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**IT WAS THE REAL THING.**

**Tournament Given by Broken Bow Gun Club Exceeds All Expectations.**

The big gun shoot under the auspices of the Broken Bow Gun Club that closed Wednesday night, was one of the swiftest affairs of its kind that was ever pulled off in this city. Some of the best shots in the United States were present and the scores made by both professional and amateur were exceptionally large. The number of targets thrown exceeded 16,000, which was going some. The tournament took place on the fair grounds and the place was crowded with interested spectators during the morning and afternoon of each day.

The following are the scores made by the professional shooters during the first and second days:

- Ed O'Brien, Florence, Kans., 1st day, 196x200, 2nd day 187x200.
- Capt. A. H. Hardy, Lincoln, 1st day, 179x200, 2nd day, 177x200.
- M. F. Sharp, Omaha, 1st day, 171x200, 2nd day, 173x200.
- George Carter, Lincoln, 1st day 177x200.
- Chris Gottlieb, Kansas City, 1st day, 154x180.
- H. W. Vrietenyer, Colorado, 1st day, 168x200, 2nd day 160x200.

The following are the scores made by amateur shooters during the first and second days:

- C. D. Lindeman, Lincoln, 1st day, 192x200, 2nd day, 194x200.
- A. M. Ford, Centerville, Ia., 1st day, 191x200, 2nd day, 192x200.
- C. C. Tappan, Gandy, 1st day, 185x200, 2nd day, 193x200.
- Chas. Holsworth, Kenesaw, 1st day 188x200, 2nd day, 173x200.
- F. Miller, Berwyn, 1st day, 176x200, 2nd day, 184x200.
- E. Tappan, Gandy, 186x200, 2nd day, 181x200.
- J. G. VanCott, Broken Bow, 1st day, 180x200, 2nd day, 174x200.
- Chas. Thorp, Geneva, 1st day, 172x200, 2nd day, 178x200.
- Varner, Adams, 1st day, 184x200 2nd day, 172x200.
- Fred Call, Axtell, 1st day 183x200 2nd day, 139x200.
- E. W. Smith, Glenville, 1st day, 140x200, 2nd day, 161x200.
- W. E. Magnuson, Gandy, 1st day,

167x200, 2nd day, 164x200.  
F. Kanert, —, Ind., 1st day, 134x200.  
J. J. Smith, Callaway, 1st day, 165x200.  
J. Seney, Mildale, 1st day, 170x20 2nd day, 81x200.  
Ben Wells, Merna, 2nd day, 163x200.  
Fay Copsey, York, 2nd day, 182x200.  
Fred Manning, 2nd day, 166x200.  
Dr. W. E. Talbot, 2nd day, 157x200

The general average was won by C. D. Linderman of Lincoln and the low general average by E. W. Smith of Glenville. At the premium shoot on the first day, O. W. Ford of Centerville, won the first prize, consisting of a gold watch. Mr. Varney of Adams also took a gold watch as second prize, while the third consisted of a pair of solid gold cuff buttons, won by E. Tappan of Gandy.

The prizes on the second day were distributed as follows: First a Stevens gun won by Varney; second a Remington rifle, won by Tappan; Third a jack knife won by Fay Copsey.

The visitors were loud in their praises of the treatment accorded them by the people of Broken Bow.

To loan on farm, \$800 at 8 percent for one to three years. One mortgage, no commissions or side issue. J. A. Armour, 19-22

Chas. K. Bassett of Hyannis, editor of the Tribune, and formerly associated with the Republican was in town Tuesday and Wednesday of this looking up old friends and attending to some business matters.

Dr. E. Arthur Carr of Lincoln secretary of the state board of health, spent two days of last week in Broken Bow. The doctor came here ostensibly to represent the state board in the Wilson case that was before the district court this week. He also did some inspection work along sanitary lines and attended to a few other details.

**Petitions Withdrawn.**

In regard to the mandamus proceedings brought by Joseph Pigman against the county board of supervisors, it appears that the two petitions of the proposed counties of Rose and Corn, that were to have been looked into have been withdrawn. It is the probable intention of the petitioners to add more name and again present them to the county board to be acted upon.

**A Republican Victory.**

After Chester H. Aldrich concluded his address before the Modern Woodmen on Wednesday, boarded an automobile and in company with Walter A. George went to Litchfield where they both made political talks that night. In talking with the Republican man Mr. Aldrich said the chances for a republican victory next month looked very bright to him. "I have been royally received all along the line," said the candidate for governor, "and nowhere I have been do the majority of the people seem to want the liquor element to control the state. It will be a republican victory all right; the intelligent voters will see to that."

**Hunting Not Allowed**

The public is hereby notified that no hunting will be allowed on my farm, north of Broken Bow. 18-21 William D. Grant

## REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15 1910

2 p. m.

**CITY HALL - COME OUT**

**TURNED TURTLE ON THE LEVEL**

**Mrs. James McGraw Badly Hurt in Automobile Accident Between Here and Merna.**

Mrs. James McGraw, of this place met with nearly a fatal accident last Friday while going to Merna in her Automobile. Mr. and Mrs. McGraw had with them their baby grandson, age 6 months, and Mrs. Wm. Boyce also a resident of Broken Bow. All three of the adults were considerably advanced in years and their ride was to be one of pleasure. The party was about nine miles out and had nearly reached its destination, when, for some unaccountable reason, while running on level ground at a reasonable rate of speed, the automobile suddenly turned turtle, imprisoning the occupants underneath the car.

Mr. McGraw and Mrs. Boyce and the baby only sustained slight injuries, Mrs. Boyce escaping the lightest of all; but Mrs. McGraw was rendered unconscious by being struck on the back with the tonneau. Fortunately one of Miller's livery teams were passing at the time of the accident and the injured lady was quickly conveyed to Merna and placed under Dr. Morrow's care. On making an examination the physician discovered that his patient was paralyzed from the waist down. This he said resulted from the shock sustained to the back which he hoped would wear off under careful treatment.

On Tuesday afternoon, John McGraw motored to Merna and brought his mother back home. She has so far improved as to move her feet slightly, but otherwise she is unable to use her limbs. How the accident occurred is somewhat of a mystery as Mr. McGraw says the machine was under perfect control.

**AND THE LOGS ROLLED**

**A Big Day For The Modern Woodmen, With Something Doing All the Time.**

Perfect weather and an excellent program made the Second Annual Log Rolling of the Broken Bow Modern Woodmen a most enjoyable affair. Although the crowds were not as large as was originally expected, there were enough here to have a thoroughly good time, and then some. The festivities opened at 11 o'clock Wednesday forenoon with a big parade, headed by the G. A. R. drum and fife corps. The Broken Bow band had been engaged for the occasion but for some reason it failed to materialize. Then followed a long line of Woodmen, in and out of uniform, heavy wagons containing immense logs, and last, but not least, the Royal Neighbors, in their neat white uniforms, set off by royal purple. After marching through the principal streets on both sides of town, the parade disbanded.

Then came competitive drills by Forester's teams and the Royal Neighbors. The contests took place on the streets and were witnessed by crowds of people.

A feature of the afternoon was an address by Chester H. Aldrich, republican candidate for governor, and Hon. W. H. Thompson of Grand Island. Mr. Aldrich's talk was frequently interrupted by bursts of applause. He spoke along the lines of fraternalism and did not mention politics in any way. Mr. Thompson's address was much on the same order. After this there were minor attractions, including a tug of war won by Broken Bow against Ansley. The evening session was confined to the opera house and consisted of floor work, addresses and a mid-

night supper by both Foresters and Royal Neighbors. The following trophies and cash prizes were won in the different work.

First prize a silver trophy for Forester's street drill won by Ansley.

First prize Silver Trophy for Royal Neighbors won by Ansley.

Second prize \$10 cash for Royal Neighbors street drill won by Broken Bow.

Ten dollars given to the largest delegation in the parade was won by Ansley while Merna took the five dollars offered for the largest percent.

For floor work Ansley proved itself the best team and captured the cash prize of \$15. The judges were Sheriff Kennedy, Will Osborne and Charley Orr. Judge C. H. Holcomb made the presentation speeches which were responded to by N. D. Ford of Ansley. The committee on arrangements that engineered the affair so successfully was composed of Dr. Bass, L. E. Cole and G. T. Robinson.

**High School Wins Out**

Last Friday afternoon the football eleven of the Kearney Military Academy attempted to show our high school team how the game was played. They succeeded admirably so that at the end of the last half a good sized goose egg confronted them while the Broken Bow boys chuckled in the possession of a neat little 8, which they had earned by good play and hard work. The game was played on the south side gridiron and was one of the swiftest ever seen here. Both teams worked some fine plays, the high school making several 40 yard runs. Twice the home team had the ball within five feet of the goal, but lost it on both occasions. Homer Molyneux and Glen Heller, Broken Bow half backs, attracted attention by their 40 yard runs that nearly resulted in touch downs. The high school won the game on a place kick by Glenn Heller. Guy Kennedy and Hollace King did some star tackling for the eleven. At the end of the game the score stood 8 to 0 in favor of Broken Bow. The next game will probably be played with the Callaway high school.

Mrs. Ross Pickett, who has been dangerously ill for sometime past is reported better although not entirely out of danger.

C. H. and H. F. Kennedy have bought the Finlen barn south of the Commercial hotel. They are making it a livery and feed barn. When in town stop with them.

During district court some of the jurymen, when not on duty, amused themselves by pitching quoits. No small amount of latent talent has been brought to light among that body.

M. L. Fries of Arcadia, republican candidate for state senator from the 15th district is a Broken Bow visitor this week. Mr. Fries, although not a glaring opt. on the political situation, sees no reason why Chester H. Aldrich should not be the next governor of Nebraska.

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**A VERDICT OF GUILTY.**

**C. F. Wilson, Chiropractic Adjuster, Fined for Illegal Practice of Medicine.**

A case that attracted more than the usual amount of attention in district court this last week was that of Dr. C. F. Wilson, chiropractic adjuster, charged with unlawfully practicing medicine without a certificate. It was a legal battle from start to finish, the best of talent appearing for both sides. Sullivan and Squires and County Attorney Gadd conducted the prosecution. Ex-Gov. Silas A. Holcomb and Judge J. R. Dean appeared for the defense. There were also here in the interest of the defendant, Dr. Palmer, who is said to have discovered the chiropractic method, and Hon. Thomas Morris of LaCrosse, republican candidate for lieutenant governor of the state of Wisconsin. During the trial the court room was crowded with interested spectators, a host of witnesses and many patients of the doctor, who claim to have been benefited under his treatment.

The examination of witnesses and taking of testimony was concluded late Friday afternoon and the arguments occupied all of Friday evening and part of Saturday forenoon. About 11 o'clock the case was given to the jury, Judge Hostetler delivering the charge in a clear and concise manner. The jury stayed out Saturday afternoon, Saturday night and all day Sunday. Everybody was banking on a hung jury, and even the attorneys in the case had given up hopes of an agreement, when, shortly before six o'clock the twelve "tried and true" gave notice that they were ready with a verdict. Judge Hostetler went over to the court room and received the verdict of guilty, after which he dismissed the jury with thanks. On Monday the judge imposed a fine of \$300.00 with costs on Dr. Wilson, which is the maximum for this offense. It is understood that no time will be lost in appealing the case to the supreme court.

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