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Clifford Necessary And Mary Craft Win 17th Annual State Tournament

ARCHERS ASKED NOT TO NAIL PLATFORMS

With another hunting season approaching, it would seem that the article quoted below, which appeared in the *Staunton News Leader* last year just before hunting season, would still be in order. All bowhunters please take note and be governed accordingly:

"HARRISONBURG — With another bow and arrow hunting season approaching we wish to welcome hunters to the George Washington National Forest, stated A. H. (Andy) Anderson, forest supervisor.

"Bow hunting has gained in popularity each year. The lure of mild weather and beautiful fall colors is inducement enough to pick up a bow. Bow hunting calls for stalking and stealth and brings out the Indian in a man.

"Many bow hunters are also do-it-yourself carpenters. This has caused us some concern, continued Supervisor Anderson.

"Foresters are finding more and more tree platforms built by archery hunters as deer stands. These platforms consist of various types of lumber nailed to tree trunks and limbs. They vary in size, ranging from simple seats to more elaborate split-level types complete with steps or ladders.

"From the standpoint of game laws, they are not illegal, unless they are baited. From the Forest Service standpoint they are a nuisance and constitute damage to forest property due to nails being driven into tree trunks and limbs. Often branches are chopped or sawed off to improve visibility.

"The Forest Service will not permit structures and ladders to be nailed to trees. Where they are found on National Forest land they will be removed and destroyed.

"If a hunting platform is occupied the Forest Service will tell the hunter the structure is illegal and request its removal.

"It is not illegal for a hunter to climb a tree and hunt from a treetop. The Forest Service does not object to a seat or platform provided they are not nailed. Tying with ropes would be permissible. All structures must be removed after use.

"'We are sure bow hunters will go along with these simple common sense rules so all can enjoy the natural beauty of our National Forests,' said Supervisor Anderson."

Hunting Season Reminders

Open dates—October 15th through November 15th, both dates inclusive.

Open season on—Squirrel, deer of either sex, bear 75 lbs. and over.

Do not—have your bow strung while riding in a car, etc.

Do not—hunt while riding a fender, tailgate, etc.

Do not—leave a messy, unsightly camp-ground when you break camp.

Do not—park your car in the best clearing (feeder) in the mountains while you go off to still-hunt.

Do not-miss that deer.

Do—keep your fellow-hunter in mind by practicing good sportsmanship.

Do-be sure of your target.

Do—carry the proper equipment, broadheads at least 7/8-inch in width and a bow capable of casting your hunting arrow at least 125 yards.

Do-have fun.

Door Prizes For State Shoot

Sherwood Archers, Inc., wish to acknowledge and express their thanks to the many companies and individuals who contributed merchandise and money to be given to participants in the State Shoot. Below is a list of merchandise that was awarded:

- 1 camouflage suit, 1 camouflage bow cover and 1 camouflage make-up kit from Camouflage Mfg. Co., Jacksonville, Florida.
- 1 archery trophy (male) and 1 archery trophy (female) from Minero-Newcome Co., Inc., 9 Murray Street, New York 7, N. Y.
- 1 dozen broadhead points from Make-All Tool & Die Co., 1924 S. 74th St., West Allis 19, Wisconsin.
- 3 dozen broadhead points and 1 dozen small game blunts from Midland Tool, Inc., 15705 Schaefer Road, Detroit, Michigan.

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The headline for this article is a duplicate of the October, 1962 issue of FLIGHT with the exception that this covers the 17th annual State tournament rather than the 16th.

Clifford Necessary, men's instinctive champion, again set a new aggregate record by shooting a total for the three rounds of 1457. This is 3 points higher than his last year's score.

Women's instinctive champ, Mary Lee Craft, shot a 1222, which bettered her last year's score by 75 points.

Men's freestyle honors again went to Jack Cantwell. Jack shot a tremendous 1492 total. This is the first time that a free-style archer has beaten the instinctive champion in the State championship shoot but Jack bettered Clifford by 35 points. There were 38 men registered in the freestyle division this year, which was a substantial increase over last year. Should freestyle be broken down into classes, I believe they would show a big increase again next year.

Women's freestyle was won by Gertrude Lewis with a 951 total.

Men's hunter division honors went to Franklin J. McPeak, who shot a 1261 total. In the Women's hunter division, there was only one entry, Betty E. Kello. Betty shot an aggregate score of 954, which included a very respectable 408 for the animal round.

In our new Youth Division which, effective July 1, 1963, was broken down into classes in the same manner as the adult division, with the exception of hunter division (heavy tackle), Donald Perdue took first place in the instinctive division with an aggregate of 1138. Instinctive girls honors went to Jean Marie Wilkins with a total of 810 for the three rounds.

Freestyle boys was won by John Rust with a 981 total. There were no entries in the girls freestyle division.

Scores for the first, second and third place winners in each class are listed elsewhere in this issue.

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"20"-Pin Winners

Below is a partial list of 20-pin winners since July. Due to lack of space, they cannot all be listed in this issue. Look for the remainder in the December issue of FLIGHT:

35 Yards

Kenny Adams, Chantilly Oliver W. Akins, Petersburg T. W. Akins, Petersburg James L. Armes, Lynchburg Lawrence Coffey, Radford Janet Cowles, Manassas Danny Cox, Pound Lucille S. Darnell, Springfield C. E. Faw, Pearisburg Haswell Frazier, Galax Eloise Hall, Pound Kenneth J. Hinson, Pulaski Arthur A. Hiserman, Front Royal William C. Hooker, Jr., Covington T. R. Jackson, Roanoke James Key, Bedford Kenneth M. Knott, Newington Dollie McPeak, Front Royal Richard G. Montgomery, Manassas Douglas C. Moore, Falls Church Burley Mullins, Pound Elton Rakes, Martinsville Jerry W. Rhodes, Roanoke Donald Sanders, Wise Bob Sandridge, Harrisonburg Gerald Seagle, Wytheville Betty Smith, Richmond Alma Stewart, Falls Church Ronald Wilson, Ettrick Jack Young, Big Stone Gap

Door Prizes For State Shoot

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- 2 bow quivers from L. C. Whiffen Co., Inc., 209 W. Sells St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- 9 packages ground base feathers from Texas Feathers, Inc., Box 136, Brownwood, Texas.
- 1 wrist rocket from Saunders Archery Target Co., Columbus, Nebraska.
- 3 packages ground base feathers, 1 set brush nocks, 1 set bowstring nocking points, 1 set bowstring keepers from True Flight Mfg. Co., Inc., Minitowish Waters, Wisconsin.

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AWARD WINNERS AT THE SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOT

September 1 and 2, 1963

Host Club—Sherwood Archers, Roanoke, Virginia
Instinctive Division—Men

| | Instinctive D | ivision—Men | | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Class A | 28 Field | 28 Animals | 28 Hunters | Aggregate |
| Clifford Necessary Thomas Frye Billy R. Cook Howard C. Turpin | 2nd 476 1st 480 3rd 434 | 1st 528 3rd 494 | 2nd 453 1st 461 | 1st 1457 2nd 1417 |
| Robert Cissel Robert H. Terry Haynes W. Davis | | 2nd 496 | 3rd 438 | 3rd 1301 |
| Class B | | 106 | | |
| Robert Cissel Willie M. Hubbard John Kelly, Jr. | 1st 396 | 1st 496 3rd 450 | 1st 393 | 1st 1229 2nd 1208 3rd 1205 |
| Richard E. Harris James F. Sowards | 2nd 370 3rd 369 | | | |
| Noell Prillaman Elwood D. Holt | | 2nd 462 | 2nd 392 3rd 386 | |
| Class C | | | | |
| W. L. Blackburn David Browning W. F. Sellers | 1st 394 3rd 350 | 2nd 450 3rd 446 1st 466 | 1st 390 | 1st 1234 2nd 1125 3rd 1125 |
| Urshel Miller Kenneth Knott | 2nd 364 | 130 | 2nd 372 3rd 350 | 514 1125 |
| Walter Dillow, Sr. | 1st 317 | 1st 406 | 1st 288 | 1st 1011 |
| Tex R. Mann David Warren | 2nd 283 | 2nd 390 | 2nd 271 3rd 262 | 2nd 944 3rd 842 |
| Eugene Hammon W. G. Harmon | 3rd 281 | 3rd 340 | | |
| Class E | | | | |
| Richard W. Tyree Calvin Campbell P. A. Marshall | 1st 211 3rd 184 2nd 186 | 1st 356 2nd 306 3rd 290 | 1st 198 2nd 193 | 1st 690 2nd 688 3rd 669 |
| John F. Burke | | | 3rd 149 | |
| Freestyle Division—Men | | | | |
| Jack Cantwell John Bowen Wyatt L. Mays | 2nd 474 3rd 473 | 1st 528 2nd 518 | 1st 490 2nd 479 | 1st 1492 2nd 1458 3rd 1418 |
| Thomas F. Taylor James J. Booth | 1st 481 | 3rd 512 | | |
| Russell Hawes | | J14 J12 | 3rd 459 | |
| Hunters Division—Men | | | | |
| Franklin J. McPeak L. P. Stephens | 1st 411 2nd 402 | 1st 438 | 1st 412 2nd 410 | 1st 1261 2nd 1222 |
| Leon Vaughan "Doc" Blankenship | 3rd 394 | 2nd 430 | 3rd 378 | 3rd 1162 |
| Wayne Armstrong | | 3rd 414 | | |
| | Youth Div | ision—Boys | | |
| | | nctive | | |
| Class A | 1 . 2/2 | 2 1 //2 | 1 . 25/ | 1 . 1120 |
| Donald Perdue Jimmy Nelson Thomas Ford, Jr. | 1st 342 | 2nd 442 1st 450 | 1st 354 2nd 336 3rd 328 | 1st 1138 2nd 1101 3rd 1035 |
| Douglas Dutton John W. Berry, Jr. | 2nd 336 Tie | e 3rd 418 | | |
| Class C | | | | |
| Jimmy Nelson John W. Berry, Jr. | 2nd 315 1st 336 | 1st 450 2nd 418 | 1st 336 3rd 275 | 1st 1101 2nd 1029 |
| C. D. Miller Samuel Hite, Jr. | 3rd 308 | 3rd 368 | | 3rd 915 |
| Jerry Armes | | | 2nd 306 | |

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| AWARD WIN | INERS | — You | th Divisi | on – | - Boys | | |
|--|------------------|--------------|----------------|------------|--------|------------|--------------|
| | (Cont | inued from P | age 2) | | | | |
| Class D | | | | | | | |
| Jerry W. Rhodes John D. Hoover | 1st 27 3rd 21 | | 352 d 346 | 1st | 259 | 1st 2nd | 884 743 |
| Gerald Upton | | 3rd | d 310 | 0.1 | 206 | 3rd | 713 |
| Marcus Beal, Jr. Charles Catlett, Jr. | 2d 23 | 66 | | 2nd 2 | | | |
| Class E | | | | | | | |
| Clyde Burkhart, Jr. | 1st 18 | 34 1st | 270 | 1st | 136 | 1st | 590 |
| Randall Frye | 2nd 6 | | d 144 | V- Wall | 78 | 2nd | 287 |
| Freestyle Division—Boys | | | | | | | |
| John Rust | 2nd 25 | | | 1st | | 1st | 981 |
| Lynn Sweeney Ronal Nicholas | 1st 30 3rd 13 | | d 374 d 264 | 2nd 3rd | | 2nd 3rd | 953 547 |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Instinctiv | ve Division- | -Women | | | | |
| Class A | | | | | | | |
| Mary Lee Craft | 1st 37 | | 454 | | 398 | 1st | 1222 |
| Janet M. Cowles Eloise Hall | 3rd 34 | | 1 406 | 2nd 2nd | | | 1123 1091 |
| Barbara A. Haley | 2nd 36 | | d 424 | ZIId | J 1 J | Jid | 10/1 |
| Class B | | | | | | | |
| Olive Quesenberry | 1st 24 | | 322 | | 275 | 1st | 841 |
| Hazel Rogers Alma L. Steward | 3rd 21 | l I | | 3rd | 245 | 2nd 3rd | 750 749 |
| Betty Zane Smith Penny Dillow | 2nd 21 | | d 320 | | | | |
| Bonny Caldwell | | | d 320 d 316 | | | | |
| Lucille Shelor | | | | 2nd | 253 | | |
| Class C | | | | | | | |
| Nancy Tate Joy Tate | 2nd 21 1st 21 | | d 262 | 3rd 1st | | 1st 2nd | 688 |
| Eva Lee Terry Evelyn Ford | 3rd 17 | 3re | d 262 | 2nd | | 3rd | 622 |
| Mildred Adkins | 51Q 17 | | 294 | | | | |
| Class D | | | | | | | |
| Edith Carter | 2nd 16 | | d 274 | 2nd | | 1st | 595 |
| Virginia Dillow Roma Rasnake | 1st 19 3rd 13 | | d 214 t 276 | 1st 3rd | | 2nd 3rd | 592 561 |
| Class E | | | | | | Jid | 701 |
| Elizabeth Perdue | 2nd 1 | 33 1s | t 256 | 3rd | 155 | 1st | 544 |
| Linda Wickham Hilda Rittenour | 1st 14 3rd 11 | 43 2n | d 192 | 1st | 176 | 2nd | 511 |
| | | 12 510 | d 188 | 2nd | 170 | 3rd | 458 |
| Freestyle Division—Wome Gertrude Lewis | n 2nd 29 | 90 2n | d 362 | 1st | 299 | 1st | 951 |
| June T. Craun | 1st 30 |)7 3rd | d 356 | 2nd | 278 | 2nd | 941 |
| Clara Faw | 3rd 27 | /1 1s | t 414 | 3rd | 229 | 3rd | 914 |
| Heavy Tackle—Women | 1 2 | 70 1 | * 400 | 1 | 276 | 1 | 054 |
| Betty E. Kello | 1st 27 | / 0 18 | t 408 | 1st | 2/0 | 1st | 954 |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Yout | h Division- | -Girls | | | | |
| Class C | | Instinctive | | | | | |
| Jean Marie Wilkins | 1st 2 | | t 320 | 1st | | 1st | 810 |
| Janet Shelor Linda Ford | 3rd 18 2nd 18 | | d 284 d 248 | 3rd 2nd | | 2nd 3rd | 641 |
| Class D | | | | | | 714 | 333 |
| Brenda Kaye Elsea | 2nd 1 | 19 1s | t 278 | 1st | 155 | 1st | 552 |
| Kathy McPeak | 3rd 8 | 31 2n | d 218 | 3rd | 72 | 2nd | 371 |
| Jeanne M. LaVoie | 1st 14 | 49 3r | d 142 | 2nd | 77 | 3rd | 368 |
| Class E | 1 of | 84 1s | t 246 | 1.04 | 106 | 1.00 | 126 |
| Linda Frye | 1st | o-t 1\$ | 240 | 1st | 100 | 1st | 436 |
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- 4 Big Boys from Yodas.
- 12 sets bowstring nocks from Albert H. Schneider, 3720 Crestview Circle, Brookfield, Wisconsin.
- 12 nylon arrow rests from Shankland Saxon Corporation, 9115 26th Ave., Kenosha, Wisconsin.
- 1 color drawing of hunting scene from Robin Hood Archery Co., Montclair, New Jersey.
- 2 catalogs with \$5.00 gift certificate from Kittredge Bow Hut, 1421 Mission St., South Pasadena, California.
- 12 sets bowstring silencers and 2 arrow locks from Nottingham Co., High Bridge, New Jersey.
- 1 hand-carved belt quiver from Clinton Western, Sherwood Archers.
- 1 Pocahontas Bow from The Sports Hut, 1535 East Main Street at Lakeside, Salem, Virginia.
- 1 belt quiver from John Sink and Steve Ward, Sherwood Archers.
- 1 \$5.00 gift certificate from L. R. Smith, Masonry Contractor, Roanoke, Virginia, Sherwood Archers.
- 1 \$5.00 gift certificate from Roy Wirt, Sherwood Archers.

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