

## ROYAL JACKSTRAWS

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The game is played as follows: The pieces being gathered a bunch, in one hand, are held in a vertical position about two inches above the table, and suddenly dropped, so that they fall into an irregular heap. Each person when playing has a hook with which to draw the straws from the pile.

The object is to draw or remove the pieces, one at a time, without in the slightest degree moving any other than the one being drawn.

If a player succeeds in removing one straw he keeps it, and proceeds to draw out another, and so continues, as long as he does not disturb any other straw than the one he is endeavoring to remove; but when he moves any other than the one straw, he gives up his turn to the next player. The next player now gathers on the straws and rops them again, as at first, and endeavors to draw the straws.

In general terms, all the pieces are called straws, while as above stated, the Pennant, War club, Spades, etc. are called Jack Straws, and are the most desirable to get, as they count the highest in the game.

The game is continued by the players in turn, until all the straws and are drawn., and then the players having the greatest amount, according to the following count, wins the game.