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\*Indicates a new Field Record listed herein; \*\*indicates a new American Record. Field records are not noted at first year contests.

MEMBERSHIP AND DUES: Inasmuch as the NASGA is still a very small organization with limited to there will be no reminder of subscription renewal except for this request to please check ye ecords and send in your \$5.00 membership fee if you haven't paid for the coming year.

REPORTING: All Canadian, U.S. and Foreign results are welcome and will be reported. It is very much desired that all results contain at least three deep in each Event. Also, only Heavy Events are of interest (except for special strength events).

GAMES CHAMPIONSHIPS: The object of Scottish Games Heavy Events particiation is to score as many points per event as possible in order to win the overall Games championship or Athlete of the Day honors. Events are usually scored 6-4-3-2-1 or many times 5-4-3-2-1. At some contests with numerous qualified competitors, one or two more places may be added to each Event. A minimum of five Scottish Heavy Events must be contested.

In 1979 MASGA reported thirty-one Games which included Heavy Events. This is an increase of fifteen Games over the last two years.

Of this year's Games, twenty-four were major championships involving three or more athletes with experience in the Scottish Heavy Events. Nineteen of the major Games were won by Fred Vaughan (South Carolina), Brian Oldfield (California), and Dave Harrington (Quebec).

Oldfield won six championships including the U.S. Heptathlon Championship at Alexandria, VA, and the Canadian Heavy Events Championship at Fergus, Ontario. He tied with Grant Anderson (Dundee, Scotland) for the U.S. Heavy Events Championship at Santa Rosa, CA. Vaughan won ten championships over the ten month season and Harrington won two.

her major Games winners were Tice (Fresno, CA), Short (Winston-Salem, NC), McComas (wille, MD), Shelton (Santa Clara, CA), Ross (Santa Rosa, CA) and Milligan, (Ontario); one each.

#### (+ Indicates a major Games in which three or more experienced Heavies competed.)

+1/13	Orlando, Fl Fred Vaughan	9/4	Maxville, Ont Dave Harrington
<u>.</u>	Dunedin, Fl Keith Tice	8/5	Montreal, Que. Stewart Watson
+,	Scottsdale, AZ Dick Shelton	+9/5	San Diego, CA Brian Oldfield
+4,	Jacksonville, FL Fred Vaughan	+8/11	Fergus, Ont Brian Oldfield
4/28	Houston, TX Douglas Gana	8/11	Golden, CO Pete Hoyt
+5/5	Savannah, GA Fred Vaughan	+8/25	Stow, OH Brian Oldfield
5/12	Pr. Frederick, MD Michael Reid	+8/25	Windsor, Ont Mike Milligan
5/2	Georgetown, Ont Dave Theriault	+9/1&2	Santa Rosa, CA Grant Anderson &
+6/9	Fair Hill, MD Fred Vaughan		Brian Oldfield
+6/16	Port Elgin, Ont Dave Harrington	+9/1	Altamont, NY Ron SHORT
+6/16	Devon, PA Fred Vaughan	+9/8	Ligonier, PA Fred Vaughan
+6/30	E. Stroudsburg, PA Ed McComas	+9/15	Charleston, SC Fred Vaughan
+7/7	Ft. Ticonderoga, NY Dave Harrington	+9/29	Fresno, CA Brian Oldfield
+7/14	Grandfather Mountain, NC Fred Vaughan	+10/6	Red Springs, NC Fred Vaughan
7/15	Brantford, Ont Mike Milligan	+10/20	Stone Mountain, Ga Fred Vaughan
+7/28	Alexandria, VA Brian Oldfield	+10/20	Campbell, CA Brian Oldfield

## GAMES (AUGUST - OCTOBER)

## 1. Maxville Glencarry Games, Maxville, Ontario, Canada, August 4, 1979.

All Heavy Events were added to the Games format this year except the HAMMER. This was the first time in recent history that Maxville held most of the Events.

A field of fourteen throwers, including several promising newcomers assembled for the afternoon contest. Led by Dave Harrington of Old Chelsea, Quebec, the athletes awed and entertained the crowd (estimated at 30,000) with their strength and, in the case of some of he novices, their fouls over the trig.

on Bond and his group of officials are to be congratulated for a successful first effort at bringing the Heavy Events to Maxville.

80° - partly cloudy, dry field. Results submitted by Dave Harrington.

22# STONE	56 <b>#</b> ™T	22LB HAMMER	28LB WEIGHT
D. Harrington38'3"	D. Harrington33'	(Exhibition)	D. Harrington66'11"
S. Watson32'10"	J. Burke24'	Harrington85'11"	J. Burke57'
J. Burke31'9"	R. MacDonnell23'6"		C. Pilon53'7"
J. MacDonald28'3"	J. MacDonald23'		S. Watson52'6"
56# WT FOR HT  D. Harrington13'3"  C. Pilon12'3"  S. Watson11'3"  J. Burke11'3"	SHEAF (25#) C. Pilon15'6" D. Harrington15'6" S. Watson15'6" R. MacDonnell15'	CABER (21"x100)  D. Harrington(2:00 S. Watson(18x8)  C. Pilon	OVERALL (5-3-2-1) Harrington. 28 Pts (871b) Watson11 Pts Pilon10 Pts Burke 9 Pts MacDonnell. 3 Pts MacDonald 2 Pts

## 2. Montreal Highland Games, Seaway Park, St. Lambert, Quebec, August 5, 1979

CABER (14'x1151b) istance	56# WT	SHEAF (Distance)	OVERALL
Stuart Watson36 "	S. Watson21'6"	S. Watson33'2"	S. Watson
Thomson35'5"	R. MacDonnell17'0"	R. MacDonnell29'1/2"	
in MacDonald33'11"	R. Thomson16'8"	J. MacDonald24'10 1/4"	
Ron MacDonnell31'11"	J. MacDonald16'5"	R. Thomson22'7 1/2"	
P. Stewart30'11"	D. Fales12'	O'Grady20'11"	

## 3. San Diego Scottish Highland Games, San Diego, CA, August 5, 1979.

tec Stadium, San Diego State University. Athletic Chairman - Dave Taddeo., Head Official - in Russell. Submitted by John Ross.

An estimated 4,000 people enjoyed a warm San Diego day and a fine Highland Games with five professionals and twenty-nine amateurs competing in separate flights throughout a well organized Games. Throwing was from a good grass surface.

Brian Oldfield continued to win championships by edging Keith Tice and J. D. Goldrick by one point for the Overall. John Ross and Matt Baughman finished Fourth and Fifth Overall.

	STONE (16 LBS)		16 LB HAMMER		22	LB HAMMER
1.	B. Oldfield63'*	1.	J. Goldrick 108'1/2"	1.		Tice90'10"
2.	M. Baughman52'3"		K. Tice105'8"			Goldrick90'4 1/2"
3.	J. Goldrick45'9"		M. Baughman104'			Oldfield84'1"
4.	K. Tice45'4 1/4"	4.	B. Oldfield103'5"	4.	М.	Baughman83'6"
5.	J. Ross42'2 1/4"	5.	J. Ross93'10"			Ross76'4"
	56 LB WT FOR HT		56 LB WT		28	LB WT
1.	J. Goldrick16'*	1.	K. Tice33"3 3/4"		_	Oldfield68'7"
2.	E. Oldfield16'		B. Oldfield32'8 1/2"			Ross65'1/2"
3.	K. Tice14'	3.				Goldrick64'3 1/2"
4.	M. Baughman14'	4.	J. Ross25'1 3/4"			Tice64'2"
5.	J. Ross13'	5.	M. Baughman22' 1 1/2"	5.	м.	Baughman59'9"
	CABER (19' x 140#)		OVERALL (6-3-2)			
1.	J. Ross80°	1.	B. Oldfield28 Pts.			
	K. Tice75°	2.	K. Tice27 Pts.			
	B. Oldfield70°	3.				
٠.	J. Goldrick65°	4.	J. Ross12 Pts.			
5.	M. BaughmanNT	5.	M. Baughman11 Pts.			

Dick Shelton and Bob MacKay led a huge field of amateurs which included regulars Walt Carruthers, Jeff Wales, Rick McLellan and Dan John. Shelton in winning the Overall collected four Firsts to three for MacKay.

# Fergus Highland Games, Fergus, Ontario, Canada, August 11, 1979. The Canadian Heavy Events and Ballantine Scotch Canadian Caber Championship.

Held at the Fergus Fairgrounds, some forty miles west of Toronto before an estimated crowd of 27,000.

This year's contest was dominated by Brian Oldfield of Sunnyvale, CA, who won four Events out of six, establishing four Field Records including a more than ten foot increase in the 25 LB STONE mark to 46'5" for the farthest toss ever in North America, although the weight was a wee bit light to count as a NASGA Record; a toss of 16'1/2" in the WEIGHT FOR HEIGHT and a 1/4" increase of 72'1/2" with the 28 LB WT. Brian scored 54 points out of a possible sixty.

Colin Mathieson, NSW, Australia former World Caber Champion and Australian champion won the HEAVY HAMMER in spite of taking a bad fall when the hammer head came off in warm-ups. Colin Thished Sixth Overall with 27 pts. Ron Short won the competition CABER (Robertson) and d for Fourth in the standings with 28 Fts.

Fred Vaughan placed Second in the Overall with 41 points and won the Ballantine's Scotch Canadian Caber Championship. Keith Tice finished a scant one point back with 40 points for Third Overall.

McComas tied for fourth with 28 points and Tom Johnson finished Seventh with 26 points. Dave Harrington, from Old Chelsea, Quebec placed Eighth with 17 Points and Fellow Canadians Phil Webb and Bob Whitman closed out the standings.

The efforts of the Fergus Chamber of Commerce, John Campbell, Bill Geiger and Ed MacRae in sponsoring the Fergus Games for the 34th year are greatly appreciated by all concerned. This year's edition saw one of the strongest field of competitors to ever participate in a Scottish Games in North America. The competition would have been even stronger had Bill Anderson, the World Champion, been able to compete. Bill was present but severely injured as a result of a CABER accident incurred in Nova Scotia. Fergus may have been the first contest Bill ever had to sit out due to injury and all of the Heavies appreciate what he had to go through.

	25# STONE (35'10 3/4",		56# WT (38'4 3/4",		22# HAMMER (113'1",
	Anderson, 1973)		Anderson, 1978)		Anderson, 1978)
1.	Oldfield46'5"*	1.	Oldfield40'11"*	1.	Mathieson95'1 1/2"
2.	Johnson36'11"		Vaughan36'8 1/4"		Tice90'1/2"
3.	McComas35'8 1/2"		Tice36'6 1/2"		Oldfield88'7"
4.	Vaughan35'4 1/2"		McComas35'5"		Vaughan88'2"
5.	Tice35'		Short33'9"		Harrington.38'
5.	Harrington.33'7 1/2"		Johnson31'6"		McComas86'1"
7.	Short29'10"		Mathieson31'2 1/4"		Short83'1/2"
8.	Mathieson28'9"		Harrington.30'5 3/4"		Johnson80'5"
9.	Milligan28'2 1/2"		Webb26'8"		Webb72'3"
١.	Theriault27'11"		Patterson26'1"		Theriault70'8"
	Patterson27'7 1/2"		Whitman23'7"		Whitman69'
	Whitman27'1/4"		Milligan23'3"		Milligan68'11"
			-		3
	28# WEIGHT (72'1/4",		ROBERTSON CABER (19x120)		56# WT FOR HT (15'6",
	Anderson,)	1.	Short(12-12)		Anderson, 1978
1.	Oldfield72'1/2"*		Tice(12-11)	1.	Oldfield16'1/2"*
2.	Vaughan71'2"	3.	Oldfield(12-2)		Tice14'6"
3.	McComas66'10 1/2"	4.	Vaughan(9-10)		Vaughan14'6"
4.	Johnson66'6 1/2"	5.	Mathieson(9)		Johnson14'6'
	Short65'7 1/4"	6.	Harrington.(30°)		Mathieson14'
	Tice64'9"	7.	Webb(80°)		Harrington.13'6"
7.	Harrington.61'5"		Whitman(80°)		McComas13'6"
	Mathieson58'10 1/2"	9.	McComas(75°)		Short13'
	Patterson49'3"	10.	Theriault(75°)		Webb11'6"
	Webb47'10 1/2"				
	Milligan44'5"				•
12.	Theriault42'4 1/2"				
	BALLANTINE CABER CHAMPIONS	HIP	OVERALL STAN	NDING	<u>5</u>
	Vaughan(12-12-11)		1. Oldfield, Ca	alif.	•••••54 Pts.
	Short(12-11-10)		2. Vaughan, So	. Car	41 Pts.
	Tice(NT-10-12)		3. Tice, Calif.		
	Oldfield(NT-2-11:30)		4. McComas, Md.		
5.	Mathieson(NT-11:30-NT)				28 Pts.
			6. Mathieson, A	Austra	alia27 Pts.
					26 Pts.
		-	8. Harrington,		

9. Webb, Ontario...... 9 Pts. 10. Whitman, Ontario..... 2 Pts.

Rocky Mountain Highland Games, August 11, 1979. Attendance: 5,000. Temperature: 82°. sults submitted by P. Hoyt and G. Bradshaw.

The 16th annual Rocky Mountain Highland Games were held at the Colorado School of Mines on a beautiful sunny day.

These Games are unique in that they encourage participation by anyone who wishes to enter and also have both women's and children's events. There were 122 competitors in all in the three categories. In the men's CABER alone, there were more than 50 competitors. There were 4 different weights used in order to eliminate the contestants. The heaviest CABER, the Bradshaw, (17'6" x 95 lbs) was turned by only two men, P. Hoyt of Florida and J. Bradshaw of Colorado. These two earned a chance at the USHER'S CABER (19' x 130 lbs.) which the Scotch distiller of the same name has offered a trip to Scotland for two to anyone that turns it . Neither man could turn it, so the trip will be offered again in 1980.

There were two other events contested, the SHEAF, and the 56# WT FOR HEIGHT. In addition to winning the CABER, Pete Hoyt also won the SHEAF and took third in the 56 to win the Overall trophy.

#### Men's Events

	BRADSHAW CABER (95# x 17'6")		SHEAF TOSS (20#)		56# ROCK TOSS FOR HT
1.	Pete Hoyt12:45	1.	Pete Hoyt18'6"		(Actual wt 57#)
2.	Jerry Bradshaw9:30	2.	Terry Loeffler17'0"	1.	Steve Olds11'0"
3.	Greg Bradshaw9:30 (83#x16'0")	3.	Dale Prescott16'6"	2.	Jerry Bradshaw.10'9"
4.	Dale Prescott1:31 (83#x16'0")	4.	Jerry Bradshaw15'5"	3.	Pete Hoyt10'6"
	*Nobody turned the USHER CABLE			4.	Dale Prescott10'0"
	(130*x19*0")				

## Women's Events

	CABER (39# x 13'10")		28# ROCK TOSS FOR HT		20# ROLLING PIN THROW
1.	Mary Haenni12:40	1.	Gail Clark10'9"	1.	Mary Haenni37'5"
2.	Bonnie Ferguson12:34 (27#x13'10")	2.	Mary Haenni10'6"	2.	Diane Thompson33'6"
3.	Debbie Harrower70° (27#x13'10")	3.	Margo Patinos10'0"	3.	Bonnie Ferguson.30'9"
4.	Carolyn Hoyt70 (27#x13'10")	4.	Diane Thompson 10'0"	4.	Karen Stamper 3018"

## OVERALL WINNERS

Men	1.	Pete Hoyt13 Pts.	(3 Events)
	2.	Jerry Bradshaw 9 Pts.	
	3.	Dale Prescott 7 Pts.	

Women 1. Mary Haenni.....14 Pts. (3 Events)

- 2. Bonnie Ferguson.. 7 Pts.
- 3. Diane Thompson... 6 Pts.
- 5. Ohio Scottish Games, Stow, Ohio, August 25, 1979. Attendance: 8,000.

The second Ohio Scottish Games contested seven Events and attracted athletes from California, South Carolina, Florida, Pennsylvania and Maryland. The Games were held at the National Guard Armory, north of Akron, and the throws were from a very soft and rough grass reface. In spite of the conditions several outstanding throws were made. The primary ievement was a new NASGA recognized World Record by Brian Oldfield in the WEIGHT OVER THE .R. Brian surpassed the 16 foot mark for the fifth time this season with a World Record 16'7". -

In taking the Overall Championship, Oldfield scored 32 points in seven Events to 27 1/2 points for Fred Vaughan. He won three events in addition to the 56# WT FOR HT including an excellent 16# STONE TOSS of 61'9", the 28# WT and a fine SHEAF TOSS of 26'3" with a fourteen pound bag. Vaughan won the 56# WT FOR DISTANCE and the CABER. Keith Tice won the 22# MER and placed Third Overall with 18 points.

rne closest competition of the day occurred in the 28# WT, with the top three placers separated by a total of 2 1/2". This was due partially to a Personal Best by Tom Johnson (Mt. Pleasant, SC), who increased by six feet over his previous best thrown two weeks ago at Fergus. Oldfield won the Event at 72'3 1/2" with Johnson second with 72'1 1/2" and Vaughan third at 72' 1/2".

	16# STONE		28# WT FOR DISTANCE		22# HAMMER
1.	Oldfield61'9"	1.	Oldfield72'3 1/2"	1.	Tice94'10 1/2"
2.	- 1		Johnson72'1 1/2"		Vaughan87'11 1/2"
3.			Vaughan72'1"		McComas84'6"
4.	Vaughan46'10"	١.	McComas68'3"		Oldfield94'5"
5.	Tice45'9"	5.	Tice65'7"		Pauli83'11"
რ.	311 31		Pauli58'7"		Johnson79'8"
	56# WT FOR DISTANCE		CABER (17'9"x112#)		SHEAF (14#)
		١.	Vaughan(12-11:45-11)	1.	Oldfield26'3"
	McComas34'5"	2.	Oldfield(12-12:30-11)		Keefer24'3"
3.	Tice33'7 1/2"	3.	Tice(11:55)		Vaughan24'3"
		١.	McComas(11:30		Tice23'3"
5.	Johnson32'2 1/2"	•	Pauli(12:30)	5.	Johnson23'3"
5.	Porter29'11"	•	Keefer(9:30)		McComas23'3"
	56# WT FOR HT		OVERALL RESULTS		
•			Oldfield32 Pts.		
			Vaughan27 1/2 Pts.		
	Jaughan14'1"	•	Tice18 Pts.		
4.	Tice14'1"	•	McComas15 Pts.		
5.	McComas13'2"	•	Johnson13 1/2 Pts.		
6.	Porter13'2"	•	Keefer 4 Pts.		
	7	•	Pauli 1 Pt.		

Fifth Annual U.S. Scottish Heavy Events and Caber Tossing Championships Held at the Caledonian Club of San Francisco's 114th Annual Gathering and Games, Santa Rosa, Calif. September 1&2, 1979.

Sonoma County Fairgrounds; Attendance: 25,000. Heavy Events Coordinators: Malcom Ramsay and Gordon Varnedoe. Games President, John Dickson.

For the first time in the history of Scottish Games in North America, a team championship was contested in addition to the regular overall championship. The teams were composed of Brian Oldfield and Keith Tice (West Coast); Fred Vaughan and Dave Harrington (East Coast); Grant Anderson and James McBeath (Scotland). Grant (from Dundee) has been co-holder of the World Record in the WEIGHT OVER THE BAR at 16'1" until this year and is one of the top Scottish Heavies. James (from Dunbeath) is one of Scotland's best HAMMER throwers and was making a return visit to the Santa Rosa Games having helped start the Heavy Events here in 1974. The West Coast won the Team Competition with Scotland second and the East Coast third.

The Overall Championship was shared for the first time as Anderson and Oldfield tied with 43 points each. Vaughan was third with 30 points; Tice was fourth (24 points); MacBeath was fifth (18 points); Harrington placed sixth (16 1/2 points) and Ross was seventh (5 1/2 ints). Brian placed First in four Events, setting two Records (STONE and 56 HT.) Grant in three Events (both HAMMERS and regular CABER) and set a record in the HEAVY HAMMER, breaking Bill Anderson's record set in 1978. Grant also won the U.S. CABER TOSSING championship, turning a very difficult 18' x 122 lb CABER on the cinder track. Fred won the 29# WT.

	STONE PUT (17# 6oz) (58'1/2",Oldfield, 1978) Oldfield59'5 1/2"*		28LB WEIGHT (28*) (81'4 1/2", Anderson, 1978) Vaughan72'8"		22LB HAMMER(22#80z) (110'8", B. Anderson, 1979) G. Anderson. 111"*
	Anderson46'10 1/2"		Oldfield72'5"		MacBeath100'6"
	Harrington.46'9"		Anderson71'4 1/2".		Tice95'2"
	Vaughan45'10"		MacBeath66'9"		Vaughan88'3"
	Tice43'3 1/2"		Tice65'10 1/2"		Oldfield86'9 1/2"
	MacBeath43'1"		Harrington.62'1/2"		Harrington83'3 1/2"
7.	Ross42'10"	7.	Ross57'9 1/2"	7.	Ross78'8 1/2"
	MCCLURE CABER		STANDING STONE (17#6oz)		56LB WT DISTANCE (56#40z)
	Anderson				7 1/2". B. Anderson, 1978)
	Oldfield		Oldfield52'6 1/2"		Oldfield36'1"
	Vaughan		Anderson44'10"		Vaughan35'7 1/2"
4.	Tice		Harrington.43'10 1/2"		Tice35'1 1/2"
5.	MacBeath	4.	Vaughan43'1 1/2"	4.	Anderson35'1 1/2"
6.	Ross	5.	Tice42'7 1/2"	5.	Harrington32'5 1/2"
7.	Harrington	6.	Ross39'11"	6.	MacBeath32' 1/2"
		7.	McBeath39'5 1/2"	7.	Ross28'3 1/2"
, <b>4</b> ·	16# HAMMER		56LB WT FOR HT (56#7oz)		
_	33'4", B: Anderson, '78)		(15'6", Oldfield, 1977)		
	Anderson128'2 1/2"		Oldfield15'10"*		
	MacBeath 124'7"		Anderson15'		
	Tice116'7"		Vaughan14'		
	Oldfield107' 1/2"		Tice13'6"		
	Harrington.105'6 1/2"		Harrington.13'		
	Vaughan105'5 1/2'		Ross13'		
7.	Ross96'11 1/2"	7.	MacBeath12'		

U. S. HEAVY EVENTS CHAMPIONSHIPS EVENTS 1 THRU 8
POINTS: 1st 7, 2nd 5, 3rd 4, 4th 3, 5th 2, 6th 1, 7th 1/2

#### 1. Oldfield......43 Pts. 1. McKenzie.....50 Pts. 2. Shelton.....30 Pts. Anderson......43 Pts. 3. Vaughan..........30 Pts MacKay.....30 Pts. 4. Boriero......22 Pts. 5. MacBeath......18 Pts 6. Harrington......16 1/2 Pts. 6. Albritton.....15 Pts. 7. Braun.......... 1/2 Fts. 7. Ross..... 5 1/2 Pts. 8. Sells..... 3 1/2 Pts. 9. Wallace..... 1 Pt. Kincaid..... 1 Pt.

AMATEUR CLASS

TEAM: WESTERN U.S. ....Oldfield & Tice

OPEN CLASS

Amateur: A field of twelve amateurs led by Dave MacKenzie (50 Pts. five wins and records in the STONE and WT FOR HEIGHT), Dick Shelton (30 Pts.) and Bob MacKay (30 Pts. and a record in the 28LB WT) held a tightly contested two day competition. Boriero, while placing fourth verall set a 56LB WT record.

STONE PUT  (47'10 1/2" McKenzie, 1977)  1. McKenzie48" *  2. MacKay43'6"  3. Albritton40'8"  4. Boriero40'4"  5. Shelton38'1 1/2"  6. Sells32'6 1/2"  7. Braun28'4"  8. G. Wales24'4 1/2"  9. J. Wales20'5"	28LB WEIGHT (61'4", Shelton, 1977)  1. MacKay61'11 1/2" *  2. McKenzie60'0"  3. Shelton57'3"  4. Boriero57'0 1/2"  5. Slanec55'5 1/2"  6. Albritton53'10"  7. Sells47'7"  8. Braun44'0 1/2"  9. Sims40'1 1/2"  10. J. Wales35'  11. G. Wales30'2"  12. Kincaid28'11"	22LB HAMMER  (88'9", Shelton, 1978)  1. McKenzie87'9 1/2"  2. Shelton87'2 1/2"  3. MacKay78'6"  4. Albritton69'3 1/2'  5. Slanec66'4 1/2"  6. Boriero65'11"  7. Wallace65'6 1/2"  8. Braun64'11 1/2"  9. Sells59'1 1/2"  10. Sims57'7"  11. J. Wales54'10 1/2"  12. G. Wales40'4"
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## UNITED STATES CABER TOSSING CHAMPIONSHIPS

	OPEN CLASS	8'0" x 122LBS	AMATEUR CLASS	17'-0" x 110LBS
-	Anderson Tice	5. Vaughan 6. Ross	1. Braun 2. Shelton	5. McKenzie 6. Slanec
	Oldfield Harrington	7. MacBeath	3. MacKay 4. Albritton	<ol> <li>7. Kincaid</li> <li>8. Sells</li> </ol>

## CHALLENGE CABER 19'-0" x 130LBS

1. Anderson tossed it at 11.30 on his second attempt.

3. Capital District Highland Games, September 1, 1979. Altamont Fair Grounds, Altamont, NY Attendance: 7,500. Results submitted by P. Hoyt.

beautiful fall day greeted six athletes who came to this beautiful site and were rewarded than enthusiastic crowd and good officiating.

Ron Short (Winston, Salem, NC) scored a mild upset when he edged out Ed McComas (Luther-ville, MD) for Athlete of the Day by 2 pts. (36 to 34). Ron set three seasonal bests as he won four Events and had 3 seconds. Ed won three Events and had 4 seconds. Jim Pauli, Penn Hills, PA) took third and Pete Hoyt (Altamonte Springs, FL) was fourth.

John Severance and Caroline Robertson did their usual fine job in officiating the Games which was one of the five Games in the American Scottish Games Tour Championship.

	22# HAMMER	16# SHEAF	CABER
1.	E. McComas84'8"	1. R. Short24'2"	1. R. Short
2.	R. Short83'1 1/2"	2. E. McComas23'9"	2. E. McComas
3.	J. Pauli80'5 1/2"	3. P. Hoyt23'2"	3. J. Pauli
4.	P. Hoyt75'7"	4. J. Pauli22'2"	4. P. Hoyt
5.	G. Crandall64'1"	5. J. McDonald21'2"	5. G. Crandall
			6. J. MacDonald
	56# DISTANCE	20# STONE	28# DISTANCE
1.	R. Short35'4"	1. E. McComas42'5"	1. R. Short66'9"
2.	E. McComas35'1/2"	2. R. Short39'6"	2. E. McComas63'8"
3.	J. Pauli32'8"	3. J. Pauli37'3"	3. J. Pauli61'
4.	J. McDonald25'4"	4. P. Hoyt33'7 1/2"	4. P. Hoyt50'7 1/2"
5.	P. Hoyt24'3"	5. G. Crandall32'6"	5. J. McDonald48'1"
	56# WT FOR HT	OVERALL	
	E. McComas13'8"	1. R. Short36 Pts.	
4.	R. Short13'2"	2. E. McComas34 Pts.	
3.	J. Pauli12'2"	3. J. Pauli20 Pts.	
4.	P. Hoyt11'2"	4. P. Hoyt14 Pts.	
5.	J. McDonald11'2"	5. J. McDonald 5 1/2 Pts.	

9. Ligonier Highland Games, Ligonier, PA. Sept. 8, 1979. Attendance: 15,000 Results submitted by Michael Reid. Athletic Chairman: David Peet

Perhaps the largest crowd in the 21 year history of the Ligonier Games was on hand to see Fred Vaughan, N. Myrtle Beach, SC, win the John "Jock" Sutherland Memorial trophy as the Overall Outstanding Athlete with 34 Points. Ed McComas, Lutherville, MD, four times Games Champion, placed second overall and set a Field Record in the STONE PUT (19 lb.) of 43' 11 1/2".

Other Field Records were established by Fred Vaughan in the 22LB HAMMER (84'5 1/2"), the 28LB WT (71'10") and a superb 39'8" in the 56 LB WT throw. This was the second farthest throw ever by an American. Vaughan also tied the WEIGHT FOR HEIGHT record (15'2"). Michael Reid, Monkton, MD, who finished third overall set the Field Record in the SHEAF at 23'2". Jim Pauli of Pittsburgh, PA, finished fourth overall with a P.R. in the 56LB WT and a strong second place in an unexpectedly close CABER competition. Vaughan won the First American Scottish Games Tour Championship by garnering the most points in five Eastern U.S. Games (Delaware, Delco, VSG, Altamont, NY and Ligonier).

	NE (19 LBS)	56LB WT THROW (54#)	22LB HAMMER	28LB WEIGHT
	McComas43'11 1/2"*	Vaughan39 8"*	Vaughan84'5 1/2"	Vaughan71'10"
2.	Vaughan41'1 1/2"	McComas37'4 1/2"	McComas83 '8"	McComas67'1/2"
3.	Reid38 8 1/2"	Pauli33'6"	Pauli82'6"	Reid58'9 1/2"
4.	Allardice.37'4"	Reid31'10"	Keefer76'10"	Pauli58'6 1/2"

CABER (19'3"x120#)	SHEAF	56LB WEIGHT FOR HT	OVERALL (6-4-3-2-1)
1. Vaugnan	Reid23'2"*	Vaughan15'2"*	Vaughan34 Pts.
2. Pauli	Keefer22'2"	McComas14'2"	McComas28 Pts.
McComas	McComas22'2"	Pauli13'2"	Reid18 1/2 Pts.
. Reid	O'Laughlin22'2"	Reid12'2"	Pauli15 1/2 Pts.
	-	O'Laughlin12'2"	

# 10. Grouse Mountain Highland Games, British Columbia, Sept. 8, 1979 Labatt, B.C. Heavy Games Championship

The terrain at the top of the mountain is very rocky and rugged. The weather was terrible, pouring rain and very foggy. The Games began at 1:00 PM due to the weather which cleared occasionally.

(edit. This is the first report NASGA has received from the West Coast of Canada, thanks to Doug Fales of Montreal. Many of the events are not standard Scottish Heavy Events, but are similar enough to be listed.)

BRAMMER STONE	56LB STONE	28LB WT DISTANCE	28# WT FOR HT
1. Doug Doge32'9 1/2"	Don Staller16'3 1/2"	D. Doge46'8"	R. Faoro14"
2. Carl Landerholm32'1"	Rick Faoro14'6"	S. Braun45'4"	Wayne Bell.14"
3. Geoff Staller31'2"	G. Staller14'2 1/2"	G. Staller42'	C Landerholm.14"

16 LB HAMMER	SHEAF TOSS	CABER TOSS	16LB SHOT PUT
1. G. Staller93'8"	C. Landholm	Sepp Braun(18'CABER)	D. Staller.37'2 1/2"
2. Don Staller91'9"	Doug Doge	Wayne Bell(16'CABER)	D. Doge34'3"
3. Doug Doge89'5"	Rick Faoro	Don Staller	G. Staller.31'8"

### WOMEN'S EVENTS

\GGIS THROW	SKILLER TOSS	SHEAF TOSS	PILLOW FIGHT
. Sue Dixon36'6"	S. Dixon61'9"	S. Dixon12'	Sue Dixon
2. Muggs Staller.31'3 1/2"	M. Staller55'4"	Pat Cordie11"	Muggs Staller
3. Pat Cordie28'5 1/2"	Susan Gerneay54'5"	Bobbi Kalaman10'	Sylvia Faoro

11. Charleston Scottish Games, Sept. 15, 1979, Middleton Place Plantation, Charleston, SC.

Attendance: 4,000. Sponsored by the Scottish Society of Charleston, SC, Capt. Ludovic J.

Grant-Alexander, President. Edwin Holcombe, Athletic Director.

The Eighth Annual Charleston Scottish Games was held at the restored 18th Century Middleton Plantation off Route 61 Southwest of the city and was further enhanced by the unusually cool 80°+ and overcast weather, surely one of the coolest days ever in September in Charleston.

Three new Field Records were thrown with Tom Johnson's 45'4", 20 LB STONE TOSS the best effort of the afternoon. Johnson, from nearby Mt. Pleasant, surpassed a very good record set by Ed McComas in 1975 by over three feet. Tom finished second in the overall points competition and also won the 56LB WT FOR HEIGHT with a record tying effort of 14'0".

Fred Vaughan won the Overall Championship with three Firsts; in the 56LB WT, a record 73' 1 1/2" in the 28 LB WT and a record 82'5 3/4" with the 24LB HAMMER. Vaughan became only the second person to turn the ROBERTSON CABER, although Ron Short won the Event with three tosses of 11:30. Ron also won the SHEAF TOSS and placed in a tie for Third Overall with Ed McComas. The competition was so close between McComas, Short and Johnson that for awhile it looked as if there would be a three way tie for Second. Pete Hoyt and Rick Porter tied for Tifth.

any thanks to helpers, judges and stewards including Ed Holcombe, Edwin and Nancy Holcombe, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morrison, Guy Soule, Art Riggs, K.C. Steir and JoAnne Johnson. No Games can be performed correctly without the aid of many volunteers and the above personnel are some of the most able found at any Games.

	20# STONE (ACTUAL)	56# WT (ACTUAL)	22# HAMMER (ACTUAL 24 LBS)
	Record: 43' McComas, 1975	Rec: 35' 3 1/2", Vaughan, 1978	Rec: 80'5", Vaughan, 1976
	Johnson45'4"*	1. Vaughan35'2 1/2"	1. Vaughan32'5 3/4"*
-•	McComas42'8 1/2"	2. McComas35'1 1/4"	2. McComas31'5 1/2"
3.	Vaughan42'7 3/4"	3. Johnson32'11 3/4"	3. Short79'6 1/2"
4.	Short36'10 1/4"	4. Short32'7 1/2"	4. Johnson77'11"
5.	Porter35'4 1/2"	5. Porter26'5 1/2"	5. Hoyt71'6 1/4"
	28# WT (ACTUAL	CABER_(18*x110)	SHEAF (16 LBS)
	Record: 72'2", Vaughan	<del></del>	Rec: 22'2" Short
1.	Vaughan73'1 1/2"*	1. Short(11:30,11:30,11:30)	1. Short22'
2.	Johnson70'5 1/2"	2. Vaughan(10:00,10:00,11:00)	
	McComas68'11 1/2"	3. McComas(3:00)	3. Johnson21'
4.	Short68'1/4"	4. Johnson(45°)	4. McComas21'
5.	Porter56'11 1/4"	5. Hoyt(40°)	5. Hoyt21'
	56LB WT FOR HT (ACTUAL)	OVERALL CHAMPIONSHIP (6-4-3-2)	
	Record: 14', McComas, 1978	1. Fred Vaughan33 Pts.	
	Tie: Vaughan, 1976, 1977, 1978	2. Tom Johnson26 Pts.	
1.	Johnson14'*	3. Ed. McComas23 Pts.	
	Vaughan13'8"	Ron Short23 Pts.	
	McComas13'	5. Pete Hoyt3 1/2 Pts.	
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_	Short13'	Rich Porter3 1/2 Pts.	
5	Porter11'		
	Hoyt11'		

## Fresno Scottish Games, Sept. 29, 1979, Fresno, California

The first Fresno Scottish Games, sponsored by the Celtic Society of Central California were held at Ratcliffe Stadium in Fresno. Keith Tice, Athletic Chairman.

The STONE, LT & HEAVY HAMMERS, 28 & 56 WTS FOR DISTANCE, CABER and WT FOR HEIGHT were contested among four professionals and six to eight amateurs. The open competition was so close, being tied three ways after three Events and again after five Events, that the Overall Champion was not determined until the last throw of the last event. Brian Oldfield, after two unsuccessful tosses, flipped the 18'x130 lb CABER to an 11:00 to win the Event and edge out Keith Tice for the championship with 23 Pts. Keith finished with 21 Pts.; Vaughan finished with 19 Pts. and John Ross was Fourth.

In spite of the excellent field, weather, and facilities, the athletes had various physical problems, so most of the throws were below average. Oldfield, however, did throw 16' in the WEIGHT OVER THE BAR with a 58 LB WT for the outstanding performance of the day.

The amateur competition, which is growing rapidly nationwide, was very good in Fresno and was highlighted by performances by two British trackmen and Bob MacKay of Turlock, CA.

## 13. Flora MacDonald Highland Games, October 6, 1979, Red Springs, NC.

On this first Saturday in October, a small field of four Heavies met at these annual Games named in honor of Flora MacDonald, who settled with her family in this area after the Rebellion of 1745. The setting is very spacious and attendance has increased from year to year.

Scoring the seven Events on a 6-4-3-2-1 basis, Fred Vaughan won the Overall with 38 Pts. Ron Short was second just beating Tom Johnson 27 Pts to 26. Martin finished with 14 Pts. Fred won five Events and established a record in the 16LB HAMMER of 111'2 1/2" and the 56 WT FOR HEIGHT (13'9"). Tom won the STONE with a record toss of 49'. Ron placed first in the CABER.

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56# WEIGHT
                                              22# HAMMER (24#)
                                                                      16# HAMMER
   17LB STONE
                                           1. Vaughan..81'3 1/2"
                                                                    1. Vaughan..111'2 1/2"
1. Johnson. 49'*
                   1. Vaughan..34'4 1/2"
2. Vaughan..48'3"
                  2. Johnson..30'5"
                                           2. Short....77'8 1/2"
                                                                   2. Short....103'11 3/4"
3. Short....41'5" 3. Short....30'4 1/2"
                                           3. Johnson..73'10"
                                                                   3. Johnson..98'6 1/2"
                                                                   4. Martin...85'8"
4. Martin...32'5" 4. Martin...16'9 1/2"
                                           4. Martin...57'5"
                                                                            CHAMPIONSHIP
   28# WEIGHT
                      CABER (18'6x115)
                                                      56# WEIGHT FOR HT
                                                      1. Vaughan .. 13'9"*
1. Vaughan..72'1"
                      1. Short....(11:30,12,12)
                                                                            Vaughan 38 Pts.
2. Short....65'6 1/2" 2. Vaughan..(12:15,11:45,11:50) 2. Johnson..13'
                                                                            Short 27 Pts.
                                                      3. Short....12'9"
                                                                            Johnson 26 Pts.
3. Johnson..64'1"
                      3 → Johnson (3:00)
                                                      4. Martin...11'6"
                                                                            Martin 14 Pts.
4. Martin...39'7 1/2"
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## 14. 1st Annual Campbell Scottish Games, Campbell, California, October 20, 1979.

Held at Campbell High School and sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. The weather was 70°, cloudy with showers. A good grass throwing area, although somewhat soggy from recent rains. Attendance: 1,000, Athletic Officials: Stan Russell and John Gimmel. Results submitted by John Ross.

Brian Oldfield thoroughly dominated the competition with four wins out of the five Events including a new World Record in the 17# STONE (actual weight, 17#10 1/20z) of 63'1". Brian also cleared 16 feet again in the 56 LB WT FOR HEIGHT coming very close to 16'6".

<del>1-3-2-1)</del>	STONE (17LB 10 1/2 oz)	28# WT(SantaRosa)
nyvale, CA) 29 Pts.	1. Oldfield63'1"***)	1. Oldfield70'1/2"
sa, CA) 21 Pts.	(58'4 1/2", 59'8"	2. Ross61'4"
Rosa, CA) 19 Pts.	2. Mannon47'1"	3. Shelton54'9"
itos, CA) 15 Pts.	3. Ross38'8 1/2"	Mannon54'9"
ver, B.C.) 9 Pts.	4. Shelton37'4 1/2"	5. Sells49'5"
ento, CA) 9 Pts.	5. Sells31'7 1/2"	6. Braun39'8"
(, CA) 6 Pts.	6. Braun27'9"	
16# HAMMER (S.R.)  1. Shelton101'6"  2. Oldfield98'5 1/2"  3. Ross90'8 1/2"  4. MacKay89'6 1/2"  5. Mannon85'8"  6. Braun82'9"  7. Sells72'11"	CABER (17'x100*  1. Oldfield(11:00,12 2. Braun(12:00,12 3. Shelton(N.T.,1:3 4. Ross(11:30,10 5. *MacKay(N.T.,N.T 6. *Mannon(N.T.,N.T	:00,.N.T.) 0,12:00) :00,12:30) .,N.T.)
	nnyvale, CA) 29 Pts. osa, CA) 21 Pts. a Rosa, CA) 19 Pts. atos, CA) 15 Pts. ver, B.C.) 9 Pts. ento, CA) 6 Pts.  16# HAMMER (S.R.) 1. Shelton 101'6" 2. Oldfield 98'5 1/2" 3. Ross 90'8 1/2" 4. MacKay 89'6 1/2" 5. Mannon 85'8" 6. Braun 82'9"	Innyvale, CA) 29 Pts. 1. Oldfield63'1"***) Osa, CA) 21 Pts. (58'4 1/2", 59'8"  A Rosa, CA) 19 Pts. 2. Mannon47'1"  Atos, CA) 9 Pts. 3. Ross38'8 1/2"  Pento, CA) 9 Pts. 4. Shelton37'4 1/2"  Pento, CA) 6 Pts. 6. Braun27'9"  16# HAMMER (S.R.) CABER (17'x100*  1. Shelton101'6" 1. Oldfield(11:00,12) 2. Oldfield98'5 1/2" 2. Braun(12:00,12) 3. Ross90'8 1/2" 3. Shelton(N.T.,1:3) 4. MacKay89'6 1/2" 4. Ross(11:30,10) 5. Mannon85'8" 5. *MacKay(N.T.,N.T.)

## 15. Stone Mountain Highland Games, Stone Mountain, GA, October 20, 1979.

Attendance: 15,000. Athletic Chairman: Art Riggs, assisted by Ed Holcombe, Guy Soule, Ross Morrison.

This annual games and Gathering is held at lovely Stone Mountain Park near Atlanta which makes a fine setting at this time of the year for the season finale of the Eastern Highland Games.

Seven Heavies, representing five States and the Province of Quebec, competed in the open/professional Events with Fred Vaughan, N. Myrtle Beach, SC, winning Athlete of the Day honors with with 39 points. Fred won Firsts in the 56# WT, 28# WT, and 56# WT FOR HT. Ed "cComas from Lutherville, MD, was Second Overall with 30 points. Ed won the 22# HAMMER and d a Personal Record in the 28# WT.

Third place (with 27 points) went to Ron Short, Winston-Salem, NC. Ron won the CABER, a 19'x115# log, and was the only athlete to turn it on all three attempts. Tom Johnson, Mt. Pleasant, SC, finished Fourth with 26 points, won the 28# STONE and had one of his best overall efforts of the year, establishing P.R.'s in three of the first four Events.

Dave Harrington, Old Chelsea, Quebec, was Fifth in the Overall with 17 points. Pete Hoyt, Altamonte Springs, FL, finished Sixth Overall with 12 points. Pete won the SHEAF TOSS and set a Field Record of 23'. This was the highest throw ever on the no-touch system which is used in many of the Southern Games. Earlier in the competition, McComas, Hoyt and Short had nualled Bob Porterfield's old record of 22' and Hoyt went on to win on fewer misses. John rlardice, from Pittsburgh, PA, was Seventh in the Standings. Scoring: 7-5-4-3-2-1.

28# WEIGHT (19")

STONE (25#)

56# WT (20")

	(38'10 1/4", Vaughan, 1978)		(39', Oldfield, 1977)	(90'7", Vaughan, 1976)
1.	Vaughan36'5 1/4"		Johnson38'3/4"	Vaughan75'4 3/4"
2.	McComas36 '3"		Vaughan36'8"	Johnson74'6"
3.	Johnson34'5"		McComas35'1/4"	McComas73'9 3/4"
4.	Short34'1/2"		Short33'4 3/4"	Short71'11"
5.	Harrington.29'9"		Allardice29'1"	Harrington.63'11 1/2"
6.	Hoyt26'9 1/2"		Harrington.29'	Hoyt57'5 1/2"
	22# HAMMER		SHEAF	CABER (19'x115#)
	(92'5 3/4", McComas, 1976)		(Porterfield, 22', 1975)	Short(12-12:30-1:00)
1.	McComas88'4"	1.	Pete Hoyt23 **	Vaughan(1:30-89°-9:00)
2.	Vaughan87'7 1/2"	2.	Ron Short23'	McComas(70°-3:00-85°)
3.	Harrington.86'2"	3.	Ed McComas22	Harrington.(58°-40°-45°)
4.	Short82'5"	4.	Fred Vaughan21'6"	Johnson(40°-40°-45°)
5.	Johnson79'6"	5.	Tom Johnson20'6"	Hoyt( 40°-40°)
5.	Hoyt76'5 1/2"	4.	John Allardice20'6"	
	56# WT FOR HEIGHT		OVERALL	
	(14'4", Vaughan, 1978)	1.	Vaughan39 Pts.	
1.	Vaughan13'5"	2.	McComas30 Pts.	
2.	Harrington.13'2"	3.	Short27 Pts.	
3	Johnson13'2"	4.	Johnson26 Pts.	
4.	Comas12'11"	5.	Harrington17 Pts.	
5.	10 Rt 12' 9 "	6.	Hoyt12 Pts.	
6.	Hoyt N.H.	7.	Allardice 3 Pts.	

AMATEUR: Although as many as ten amateurs competed in the various Events throughout the afternoon, only five finished the whole program with Larry Satchwell emerging victorious for the second year in a row. Larry won six Events and threw an American Amateur SHEAF TOSS Record of 20'8". Chris Justice won the CABER and the Sunday Clan competition.

2. 3.	STONE (25#) Satchwell33'10 1/2" Justice28'3" Beyerstedt21'8 1/2" D. Chagnon20'5 1/2"	Satchwell27'3 Justice22'7 Beyerstedt15'9 Morrison14'7'	1/4" 3/4"	28 LB WT Satchwell54'11 1/2" Justice48'4" D. Chagnon42'1 1/2" Beyerstedt36'6 1/2"
	22LB HAMMER	CABER	SHEAF	
1.	Satchwell81'3"	Justice	Satchwell	20*8***
2.	Justice52'10 1/2"	McMillan	Tyson	17 <b>'6"</b>
3.	Tyson47'7 1/2"	Tyson	D. Chagnon	17"
4.	S. Chagnon46'8"	Satchwell		
	56# (AT FOR HT	OVERALL		
1.	Satchwell11'	L. Satchwell24	1 Pts.	
2.	Justice9'6"	C. Justice1	1 Pts.	•
٠,٢	Tyson9'6"	J. Tyson	Pts.	

16. Windsor Highland Games, August, 1979, Windsor, Ontario
Sponsored by the Windsor FireFighters. Results submitted by Jerry Clouthier.

Fourteen contestants competed in this Second Annual Games with Mike Milligan winning four of seven Events to win the Championship.

STONE PUT	56 LB WT	HAMMER THROW (16#)
1. M. Milligan35'	Milligan29'10"	Milligan90'4"
2. R. Theriault33'5 1/2"	Patterson27'10 1/2"	Theriault89"
3. R. Whitman32'2 1/2"	P. Webb27'7"	Webb85'9 1/2"
28 LB WT	CABER	56# WT FOR HT
1. Milligan55'5"	D. Theriault.(12,9:00)	Whitman12'
2. Patterson55'3 1/2"	D. Markovic(11,9:00)	Markovic11'6"
3. Webb52'6 1/2"	R. Whitman(10,9:30)	Patterson11'6"
400 LB FARMER'S WALK	TUG OF WAR	
1. R. Whitman178	Cioccairo Club	
2. !!. Milligan157'6"	Combined Scottish	
3. J. Vidican55'		

## WINNING THROWS AND RANKINGS IN NORTH AMERICAN GAMES: 1979

(+ Indicates a major Heavy Events Games with five or more regular Heavy Events and three or more experienced Heavies. \* Indicates a Field Record. \*\* Indicates an American Record).

TOSSING THE CAPER: There is no standard size or weight of caber but generally the caber should be from 17 to 20 feet in length and weigh 100 to 130 pounds. The practice of throwing a short, I ht "caber" for distance is not tossing the caber and should be discontinued. No trig or se should be used, each competitor taking any length of run he wishes and tossing from the chooses. Each competitor is allowed three attempts - the best of three to count. An attempt shall commence when the caber is set up and if the competitor allows the caber to fall, this shall count as one of his attempts. A perfect CABER TOSS is a 12 o'clock throw after the caber turns 180° and lands - not bounces - and stops. It is absolutely essential to have a competent judge, who thoroughly understands the rules of this sport.

### CABER CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR THE YEAR

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3/24 Dunedin, FL... Keith Tice, 1:00, 12:00, 12:00 (18' 3" x 110 lbs.)
3/29 Scottsdale, AZ... Dick Shelton, 2:00 (18' x 90 lbs.)
4/7 Jacksonville, FL... Fred Vaughan, 12:00, 11:30 (17' x 95 lbs.)
4/28 Houston, TX... Douglas Gana, 50°, 75°, 80° (13' x 100 lbs.)
5/5 Savannah, GA... Ron Short, 2:00 (17' 6" x 130 lbs.)
5/12 Pr. Frederick, MD.. Michael Reid, 12:15 (16' x 105 lbs.)
6/2 Georgetown, Ont.. Mike Milligan
6/9 Fair Hill, MD.. Ed. McComas, 12, 12, 11:30 (15' 6" x 120 lbs.)
6/16 Port Elgin, Ont.. B. Whitman, 12:00 (18" x 108 lbs.)
6/16 Devon, PA.. Keith Tice, 12:00 (18' x 125 lbs.)
6/30 E. Stroudsburg, PA.. Ed McComas, (17' x 100 lbs.)
7/7 Ft. Ticonderoga, NY.. Jim Pauli, 12:00 (17' 6" x 100 lbs.)
7/14 Grandfather Mountain, NC.. Pon Short, 12:00, 12:00 (19" x 111 lbs.)
     Cambridge, Ont.. Doug Theriault, 3-1:00 (18' x 120 lbs.)
7/15 Brantford, Ont.. Mike Milligan, 1:00, 9:30, 12:00 (15' x 125 lbs.)
    lexandria, VA.. Ron Short, 80° (19' 3" x 130 LBS.)
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    Pebble Beach, CA.. John Ross, (15' x 120 lbs.)
7,
3/4 Maxville, Ont.. D. Harrington, (21' x 100 lbs.)
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1/13 Orlando, FL... Ron Short, 9:30 (19' 2" x 130 lbs.)

3/5 Montreal, Que. S. Watson, (14' x 115 lbs)

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8/11 Golden, CO.. P. Hoyt, (17'6" x 95 lbs)
8/11 Fergus, Ont.. R. Short, (18' x 120 lbs.)
     CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP: F. Vaughan, (18' x 130 lbs)
9/25 Stow, OH.. F. Vaughan, (17' x 112 lbs)
     Windsor, Ont.. D. Theriault
     Altamont, NY.. Short, (18' x 115 lbs)
9/1,2 Santa Rosa, CA.. G. Anderson, (18' x 110 lbs)
      U.S. CHAMPIONSHIP: G. Anderson, (18' x 122 lbs)
      Grouse Mountain, B.C.. S. Braun,
9/15 Charleston, SC.. R. Short, (18' x 110 lbs)
9/25 Fresno, CA.. B. Oldfield, (18' x 130 lbs)
10/6 Red Springs, NC.. R. Short, (18'6" x 110 lbs)
10/20 Stone Mountain, GA.. R. Short, (19' x 115 lbs)
10/20 Campbell, CA.. B. Oldfield (17' x 100 lbs)
PUTTING THE STONE: Thrown with one hand from behind a four foot six inch trig (toeboard) with a
seven foot six inch approach. The stone varies in size from 16 to 32 pounds. Each put shall be
measured from the point of the trig where the put is made to the nearest break of ground.
touching of any part of the trig (except the face nearest the competitor when he takes his
stance) or the ground beyond the trig shall be a foul. The same stone should be used from year
to year on the same ground.
            World Record & : 63'1", Brian Oldfield, USA, Campbell, CA 10/79
17# STONE:
            American Record:
20# STONE:
            American Record: 45'4", Tom Johnson, Charleston, SC 9/79
            American Record: 46'5", Brian Oldfield, Fergus, Ont. 8/79
25# STONE:
+1/13 Orlando, FL... Vaughan, 39' 9" (20#)*
 '4 Dunedin, FL... Harrington, 42' 6" (20#)*
      Scottsdale, AZ... Shelton, 34' 1" (18#)
      Jacksonville, FL... Vaughan, 42' 8" (20#)
4/28 Houston, TX... Turner, 24' 2" (26#)
+5/5 Savannah, GA.. Johnson, 43' 1 1/2" (20#)*
5/12 Pr. Frederick, MD.. Reid, 40' 5" (16#)
6/2 Georgetown, Ont.. Milligan, 36' 1" (20#)
+6/9 Fair Hill, MD.. McComas, 48' 4" (17#)*
6/15 Port Elgin, Ont.. Harrington, 37' 8 3/4" (22#)
+6/16 Devon, PA.. Vaughan, 43' 11" (20#)
5/30 E. Stroudsburg, PA.. McComas, 49' 8 1/2" (16#)
7/7 Ft. Ticonderoga, NY.. Harrington, 45' 6 1/2" (18#)
+7/14 Grandfather Mountain, NC.. Johnson, 49' 3" (16#)*
7/15 Brantford, Ont.. Milligan, 38' 2" (17#)
+7/28 Alexandria, VA.. Oldfield, 58 1" (17#)*
+7/29 Pebble Beach, CA.. Mannon, 46' 11 1/2" (16#)
      Cambridge, Ont.. Markovic, 31 3" (20#)
8/4 Maxville, Ont.. Harrington, 38' 3" (22#)
+8/5 San Diego, CA.. Oldfield, 63' (16#)*
+9/11 Fergus, Ont.. Oldfield, 46' 5" (25#)**
+8/25 Stow, OH.. Oldfield, 61' 9" (16#)
8/25 Windsor, Ont.. Milligan, 35'
+9/1,2 Santa Rosa, CA.. Oldfield, 59'5 1/2" (17# 6 oz)*
9/3 Grouse Mountain, B.C. .. Staller, 37'2 1/2"
+9/6 Ligonier, PA.. McComas.. 43'11 1/2" (20#)
+9' Charleston, SC.. Johnson, 45'4" (20#)**
     Fresno, CA.. Oldfield,
+10, Red Springs, NC.. Johnson, 49* (17#)*
+10/20 Stone Mountain, GA.. Johnson, 38'3/4" (25#)
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+10/20 Campbell, CA.. Oldfield, 63'1" (17#10oz)\*\*

	LIGHT STONE (16#)	(17#)		HEAVY STONE (20#)
1.	Srian Oldfield63'	63'1"**	1.	Brian Oldfield46'5" (25 lbs)**
2.	Tom Johnson52'2"	491	2.	Tom Johnson45'4"**
3.	Ed McComas49'8 1/2"	48 '4"	3.	Ed McComas43'11 1/2"
4.	Fred Vaughan47'3 1/2"	48'3"	4.	Fred Vaughan43'11"
A.5.	Dave MacKenzie	48*	5.	Dave Harrington42'6"
	Bob MacKay46'11 1/2"	43'6"	6.	Keith Tice40'6"
è	Bret Mannon	47'1"	7.	Ron Short39'6"
5.	Dave Harrington	46'9"	8.	Mike Reid38'8 1/2"
9.	Keith Tice45'9"	43'3 1/2"	9.	Rich Porter38'5 1/2"
10.	Mike Reid44'11"	42'5"	10.	George McAulay38'4"
11.	Pon Short44'5"	42'1"	11.	John Allardice37'4"
			12.	Jim Pauli37*3"
	Grant Anderson46'10 1/2"  James McBeath43'1" (17#6			

THROWING THE 28# WEIGHT: With one hand only, from behind a four foot six inch long, six inch wide toeboard (or trig) with a nine foot approach allowed. Same foul rules and throws as the STONE. Measurement should be made from a point on the side of the trig closest to the thrower nearest to which his throwing or plant foot was placed (left foot if a right handed thrower); to the nearest break of ground of the weight (not the ring). The weight is a ball or block attached by chain to a ring or triangular handle. The overall length of the implement should not exceed 18". The Thrower must be standing after delivery of the weight.

Morld Record: 88' 8", Hamish Davidson, Scotland, 1978

American Record: 78', Fred Vaughan, Fair Hill, MD, 1979

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+1/13 Orlando, FL... Vaughan, 69'2"*
                                                         Pebble Beach, CA.. Ross, 62'3"
                                                  +7/29
                                                   8/4
                                                         Maxville, Ont.. Harrington, 66'11"
3/24 Dunedin, FL... Vaughan, 73'7"
                                                         San Diego, CA.. Oldfield, 68'7"
+3/29 Scottsdale, AZ... Shelton, 62'*
                                                  +8/5
                                                         Fergus, Ont.. Oldfield, 72'1/2"*
+4/7 Jacksonville, FL... Vaughan, 71'5 1/2"
                                                  +8/11
   28 Houston, TX... Malven, 35'10"
                                                         Stow, OH.. Oldfield, 72'3 1/2"
                                                  +8/25
      Savannah, GA... Vaughan, 69'1 1/4"
                                                   8/25
                                                         Windsor, Ont.. Milligan, 55'5"
      Pr. Frederick, MD.. Reid, 63'4"
                                                  +9/1
                                                          Santa Rosa, CA.. Vaughan, 72'8"
+6/9 Fair Hill, MD.. Vaughan, 78***
                                                         Grouse Mtn., B.C.. Doge, 46'8"
                                                   9/8
 6/16 Port Elgin, Ont.. Harrigton, 57'3 1/8"
                                                         Ligonier, PA.. Vaughan, 71'10"
                                                  +9/8
                                                         Charleston, SC.. Vaughan, 73'1 1/2"*
+6/16 Devon, PA.. Vaughan, 72'7"*
                                                  +9/15
+6/30 E. Stroudsburg, PA.. McComas, 72'5"
                                                  +9/25
                                                         Fresno, CA. Oldfield, 72'
+7/7 Ft. Toconderoga, PA.. Harrington, 72'7"*
                                                  +10/6
                                                         Red Springs, NC.. Vaughan, 72'1"
+7/14 Gr. Father Mtn., MC.. Vaughan, 70'10"
                                                  +10/20 Stone Mountain, GA.. Vaughan, 75'4 3/4"
7/15 Brantford, Ont. Milligan, 51'6"
                                                  +10/20 Campbell, CA.. Oldfield, 70'1/2"
+7/28 Alexandria, VA.. Vaughan, 76'2"*
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THROWING THE 56# WT. FOR DISTANCE: With one hand only, the best of three throws to count; same rules as the 28# WT.

World Record: 41'11", Bill Anderson, Scotland, 1968
American Record: 37'8", Fred Vaughan, Alexandria, VA 7/79

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7/28 Alexandria, VA.. Vaughan, 37'8"**
1/13 Orlando, FL... Vaughan, 32'9"
3/24 Dunedin, FL... Vaughan, 37'*
                                                  8/4
                                                       Maxville, Ont.. Harrington, 33'
3/29 Scottsdale, AZ... Shelton, 25'10"
                                                       Montreal, Que. Watson, 21'5"
                                                  8/5 San Diego, CA.. Tice, 33'3 3/4"
4/7 Jacksonville, FL... Vaughan, 30'8" (63#)
                                                  8/11 Fergus, Ont.. Oldfield, 40'11"* (LIGHT)
4/28 Houston, TX... Gana, 19'11"
                                                  8/25 Stow, OH.. Vaughan, 36'6 1/2"
5/5 Savannan, GA... Vaughan, 37'4 3/4"**
                                                  8/25 Windsor, Ont.. Milligan, 28'10"
6/2 Georgetown, Ont.. Mooring, 28'2"
                                                  9/2 Santa Rosa, CA.. Oldfield, 36'1"
                       37'1/2"*
     Fair Hill Md..
                                                  9/8 Ligonier, PA.. Vaughan, 39'8"* (KIEHT)
     Port Elgin, Ont.. Harrington, 33'9 1/2"
                                                  9/15 Charleston, SC.. Vaughan, 35'2 1/2"
6, Devon, PA.. Vaughan, 37'4 1/2"*
6/30 E. Stroudsburg, PA.. McComas, 37'5"*
                                                  9/25 Fresno, CA.. Vaughan, 36'
                                                  10/6 Red Springs, GA.. Vaughan, 34'4 1/2"
7/7 Ft. Ticonderoga, NY.. McComas, 33'4"
                                                  10/20 Stone Mtn., GA.. Vaughan, 36'5 1/2"
7/14 Grandfather Mtn, NC.. Vaughan, 34'2"
7/15 Brantford, Ont.. Milligan, 25'10"
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	28 LB WEIGHT
1.	Fred Vaughan78 **
2.	Brian Oldfield75'5"
3.	Tom Johnson74'6"
4.	Ed McComas73'9 3/4"
5.	Dave Harrington72'7"
6.	Ron Short72'1/2"
7.	Keith Tice69'2 1/2"
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9.	Michael Reid63'10"
10.	George McAulay63'4"
11.	Rich Porter62'8"
A.12.	Bob MacKay61'11 1/2"
13.	Jim Pauli61'
4.14.	Dave Mackenzie60'
	Grant Anderson (Scot)71*4 1/2"

James McBeath (Scot)...66'9"

	56 LB WEIGHT
1.	Brian Oldfield40'11"
2.	Fred Vaughan39'8"
3.	Ed McComas37'5"
4.	Keith Tice36'11"
5.	Ron Short35'4"
6.	Tom Johnson34'5"
7.	Michael Reid34'
8.	Dave Harrington33'9 1/2"
9.	Jim Pauli
10.	George McAulay30'5"

Grant Anderson (Scot)..35'1 1/2"

James McBeath (Scot)...32'1/2"

Colin Mathieson (Aust).31'2 1/4"

SCOTTISH HAMMER: The hammer head shall be of metal, a spherical, and the shaft shall be of wood or cane. Overall length of the hammer shall be 50" and shall be either 16± (light hammer) or 22# (heavy hammer). Thrown standing style, delivered from behind a straight wooden trig six inches high and not more than 4 ft 6 inches long. The best of three throws by each competitor to the nearest break of ground. Fouls are counted the same as in the STONE and WEIGHT THROWS. Boundary pins are not necessary nor desirable, except on uneven ground. The same hammer should be used year to year at specific Games to facilitate a fair ground (field) records system. From the time the hammer is returned to the trig, A competitor shall be limited to a time limit of time the minutes for each throw...S.G.A. Yearbook, 1978.

1 MMER: World Record: 151'2", Bill Anderson, Scotland, 1969
American Record: 119'11", Keith Tice, Santa Rosa, CA 9/78

20# HAMMER: World Record: 123'5", Bill Anderson, Scotland, 1969
American Record: 96'2 1/2", Keith Tice, Fergus, Ontario 8/78

- 1/13 Orlando, FL... Harrington, 84'1"\*
- 3/24 Dunedin, FL... Tice, 93'1"
- 3/29 Scottsdale, AZ... Shelton (18#) 96'2"
- 4/7 Jacksonville, FL... Vaughan, 79'11"
- 5/5 Savannah, GA... Tice; 95'2"\*
- 5/12 Pr. Frederick, MD.. Reid, 95'10" (16#)
- 6/9 Fair Hill MD.. Vaughan, 80'4 1/2" (22#)
- 6/16 Port Elgin, Ont.. Harrington, 83' (22#)
  - Harrington, 113'7 3/4" (16#)
- 6/16 Devon, PA.. Tice, 90'2" (22#)\*
- 6/30 E. Stroudsburg, PA.. McComas, 83'7" (22#)

McComas, 99'0" (16#)

- 7/14 Grandfather Mountain, NC.. Vaughan, 83'10 1/2"
- 7/18 Alexandria, VA.. Tice, 95'10"\*
- 7/29 Pebble Beach, CA.. Shelton, 102'2"
- 8/4 Maxville, Ont.. Harrington, 85'11" (22#)
- 8/5 San Diego, CA.. Goldrick, 90'10" (22#)

Goldrick, 108!1/2" (16#)\*

- Fergus, Ont.. Mathleson, 95'1 1/2" (22#)
- Stow, OH.. Tice, 94'10 1/2" (10#)
- 8/25 Windsor, Ont.. Milligan, 90'4" (16#)
- 9/1 Altamont, NY.. McComas, 84'8" (22#)
- 9/1 Santa Rosa, CA.. Anderson, 128'2 1/2" (16#)

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9/2 Santa Rosa, CA.. Anderson, 111' (22#)*
9/8 Grouse Mtn., B.C.. Staller, 93'8" (16#)
9/8 Ligonier, PA.. Vaughan, 84'5 1/2" (22#)*
9/15 Charleston, SC.. Vaughan, 82'5 3/4" (23#)*
1/15 Fresno, CA.. Tice, 88' (22#)
                 Tice, 108" (16#)
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     Red Springs, NC.. Vaughan, 81'3 1/2" (22#)
                     Vaughan, 111'2 1/2" (16#)*
10/20 Stone Mtn., GA.. McComas, 88'4" (22#)
10/20 Campbell, CA.. Shelton, 101'5" (16#)
              22# HAMMER
                                               16# HAMMER
     1. Keith Tice.....95'10"
                                            1. Keith Tice.....116'7"
     2. Dave Harrington.....89'9"
                                            Dave Harrington.....113'7 3/4"
                                          A.3. Dave MacKenzie.....111'9"
     3. Brian Oldfield.....89'
     4. Ed McComas......88'4"
                                            4. Fred Vaughan......111'3 1/2"
     5. Fred Vaughan......88'3"
                                          A.5. Dick Shelton.....109'2 1/2"
   A.6. Dave MacKenzie.....87'9 1/2"

    Brian Oldfield.....107'1/2"

                                            7. Ron Short......103'11 3/4"
   A.7. Dick Shelton.....87'2 1/2"
                                          A.8. Bob MacKay.....102'4 1/2"
     8. George McAulay.....87'
         Jim Pauli.....83'11"
                                           9. Ed McComas..... 991
     9.
         10.
                                               John Ross..... 98'7 1/2"
    10.
                                           11.
                                               Tom Johnson..... 98'6 1/2"
                                           Grant Anderson (Scot).....128'2 1/2"
     Grant Anderson (Scot) ... 111"
     James McBeath (Scot)....100'6"
                                           James McBeath (Scot).....124'7"
     Colin Mathieson (Aust).. 95'1 1/2"
TOSSING THE 56# WT FOR HEIGHT: (The Weight Over the Ear). A block or ball weight to which a
    or triangular handle is attached by chain link and weighing a total of 56 lbs is thrown
     ne hand only over a bar similar to that used in the pole vault. Competitors are allowed
     throws at each height and may commence throwing at any height so desired but once having
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done so must continue. All measurements should be made from the ground to the top of the bar at
a point midway between the uprights.
                16'?", Brian Oldfield, Stow, OH 8/79
World Record:
                16'7", Brian Oldfield, Stow, OH 8/79
American Record:
 1/13 Orlando, FL... Vaughan, 14'1"*
                                                3/4
                                                      Maxville, Ont.. Harrington, 13'3"
                                                      San Diego, CA.. Goldrick, 16'*
 3/24 Dunedin, FL... Vaughan, 14'6"*
                                                3/5
                                                      Fergus, Ont. Oldfield, 16'1/2"*
 3/29 Scottsdale, AZ... Shelton, 11"
                                                8/11
                                                      GOLDEN, Co . Olds
 4/7 Jacksonville, FL... Vaughan, 14'
                                                8/11
                                                      Windsor, Ont. Milligan, 12'
                                                8/25
 4/28 Houston, TX... Turner, 9'9"
                                                8/25 Stow, OH.. Oldfield, 16'7"**
5/5 Savannah, GA... Tice, 14'
                                                      Santa Rosa, CA. Oldfield, 15'10"*
 6/2 Georgetown, Ont.. Mooring, 13'5"
                                                9/2
                                                      Ligonier, PA.. Vaughan, 15'2"*
 6/9 Fair Hill, MD.. Vaughan, 14"*
                                                 9/8
                                                      Charleston, SC.. Johnson, 14'*
 6/16 Port Elgin, Ont.. Harrington, 14'2 5/8"
                                                 9/8
                                                 9/25
                                                      Fresno, CA.. Oldfield, 16'
 5/16 Devon, PA.. Vaughan, 15' 6"(54#)
                                                 10/6 Red Springs, NC.. Vaughan, 13'9"*
 7/7 Ft. Ticonderoga, NY.. Harrington, 13'6"
                                                 10/20 Stone Mtn., GA.. Vaughan, 13'5"
 7/14 Grandfather Mtn, NC.. Vaughan, 13'6" (58#)
                                                 10/20 Campbell, CA.. Oldfield, 16'
 7/28 Alexandria, VA.. Oldfield, 15'8" (54#)
 7/29 Pebble Beach, CA.. Oldfield, 15'6"
                                                          7. T. Blair.....14'2"
         A.8. Dave McKenzie.....14'
         9. Jim Pauli..........13'8"
            10. John Ross..........13'6"
         4. Dave Harrington.....14'8"
                                                              Ron Short..........13'3"
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12. Rich Porter.....13'2"

5. Ed McComas.....14'6"

Tom Johnson.....14'6"

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Grant Anderson (Scot)......15'
Colin Mathieson (Aust).....14'
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SHEAF TOSS: A 16# bag of straw thrown by pitchfork over a cross bar for height by any lipossible. Three throws at each height.

## American Record: 25' 4", Brian Oldfield, Alexandria, VA 7/79

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1/13 Orlando, FL... Short, 20'6"
                                               7/14 Grandfather Mtn., NC.. Short, 22'
3/24 Dunedin, FL... Tice, 20'6"
                                               7/28 Alexandria, VA.. Oldfield, 25'4" (18*)
                                                     Maxville, Ont.. Piles, 15'6" (25#)
4/7 Jacksonville, FL... Vaughan, 21'
                                               8/4
4/28 Houston, TX... Carter, 21'
                                                     Montreal, Que. Watson, 33'2" (Dist.)
                                               8/5
                                               8/11 Golden, CO.. Hoyt, 18'6" (20#)
5/5 Savannah, GA... Short, 21"
5/12 Pr. Frederick, MD.. Reid, 21"*
                                               8/25 Stow, OH.. Oldfield, 26'3" (LT.)
6/9 Fair Hill, MD.. Hoyt, 22'2"*
                                               9/1
                                                     Altamonte, NY.. Short, 24'2" (14#)
                                                     Ligonier, PA.. Reid, 23'2"*
                                               9/8
6/16 Devon, PA.. McComas, 22'1"
6/30 E. Stroudsburg, PA. McComas, 23'6"*
                                               9/15 Charleston, SC Short, 22'
7/7 Ft. Ticonderoga, NY.. McComas, 20'6"* (18#) 10/20 Stone Mtn., Ga.. Hoyt, 23'*
                                                   8. Michael Reid.....23' 2"
         1. Brian Oldfield....26'3" (LT.)
        2. Fred Vaughan.....24'3" (LT.)
                                                        Pete Hoyt.....23'2"
                                                  10. H. O'Laughlin.....22'2"
            Joel Keefer.....24'3" (LT.)
                                                        Jim Pauli......22'2"
        4. Ron Short.....24'2"
                                                   12. T. Blair.....21'9"
        5. Ed McComas.....23'9"
                                                  13. J. McDonald......21'2"
        6. Tom Johnson.....23'3" (LT.)
            Keith Tice.....23"3" (LT.)
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AMATEUR AMERICAN RECORDS: Several Games hold an Amateur Competition prior to or in conjunction with the Open Heavy Events. Included are Santa Rosa, CA., Long Beach, CA., Fresno, CA., value of the Scottish Games and Stone Mountain, GA.

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/# STONE...... 48'0"...... Dave McKenzie, Santa Rosa, 1979
56# WT........ 26'7 1/2".... Boriero, Santa Rosa, 1979
28# WT......... 61'11 1/2"... Bob MacKay, Santa Rosa, 1979
16# HAMMER...... 111'11"..... Dick Shelton, Santa Rosa, 1978
22# HAMMER...... 91'4 1/2".... Dick Shelton, Santa Rosa, 1979
56# WT FOR HT.... 14'...... Dave McKenzie, Santa Rosa, 1979
SHEAF TOSS...... 20'8"...... Larry Satchwell, Stone Mtn., 1979
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In 1979 this NEWSLETTER reported on thirty-one Games which carried at least some of the Heavy Events. This was an increase of fifteen new Games since January, 1977. Twenty-four of this year's Games were major competitions carrying five to seven of the Heavy Events and involving at least three athletes with Heavy Events experience. Almost all Games had increases in attendance this year and it seems that inclement weather is the only factor which will hold down spectator interest.

1979 also saw an increase in quantity and quality of athletes and performances have improved considerably over last year. The outstanding efforts were put in by Fred Vaughan and Brian Oldfield. Fred had his best year yet winning ten Games Championships, the Canadian CABER Championship, and improving both American Records in the 56 LB WT and 28 LB WT. He broke twenty Field Records over the year. Brian won six Games titles including the U.S. Highland Heptathalon, and Canadian Heavy Events Championship.

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### <u>GAMES 1980</u>

#### JAN

Orlando Scottish Highland Games, Scottish-American Society of Central Florida, P.O. Box 2948, Orlando, FL 32807

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## MAR

- 29 Dunedin Highland Games, P.O. Box 507, Dunedin, FL 33528
- 29 Hawaiian Highland Games, Holy Nativity Youth Center, 5286 Kalanianaole Hwy, Honolulu, Hawaii 96821

#### APR

Highland Games and Gathering, Scotsdale, AZ

- IZ Jacksonville Highland Games, P.O. Box 2105A, Jacksonville, FL 32203
- 26 Southern Maryland Highland Gathering and Celtic Festival, Ben Williams, Eox 427 Bay View Drive, Chesapeake Beach, MD 20732
- 3 Savannah Scottish Games, P.O. Box 607, Savannah, GA 31402
- 19 Arkansas Scottish Cultural Society Gathering, David Chagnon, 4 Barberry Drive, North Little Rock, AR 72118

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