

Sport News

GOOD SCORES MADE IN REGISTERED SHOOT

J. Seavey Carried Off First Trophy of Trapshooting Contest Yesterday

Amateur and professional trapshooters gathered at the grounds of the Salem Rod and Gun Club Sunday and Monday for the second annual registered tournament. Shots from all parts of the northwest were present. Forty-six participated in yesterday's contest while Sunday there were only about 20. The next shoot will be held sometime next August or September.

The following are the scores made by the amateurs in the second registered tournament of the Salem Rod and Gun club, 150 birds being shot at:

J. Seavey	57
F. Van Atta	44
W. Metcalfe	38
J. Seavey	33
A. Moore	30
George Tobin	24
M. Rich	21
W. Gallock	19
P. H. Burt	17
H. E. Bauer	15
A. Jones	14
J. Clifton	13
D. DeArmond	12
W. Huff	11
R. H. Allen	10
B. W. Harriet	9
L. Hauser	9
W. H. Houser	8
A. Jones	8
J. Callahan	7
F. Ford	7
E. B. Darnum	6
M. B. Morris	6
J. E. Bull	5
H. E. Postor	5

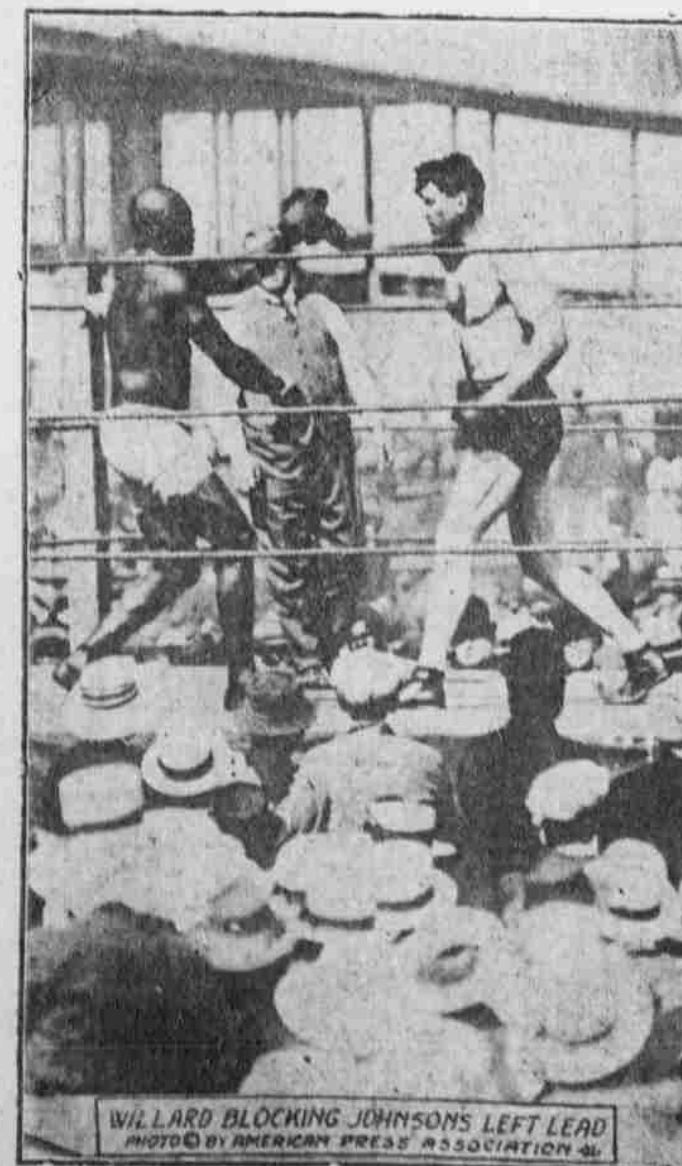
Fifty birds shot at:

P. H. O'Brien	45
M. Rich	44
L. Bayburn	43
V. S. M. Siddall	40
W. R. Kelder	36
F. Templeton	35
H. R. Eberding	34
J. Seavey	33
F. Van Atta	30
A. Moore	29
George Tobin	28
J. J. Holahan	27
R. F. Ried	26
E. B. Van Armon	24
M. B. Morris	23
H. C. McKean	23
J. Bull	22
H. E. Postor	21

First trophy won by J. Seavey, 47; second trophy, E. H. Kern, 46; and third, P. H. O'Brien, 45; tied with Veach, Dalrymple, Jones. O'Brien won the 22 out of 25.

Northwestern League Baseball Season Opens

Seattle, Wash., April 20.—Lowering skies and early morning showers failed to dampen the ardor of hundreds of baseball fans who have been counting the hours until the opening of the Northwestern league baseball season here this afternoon when the Seattle Giants and Tacoma Tigers will get underway for the season's flag races. Noon there was every indication of clear



WILLARD BLOCKING JOHNSON'S LEFT LEAD. PHOTO BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION.

COAST LEAGUE STANDINGS

Los Angeles	11	7	697
San Francisco	11	9	550
Salt Lake	8	8	509
Portland	8	10	444
Venice	7	10	412
Oakland	8	12	390

Yesterday's Results.

No games; traveling day.

Where the Teams Play Today.

Salt Lake at Portland, San Francisco at Venice, Los Angeles at Oakland.

weather and a fast opening struggle.

The Aberdeen Black Cats, the new team in the league will tangle with the Spokane Indians in the opener today and Victoria will start the season at Vancouver.

Sweeping changes have been made in every team in the league, many of the old timers having been sent to the discard and lots of new and unknown material which shows up well has been put in their places. In the opinion of experts, Northwestern league teams are faster and more evenly matched this season than they have been in years.

In Seattle the opening game will be preceded by the usual parade headed by Mayor Gill and the city councilmen. League and club officials players of the contending teams and hundreds of fans will follow in automobiles.

Mayor Gill will hurl the ball that will send the players on their way.

Final Results of A. A. U. Wrestling Championship

San Francisco, April 20.—Following are the final results in the A. A. U. national wrestling championships contested here last night:

Richard Gaudin, Lima, Ohio, defeated Earl Benson, Brooklyn, 108 pounds; Frank Gbahr, Spokane, defeated H. Bassit, Gary, Indiana, 115 pounds; Spiros Vouras, Chicago, defeated V. V. Vason, Chicago, 125 pounds; Oliver Rinehey, Seattle, defeated John Kolks, Boston, 135 pounds; David Burns, Spokane, defeated J. Connelly, Chicago, 145 pounds; Ben Rubin, Chicago, defeated George Sawtelle, Lehigh, Pennsylvania, 155 pounds; Earl Caddock, Chicago, defeated C. E. Allen, San Francisco, 175 pounds; Caddock also won the heavy-weight championship by throwing Allen in that class.

HENDERSON RELEASED

Dorland, Or., April 20.—Benny Henderson, several years ago one of the most effective pitchers in the Coast league, was released by Manager Cliff Blum of the Salt Lake club today.

Henderson's failure to get into contention was the reason for his dismissal. When the Salt Lake team left home on the present tour, Henderson was left behind to work out, it being intended that he should join the club here.

Blum's release today cancelled this arrangement and announced Henderson's release.

TURKISH FLEET MAROONED

Salonika, April 20.—The Turkish fleet is marooned in the Black sea, its coal supply rapidly nearing exhaustion, according to reports here today. Two torpedo boat destroyers attached to the fleet have been sunk by Russian submarines and the remaining vessels are believed to be cut off from their base.

The Russians were successful in mining the entrance to the Bosphorus while the Turkish fleet was operating in the Black sea, the reports here state. Upon learning to return, the Turks sent the destroyers ahead as mine sweepers.

Two were blown up and the main body of the fleet withdrew to avoid disaster, being without other mine sweepers. The Turkish vessels are now marooned beyond the mine field.

Court House News

When A. L. Guerin walked into the office of County Judge William Bushey Saturday and asked to be committed to the insane asylum, the judge was very much surprised. He was surprised because an insane person generally believes he is sane and it is found necessary to commit those afflicted to the asylum on petition of others. But to have a man walk into the office and ask to be put in the "lunatic" house was an altogether new experience. The man went away but returned yesterday afternoon with the physician's papers all made out and ready for Judge Bushey's signature. The papers were signed and the asylum authorities notified. But when they came they did not find Guerin, investigation developed that in his anxiety to get into the asylum, he had started to walk out there without escort. He is 60 years of age and has lived in Oregon all his life and the cause of his attack is unknown.

In reply to the charge of desertion in the cross-complaint filed in the circuit court in the answer of the defendant in the case of Irving Buncce against Jennie Buncce, an action for divorce, the plaintiff alleges that he left home on account of unbefitting conduct on the part of the defendant toward various men. He alleges he endeavored to secure a reconciliation but that she refused.

A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to Gwynn G. Green, a paper maker, of West Lynn, to wed Lena A. Mrie Stearns, of this city.

H. McCoy, who just completed 30 days in the Marion county jail for disorderly conduct and whose time was up on April 17, was turned over to Constable Hollingsworth of Mill City by Sheriff Esch, taken back to Mill City, and given a jail sentence of 90 days and a fine of \$300 for bootlegging. In all he will do practically 240 days of continuous sentence; in fact, he will be almost a steady public boarder.

During the present term of court Sheriff William Esch has delivered six men to the state penitentiary. Each one pleaded guilty and saved the county the cost of trial. There were three for burglary and they got from two to five years each; two forgers, and they got from one to five years each; and one horse thief, and he got from one to ten years. Had each one gone to trial it would have cost the taxpayers from 150 to \$200. With this record Sheriff Esch feels that his office is efficient and serving the state well.

The jury in the case of Howard Evans Weed against C. L. McNary, executor of the Waite estate, an action to collect money for professional services rendered in drawing plans and specifications for the E. M. Waite Memorial contains in Willson party, returned a verdict last night in favor of the defendant. The case occupied yesterday in court. Attorney McNary alleged he was not personally liable and that the sum could not be paid as there was no money in his hands belonging to the estate, which was closed up in 1913.

Building Permits Issued Since April 1

Since the first of April, the following building permits have been issued at the city recorder's office:

April 3. Earl Chappell, one story frame dwelling, North 15th, to cost \$1,100.

April 6. German Lutheran Church, one story school building, 1045 A. street, to cost \$600.

April 15. Mrs. Cantelstein, to repair dwelling, North Cottage, to cost about \$500.

April 16. C. A. Lytle, for dwelling house, 955 Marion street, to cost \$1800.

April 19th. A. Covert, one story frame dwelling, 1830 South High, \$1000.

April 19. M. P. Dennis, one story frame dwelling, 1440 State street, \$2000.

ENTERTAINS AT DALLAS

(Capital Journal Special Service.)

Dallas, Tex., April 20.—Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Loughery entertained a party of friends at 609 Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. T. W. Nordby of Portland, who for the past ten days has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allgood. After a pleasant evening at a delicious luncheon was served. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hayter, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allgood, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Williams, Dr. and Mrs. V. C. Staats, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Crider, Mrs. T. W. Nordby, Miss Dilla B. Viers and Miss Leto Wolverton of Falls City. The honors for the highest score was won by Miss Wolverton.

Several other social affairs for the pleasure of Mrs. Nordby were also given during the week.

FAIR WEATHER IS REPORT

Washington, April 20.—The agricultural department today initiated through the weather bureau a new weekly forecast intended to aid farmers and shippers of perishable products to govern the handling of their goods with reference to expected weather. The forecast for the Pacific coast for the week beginning tomorrow is: "Generally fair with normal temperature."

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Marion County for the improvement of certain roads in Reed District No. 45 near Tenney and 52 Northeast of Salem by grading and graveling the same, as more fully appears by the plans and specifications of the same now on file in this office. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check of 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, and must be filed in this office on or before Friday, April 23, 1915, at 1 o'clock p. m.

MAX GEHLHAR,
County Clerk.

UNCLE SAM BUYS DIRIGIBLE BALLOONS

Zeppelin Type of Airship Will Be Constructed For Use of Navy

New York, April 20.—Uncle Sam today opened bids for the construction of two dirigible balloons for the United States navy. This is regarded as the first step towards the testing out by this government of the value of the Zeppelin type of airship, which has already played a prominent part in the European war.

Henry Woodhouse, chairman of the dirigible committee of the Aero Club of America, received from the navy department last month a batch of proposed blanks and through the efforts of Mr. Woodhouse, it is believed New York aeronautical circles have become interested in this latest effort on the part of the navy to bring its aircraft efficiency up to the high standard maintained by European powers.

The proposals call for the manufacture of two dirigibles of the non-rigid type, which will not be over 175 feet long by fifty feet high and 35 feet wide, capable of carrying a load of 2,000 pounds or more. Uncle Sam's new dirigibles must also be able to ascend to at least 3,000 feet with a full load without disposing of ballast and must be able to come down not slower than six feet per second.

It's not an easy matter to build an airship under such rigid qualifications. Not only must the craft have a speed of 25 miles or so per hour but must be able to keep up such speed for at least two hours. She will carry a car with an enclosed body sufficient to carry a crew of 8 men.

Another unusual feature of the new navy airships will be their ability, as specified in the proposals of contractors, to rest lightly on the water without damage and also to move through the water at slow speed.

When completed, the new dirigibles will be set up at the navy aeronautical station, at Pensacola, Fla., where a number of trials will be made to see that the aircraft comes up to all requirements. Some of the stunts they must perform are interesting.

The first test will be for speed, with the dirigibles loaded to capacity. She will make five runs over a measured course and navy officers will thus be enabled to check up accurately on her real speed. The second test will show the craft's ability to "climb" from the surface of the water up to and beyond the specified altitude at full speed.

Once in the air, her height will be taken with a barograph and she will begin the descent in an effort to make the six-foot-second requirement specified in the contract. After these tests are made, the airship will be required to fly steadily for two hours at a speed of 25 miles per hour or more. She must during the trial, maintain a reasonably true course across a 15 mile puffing wind. In this same 15 mile width the dirigible must be brought to and moored to a mooring mast, released after one hour, resume flight and return to the mooring shed. The final test will be for leakage. The condition of the contract specifies that the big balloon must not leak more than 1 per cent in twenty-four hours.

The navy department is throwing upon the contractor the responsibility for training a pilot and crew, drawn from the navy ranks, who will be taught to manage the big air-craft. Until the contractor has given them a thorough course in aeronautics, 2,000 of the contract price will be withheld.

The dirigibles specified in the navy's contracts are the first bought by this government and New York dirigible enthusiasts regard the outlook as very encouraging.

TWO CARLOADS OF INSANE PATIENTS ARE REPATRIATED

Forty-Six Aliens Are Deported To Native States And Countries Today

Two carloads of patients from the insane asylum left the city this morning for deportation, or repatriation, to eastern states and foreign countries. The shipment totaled 46 patients, representing the largest that has ever been sent away from the Oregon institutions in the history of the state, and many of them are to be sent back to Mexico, Norway, Sweden, Italy, Eastern Canada and other foreign countries. They are in charge of Drs. J. C. Evans, of the main institution, and J. I. McKelway, of the eastern Oregon asylum, who will go clear back to New York City with the patients.

Since the first of the year 100 patients have been sent out of the state from the main building and the Pendleton branch asylum, which makes more room at these institutions for the receipt of more patients and relieves the congested conditions considerably. The fund of \$6000 provided by the last legislature for the repatriation of insane patients and criminals from this state is just about exhausted, and there will be few patients deported until further provision is made, either by the emergency board or the next legislature, to pay the expenses.

"To Think Calmly Is Supreme Test" Says Wilson

Washington, April 20.—Diplomats today saw no expression indicating a hope of early peace in Europe in President Wilson's speech before the Daughters of American Revolution convention yesterday but a strong renewed appeal for calm neutrality by the United States.

"There are many tests by which a nation makes proof of its greatness," said the president, "but it seems to me the supreme test is self-possession, the power to resist excitement, to think calmly, to think in moments of difficulty as clearly as it would think in moments of ease—to be absolutely master of itself and its fortunes."

Climax Is Coming and Test For U. S. Will Come With It

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today, of course, somewhat restrained by a sense of responsibility that I cannot escape."

Referring to the war situation, the president said:

"Times To Be Difficult. The times behind us, gentlemen, have been difficult enough. The times before us are likely to be more difficult. Because, whatever may be said about the present condition of the world's affairs, it is clear that they are drawing rapidly to a climax and at the climax the test will come, not only for the nations engaged in the present colossal struggle—it will come for them of course—but the test will come to us particularly.

"Do you realize that, roughly speaking, we are the only great nation at present disengaged? I am not speaking, of course, with disparagement of the greater of those nations in Europe which are not parties to the present war, but I am thinking of their close neighborhood to it, I am thinking how their lives, much more than ours touch the very heart and stuff of the business; whereas, we have rolling between us and those bitter days across the water, 3000 miles of gold and silent ocean. Our atmosphere is not yet charged with those disturbing elements which must be felt and must permeate every nation of Europe.

"Therefore it is not likely that the nations of the world will some day turn to us for the cooler assessment of the element engaged?"

Cannot Sit In Judgment.

"I am not now thinking so preposterous a thought as that we should sit in judgment upon them—no nation is fit to sit in judgment upon any other nation—but that we shall some day have to assist in reconstructing the processes of peace. Our resources are untapped; we are more and more becoming, by the force of circumstances the mediating nation of the world in respect to its finance; and we must take our minds what are the best things to do and what are the best ways to do them. We must put out money, our energy, our enthusiasm, our sympathies into these things; and we must have our judgment prepared and our spirits chastened against the coming of that day.

"So that I am not speaking in a selfish spirit when I say that our whole duty for the present, at any rate, is summed up in this motto: 'America first.'

Test Of Friendship.

"Let us think of America before we think of Europe, in order that America may be fit to be Europe's friend when the day of tested friendship comes. The test of friendship is not now sympathy from one side or the other but getting ready to help both sides when the struggle is over.

"The basis of neutrality, gentlemen, is no indifference; it is not self interest. The basis of neutrality is sympathy for mankind; it is fairness; it is good will at bottom. It is impartiality of spirit and of judgment. I wish that all of our fellow citizens could realize that. There is in some quarters a disposition to create dissension in this body politic.

"Men are even uttering slanders against the United States as if to excite her. Men are saying that if we should go to war upon either side there would be a divided America—an abominable libel of ignorance.

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"We are the mediating nation of the world. I do not mean that we undertake not to mind our own business and to mediate where other people are quarreling. I mean the word in a broader sense. We are compounded of the nations of the world. We mediate their blood, we mediate their tradition, we mediate their sentiments, we mediate their passions; we are ourselves compounded of these things. We are, therefore, able to understand all nations; we are able to understand them in the compound, not separately as partisans but unitedly as knowing and comprehending and embodying them all. It is in that sense that I mean that America is the mediating nation. The opinion of America, the action of America, is ready and free to turn in any direction.

"Did you ever reflect upon how almost all other nations; almost every nation, has their centuries been headed in one direction? This is not true of the United States. The United States has no racial momentum. It has no history back of it which makes it run all of its energies and all of its ambitions in one particular direction; and America is particularly free in this, that she has no hampering ambition as a world power. If we have been obliged, by circumstances, or have considered ourselves obliged by circumstances in the past to take territory which we otherwise would not have thought of taking, I believe I am right in saying that we have considered our duty to administer that territory, not for ourselves, but for the people living in it and to put this burden upon ourselves not to think that this thing is ours for our use, but to regard ourselves as trustees for the great goodness for those to whom it does really belong; trustees ready to hand over the trust at any time when the business seems to make that possible and feasible. That is what I mean by saying we have no hampering ambitions. We do not want anything that does not belong to us. Isn't a nation in that position free to serve other nations, and isn't a nation like that ready to form some part of the opinion of the world?

Interest In Neutrality.

"My interest in the neutrality of the United States is not the petty desire to keep out of trouble. To judge by my experience, I have never been able to keep out of trouble. I have never looked for it, but I have always found it. I do not want to walk around in trouble. If any man wants a scrap that is an interesting scrap and worth while, I am his man. I warn him that he is not going to draw me into the

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