

# RENEGADE DISPATCH

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## **GOOD NEWS ON THE ELECTRICITY**

I believe Jim got the account changed to a residential account. We were being charged for the oil lease that first established the electric account. A representative went to the land and saw that the oil lease is no longer functioning and agreed to change us to residential. Pat confirmed the bill is now about \$20-\$25 a month and we will receive \$593 credit for back overcharges.

## **THOUGHT FOR THE DAY**

It is better to keep your mouth closed and let people think you are a fool than to open it and remove all doubt. Mark Twain

In February of this year the Vice President advised, “If you want to protect yourself, get a double-barreled shot gun. If there's ever a problem just walk out on the balcony or walk outside and fire the shotgun in the air.” Vice President Joe Biden

On July 18, Jeffery Barton, 52, of Vancouver, who pleaded not guilty Wednesday to one count of illegal aiming or discharging a firearm at his arraignment in Clark County Court, told deputies he fired his shotgun into the air to chase away unknown people he believed to be attempting to break into his vehicle, reported KOIN-TV, Portland, Ore., reported.



## **WORK PARTY**

In preparation for the 44<sup>th</sup> Annual October Turkey Shoot and Chili Cook Off there will be a work party at the range Sunday October 13 after the monthly Shotgun Shoot. We need to sweep up, carry off trash, replace target boards and generally make the place presentable for company. Those of you who do not show up will be the subject of scorn and criticism. So buckle down, knuckle down, and do it, do it, do it.

## THE OLD RENEGADE

There is the story of the old Renegade who made a trip back east to New York City. To this day no one has figured out why. It certainly was not for the picante sauce. While there he met the love of his life. She was his soul mate. They returned to Texas and all was right with the world. One day she came to him and said, "Honey, you spend a lot of time in the work shop and not with me. There is this wonderful chick flick at the movies and we need to spend more time together. I would really like for you to take me." Skeptically he agrees. A couple of weeks go by and she says to him, "Sweetie Pie, you spend a lot of time at the range with your smelly old guns and those strange Renegade people. Instead I want you to take me to the mall. I need to buy new shoes and handbags. Shopping is so much fun and you need to go with me. Have YOU ever *been shopping with the wife for these wonderful girlie things?* Grudgingly he agrees. His thought balloon was like Sarge in Beetle Bailey. (@#\*%\*!) Some time goes by and she come to him and says, "Lover, you have collected guns, and shooting supplies, and who knows what all for a long time. There is just too much of this dangerous stuff. I want you to sell it off so I can have the money to remodel the house." He ponders this latest request for a while and replies, "You sound like my ex-wife." "EX-WIFE! I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE MARRIED BEFORE!" He calmly replied, "I wasn't."

## SHOTGUN SUNDAY RESULTS

Dean reported that several showed up but did not keep score. They just shot for fun and visited. Ken and Louie stopped by on the way to Friendship to participate in the shotgun event, Roger went to but he said the musket match was rained out and he didn't get to shoot. The long car trip and the blow up mattress had him walking like Quasi Moto. He did, however, make a great deal on another shotgun.

## UPDATE ON THE SHOOTING RULES

Some time in the past the rules have been revised by majority consent of the club membership. When shooting the Novelty match the half in rule for the bullet hole has been changed to You Break It, You Take It. All that is necessary to score on this match is to cut the line. Another change is there are no negative scores on a target. Some of the animal targets have minus ten on the tail, such as the Coon. Any minus score will be counted as a zero. The thought process is that if a person spends the money on good equipment and supplies and time at the range practicing that is worth more than if someone shows up with an inline, plastic stock, Mexican kit gun. Picture this; he shoots a good group and has a flyer on the tail. What would have been a 41XX is now a 31. The shooter with the inline, plastic stock, Mexican kit gun shoots a 32 and beats him. Go figure.

## SEPTEMBER SHOOT RESULTS

The weather was great for shooting and visiting. It seemed most folks were shooting a little left. Guns must develop a memory for that strong crosswind that was missing. After a lot of interesting e-mails I finally got the match schedule correct not realizing that the September shoot is a warm up for the October Turkey shoot.

	TARGET/YDS	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
<b>PERCUSSION</b>				
	25 yd Turkey	Greg Gault 40	Gary Black 38	Dean Moeller 37
	50 yd Deer	Gary Black 36	Jeff Lathrop 32	Howard Payne 19
	50 yd Coon	Jeff Lathrop 24	Gary Black 19	D. Kirkpatrick 17
	100 yd Lg Buffalo	Jeff Lathrop 35	Howard Payne 28	Greg Gault 22
<b>AGG</b>	Jeff Lathrop 114			

<b>FLINTLOCK</b>				
	25 yd Turkey	Mark Camp 23	Greg Gault 14	
	25 yd Nightmare	Mark Camp 10	Greg Gault 0	
	50 yd Fox	Greg Gault 12	Mark Camp 5	
	75 yd Antelope	Mark Camp 2	Greg Gault 0	
<b>AGG</b>	Mark Camp 40			
<b>MUSKET</b>				
	25 yd	Roger Fowler 28X		
	50 yd	Roger Fowler 26		
	75 yd	Roger Fowler 24		
<b>AGG</b>	Roger Fowler 78X			
<b>HANDGUN</b>				
	25 yd	Dale Caraghead 26	Jessie Craghead 0	
	50 yd	Dale Caraghead 33		
<b>AGG</b>	Dale Caraghead 59			
<b>LADIES RIFLE</b>				
	25 yd	Angie Cantrell 19	Linda Lollis 12	
	50 yd	Linda Lollis 23	Angie Cantrell 17	
	100 yd	Linda Lollis 8	Angie Cantrell 2	
<b>AGG</b>	Linda Lollis 43			
<b>SMOOTHBORE</b>				
	25 yd	Wayne Lollis 13		
	50 yd	Wayne Lollis 35		
<b>AGG</b>	Wayne Lollis 48			
<b>GRAYBEARD</b>				
<b>28</b>	25 yd	Jeff Lathrop 41XXX		
<b>AGG</b>				
<b>NOVELTY</b>				
<b>30</b>	25 yd	Jeff Lathrop 3		

It has been really hot and dry this summer in north Texas. But every dark cloud has a silver lining. Lemons are made into lemonade. Every door shut opens a new door. As shown by the photo there is a new company in Wichita Falls that goes to the lake spillway to collect the fish and sell them for Go Fish soup crackers. Don't you love free enterprise?

### **MATCH SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER**

By now everyone should have received the Turkey Shoot flyer so the match schedule will not be posted in this newsletter

