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THE MIDWINTER HANDICAP

Representation and Class Characterize
Sixth Annual Trap Tournament

J. E. Jennings of Toronto and B. V. Covert of Buffalo Divide Honors in Handicap and Preliminary



SATURDAY'S premiere Handicap of the sixth annual Midwinter Handicap rounded out a remarkable week, which takes its place among the leading American contests and is a significant prophecy for the trapshooting season of nineteen-thirteen which it inaugurates. Never in the history of these events have as many shooters been gathered or such a wide extent of territory represented, and as for class, fully three-fourths of the field were the pick of the country's best. ¶ Heading the Metropolitan delegation were C. W. Billings of Glen Ridge, who captained the American Olympic team on its visit to Sweden, Dr. D. L. Culver, Fred A. Hodgman and Ralph L. Spotts, with Charles H. Newcomb from Philadelphia (G. S. McCarty being detained at the last moment), C. P. Blinn and Dr. W. F. Clarke of Boston, Walter D. Hinds of Portland, who is responsible for the annual Handicap in the Rangelley Lake region, F. S. Wright of the Audubon Club, Buffalo, B. Maynard Higginson of Newburgh, J. E. Jennings of Todmorden, Ont., and others equally prominent from North, South, East and West, including: A. M. Pressinger, S. M. Stevenson and H. H. Shannon of New

York, H. B. Blackmer and John Ebberts of Buffalo, B. V. Covert of Lockport, John N. Huyck of Albany, F. Daniel Kelsey of East Aurora, M. L. Welling of Mechanicsville, R. L. Shepard of Warwick, J. C. Bitterling and Allen Heil of Allentown, W. L. Foster of State College, C. C. Irwin and L. J. Squier of Pittsburgh, J. G. Martin and L. B. Worden of Harrisburg, E. B. Springer of Philadelphia, A. H. Sundrobouch of Williamsburg, Noah L. Clark of Doylestown, Homer Clark of Alton, James R. Graham of Ingleside, C. E. Goodrich of Belvidere, Frank Campbell of Waukeg, Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, W. S. Hoon of Jewell, Roy H. Bruns of Brookville, B. S. Donnelley of Chicago, C. D. Coburn of Mechanicsburgh, Sam Leever of Goshen, William H. Smith of Detroit, F. G. Fuller of Mukwonago, Homer Clark of St. Louis.

E. A. Randall of Portland, Me., O. R. Dickey and P. W. Whittemore of Boston, Robert N. Burns of Cambridge, Dr. William C. Newton of Revere, S. W. Putnam of Fitchburg, M. R. Baldwin of Orange, H. B. Cook, Fred Plum and Henry Powers of Atlantic City, H. H. Stevens of Roselle Park, T. E. Doremus of Wilmington, P. J. Stubener of Bladensburg, D. A. Edwards and H. D. Gibbs of Union City, Edgar W. Ford and Frank H. Huseman of Washington, J. D. Allen, Brad Timms and W. J. Timms of Atlanta, G. H. Waddell of Columbus, Ga., J. A. Blunt of Gainsboro, Walter Huff and W. H. Jones of Macon, James Craig of Waynesboro, Edward M. Daniel, George Owen Fisher and T. Herbert Fox of Lynchburg, Richard Gerstell of Grafton, C. W. Phellis of Huntington, E. H. Storr of Richmond, Clayton Grant of Wilmington, N. C., Charles Nuchols of Charlotte, N. W. Walker of Goff, E. S. Richards of Raleigh, Dr. G. de F. Wilson and Isaac Andrews of Spartansburg and E. H. Eubanks of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Naturally the tournament was one of sensations and surprises, and the pace was fast enough to hold the attention of big crowds from opening practice to the final climax of the Handicap, in which J. E. Jennings of the Dominion Athletic Association of Toronto pulled through a winner, with ninety-five to his credit from the twenty-yard mark, one target in the lead of S. W. Putnam of Fitchburg, Mass., who scored ninety-four at eighteen yards. Tied at ninety-three were C. D. Coburn of Mechanicsburgh, Ohio (19 yards) and Allen Heil of Allentown, Pa. (22 yards), with the field close up, bunched in numerous ties and many of them in the running until the last string had been shot.

Ninety-five and a tie between B. V. Covert of the Audubon Gun Club, Buffalo, and Allen Heil, who shot from the eighteen and twenty-one yard marks, respectively, gave a spectacular finish to the Preliminary. In the shoot-off Mr. Covert, who voluntarily advanced to the twenty-yard mark, scored twenty-five straight, while Mr. Heil recorded but twenty-one, losing the thirteenth, fifteenth, twenty-first and twenty-third targets. Ninety-three found Dr. D. L. Culver of Jersey City (19 yards), Bradford Timms of Atlanta (16 yards) and N. W. Walker of Goff, N. C. (18 yards) bunched in a triple tie with a squad of five snug up and going fast in ninety-two.

The race for the high general average gold medal offered for the six-hundred targets exclusive of the handicaps (16 yards) was a pretty one, F. S. Wright of the Audubon Club leading with 572. At 566, L. B. Worden of Harrisburg and C. H. Newcomb of Philadelphia tied for the silver medal and second position, Mr. Newcomb winning the shoot-off twenty-five to twenty-three. F. G. Fuller of Mukwonago was fourth in 562. For the full eight hundred targets of the

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SILVER FOILS TOURNAMENTS

They Provide Program of Unusual
Interest and Variety

Miss Blancke and Mrs. Robeson are
Winners of Prizes Presented by
Mrs. Truesdell and Mrs. Lard



THE VARIED tournaments of the Silver Foils are providing a program of unusual interest, the week's novelty an elimination contest for trophies presented by Mrs. Allan Lard of Washington and Mrs. W. E. Truesdell of Brooklyn; Miss Agnes Blancke of Essex Fells and Mrs. Irving S. Robeson of Rochester, the trophy winners. ¶ Mrs. R. C. Shannon lost on the fourth hole, Mrs. A. C. Aborn on the fifth, Miss Hazel Shannon on the sixth, Mrs. H. W. Ormsbee on the seventh, Miss Lucy K. Priest on the eighth, Mrs. Donald J. Ross on the ninth, Mrs. Truesdell on the tenth, Mrs. T. J. Check on the eleventh, Mrs. George D. Allison on the twelfth, Miss Gwendolyn Cummings on the thirteenth, Miss Dorothy Hutchison on the fourteenth, Mrs. Guy Metcalf on the fifteenth, Mrs. Herbert L. Jillson on the sixteenth, and Miss Edith Barnett on the seventeenth, leaving the winners to play the eighteenth hole where Miss Blancke won, 4-9.

In a putting competition for a prize presented by Miss Myra Bradwell Helmer of Chicago, Mrs. A. C. Aborn was first in twenty-five, while Miss Barnett and Miss Cummings tied for second at twenty-six; a dozen others competing.

