

TRAP SHOOTERS TESTING SKILL

BIG TERRITORY REPRESENTED IN PARTICIPANTS.

Shooting Commences Over Local Traps This Morning at 9:30.

Amateurs and professionals from a wide range of territory reported at the La Grande Gun club traps this morning to participate in the annual shoot conducted by the local club. Rain kept several amateurs away who otherwise would have been conspicuous figures in the shooting. The further most amateur visitors are J. E. Wade and F. D. Wade, of Boise, who are participating. The traps, located at the river bank near Oro Dell, have been booming powder all day, and from the start, excellent records were made. The contestants for the various moneys and trophies stayed on the ground all day, taking a lunch at the noon hour served on the trap grounds.

Among the out of town participants who, coupled with the home guard, make several first class squads on the firing line, are: W. A. Hillis and Chas. McKean, Remington U. M. C. people; Guy Halahan, Dupont Powder representative, Ed Morris, Western Cartridge company, J. E. Wade and F. D. Wade, of Boise; G. H. Masterson and A. Hug, of Elgin, and Pete O'Brien of Walla Walla.

The events, the moneys, and trophies shot at, follow:

- Event 1. 15 singles, \$15 added ent. \$1.50
 - Event 2. 15 singles, \$15 added, ent. 1.50
 - Event 3, Observer Cup. 20 singles, \$20 added, ent. 2.00
 - Event 4. 15 singles, \$15 added, ent. 1.50
 - Event 5, Union-Wallowa Co. Cup. 25 singles, \$25 added, ent. 2.50
 - Event 6. 15 singles, \$15 added, ent. 1.50
 - Event 7, Handicap. 15 singles, \$15 added, ent. 1.50
 - Event 8, Cairies Trophy. 20 singles, \$20 added, ent. 2.00
 - Event 9, Handicap. 15 singles, \$15 added, ent. 1.50
 - Event 10. Individual cup, open to Union and Wallowa counties. 25 singles, \$25 added, ent. \$2.50
 - Event 11. 10 pairs doubles, \$15 added, ent. 2.00
- The Cash Prizes.
First Hight Average \$10.00
Low 5.00

"Y" PLAN AND PIPE CONFLICT

ORIGINAL PLANS MAY HAVE TO BE WORKED OVER.

Bottom of Swinging Tank Lower Than Sewer Line In Alley.

New and unexpected difficulties face the building committee of the Y. M. C. A. The original plans providing for the swimming tank, were such that the existing sewer line was higher than the bottom of the tank, and the committee and architects must now escape this difficulty in some way. Just how, is not known. One manner suggested is to do away with a small portion of the dormitory, as it has been found that the main gymnasium floor would be fully 10 feet off the street grade if the entire tank and basement equipment were raised sufficiently high to clear the sewer line. The architect will proceed to work out a solution of the problem which confronted the committee when it convened in its regular weekly session last evening.

Albany Fails to Convict.

Albany, Or., Oct. 7.—Six local business men, forming a justice court jury, tried for 10 hours Saturday to decide whether or not George Black, of Corvallis, is guilty of hunting Bob White quail contrary to the Oregon game laws. They gave up the effort just before midnight, when they announced that it was impossible to agree and Justice of the Peace Swan discharged them.

Black was arrested about three weeks ago, charged with hunting quail near Oakville, and was arraigned before Justice Swan here. As he was employed in a prune dryer in Corvallis, he requested that his trial be delayed until after the rush of work harvesting the prune crop was completed and this request was granted. It is reported that the jury stood 6 to 1 for acquittal for some time before being discharged.

\$500 Lots for \$250.

In order to close out a number of lots by October 20th, I have decided to offer your choice of improved lots in Connordale for \$250. These lots are choicely located and have sold on the market for \$500. They are bargains and now is the time to get them. Remember, this only lasts until October 20th.

GEO. O'CONNOR, Office in Security Land and Trust Company.

INDUSTRIAL FAIR. (Continued from Page 1.)

than he had anticipated. His own birds, five out of six of which won ribbons at the state fair, are on exhibit, and he is also exhibiting three Japanese Silkies, a novelty and pretty thing in the fowl line for this section. He purchased them at the state fair where they had won prizes. Local poultrymen are sending in some excellent exhibits in the poultry line.

Superintendent Doon Woodell of the stock department, has been reserving space for stock that is coming in both this forenoon and this afternoon, and the arrival of the Union stock immediately adds show and class to the stock department. The display of hogs in several years was brought in this morning.

The race track is in a doubtful condition. The outer edge is fairly dry but the inner circles are wet. But for the rain yesterday evening and last night, the half-mile course would have been in good condition by tomorrow morning.

The rain has not reduced the quality or quantity of the industrial exhibits—only retarded their entry. Because the fair comes later than last year, the exhibits are head and shoulders better than 1912, as more fruit is in show shape than earlier in the fall. As noted previously, rain or no rain, the industrial exhibits are piled high in excellent show.

The superintendent of the fruit department has a fine array of stuff to put the finishing touches to this afternoon, and the whole pavilion has been decorated interiorly for the occasion, lending a gala attire aspect to the whole show. In the pavilion and stock pens are such exhibits as would



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NORTH POWDER BANK WINNER

JURY RETURNS VERDICT FOR THE BANK.

Goetting Case On Trial Today Involving Alleged Theft.

The circuit court this morning heard the evidence in the case of State vs. Wm. Goetting, who is accused of stealing a horse from E. D. Whiting of Mount Glenn. E. W. Burnette, jointly accused of the same crime will have a separate trial following the Newlin case which is next on the docket.

The jury in the case of the North Powder Bank vs. Huddelson & Son, returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. The jury for the cases at issue, was assembled this morning.

Accident On Sumpter Valley Yesterday

Baker, Oct. 8.—The heavy snow storm in the mountains west of Sumpter caused the Sumpter Valley railroad plenty of trouble yesterday forenoon, the most serious of which was the demolishing of practically all the telegraph and telephone line between Sumpter and Whitney. All told, 56 poles were razed, almost entirely by the weight of the snow, which was wet and heavy and clung to the poles and wires, bearing them down and in many cases breaking them.

This condition caused an unusual accident to the westbound passenger train about two miles from Sumpter proceeding towards Whitney. The smoke stack of the engine had just cleared a tangled mass of wires when the pole supporting them fell still further, the wires catching the whistle and tearing it loose. This permitted the steam to escape with a loud roar and so rapidly that the engine was "killed" and the train was stalled for about two hours, while another locomotive was secured from Sumpter Junction.

The trouble will require several days to overcome, but while causing much inconvenience the loss will not be very great, according to the estimate of road officials last evening.

enthus any lover of soil products, products of the artistic hand and of the scientific gardner and farmer.

General Superintendent Hopkins and Secretary SeCor are busy people and every time the sun peeps out for a minute or two, they broaden their smiles.

Few Races Late Today.

The latest reports from the grounds are to the effect that a few running races will be staged this afternoon. Stackland brothers of Cove arrived today with their cherry fair exhibit of processed fruit which will be on exhibition during the week. Tomorrow it is expected that weather conditions will be such that a double-up heavy program of races can be put on. Exhibits will be received up until noon tomorrow. The hall is rapidly filling up and all exhibits are away beyond former records.

Mine Guard Killed.

Calumet, Mich., Oct. 8.—The body of James Polack, a mine guard, was found near Houghton today. The corpse was badly disfigured but two bullet wounds in the head caused the death. Five copper mine strikers were arrested and charged with murder. The disorders continue today.

Enforce Anti-Picketing.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 8.—The Michigan supreme court has ordered the circuit Judge, O'Brien of Houghton, to renew the anti-picketing injunction dissolved recently upon the action of attorneys acting for the copper mine strikers. The court ordered that a cause must be shown why the injunction should not be made permanent.

"Wet Coyote" Found Dead.

"Wet Coyote," widely known full blood Indian, of the Umatilla reservation, was found dead beside a haystack on the reservation this morning. He was between the Claud Crow and William Enright ranches.

The cause of "Wet Coyote's" death is not clearly known, but it may have been caused by heart failure or to infirmity due to old age. He was about 60 years old. A report current in town is to the effect he had been upon a drunk. However, Deputy Agent Barber, who has been handling the matter for the government in the absence of Major Swartzlander, who is in Portland, says he does not think the Indian was a drinking man.

"Wet Coyote's" wife was at Toppenish and she has been sent for. He had many children and grand children. His children are Harry Lutom, Alice Lutom, Ruth Lutom and Annie Newton.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

EUROPE AGOG.

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belief that this "rite" is regularly practiced by the Jewish race, and the government has apparently done all it could to foster this idea. M. Krassovsky, chief of the Kieff detective department, was actually instructed to proceed on the theory that the crime was the work of Jews, although the only possible pretext for the "ritual" charge was that boy's body bore 47 stab wounds. According to current superstition the "ritual murder" is accomplished by 45 wounds. He could obtain absolutely no evidence along the required lines, but on the contrary believed he had traced the murder to a gang of thieves to which neighbors of the boy's family belonged and who were known to be fearful that Yuschinsky would betray them to the authorities. He secured evidence that one of the thieves was seen with a chisel shortly before the murder and that this same implement, covered with blood, was found by two boys near the brick kiln afterwards. The boys, upon orders of the thief, threw it into a sewer.

When Krassovsky made his first report to his superiors he was sternly reprimanded. Later he was practically forced by them to arrest Mendel Bellis, a Jew, 40 years of age, foreman of the brickyard, in whose room one of the thieves' gang said he had found some of the boy's clothing. On producing further evidence indicating the guilt of the thieves, and the innocence of Bellis, Krassovsky was dismissed from office.

In order to strengthen its case, the

government caused wide-spread publication of a statement made to the examining magistrate by the Archmandrite Ambrosius, vicar of the Ortho-

dox monastery at Kieff, to the effect that two monks, proselyted from the Jewish faith, had minutely described to him the practice of "ritual murder."

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