



# ON TARGET

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## MUZZLELOADING RIFLE MATCHES CANCELLED

Till further notice, all Muzzle loading Rifle Matches are cancelled for the rest of the season. New Range Match schedules should be out by February.

### Public Range

Don't forget about the public range. It is also an added benefit for members as well as the general public. If there is a match going on, you can come shoot on it at no charge. In addition, remember we also have available a trap range that members can shoot at a reduced fee. So dust off those shotguns, grab a friend and come out and see us on the weekends. We are here from 1 to 5 on Saturday and Sunday, weather permitting.



### FROM THE PRESIDENT

Don't forget, deadline for membership renewals is March 31<sup>st</sup>. Dues renewal for 2010 are \$50.00 for members, \$15.00 for spouse renewals and if you put in a minimum of 20 hours work at the Range in 2009 you qualify for a reduced membership of \$15.00. Dues can be paid at the Public Range on Saturdays and Sundays from 1:00pm to 5:00pm, at Paducah Shooters Supply during normal business hours, or mailed in. If you mail your dues in be sure to enclose a self addressed stamped envelope so we can mail you your new membership card.

This is my last article as Club President. It has been a privilege to serve as you're President for the past 6 years. I've tried to leave the Club a little better than when I started. Hopefully in some small way I have succeeded. I couldn't have been successful though, if it hadn't been for the dedicated Officers and Discipline Chairmen that served with me. It's

their hard work that makes the Club what it is today. Thanks to everyone that has helped me make this Club a success. Lastly, I'am not going away. I will still be running the Combat Pistol & Steel Plate Matches and I'll still be a Club Range Safety Officer. I look forward to seeing each and every one of you at the Range this coming season.

Mike Jones - President

### Range Orientation

All club members must undergo range orientation every three years. The times posted below should make it convenient for you to meet these requirements.

#### 1st and 3rd Wed. at 10 a.m.

Ricky Emerson 270-462-3794

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#### Evenings & Weekends

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#### By Appointment

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Lee Miller (618) 524-5342 is available anytime by appointment, if you will call him and set it up.

Bob Longworth (270) 395-0401 is available weekdays noon to 2 p.m. and weekends by appointment.

## JPR&P Club February Meeting Minutes

**CALL TO ORDER:** The monthly meeting of the Jackson Purchase Rifle & Pistol Club was called to order at 6:44 pm on February 15, 2010 at Paducah Shooters Supply, with Mike Jones presiding and about 15 other members present.

**INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS:** None present.

**APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING'S MINUTES:** No discussion of the January JPR&P Club meeting minutes. David Paessler moved to accept the previous months meeting minutes. Lee Miller seconded the motion, which passed on a voice vote.

**REVIEW OF FINANCIAL REPORTS:** Phyllis McCutchen reported that the beginning checkbook balance as of 1/1/10 was Total deposits & credits were \$2,183.58 while the total checks & debits were \$2,142.95. The ending balance for January was Richard Roof reported that the club investment account gained about \$750 for January. David Paessler moved to accept the financial reports. Lee Miller seconded the motion, which passed with a voice vote.

### CONTINUING BUSINESS:

**Officers Activity Reports:** Mike Marshall reported that someone is shooting a shotgun on range 1 again. He also stated that he plans to restock the refrigerators and rebuild the target frames on both the private & public ranges in March.

Lee Miller did not have anything to report for January.

Gary Lambert reported that the club newsletter for January was complete and should be in the mail the next week.

Bill Allen reported on the juniors for David Langston. A 4-H meeting was conducted last week. The number of juniors for this year appears to be at least as many as last year, perhaps more. They are trying to get the parents more involved with the junior activities this year. They are also planning to hold 2 charity matches this year.

Mike Jones discussed the new match schedule for this year. The match schedule is now locked in for this year. Lee Miller & Richard Roof discussed the matches they have on the schedule for this year. Mike continued the discussion by stating the new schedule is now on the club's web site thanks to David Paessler.

George Reynolds reported that new targets for Hipower were on order and that DCM 30-06 ammo will soon be available again, however it will be Greek ammo. After considerable discussion about the integrity of the Greek ammo & possible liability the club may incur with it, several issues were resolved.

1. The Greek 30-06 ammo (for the most part) is ok for use in the M1 Garand.
2. The club is almost out of DCM ammo.
3. Will use a disclaimer when reselling the Greek ammo.
4. Will have to wait until ammo is purchased to set a reselling price.
5. Will look on the DCM ammo purchase request for CMP disclaimer.

A motion was made by George Reynolds to purchase 6000 rounds of the DCM Greek ammo from the CMP. The cost including the ammo and shipping will be approximately \$3000. Rick Emerson seconded the motion which passed by voice vote.

Rick Emerson reported that he had a full line for the 1<sup>st</sup> relay and 4 more shooters on the 2<sup>nd</sup> relay of the 1<sup>st</sup> Vintage rifle match of the season. It was cold & windy and 500 yard centers were used at 200 yards for this match. The scores were down somewhat from the usual scores and it was recognized that 200 yards may be pushing the limits of some of the rifles being used. Some adjustments may be necessary for the next match.

**Budget for 2010:** Mike Jones and Richard Roof presented and discussed the 2010 budget. Several disciplines still have not turned in info for their portions of the budget, however the vast majority of the budget seems to be in order. As such, Mike Marshall made a motion to accept the 2010 budget. Bill Allen 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion, and it passed by voice vote.

**Other:** Steve Dietsch reported NRA disqualified him for the 3 Day NRA Training Counselor training classes in Nashville due to not having

taught a basic rifle or pistol class since the late 1990's. Mike Jones stated that after he steps down as president he plans to resurrect the basic rifle & pistol courses the club has offered in the past.

David Paessler reported that he has added a page to the club web site for the juniors and deleted the financial information as requested.

#### NEW BUSINESS:

**Other:** Used target cardboard left in the target holder for other to use on the pistol range appears to be disappearing when the range trash cans are emptied. Mike Marshall said he would talk to Lynn McCutchen about this.

**Approval Payment of Bills:** There were no new bills to be approved.

**Review of New Member Recommendations:** The follow list of new member applications for review and approval was presented.

1. Terry Baird
2. Kelly Pierce
3. Wendall Nace
4. Rick Abernathy
5. Susan Elkins
6. Gene Gross
7. David Oaks
8. Sean Anderson
9. Tommy Collier
10. Mark Joyner

Mike Marshall made the motion to accept the new members. Gary Lambert 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion and it was passed by the membership. The new members will be sent a letter of approval and will become full members after their range orientation.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:37 pm.

George Reynolds for Lisa Jones  
Secretary

## Turbiaux Palm-Squeezer Pistol

This unique 'assassin's' style palm pistol was originally patented in Paris, France by Jaques E. Turbiaux in 1882. The pistol's firing chambers are arranged around an internal rotating disk with the cartridges all pointing outwards.

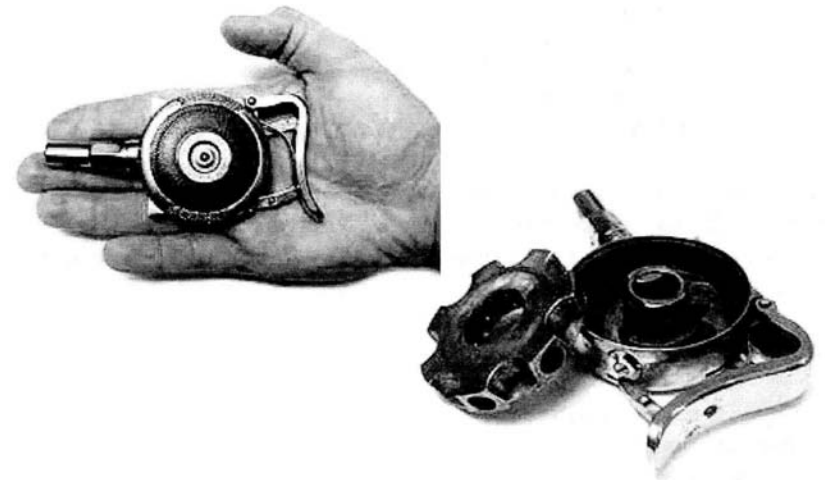
The pistol is held in the palm of the hand with barrel protruding from between the middle fingers, and is fired by squeezing a spring loaded lever into the back of the gun. This lever had a 'double action' operation that would rotate the turret before firing the next round.

This style of gun is commonly known as a turret revolver. Turbiaux developed a 10 round version for the 6mm Protector cartridge and a 7 round version for the 8mm Gaulois cartridge.

As a close range weapon the palm pistol's multiple round capacity far out-classed the two rounds of the common Derringer.

In 1883 Turbiaux obtained a US patent for his gun. Soon afterwards the Minneapolis Firearms Company began producing a 7 round version under patent license called the Protector for the US cartridges .32 Centrefire Extra Short (.32 Protector) and .32 Rimfire Extra Short.

Palm guns of this type are rare today and typically go from \$1500 - \$2000 US on auction sites.



## RANGE SCHEDULE

**Special Note on Range Schedule:** Dates and events published below should be considered accurate unless otherwise informed. Thanks.

<b>Vintage Military Rifle</b> 03/06 3 Classes	10:00 am-4:00pm	Range 3	<b>CCDW Range Session</b> 04/10 Open to public—charge	11:00am-12:30pm	Range 1
<b>High Power rifle</b> 03/13 200 Yard Match-80 Rounds	10:00am - 4:00pm	Range 3	<b>Hi-Power Rifle</b> 04/10 200 Yard Match—80 rounds	10:00am-4:00pm	
<b>Defensive Pistol</b> 03/14 Semi-Auto, Revolver	1:00pm-5:00pm	Range 2	<b>Defensive Pistol</b> 04/11 Semi-Auto, Revolver	1:00pm-5:00pm	Range 2
<b>Metallic Silhouette</b> 03/14 Big Bore Center Fire Pistol	10:00am-till dark	Range 3	<b>Metallic Silhouette</b> 04/11 Big Bore Center Fire Pistol	10:00am-Dark	Range 3
<b>CCDW Range Session</b> 03/20 Open to public—charge	11:00am-12:30pm	Range 1	<b>Cowboy Action</b> 04/17 SAA-Rev, Shotgun Rifle	10:00am-5:00pm	Range 1&2
<b>CCDW Range Session</b> 03/27 Open to public—charge	11:00am-12:30pm	Range 1	<b>Metallic Silhouette</b> 04/18 .22 Rimfire Rifle & Pistol	10:00am-4:30pm	Range 3
<b>Vintage Military Rifle</b> 04/03 3 Classes	10:00am-4:00pm	Range 3	<b>PPC</b> 04/24 5 Gun	9:00am-5:00pm	Range 1
<b>CCDW Range Session</b> 04/03 Open to public—charge	11:00am-12:30pm	Range 1	04/25 5 Gun	10:00am-5:00pm	Range 1

**Please Remember:** Indicated ranges are not available for personal use during scheduled times noted above. When not scheduled, Ranges 1 & 3 are available 7 days a week from 8:00AM to Sunset, but not before or after these times!