

American Versus English Shell Construction

THE Corrugated Head used on Winchester Shells is a Winchester Patent—an ingenious American device. It is a far superior style of construction to the old English system of metal lining; once used in Winchester shells, but discarded long ago.



PNEUMATIC tires supplanted solid ones on automobiles, because they absorb the shock instead of simply diverting it to the axles, only to make them crystalize and break. The Patent Corrugated Head on Winchester "Leader" and "Repeater" smokeless powder shells absorbs the shock of the powder explosion instead of localizing it as the old English way of metal lining does. That's why Winchester Shells, with their modern American patented construction, are as superior to shells made according to the English method of times long past, as pneumatic tires are superior to solid ones for automobiles. The superiority of the American system of making shells was plainly demonstrated in the victory of the All-American team over the team of English trap shooters, the latter attributing their defeat to being handicapped by using English made shells, which they acknowledged were far inferior to those used by the Americans. The shooter on the American team that was "High Gun" for the entire trip was W. R. Crosby, and he used exclusively Winchester "Leader" Shells, made with the Winchester Patent Corrugated Heads. If you want to get the benefit of modern, American ideas in shell making, which have been proven superior to the old English system of construction, you can do so by always shooting

WINCHESTER

Shotgun Shells, Made With Patent Corrugated Heads

FRONTIER'S FINE OPENING.

Buffalo Shooters Inaugurate Season With Dunkirk Marksmen as Guests.

By H. C. Utz.

Buffalo, N. Y., September 30.—The opening Autumn shoot of the Frontier Rod and Gun Club was very successful, over thirty-five sportsmen taking part. The Dunkirk gunners were welcome visitors. A more jovial and enthusiastic bunch of sportsmen never faced the traps. Following the afternoon's sport at the traps the club's flagship conveyed the Dunkirk friends to John Volz's (famous fish fry), where covers were laid for twenty. A fine fish and chicken dinner was enjoyed, during which many toasts and roasts were



heard in response to Toastmaster A. C. Suckow. Mr. Russell was an easy favorite. After a farewell song the trip up the river to the clubhouse was very pleasant. The Dunkirk boys were then escorted to their train, which concluded one of the most enjoyable days in the history of both clubs. Scores, match event:

DUNKIRK.			
	At Dunkirk.	At Buffalo	
Targets	25	25	25
Tyler	20	17	19
Schweda	19	19	14
Tousley	20	15	11
Hopper	20	22	..
Parker	20	22	13
Murphy	18	21	14
Russell	15	23	20
Wrattaw	17	14	13
Moser	15	13	12
Coon	19	12	17
Loeb and Koch	..	..	10
Totals	183	178	143
BUFFALO.			
	At Dunkirk.	At Buffalo	
Targets	25	25	25
Eichberg	23	22	19
Dewald	20	16	16
Bornhart	23	24	..
Wakefield	20	19	21
McKenna	18	14	18
Kamman	20	15	20
Ratcliffe	21	14	18
H. Utz	12	26	18
Faber	16	15	11
Rowland	19	16	17
Suckow	..	..	22
Totals	192	175	173
TEAM TOTALS.			
Dunkirk	679		
Buffalo	718		
Won by	39		

Targets	10	15	25	25	15	10	*25
Talcott	6	14	21	18	8	9	11
Faber	4	10	11	16	..	..	..
Parker	5	10	23	17	10	8	19
Russell	9	13	20	16	11	7	12
Tousley	4	11	11	24	..	..	..
Tyler	6	13	19	23	12	9	14
Wrattan	7	13	13	10	..	..	..
Schweda	5	9	18	23	8	6	16
Loeb	2	9	15	8	12	..	..
Dewald	10	11	16	16	..	..	..
Coon	7	11	17	19	7	6	..
McKenna	4	9	18	18	7	7	..
Kamman	4	13	20	11	7	6	..
Moser	5	9	12	16	4	4	..
Peasland	3	12	19	..	..	..	..
Eichberg	5	9	19	19	13	9	14
Rowland	6	12	17	13	..	..	..
P. Striker	5	7	12	..	4	..	..
Keintz	4	8	14	..	..	..	..
Philippbar	7	11	16	..	..	..	..
Wakefield	4	13	18	22	7	8	9
L. Striker	7	9	17	..	..	..	..
Rowling	5	2	..	..	..	..	..
Murphy	4	6	14	14	..	..	..
Koch	8	7	16	10	..	..	..
Suckow	..	..	24	22	10	9	..
Jax	..	..	22	19	..	..	13
Utz	..	..	17	18	9	7	..
Cox	..	..	14	..	8	8	..
Gohn	..	..	13	..	..	..	..
Daw	..	..	11	..	..	..	..
Butler	..	..	21	..	..	..	..
Ratcliffe	..	..	18	21	..	..	..

ED. GRAHAM CHICAGO LEADER.

Good Turnout on Sunday, With Well-Known Professional High.

By C. P. Zacher.

Chicago, Ill., September 30.—The Chicago Gun Club's Sunday shoot on the 25th was well attended and some good scores were made. Scores:

	100	Hp.	Tl	25	25	25	12p
J. H. Shrigley	81	12	93	..	..	..	..
C. F. Selig, Jr.	66	26	92	..	..	..	..
C. R. Selig, Sr.	81	12	93	..	..	..	..
W. Mott	42	37	79	..	..	..	..
D. E. Thomas	41	2	93	23	25	19	15
L. M. Fetherston	92	5	97	..	..	..	18
W. Kruse	79	13	92	..	..	..	..
E. S. Graham	97	..	97	23	..	..	..
H. Quade	93	3	96	16	24	23	..
George Eck	82	9	91	..	..	..	..
P. M. Keller	68	24	92	21	23	..	16
E. Silver	85	9	94	..	..	..	..
O. Kanache	81	15	96	19	..	..	..
W. F. Holtz	90	6	96	23	23	..	..
J. Panesi	78	14	92	21	21	..	..
W. S. Cutler	93	3	96	25	21	..	..
W. F. Riley	90	6	96	19	22	..	..
W. W. Flewelling	..	..	17	23	..	..	..
G. H. Steenberg	..	..	20	23	..	..	..
Wm. Fetherston	..	..	17	14	..	..	..
W. F. De Wolf	..	..	19	..	..	..	..
Dr. Martz	..	..	10	..	..	..	..
Winans	80	13	93	..	..	..	..
Targets	..	..	25	25	25	25	..
M. Jensen	..	..	15	10	10	12	..

NOTES.

Mott is a beginner at the game, this being his first visit to our grounds.

On September 24 most all our shooters attended the South Shore Country Club's shoot and we only had two shooters at our park, viz., Dr. Bosler, who

made the score of 84, 12, 96, and J. W. Egan, with 75, 20, 95.

We will have to keep our eye on Egan from now on, as he tried out a new style of shooting for him, which worked out well.

Bosler is trying hard to be among the leaders at the end of the season, and the others will have to hustle to keep him down.

Holtz and Riley ran an even race to-day, each breaking 90 out of 100 in the club event, but Holtz had the better of it in the two practice events.

Cutler, Thomas, Petherston and Kanache each landed one straight frame of 25 without a skip, while Graham went through his last two without a miss.

The wind was blowing a gale and made the targets extremely hard to connect with, so that the scores put up by both these shooters are very good.

We had a fairly good turnout, considering the dark and threatening weather, the sky being overcast with heavy clouds all day, which made it rather hard to see the birds.

The happiest man on the grounds was our good-natured Oscar Kanache when he went through that frame of 25 without a miss, this being the first time he has ever turned the trick.

Ed. Graham was high over all in the club event, with 97 out of 100, while Quade and Cutler tied for first among the amateurs with 93 out of 100. Fetherston came in second with 92 and Thomas landed in third place with 91.

Flewelling dropped in for a short call, having driven over in his new machine (and, by the way, she is a daisy). He says he will be one of the regulars again as soon as the weather gets cooler, as he don't like shooting in hot weather.

October 11—West Chester, Pa. West Chester Gun Club. F. H. Eachus, secretary.

October 11, 12—Des Moines, Ia. Hopkins Brothers Company. F. C. Whitney, manager.

October 11, 12—Parkersburg, W. Va. Parkersburg Gun Club. E. F. Ball, secretary.

October 11, 12—Broken Bow, Neb. Broken Bow Gun Club. J. G. Vancott, secretary.

October 12—Del. Water Gap, Pa. Del. Water Gap Gun Club. Jos. H. Graves, captain.

October 12—Pittsfield, Mass. Berkshire Gun Club. John Ranshouen, secretary.

October 13—Lancaster, Pa. Lancaster Gun Club. W. T. Krick, secretary.

October 13-14—Hot Springs, Ark. Hot Springs Gun Club. S. W. Tucker, secretary.

October 14—Princeton, Mo. Princeton Gun Club. Dr. E. W. Stacey, secretary.

October 14, 15—Munising, Mich. Grand Island Rod and Gun Club. Mort Broughton, secretary.

October 15—Haddonfield, N. J. Haddonfield Gun Club. E. S. Webster, secretary.

October 18—Skaneateles Junction, N. Y. Glenside Gun Club. Charles S. Cottle, secretary.

October 18—Tonkawa, Okla. Tonkawa Gun Club. E. C. Bohow, manager.

October 19—Temple, Pa. Hercules Gun Club. A. K. Ludwig, secretary.

October 19—Ogdensburg, N. Y. Ogdensburg Shooting Association. John M. Morley, secretary.

October 19, 20—Columbia, S. C. Columbia Gun Club. U. R. Brooks, Jr., president.

October 18, 19—Paris, Ill. Paris Gun Club. John O. Laughlin, secretary.

October 19, 20—Buffalo, Wyo. Buffalo Gun Club. F. W. Oswald, secretary.

October 18-21—Indianapolis, Ind. The Interstate Association's Post Series Tournament, on the grounds of the Indianapolis Gun Club. \$1,000 added money. Elmer E. Shaner, secretary-manager. Pittsburg, Pa.

October 19, 20—Waverly, Mo. Waverly Gun Club. Jacob C. Barth, secretary.

October 20, 21—Rolfe, Ia. Rolfe Gun Club. M. S. Thompson, secretary.

October 19, 20—Fairmont, W. Va. Fairmont Gun Club. Ed. H. Taylor, secretary.

October 21, 22—Cockeysville, Md. Cockeysville Gun Club. A. H. Nofsinger, secretary.

October 21—Donovan, Ill. Donovan Gun Club. C. W. Anderson, secretary.

October 21—Massillon, O. Massillon Gun Club. F. C. Young, secretary.

October 21, 22—Farber, Mo. Farber Gun Club. D. H. Athey, secretary.

October 24—Salisbury, Md. Salisbury Gun Club. T. B. Lankford, captain.

October 25, 26—Mattoon, Ill. Mattoon Gun Club. F. A. Heermans, secretary.

October 26—Concordia, Kan. Blue Ribbon Gun Club. J. F. Caldwell, secretary.

October 25, 26, 27—Kansas City, Mo. Missouri Trap Shooters' Association State Tournament. Harry E. Snyder, secretary.

October 27, 28—Salem, Ill. Salem Gun Club. S. T. Alexander, president.

October 29—Allentown, Pa. Lehigh Valley Shooting Association. Allen Heil, secretary.

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November 3—Orlando, Okla. Orlando Gun Club. W. W. Haller, manager.

November 5, 6—New Athens, Ill. Egyptian Gun Club. Jac. H. Kock, secretary.

November 15—Downs, Kan. Downs Gun Club. W. H. Charles, president.

November 10, 11—Kansas City, Mo. Blue River Target Gun Club. J. R. Elliott, secretary.

November 30, December 1—Rising Sun, Md. Rising Sun Gun Club. H. L. Worthington, manager.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS.

APPENDED will be found a complete and correct list of all shooting events scheduled for the near or remote future. The list comprises tournaments registered under the auspices of the Inter-State Association; tournaments not registered but listed by independent organizations; and fixed club events. Secretaries of gun clubs are requested to see that any events scheduled by their clubs are entered in this standing calendar and any corrections are promptly announced.

A Week's Registrations.
Since our last issue the following additional registrations for shoots have been received by Secretary-Manager Elmer E. Shaner, of the Interstate Association:

November 9—Lockport, Ill. Will County Gun Club. John Liess, Jr., president.

November 10—Utica, O. Utica Gun Club. C. J. Mowry, secretary.

November 24—West Forest Park, Md. West Forest Park Gun Club. Richard T. Collings, secretary.

Tournaments Registered.

OCTOBER.
October 6, 7—Verdon, Neb. Mo. and Kans. League of Trap Shooters. B. F. Veach, secretary.

October 6, 7—Jacksonburg, W. Va. Monongahela Valley Sportsmen's League. Ed. H. Taylor, secretary.

October 8—Belvidere, N. J. Belvidere Gun Club. B. L. Cane, manager.

October 10, 11—Pleasant Hill, Mo. Afro-Amer. T. S. League. Ninth Grand Afro-Amer. Handicap. T. H. Cohron, secretary.