

AT SEA GIRT

THE PRESIDENT'S MATCH

Military Championship of the United States

THE HIGHEST HONOR

Won by SERGT. C. E. ORR OF NEWARK, OHIO, WITH

WINCHESTER FACTORY LOADED CARTRIDGES

ALSO THE FOLLOWING IMPORTANT MATCHES:

- SPENCER MATCH—Won by Capt. W. B. Martin
ALL COMERS MILITARY MATCH—Won by D. M. McIntire
KUSER RAPID FIRE MATCH—Won by A. L. Laudensack
E. P. MEANY MATCH—Won by Capt. W. G. Hudson
THE HAYES MATCH—Won by Capt. W. B. Martin, who made 24 straight bull's-eyes—a new record.
CONSOLATION MATCH—Won by H. E. Simon.
JONES RAPID FIRE MATCH—Tied by A. L. Laudensack, W. D. Kittler and C. S. Hudson with perfect scores
PISTOL MATCH—Won by G. W. Waterhouse

A SUPREME TEST OF AMMUNITION FULLY SUSTAINED



TRAP AT READING.

Milt Brey was High Amateur in a Day's Shooting.

Reading, Pa., Sept. 16.—The eighth annual midsummer target tournament of the Spring Valley Shooting Association, of this city, held on the Association's well-equipped grounds at Bernhart Station, a suburb of Reading, proved to be a success, although the inclement weather kept a number of sportsmen at home that had sent word to the committee that they would be on hand. The high wind played havoc with the flight of the targets and made shooting very difficult, and resulted in the scores being below the general average.

The trade was well represented at this tournament, the following experts and missionaries being present: J. A. R. Elliott, J. Mowell Hawkins and Edwin L. Parvin, of the Winchester Arms Company; Henry H. Stevens, of the U. M. C.; Neaf Apgar, of the Peters Cartridge Company, and Luther J. Squier, of the DuPont Company. The tournament was under the management of Arthur A. Fink, the Association's secretary, who kept things on the move from 11 A. M. until 4.15, when the program events were finished.

High average honors for the day went to J. Mowell Hawkins, the Winchester expert, who broke 171 out of a total of 180 targets—great work, considering the high wind. Milton S. Brey, the well-known amateur of Geryville, finished second, or high amateur, with 162 for the day, and won the \$5 in gold offered as high average money for the amateurs. Percy B. Pfeiffer, the amateur from Ambler, finished third, or second high amateur, with 161 scored to his credit, and won \$3 as second average money. Neaf Apgar, the Peters' representative, finished fourth with 159 scored. The latter was suffering with a severe cold and seemed fit for bed instead of shooting. The low average prize of \$2 went to Irvin Scheffey, of Pottstown, who broke 120 targets. The Tournament Committee of the Spring Valley Shooting Association is to be congratulated on the success of their eighth annual tournament, as they worked hard to make it a success and were rewarded by having a large crowd present. The committee has received so many requests for a live-bird tournament that they have decided to arrange for a three days' live-bird tournament, the date to be announced shortly, the principal event to be the Reading handicap, 25 live birds, handicap rise 26 to 31 yards, open to all, \$10 entrance, birds extra, for which they will guarantee \$500. The Association's grounds at Bernhart Station are all inclosed, with underground system of trapping for two sets of traps, and having a cozy club house right back of the score. The full program will be announced in a few weeks. The scores follow:

Table with columns: Targets, Total, and names of participants with their scores.

Media Gun Club.

Media, Pa., Sept. 4.—The Media Gun Club opened the season with three interesting events. The club has decided to enter the Philadelphia Trapshooters' League and to hold weekly shoots. Pennington carried off the honors today. First event, twenty-five targets—Pennington 24, Riby 23, Snowden 18, Sweeney 16, Rogers 14, Downing 12. Second event, twenty-five targets—

Pennington 22, Rhoads 21, Riby 19, Sweeney 18, Little 18, Georges 16, Snowden 12, Downing 11, Moore 7. Third event, twenty-five targets—Pennington 23, Riby 21, Downing 21, Moore 13, Snowden 13.

Good scores were made by the members of the Media Gun Club September 9 by the small field that participated, Riby carrying off honors. First event, twenty-five targets—Pennington 23, Riby 22, S. Smedley 22, Sweeney 22. Second event, twenty-five targets—Riby 22, S. Smedley 20, Sweeney 21, Pennington 19. Third event, twenty-five targets—Riby 21, Sweeney 20, Pennington 19, S. Smedley 19.

Cincinnati Club Shoot.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 1.—Lytle and Harig were high men in the Schuler trophy shoot Saturday afternoon at the Cincinnati Gun Club, but did not compete, although having a clear record with his handicap. The scores:

Table with columns: Name, Hdcp., Broke, Total, and names of participants with their scores.

Two-man team race at 50 targets. Gambell 22 14 Barker 20 18 Peters 22 17 Tuttle 14 17

Two-man team race at 25 targets. Gambell 23 Medico 17 Pohlman 22 Randall 22

Ten pair targets. 15 Jay Bee 10 10 Falk 14 Orr 10 10 Barker 13 Tuttle 9 9 Peters 12 Meyers 8 8

On September 9 Arthur Gambell shot in fine form, breaking 97 out of 100. On September 10 Gambell scored 142 out of 150. The scores follow: 100 targets—Gambell 97, Roll 94, Pohlman 91, Diehs 85, Aiders 84, Pfeiffer 77. Match, 100 targets—Gambell 97, Pohlman 91.

Table with columns: Name, Shot, Bke., and names of participants with their scores.

Trap at Baltimore.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 5.—The Prospect Shooting Association held its weekly meet Monday at Prospect Park and shot off the appended scores. There will be no shooting on September 11, owing to the fair and races. On September 18 the regular weekly meets will again begin. Scores:

Table with columns: Name, Targets, and names of participants with their scores.

TRAP AT PHILLIPSBURG.

New Records Made at the Alert Gun Club Shoot.

Phillipsburg, N. J., Sept. 12.—The First Annual Labor Tournament of the Alert Gun Club was a very successful affair, when measured by the satisfaction so generally evinced by those who participated. The contestants numbering, twenty-two, are individually of a class which cannot be excelled in true sportsmanship, and the Alert boys will take a keen delight in affording them a similar opportunity to meet again in the future. The day opened with heavy showers, which caused some delay in starting the shoot and prevented the attendance of many amateurs who had previously signified their intention of being present. The trade was represented by Mr. H. S. Welles, of New York City.

The record in 100 targets over this trap, set for a fifty-yard target, was 93 breaks, and was held by Mr. Markley, of Easton, Pa. For more than a year this record had not been equaled, although numerous amateurs of high ability have made the attempt. At this shoot Mr. Markley and Mr. N. L. Clark, of Doylestown, Pa., were both successful in accomplishing the feat, the former making the very remarkable score of 97 breaks and Mr. Clark following closely with the creditable score of 94 breaks. Mr. Markley further displayed grand form by making a straight run of fifty-four breaks, which is, in itself, a new record here, eclipsing Mr. Mowell J. Hawkins (Winchester Arms Co. representative) record of 53 straight breaks made at a previous Alert tournament.

The three highest amateur cash prizes were awarded as follows: first, Edward E. Markley; second, Mr. N. L. Clark, and third, Mr. J. F. Pleiss, of Easton, Pa., and Mr. James Ogden, of Warwick, New York. The following is score:

Table with columns: Name, Targets, and names of participants with their scores.

Keystone Gun Club.

Lebanon, Pa., Sept. 6.—The annual Labor Day shoot held at East Lebanon under the auspices of the Keystone Gun Club, attracted a large crowd of club members and others interested who applauded the splendid scores made by the various participants. Only club members took part in the shoot. There were eight events in all, including six target and two live bird events. Monroe Rapp, the club's captain, managed the shoot.

The first event was a live bird match which was shot for the J. C. Schmidt trophy or silver cup, in which Messrs. Goodman and C. Long each scored nine points. On account of failure to appear and participate in the shoot, William H. Bollman and George S. Trafford, both members of the club, forfeited rights to shoot for the Schmidt trophy. Although George Hansell and W. Worth each scored ten birds, the highest point made in

this shoot, they could not be awarded honors, for the reason that they were not members of the club at the time when the contest for the cup was begun. Following are the full scores: 10 live birds.

Table with columns: Name, Score, and names of participants with their scores.

Trap at Allentown.

Allentown, Pa., Sept. 16.—The two days' shoot on the Duck Farm grounds on Wednesday and Thursday drew the usual attendance. Several experts were present, J. A. R. Elliott winning high average for the experts. H. Schlicher, the Allentown amateur, won the honors in his class.

On the first day Elliott was first and Schlicher second. On the second day Schlicher came to the front, beating Elliott by three targets. C. Humer was second best amateur this day. Twenty-five contestants took part, but only five went through the two days' program. The scores follow:

Table with columns: Name, Sept. 13, Sept. 14, Total, and names of participants with their scores.

Forthcoming Events.

- Sept. 25—Grafton Rod and Gun Club, Grafton, W. Va. H. L. Rozers, secretary.
Sept. 26, 27—Rensselaer, Ind. Everett Brown, secretary. Pleasant Grove.
Sept. 26, 27—Hutchinson, Kans., \$200 added. C. T. Rankin, secretary.
Sept. 27, 28—Bradford, Pa., clambake and corn-roast. Tom. LeCompte, secretary.
Oct. 3, 4—Kentucky Trap Shooters League, live birds, Louisville, Ky. Emile Pragoff, secretary.
Oct. 3, 4—Pleasant Hill Mo. Afro-American annual. T. H. Cohen, secretary.
Oct. 3, 4—Baltimore Shooting Association, Baltimore, Md. J. W. Chew, Box 941, secretary.
Oct. 4, 5—Herron Hill Gun Club, Pittsburg, Pa. L. B. Fleming, manager, 620 Summerlee street.
Oct. 6, 7—Crawfordsville, Ind.
Oct. 11, 12—Second Fall Tournament of the Delaware Trap Shooters League, Dover, Del. W. H. Reed, secretary.
Oct. 13, 14, 15—Rawlings' semi-annual shoot, sparrows, pigeons and targets. A. Mermod, 620 Locust street, St. Louis, Mo.
Oct. 18, 19—Two days' shoot of Ossining Gun Club, \$50 added. Ossining, N. Y. C. P. Blandford, captain.
Oct. 18, 19—Cecil County tournament for amateurs, Rising Sun, Md. H. Linn Worthington, manager.
Oct. 20—Berea O. J. F. Beswick, secretary.
Oct. 21—Plainfield, N. J. H. P. Vosseller, secretary.
Bound Brook Gun Club, Third Saturday of each month, Bound Brook, N. J.
Florists' Gun Club, Grounds, Wissinoming, Philadelphia, Pa. Regular shoot second and fourth Tuesdays of each month; 1.10 P. M. train from Broad Street Station.
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May 24, 25—Canadian Indians, first annual. Montreal, Canada. Thomas A. Duff, 14 Close avenue, Toronto, Can., high scribe.