

DR. WOODALL TAKES MEDAL AT SHOOT OF LOCAL RIFLE CLUB

DR. R. E. PUTNEY TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY IN HIS HOME STATE

The Phoenix Rifle Club held a very successful shoot Sunday, the principal event being the contest among the members for the beautiful match medal furnished to civilian clubs by the National Rifle Association. The match which consists of rapid fire at 200 yards, and slow fire at 300 and 500 yards, for a total of 150 points was won by a well-known rifleman, Dr. George H. Woodall, with a total of 155 points, he being very closely pressed by another old war horse, La Tourrette, whose final score was 153. Pope had high score with 140 points, but was not eligible to win the medal on account of having previously won a similar medal. Gulley and Edens had also won the medal in previous shoots, and could only shoot for score and to help make up the required team of ten men. The detailed score follows:

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| L. A. Pope | 140 |
| C. V. Gulley | 135 |
| Dr. Geo. H. Woodall | 155 |
| Tom Edens | 124 |
| L. D. La Tourrette | 153 |
| Tom Rasmussen | 121 |
| W. J. Scheidler | 124 |
| J. G. Owens | 122 |
| G. E. Garner | 119 |
| C. B. Barnhard | 118 |
| H. D. Wilson | 118 |
| F. M. Wurth | 116 |
| O. K. Benjamin | 104 |

Following the members match a special match on a moving target was shot. Shooting from 200 yards in any position each man fired as many shots as possible during the 45 seconds the target was in sight. This was something new to most of the members, but they took to it like ducks to the water. Following is the detailed score:

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| L. D. La Tourrette | 51 |
| Tom Edens | 49 |
| L. A. Pope | 48 |
| Tom Rasmussen | 39 |
| J. G. Owens | 38 |
| C. V. Gulley | 38 |
| W. J. Scheidler | 37 |
| F. M. Wurth | 36 |
| C. B. Barnhard | 35 |
| O. K. Benjamin | 29 |
| G. E. Garner | 28 |
| H. D. Wilson | 27 |

Arrangements are being made to hold regular shoots on Thursday afternoons, suitable medals and prizes to be awarded. This is being done to accommodate those who are unable to be on the range Sundays. Complete details will be announced later.

COUNTY COLLECTED \$15,000 IN TAXES

Taxes collected by George Cummins, county assessor, for the month of June amounted to \$15,289.36, according to a report submitted to the board of supervisors yesterday. Included in the report are the following items:

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| State and county taxes | \$5,615.65 |
| School taxes | 4,342.50 |
| Road taxes | 1,549.00 |
| Mesa City taxes | 129.74 |
| Tempe City taxes | 179.57 |
| Glendale City taxes | 238.45 |
| Wickenburg City taxes | 30.40 |
| School district taxes (40 dist.) | 2,916.17 |



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Dr. R. E. Putney returned to Phoenix last Wednesday a full-fledged dentist and ready to take up that profession in Arizona, following his graduation from the University of Pennsylvania, June 19. He took the examination of the state dental board last week, having already taken one under the Pennsylvania dental board.

Dr. Putney, prior to leaving Phoenix for Pennsylvania, was assistant secretary of the local Y. M. C. A. He is a graduate of the Phoenix high school. During the war he served a year and a half with the Medical Reserve Corps and spent three months in active service abroad. While in Phoenix he was well liked and took a prominent part in church and Y. M. C. A. work.

Dr. Putney is a son of Elwin P. Putney, a building contractor, 819 North Eighth avenue and a brother-in-law of L. M. Laney, county attorney. Two of his brothers are also residents of this city, H. B. Putney, of the Citizen State Bank, and W. E. Putney, local salesman for Armour and company.

HIGHWAYS DECLARED IN JURISDICTION OF INSTITUTION BOARD

Public highways are public institutions, and as such the board of directors of state institutions has full power over them, according to an opinion given out yesterday by Francis J. K. McBride, assistant attorney general. The opinion was given in response to an inquiry from Andrew Baumert, Jr., secretary of the board, who requested authority to honor six requests regarding federal aid on the construction of several proposed highways.

The state highway department and the board of state institutions have for some time been undecided as to just who possessed full power under the laws of 1913 which created the board. McBride's opinion yesterday places the seal of finality on the argument and allows the board to go ahead in paying all claims.

VALLEY GROWN MELON WEIGHED 55 POUNDS

Valley farmers and Phoenixians who hold the opinion that watermelons weighing more than 30 pounds cannot be raised in this section should have been in The Republican office last night. They would have seen a really mammoth melon, a 55-pound monster raised within three miles of the city limits.

The watermelon colossus was brought to the Republican office by J. H. Stranahan, a valley man who raised it on his farm three miles south of Phoenix. It was of the "Tom Watson" variety, famed in the east. Mr. Stranahan has 20 acres of the big melons, and expects to ship eight or nine cars of them in addition to what he places on the local market. He is of the opinion that he will break his former watermelon record, a 70-pound "Tom Watson" grown in Texas, this season in this valley.

It was originally intended to keep the 55-pound melon at The Republican office for exhibition purposes, but the temptation was too great for the office staff, which promptly ate it. Mr. Stranahan has promised to place a larger melon on display before the season is over, however.

CADET COMMISSION HAS ITS FUND CUT

The high school cadet commission is to have \$12,000 less to spend during the next year than had been contemplated. Assistant Attorney General McBride spoiled the commission's plans yesterday when he rendered an opinion as to the meaning of section 13 chapter 44, which creates the commission and makes appropriation for its expenditures.

The chapter in question is anything but plain. The commission held that the legislature appropriated \$10,000 in a lump sum for its use and in addition made provision for \$1,000 a year for each school giving military training when the number of schools exceeded twelve. There are fourteen schools giving military training. This led the commission to believe they were entitled to the \$10,000 and \$1,000 for each of the fourteen schools, making a total of \$24,000.

Mr. McBride is of the opinion that the two schools alone in excess of twelve are entitled to the \$1,000, thus giving the board half of what it expected to be able to use.

PORT SUFFERS HEAVY DAMAGE FROM STORM

VALPARAISO, July 14.—(By the Associated Press).—Five vessels were destroyed or blown ashore and heavy damage caused by a hurricane which blew over this port Saturday and Sunday. All but one of the crew of the

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German steamer Sals were drowned. The Sals was washed ashore and destroyed. The German ship Pelikan, 1,933 net tons, sank at its moorings. Two repair ships, the Maipu and Chiloe and the government steamer Collico were pounded to pieces against the breakwater. The German steamer Westphalen was badly damaged and three other German steamers are in a dangerous condition. No estimate of damage is available.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The University of Arizona, previous to July 16, 1919, will receive sealed proposals for a general contract required in and for the completion of the Women's Dormitory on the campus of the University of Arizona, at Tucson.

Plans and specifications prepared by Lescher & Kibbey of Phoenix, Arizona, may be obtained from Lyman & Place, Tucson, together with full information as to the proposed work, and are on file for inspection at 21½ South Stone avenue, Tucson.

Contractors desiring to submit proposals may obtain copies of full or partial sets of plans and specifications for estimate on request or by appointment, and the return of such plans and specifications must be guaranteed by deposit of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars, which deposit will be refunded

on the return of the plans and specifications in good order. Proposals must be accompanied by certified check for five per cent of the amount of the bid included in the proposal, as a guarantee of the intent of the contractor to enter into a contract with the University of Arizona to well and truly perform all the matters included in said proposal and in accordance with the plans and specifications or as liquidated damages in the event of failure or refusal on the part of the contractor to enter into contract as above named. Said certified check will be returned to the contractor, whose proposals are not accepted and to the successful contractor upon the execution of a satisfactory bond and contract as hereinafter provided. The University of Arizona reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to withhold the award if for any reason it may so determine.