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TRAP IN WYOMING.

H. G. Taylor Won the First Average at the Sheridan Tourney.

Sheridan, Wyo., Oct. 15.—The first trap tournament of importance in Wyoming was held at this place Oct. 11 and 12. The delightful weather made pleasant sport for all who attended.

The trade was represented by Capt. A. H. Hardy, of the P. C. Co., who gave an interesting exhibition of fancy and rapid rifle shooting; and also shot well at the traps. J. S. Fanning was booming infallible powder, and C. D. Plank was looking after Ballistite interests.

W. D. Doty, of the W. R. A. Co., Helena, Mont., conducted the official work in a very pleasing manner.

H. G. Taylor, an amateur of Mechling, S. D., led each day and was high for the two days on 383 out of 400. Fanning and Plank were second each day and tied for the two days on 380.

The team match was won by the City Gun Club, of Sheridan, on a score of 68 out of 75, and they carried off the Du Pont trophy. The scores follow:

FIRST DAY, OCT. 11.	
Targets	15 20 15 15 20 15 20 15 15 20
Hardy, A. H.	14 14 18 13 15 17 14 11 18 13 15 20
Schroeder, G.	14 14 19 14 13 19 15 14 18 13 14 18
Bray, Dan	14 15 18 15 15 19 14 12 17 15 12 20
Taylor, H. G.	13 13 19 14 15 20 15 13 20 15 15 19
Adams, C. B.	13 11 15 13 8 13
Plank, C. D.	13 15 20 15 14 19 13 15 19 15 14 18
Selvidge, W.	15 14 17 12 15 18 13 14 19 12 14 19
Huse, J. W.	13 13 19 14 14 18 12 13 16 10 15 16
Scott, W. F.	14 14 16 14 11 16 13 15 15 11 13 19
Fanning, J. S.	15 14 16 15 15 18 15 14 20 15 12 18
Williams, C.	12 14 16 12 12 17 12 13 18 11 12 18
Booth, L. C.	13 14 19 14 13 17 14 13 18 11 12 15
Brown, R. E.	12 14 18 14 15 15 14 14
Sollers, F. A.	9 10 14 13 14 17 14 7 17 13 13 14
Freeman, W.	12 12 16 12 9 14 8 5 3 12
Small, G. E.	10 12 18 8 14 13 6 17 11 12
King, R.	10 13 17 15 15 18 12 13 20 11 14 11
Range, Wm.	9 4 10 10 12 6
McMahon, J.	15 11 12 10 15 13 8 8
Wolf, Edw.	10 11 14 12 10 11 11
Frackelton W.	12 12 9 9
Andrews, L.	9 6

SECOND DAY, OCT. 12.	
Targets	15 20 15 15 20 15 20 15 15 20
Hardy, A. H.	13 13 17 15 14 19 12 11 18 10 10 15
Schroeder, G.	14 15 18 12 12 18 14 13 20 13 11 19
Bray, Dan	15 14 20 14 12 15 12 9 14 8 13 15
Taylor, H. G.	14 15 20 15 15 17 13 14 17 15 15 20
Plank, C. D.	13 13 19 14 15 18 13 14 19 13 14 19
Selvidge, W.	12 11 15 11 13 17 14 13 20 13 13 20
Huse, J. W.	13 13 17 14 14 20 14 14 17 12 14 18
Scott, W. F.	14 13 19 13 15 20 14 12 17 13 15 17
Fanning, J. S.	13 15 19 13 15 18 15 15 18 15 15 19
Williams, C.	13 12 17 14 14 16 15 14 19 12 15 20
Booth, L. C.	9 10 11 10 10 10 7 7 14
Brown, R. E.	18 15 12 14 8 8 16
Sollers, F. A.	13 13 17 13 14 16 11 14 18 11 11 16
Freeman, W.	11 13 6 8 5 10 7
Small, G. E.	14 12 12 15 16 14 14 15 17
King, Rodney	12 12 18 13 14 17 11 12 18 13 15 16
Rauze, W.	8 10
McMahon, J.	8 9 11 11 9 8
Frackelton W.	8
Andrews, L.	8
Forbes, G.	11 14 13 11 16
Watson, G. H.	10 7 7 14
Hodson, F. A.	11 13 13 11 16

Team match, 3 men from any club in Wyoming, for the Du Pont trophy, 25 targets. City G. C. (Sheridan) Beckton.

Brown	24	King	22
Sollers	25	Watson	18
McMahon	19	Forbes	22
68			

Country G. C. (Sheridan).
Sumpton 8 Frackelton 14
Small 20 Total 42

GENERAL AVERAGE.

The averages of those shooting through the two days follow:	
H. G. Taylor	383
C. D. Plank	380
J. S. Fanning	380
G. Schroeder	364
W. A. Selvidge	354
J. W. Huse	353
W. F. Scott	353
A. H. Hardy	349
C. Williams	348
Dan Bray	347
Frederic King	340
F. A. Sollers	322

Crescent Athletic Club.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 16.—The Crescent Athletic Club opened the trap-shooting season at its Bay Ridge

grounds on Saturday. Judging from the attendance there will be lively times at the Crescent traps this season. The scores follow:

LOTT TROPHY—50 TARGETS.	
H. T.	H. T.
H. M. Brigham	0 47
W. W. Marshall	5 47
J. J. Keyes	2 43
W. C. Damron	4 43
O. C. Grinnell, Jr.	2 42
F. C. Southworth	0 36
H. B. Vanderveer	3 22

SNYDER TROPHY—25 TARGETS.	
H. T.	H. T.
J. J. Keyes	2 25
W. W. Marshall	5 25
A. G. Southward	0 24
T. W. Stake	5 24
H. M. Brigham	0 23
E. H. Lott	2 23
O. C. Grinnell, Jr.	2 22
F. C. Raynor	4 22
W. C. Damron	4 18
R. L. O'Brien	2 17
H. B. Vanderveer	3 13

MULLERITE TROPHY—25 TARGETS.	
H. T.	H. T.
O. C. Grinnell, Jr.	2 25
J. J. Keyes	2 22
H. M. Brigham	0 22
W. W. Marshall	5 21
A. G. Southworth	0 20
W. C. Damron	4 20
F. S. Raynor	4 19
R. L. O'Brien	2 19
E. H. Lott	2 16
H. B. Vanderveer	3 9

TRAP IN ILLINOIS.

Barkley Carried Off the Amateur Honors at Rantoul.

Rantoul, Ill., Oct. 17.—A very successful shoot was given by the Rantoul Gun Club, Oct. 12 and 13. The low scores are accounted for by the fact that on both days a gale of wind swept over the ground toward the shooters, causing the targets to take irregular flights. Charles Spencer made high average, breaking 277 out of 300. Stannard was second with 270. L. Barkley, of Chicago, was the best amateur with a score of 267. J. T. Park, of Brook, Ind., was second amateur with 260. The scores follow:

Oct 12, Oct. 13.		Tot.	
Spencer	150 150	Shot.	300
Stannard	140 137	Bke	277
Barkley	135 135		270
Park	133 134		267
Arle	126 134		260
Leary	127 130		257
Neal	124 125		249
Vietmerer	127 116		243
Rupert	113 130		240
Van Gundy	123 117		240
Steenberg	111 127		238
Holderman	126 111		237
Fitzsimmons	124 113		237
Stoner	111 119		230
Hawes	112 105		217
Irle	82 75		157
Kaler	118 94		212
Kinney	85 83		168
Hefley	113 15		128
Walton	115		115
McDermand	111		150
Reitz	109		109
Hanger	94		120
Hitchens	55		90
Myres	53		75
Rosaleus	44		60
Willis	34		60
Miller	38		45
Campbell	14		45
E. Molloy	30		45
W. Molloy	15		30

Pennsylvania Game Laws.

All sportsmen should post themselves on the game laws. There has been many changes in the Pennsylvania game laws this year.

The open season for game under the new law is as follows:

Game	Day	Week	Sea'n
Quail	10	40	75
Woodcock	10	20	50
Ruffed grouse	5	20	50
Wild turkey	1	4	4
Deer	1	4	1
Squirrel	6	—	—
Wild duck	10	—	100
Wild geese	2	—	10

TRAP IN MISSOURI.

The Metropolitan Gun Club Conduct M.-K. League Shoot.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 16.—Editor "Sporting Life."—The fall tournament of the Missouri-Kansas League of trap shooters was a very successful event, held October 10-11, under the auspices of the Metropolitan Gun Club, of St. Joseph. Frank and Mrs. Cunningham managed the shoot, the former doing the outside work and his wife presiding ably over the office and books. Harry Sherman was on hand to see that the Dickey birds flew right, and all went well. Weather was fine, but severe winds each day cut down general averages.

"Billy" Heer added another to his list of averages, and made a run of 112 straight. John Garrett finished a strong second and Walter Huff was third and Charlie Young fourth general. In all nearly fifty men participated, twenty-five shooting through both days.

As a special event W. A. Veach challenged and won from Ed. Arnold, the Elliott championship trophy. This was shot at one hundred targets. Elliott handicap, the score being 91-85. The L. C. Smith trophy was won by Arnold on the second shoot-off with Garrett. The scores follow:

Heer	200	200	400
Garratt	193	196	389
Pfaff	193	189	382
Young	194	186	380
Ford	190	189	379
Arnold	189	185	374
Money	188	186	374
Veach	185	189	374
Durham	190	183	373
O'Brien	188	183	371
Riehl	184	183	367
G. Timberlake	186	179	365
Cunningham	182	182	364
Clapp	177	185	362
Thomas	184	177	361
Mackie	181	179	360
Gottlieb	184	171	355
Arnholt	174	179	353
Norris	177	175	352
Seranton	175	176	351
Waddington	173	177	350
Litberry	184	164	348
Sherman	177	168	345
D. Timberlake	173	166	339
Elliott	161	164	325
Wilbergen	159	165	324
Spencer	184	...	...
Burkhalter	181	...	...
Strickler	178	...	...
Roberts	164	...	...
Highfill	164	...	...
Redman	157	...	...
Sperry	185	...	...
Smith	183	...	...
Huntley	187	...	...

WILLIAMS.

New Trespass Law Exasperating.

Lock Haven, Pa., Oct. 23.—On October 15 the season on grouse opened in this State, but the pleasure usually attending the hunting of these birds was greatly curtailed by the provisions and penalties of the new trespass law. Hunters who have been out and found the trespass signs far thicker than the game have decided that gunning is too costly a sport to indulge in, so that the indications are that gunning will practically be confined to the owners of the game lands themselves.

The observance of the new law made possible an exasperating experience had by two hunters on Young Woman's creek, in Potter County, one day the past week. They had, in the early morning, far back in the deep forest, driven a black bear onto a runway. During the forenoon one of the men, at long range, fired a shot that wounded the bear, though not to such an extent as to prevent the animal still keeping in the lead. A second shot just before reaching the fields of a small farmer sent the bear to his knees. The bear, in a fit of desperation, attempted to scale a pole fence into an orchard. The fence broke, and the bear, badly wounded, shambled into the field, not more than three rods from the farmer's house. On a

tree near the point where the bear entered through the broken fence was a flaring trespass sign warning all trespassers away.

The hunters stopped, as by this time the farmer, gun in hand, was seen running toward them, waving them back and declaring in tones of thunder that if they dared pass that sign he would shoot them in their tracks. They saw their bear fall in its death throes at the foot of a tree which it had attempted to climb, but the farmer and his gun, with the law backing him up, was an effective barrier against any further advance movement. So the men reluctantly turned away, while the farmer proceeded to reap the harvest of bear meat that had, like the proverbial manna, come to him without even so much as the planting or the watering of the soil.

Forthcoming Events.

- Nov. 2.—Larned Gun Club will hold a one day's shoot under the management of E. W. Arnold. Added money, good programme. Larned, Kansas.
- Nov. 5—Youngstown, O., J. Seaborn.
- Nov. 7, 8—Decatur, Ill., G. G. Rupert, manager.
- PHILADELPHIA TRAP SHOOTERS LEAGUE. Oct. 28—Media at Highland, Merchantville at Florists, S. S. White at North Camden, Meadow Springs at Clearview, Narberth at Lansdale.
- Nov. 11—S. S. White at Florists, Lansdale at North Camden, Highland at Clearview, Narberth at Merchantville, Meadow Springs at Media.
- Nov. 25—Media at Narberth, North Camden at Highland, Clearview at S. S. White, Merchantville at Lansdale, Florists at Meadow Springs.
- Dec. 9—North Camden at Merchantville, Lansdale at Clearview, Highland at Meadow Springs, Narberth at Florists, S. S. White at Media.
- Dec. 23—Media at Lansdale, S. S. White at Meadow Springs, Merchantville at Highland, Florists at Clearview, Narberth at North Camden.
- Jan. 6—Lansdale at Florists, North Camden at Media, Highland at S. S. White, Clearview at Merchantville, Meadow Springs at Narberth.
- Jan. 20—Florists at North Camden, Narberth at Highland, S. S. White at Merchantville, Media at Clearview, Lansdale at Meadow Springs.
- Feb. 3—Narberth at S. S. White, Merchantville at Meadow Springs, North Camden at Clearview, Lansdale at Highland, Media at Florists.
- Feb. 17—Florists at Highland, Media at Merchantville, S. S. White at Lansdale, Meadow Springs at North Camden, Narberth at Clearview.
- March 3—Highland at Media, Florists at Merchantville, North Camden at S. S. White, Clearview at Meadow Springs, Lansdale at Narberth.
- March 17—Florists at S. S. White, North Camden at Lansdale, Media at Meadow Springs, Clearview at Highland, Merchantville at Narberth.
- March 31—Narberth at Media, Highland at North Camden, Lansdale at Merchantville, Meadow Springs at Florists, S. S. White at Clearview.
- April 14—Merchantville at North Camden, Clearview at Lansdale, Meadow Springs at Highland, Florists at Narberth, Media at S. S. White.
- April 28—Lansdale at Media, Highland at Merchantville, Clearview at Florists, Meadow Springs at S. S. White, North Camden at Narberth.
- May 12—Florists at Lansdale, Media at North Camden, S. S. White at Highland, Merchantville at Clearview, Narberth at Meadow Springs.
- May 26—North Camden at Florists, Highland at Narberth, Clearview at Media, Merchantville at S. S. White, Meadow Springs at Lansdale.
- H. B. Fisher, Secretary, 7125 Woodland Ave., West Philadelphia, Pa.
- Bound Brook Gun Club, Third Saturday of each month, Bound Brook, N. J.
- Florists' Gun Club, Grounds, Wissnaming, Philadelphia, Pa. Regular shoot second and fourth Tuesdays of each month; 1.10 P. M. train from Broad Street Station.

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January 16, 17, 18, 19—Hamilton, Ont., Hvo birds and targets. (Ralph C. Ripley, secretary.)
May, 24, 25—Canadian Indians, first annual, Montreal, Canada. Thomas A. Duff, 14 Cloak avenue, Toronto, Can., high scribe.