress but more than that have brought much enjoyment and comradeship to the veterans he serves. We salute his spirit of good fellowship and commend his interest in furthering the game of cribbage.

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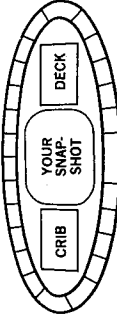
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We regretfully announce the resignation of Robert Read of Winter Garden, FL. who has been assistant secretary and stacion for master points since the adoption of the system. We will sorely miss his expertise and heartily thank him for his diligencé in the past. Perhaps he will have more time and opportunity now to pursue some master points himself on the tournament trail. Good Luck, Robert and thank you again for all your hard work and past effort for the congress.

Your editors are grateful to Jim Fabian, Syl Lulinski, Ralph Madsen and John Swett for their generous help in assembling, inserting, labeling and sorting the editions of the Cribbage World requiring extra handling. Thanks guys!

SIXTH ANNUAL ROCKY MOUNTAIN CHAMPIONSHIP  
JAN. 21-22, 1984 LITTLETON, CO.

The Littleton Elks Club was the site of this singles and pairs tournament sponsored by the Arapahoe Sertoma Club. In the singles competition on Saturday, Burt Mugavero of Denver, CO defeated Dick Graham of Englewood, CO for the championship. Dennis Bettridge of Denver won third place over Dr. Mike Stevens of Salt Lake City, UT. Consolation honors on Saturday afternoon were all taken by Coloradans. In first place was Vaughn Trolinger of Boulder, followed by Steve Goode of Denver in second with Iris Fuller of Denver and Trish McConnell of Fort Collins placing third and fourth.

On Sunday, the Pairs competition was won by the team of Dick Graham and Dick Konecne over Lee Franklin of Aurora, CO and Iris Fuller. Rick Jacobus with Harlan Townsend were third place victors over Jack Larsen and Dick Pasternak. The next Arapahoe Sertoma sponsored cribbage tournament will be the Fifth Annual Sertoma Cribbage Classic to be held at the Great Western Trading Post, Littleton, CO on Saturday, April 28th and Sunday, April 29th. Dick Graham will be tournament director for this event as he has been for past Sertoma events.

ELKHART LAKE CRIBBAGE CLASSIC \*\*\*  
JANUARY 15, 1984 ELKHART LAKE, WISC.

Directors Doug Davidson and Gene Biegler welcomed 110 hearty cribbage players from three states to their first tournament held at the Anchor Lanes in Elkhart Lake. Despite freezing temperatures this one day event was well attended. Bob McCabe of Brown Deer, WI managed to overcome Leo Schwedrsky of Lyndon Station, WI to capture first place. Bob Madsen of Chicago, IL nosed out Dan Weir of Greendale, WI for third place.

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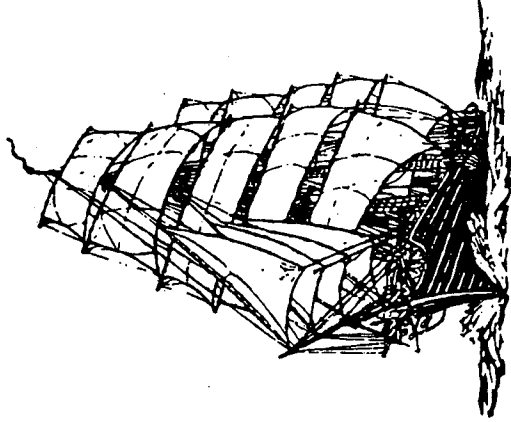
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There were two 28 hands. One by Rudy Rauen the other by Harvey Cohen.

**IN MEMORIAM**

Lucille Stickfort of Independence, IA, wrote with the news of the passing of Lena Mae Kelley on Dec.12,1983 in Independence. "Kelley", as she was known familiarly, was a charter member of the Congress and a vigorous competitor on the midwest tournament trail. She will be missed.

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