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No. 17, Nov. 20, 1943, six pp. Membership 50. (final for 1943-44)

No. 18, Jan. 25, 1944, two pp.

No. 19, March 10, 1944, eight pp.

No. 20, April 20, 1944, four pp. Charleston picked for state tourney May 27-28. Swiss System approved for play if more than 8 entered.

No. 21, May 10, 1944, four pp.

No. 22, June 10, 1944, ten pp. Dr. Werthammer wins second tournament in a row. Membership 23.

No. 23, July 10, 1944, twelve pp. Paull & Collett reelected prex., secy. Members approve a 1944 Yearbook (our third). Gene Collett elected a life member. Charleston picked for 1945 tournament. Membership 41. First problem page edited by Walt Crede.

No. 24, Aug. 10, 1944, twelve pp. Members vote to rotate presidency; no person may hold it two years in succession. Labor Day week-end tournament approved in preference to early summer affair. Swiss System approved by members by vote of 18 to 1. WVCB begins running series of Birthday Profiles of members--first ones G. Vincent Scofield, M.F. Allison, Walt Crede, Capt. B.W. Devericks. Membership 48.

No. 25, Sept. 10, 1944, twelve pp. Birthday profiles of Joseph R. Dorsey, Harold C. Heisey. Membership 55.

No. 26, Oct. 10, 1944, twelve pp. Birthday profiles Layton O. Whitman, Thos. B. Sweeney, Jr. Membership 61.

No. 27, Nov. 10, 1944, 12 pp. Birthday Profiles A.W. Paull, Arthur Brenneman, Mrs. Richard C. Grimm. Membership 65.

No. 28, Dec. 10, 1944, twelve pp. Birthday profiles Landis Marks, Eal Liggett.

No. 29, Jan. 10, 1945, twelve pp.

No. 30, Feb. 10, 1945, twelve pp. Morgantown Jaycees announce they'll sponsor our 1945 state tourney. Walt Crede quits as problem editor. Birthday profiles Dr. Siegfried Werthammer, Chas. W. Chrislip, John F. Hurt, Jr. Membership 66.

No. 31, March 10, 1945, twelve pp. Birthday profiles Richard C. Grimm, Ray H. Griffin. Membership 70.