

Bennington, Kitsap Golds Continue Pistol Knot

Kitsap Golds and USS Bennington continue in a tie for Kitsap County Pistol league lead, undefeated in four matches apiece. Last night the Golds trimmed USS Tatnuck, 2164-2103, and Bennington downed Bremerton Police, 2060-1911.

Third match saw Kitsap Blues top Bremerton Eagles, 1999-1965. Glen Tostenrude, last year's circuit champion, posted new season high of 565 in pacing the Police and Will Bray led the Golds with 557.

Other individual marks included Stan Willette of the Eagles, 540; O. E. Boling of the Bennington, 530; E. L. Coxen of the Blues, 526, and S. D. Chism of the Tatnuck, 503.

Trailing Bennington and Golds in the standings are Marine Barracks, 2-1; Blues, 3-2; Police, 1-3;

Eagles, 1-4, and Tatnuck, 0-4. Marine-Police match, of last week was to be made up, it was decided at the league meeting this week but the other two forfeit matches of a week ago were to stand—Blues over Tatnuck and Golds over Eagles.

16 JAN 63 Marines Hit High Count

Marine Barracks recorded high team score in last night's Kitsap County Pistol league matches, defeating USS Tatnuck, 2028-1963, with M. Kjos's 534 high and second best of the evening.

In other matches, Kitsap Blue downed Police, 1934-1891, and USS Bennington trimmed Eagles, 2004-1343 despite best evening count of 546 by Eagle Stan Willette. Eagles were a man short but fired away.

Individual highs included E. L. Coxen of the Blues, 526; Don Corey of Police, 523, and J. J. Davis of the Bennington, 505.

Big-scoring Kitsap Golds drew a bye.

Gold Pistol Team Scores

Kitsap Golds won the match of previously unbeaten teams and Marine Barracks got the handicap decider in an even scratch session in last night's Kitsap County Pistol league shooting.

Golds defeated USS Bennington, 2144-2106, in the feature event. Larry Walsh led the Golds with 533 and O. E. Boling paced the Bennington with 528. Golds now have five wins and no losses to the Bennington's 5-1.

Marines' eight handicap gave them a 2044-2036 win over Kitsap Blues where both teams had fired 2036 scratch. E. L. Coxen of the Blues had night high of 561. Marine J. Kjos posted 538.

In the third match, USS Tatnuck tripped Police, 2025-2002, although Policeman Don Corey had 533 high and Tatnuck's S. D. Chism had a pacing 525.

Standings behind the first two teams have the Marines at 3-1, Blues 3-3, Eagles 1-4, Tatnuck 1-5 and Police 0-4.

9 JAN 63 Bray Paces Pistol Win

Will Bray and his Kitsap Rifle and Revolver club Golds gave the Kitsap County Pistol league something to shoot at in last night's opening matches of the season.

Bray scored 548 in leading the Golds to a 2145-2068 triumph over clubmate Blues in one of the three matches. In other results, Bremerton Eagles defeated USS Tatnuck, 1763-1687, and USS Bennington downed Marine Barracks, 1988-1941.

Team leaders other than Bray included Eagles S. A. Willette, 522; Bennington's Ole Baring, 521; Blue Dave Bigler, 515, and Marine J. Kjos, 509.

Bremerton Police drew a bye last night and bow into the circuit campaign next Wednesday.

23 JAN 63 Golds Keep Pistol Pace

Kitsap Golds continue to set the team pace in the Kitsap Pistol league but individual high of 550 was registered last night by O. E. Boling of the USS Bennington.

Golds downed Police, 2154-2057; Bennington trimmed Kitsap Blues, 2046-2016, and Marine Barracks won by forfeit over the Eagles in team match results.

Bennington now is 3-0 and Golds 2-0 atop circuit standings. Marines are third at 2-1 followed by Eagles and Blues, both 1-2, and Police and USS Tatnuck, both 0-2.

High individual counts last night behind Boling's peak included Walter Baker, 547, and Wilbur Bray, 536, both for the Golds; R. L. Hadley of the Bennington, 523; Gil Coxen of the Blues, 510, and Don Corey, Police, 508.

Bennington Gains Split

USS Bennington, shooting twice in order to complete its schedule before the ship departs Bremerton, broke even in the Kitsap County Pistol league last night.

The carrier shooters downed Bremerton Eagles, 2001-1838, after falling before Kitsap Golds, 2165-2084. Gold Larry Walsh had the night's individual high of 557, while Bennington's R. L. Hadley had 518 in his team's loss and O. E. Boling a 529 in the win. Stan Willette led Eagle shooters on 551.

Two other scheduled matches resulted in forfeit victories for Kitsap Blues over Bremerton Police and Bremerton Marine Barracks over USS Tatnuck.

Gold Pistol Team Boosts League Lead

Kitsap Rifle and Revolver club Golds outshot the Marine Barracks, 2147-2092, to increase their standing to six wins and no losses while dropping the Marines to a 3-2 record in the only full match fired in Kitsap County Pistol league last night.

The Eagles (2-4) scored 1841 in a forfeit match over the Police (0-5) who again failed to muster four marksmen. USS Bennington (5-1) already had fired its scheduled match against the Kitsap Blues (3-3).

Best individual marks came from the forfeit where Eagle Stan Willette posted 565 and Policeman Glen Tostenrude fired 560. Gold Larry Walsh followed with 558 and Marine J. Kjos had 530. Bennington's R. L. Hadley, shooting just for the practice, had 535.