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The Guns at Perry.

(Continued from August 24th.)

A CONTINUATION OF THE COMPLETE STORY OF THE CAMP PERRY SHOOTING.

LIFE AND ANNUAL MEMBERS' MATCH.

THIS is a contest for the championship of the two classes of individual membership in the National Rifle Association. Conditions are two and seven at 200 and two and seven at 600. Capt. Stuart W. Wise, of Massachusetts, won first in the Life Members' Match with a 33 and a 35, a total of 68. J. W. Hessian was second, 66. Of the Annual Members, 252 entered and first place fell to Colonel Winder, of Ohio, by virtue of a 32 and 35, which put him at the top of the nine men who totaled 67. Sergt. J. E. Jackson, of Iowa, Ens. W. W. Smith, Navy, Mid. F. K. Lang, Navy, and Capt. W. H. Richard, Ohio, in the order named each had the same range totals and were placed according to the rank of their scores.

SOME STUNT SHOOTING.

Friday afternoon Capt. Paul B. Malone, General Staff, Capt. H. C. McDougal, Marine Corps, and Capt. K. K. V. Casey, Pennsylvania, went back to 1400 yards from the targets and tried out some special material. A rifle fitted with the telescopic sight, the type adopted by the government, the Warner and Swasey; the tubeless telescopic sight invented by Brayton, of Chicago, and the Bassell and Blenkner sight with its rotating disc having four different sizes of aperture and an open sight available upon one adjustment for elevation.

No scores were kept but the firers found the targets and learned some useful things. Similar experiments will be carried on as opportunity offers during the meeting. After dark Friday night Colonel Winder and Captain Richard put on bull after bull at 800 yards with monotonous regularity, they used Winchester telescopic sights. A night match will probably be arranged for before the 1911 Perry meeting is a thing of the past.

Hardly shooting perhaps, but suggesting it are the things which occur when Mr. A. C. Hurlburt, of the Colt's Patent Firearms Manufacturing Company pulls a dark blue, dangerous looking device and points it at such friends as he meets in the camp. "Hands up!" is the command, and up go the hands in every case. Explanations which follow disclose Mr. Hurlburt's alleged instrument of destruction as nothing more dangerous than a fac-simile of a Colt's automatic pistol intended for not altogether entirely harmless use as a cigarette case. Some cigarettes we have seen are more dangerous than any pistol. At any rate we would rather be shot than smoke them.

A CHANCE FOR THE SCATTER GUN MEN.

There is going to be a chance for riflemen who are also devoted to the shotgun to indulge in gay dalliance with a few far-flung blue rocks. Mr. J. W. Hessian, a member of the 1908 Olympic Team and a U. M. C. standby, who is in camp to shoot in a few matches and to manage the affairs of the Remington-Arms-U. M. C. Company at their fine exhibit here, brought on a trap, 5000 bluerocks, a few shotguns, and considerable enthusiasm for the clay saucer game. General Evans gave permission to construct a trap house about 100 yards north of the executive office and the pop-pop of the shotgun vies with the more strident explosive sound of the rifle during the later afternoon hours. Hessian is happy and the men who like a change of sport and something pleasant to observe as a spectacle are not displeased.

COMMERCIAL ROW IS BUSY.

Along the business street of the camp yclept, Commercial Row, there

is much activity and not a little good fellowship. Winchester Repeating Arms Company, United States Cartridge Company, The Remington Arms U. M. C. Company, the Maxim Silent Fire Arms Company, the Savage Arms Company, with their line of beautiful rifles and automatic pistols, are all represented by men who know their business well and can tell it entertainingly. The Service Specialty Company and P. J. O'Hare, representing T. J. Conroy, with riflemen's requisites are reinforced by G. H. Dixon, who also supplies the sundries shooters need.

The Peters Cartridge Company has not established tent headquarters as yet but Col. W. A. Tewes, of the Peters' staff is in evidence on the firing line, where he is a general favorite.

THE PETERS AND THE CATROW.

Saturday morning so nearly resembled Friday that it was not worth while trying to tell the difference between them. The same temperature, wind from the same direction, the twelve o'clock side, with a fishtailing propensity. The day's work, outside of the revolver matches, which have been going on daily and which will be referred to when the grand aggregate may be given and the winner known, included regularly the Catrow and the Regimental Team Matches. An extra event was added in the afternoon, the Peters Skirmish Match. A tie resulted in that; Ensign Knerr, Navy, and Lieut. A. B. Newton, Michigan, getting 99 each. There were five 98's.

The tie was settled by agreement between Knerr and Newton on their skirmish score in the President's Match; Knerr won.

The Catrow Cup for the trophy presented by Colonel Catrow, of Ohio, corresponds to the Leech Cup Match, that is two and seven at 8, 9, and 1000. Capt. W. H. Richard, Ohio, sterling shot and often at the top of big events in the past, took first away from Colonel Winder, a team mate on a 33 35, 34 score. Winder's was 35, 33, 34. One point below, Capt. C. L. Test, of Texas, finished with 101. Six men had 100. Capt. Matt Klem, of the Cavalry, won this match in 1910 with 102. The first of the Tyros was Lieut. F. A. Roberts, of Texas, who stood at the head of six men making 96.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP REGIMENTAL TEAM MATCH.

One of the very prettiest matches anyone ever saw was the Regimental Team Match. There were 26 teams entered and up to the time the last shot was fired at 1000 yards the issue was in doubt. Its three stages, 200, 600 and 1000, give a chance for hopes and fears with thrills in plenty when the teams are evenly matched. The 1st West Virginia Infantry shot the high board at 200, 261, which is good going for six men. At 600 the 1st Squadron, Colorado Cavalry, salted away 287; the 2nd Connecticut Infantry had 285; the 2nd Texas Infantry and 53rd Iowa Infantry were tied on the two range totals. At the 1000 yards, shot late in the afternoon, the conditions were not difficult. The wind had moderated and trying light was the only thing to interfere with perfect scoring. Young teams from organizations which had previously shown no great strength in other matches astonished and greatly pleased the intensely interested gallery watching the shooting. For a long time the result hung in the balance; one or two 3's in place of 5's or a miss, would have been sufficient to snatch victory from one team and bestow it upon another.

The 2nd Texas Infantry team showed a consistent, steady—and to their opponents—a relentless steadiness. After a 253 at 200 and 284

shot at 600, the Texans scored 271 at the 1000 and that is good going, too; 31 upon six men. Their total of 808, three points over the nearest competitor, gave them the coveted prize, the Rumbold Trophy, presented year before last by Genl. F. M. Rumbold, the Adjutant General of Missouri.

The high board at the 1000 was supplied with its good figures by the six men representing the 1st Arizona Infantry. They made 279, or 39 over centers. The 2nd Indiana Infantry got 276 at the 1000 but their other scores were so low that good long range work was unavailing. The 2nd Ohio Infantry, and the 1st Squadron Colorado Cavalry, had a tie total of 805, while close up with 801 came the first District of Columbia Infantry.

Sunday in a rifle competition camp is about as busy a place as a typical graveyard at twelve midnight. Everyone that can get away, goes out of camp to get change of air and scene, and such like, and by the fatigued expression on the faces of a good many when they get back, they have been successful in finding something to occupy them. Far be it and more distant may it become, from our desire to say that the rifleman in a day off indulges in dissipation of any character. Indeed there is a well authenticated case of one prominent and popular officer of the Marine Corps who went to Cedar Point on Sunday midst the National Rifle Association Matches, and strolling the boardwalk after dark, was accosted by two women and a man who when he refused to join them in a drink, threw him down and forced the vile liquor between his clenched teeth. Shame on them! Regardless of which the officer arrived back in camp bright eyed and ready for duty, apparently none the worse for wear.

Seriously and that no wrong impression may go abroad it may be said *sotto voce* that the average expert rifleman is about as apt to dissipate as he is to try to make possibles at the thousand yards while standing on his head.

Getting out of camp, no matter if it is simply a journey out and back, is restful and that is what makes Sunday a dull day for those who remain behind. The first of the 1911 Camp Perry Sundays was no exception. The weather was fine and that was some consolation. Hessian wanted to shoot bluerocks, but General Evans put the ban upon all Sunday shooting on the range. The auburn-haired U. M. C. man had therefore to take to the shore of the lake and content himself with firing a light rifle at potatoes and other similar targets thrown into the air.

There were two soldier baseball games which did no harm nor broke no records. Monday morning with everyone eager for work to begin ushered in the two concluding days of the N. R. A. rifle events, the Herrick Trophy and the President's; the Herrick has for its conditions two sighters and fifteen for record at 8, 9 and 1000 by teams of eight, any rifle and any ammunition. The President's, the most important of all the N. R. A. individual events, has for its full tale a skirmish run, two and ten at 200 and 600 slow. These three ranges constitute the first stage. Competitors not coming within the hundred may re-enter by paying an additional fee. The second stage embraces 200 rapid and two and ten at the 1000. Rifles allowed are the Krag and the New Springfield with any ammunition.

Another match of much consequence is the Championship Revolver Team Match, that came Monday afternoon, while the Herrick and the President's were sandwiched along for all of the two days.

Monday dawned bright and fair, cloudless sky, moderate temperature, a breeze that was but a gentle zephyr surcharged with the tonic ozone which on such rare days makes men yearn to shout for the sheer joy of living. It was a perfect day for scoring.

Camp Perry is a well-kept camp; clean and sanitary and wholesome in its surroundings; the health of all in it with very few exceptions is extremely good. It could scarcely be more spic and span if it had the treatment which I lately saw accorded the Capitol Grounds in Washington, where, upon a certain morning, a sanitary squad of dark-complexioned individuals were vacuum cleaning the whole lawn.

COLORADO AND NEW YORK MEET AGAIN.

Promptly at three o'clock on Monday afternoon the Championship Revolver Team Match, for teams of five men from any unit of the services and the National Guard was called. The conditions, fifteen shots deliberate fire and fifteen rapid at 50 yards on target N which has a five-inch bullseye counting ten. The regulation .38 caliber revolver was used. Only two teams entered, Squadron A, of the New York National Guard and the 1st Squadron of Colorado Cavalry.

When the first two men of each team lined up at the firing point, the weather conditions were all that could be asked for. The atmosphere was entirely clear and a light breeze from the three o'clock direction did not bother the men materially. In fact the conditions were practically perfect. When the first pair from each side had fin-



FIRST SQUADRON, COLORADO CAVALRY.
Winner of Championship Revolver Team Match; Score, 1076.

ished their deliberate fire strings, Squadron A had the best of it by one point. The second relay of three men for each team produced a change which showed five points to the good for the Colorado boys.

From a spectacular standpoint it can truthfully be said that never before at Camp Perry or any other place was so much interest shown by shooters and spectators in a revolver match. A gallery of several hundred witnessed the shooting. At the conclusion of the rapid fire for the first pairs up, Colorado had increased her lead by several points, but it was anybody's match. When Sergeant Wurster on his last rapid fire string fell down hard giving his team but 8 points, it looked as if the Westerners had the contest cinched, but when Doctor Sayre put on a rapid fire total of 107—the high individual score for both teams in this class of fire—it cut down the lead of the Rocky Mountain men until the New Yorkers again became hopeful.

The lead see-sawed back and forth between the two teams as successive pairs fired; but the men from the Mountain State were not to be denied. The coveted trophy had to go to Denver and that was all one could see. The Squadron A men might have done better if they had come out a day or two in advance and taken some practice on the range. They arrived in the morning and left in the evening.

Colorado won because her men did more consistent work. The scores show that. The high individual score for all ranges was made by Lieut. A. W. Putnam, of Squadron A. On the other hand the lowest score was made by Sergeant Smith of the same organization. The men of the 1st Squadron, Colorado Cavalry became the winners of this match and the permanent possessors of the trophy, having won it also in 1909 and 1910, by good, clean, consistent work.

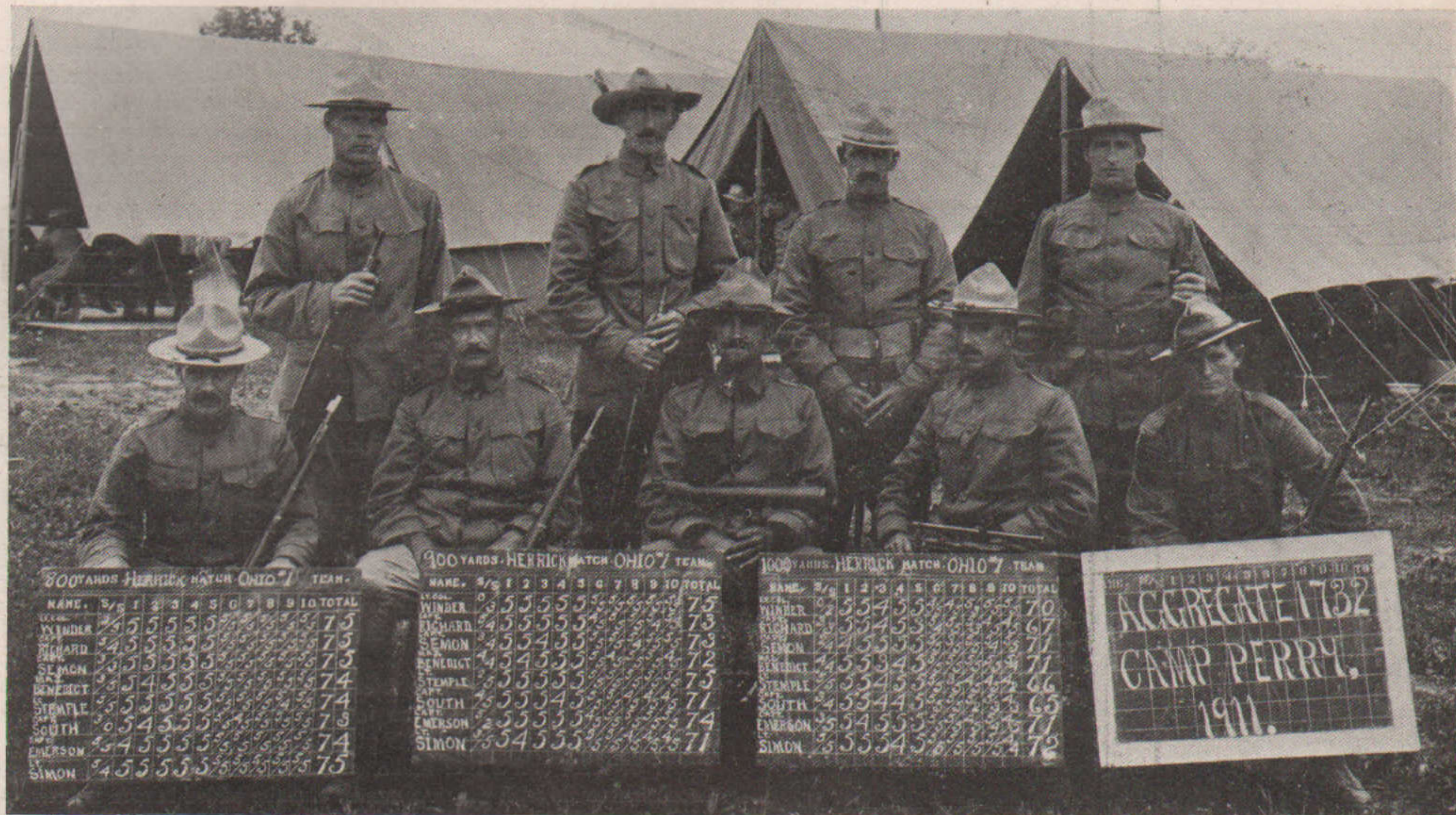
Other contests between teams of these organizations, considering how evenly they are matched, will be watched with great interest. A new element is introduced because of the impending substitution of the automatic pistol for the revolver. It is as yet uncertain whether the pistol will be in the hands of a sufficient number by midsummer next year to justify a conversion of any of the revolver matches into pistol matches in 1912. There appears to be no doubt, however, that 1913 will see all military hand arm events shot with the automatic pistol.

TO CORRECT THE PALMA RECORD.

In our story "Rifle Reminiscences" appearing in ARMS AND THE MAN of August 10 and August 17, a small error was made in giving the officers of the Palma Team of 1907. A correct statement of the officers is: Team Captain, Col. N. B. Thurston, New York; Team Adjutant, Capt. Frank E. Evans, Marine Corps, retired; Team Quartermaster, Lieut. (now captain) Morton C. Mumma, Cavalry; Team Coach, Capt. A. E. Wells, 71st New York; Assistant Team Coach, Sergt. George Doyle, 71st New York.

THE HERRICK MATCH.

The Herrick Match, a team contest for a handsome trophy presented by the Hon. Myron T. Herrick, ex-Governor of Ohio, is at Palma distances. It has the same number of men on a team as the Palma eight,



OHIO TEAM. WINNER OF HERRICK TROPHY; SCORE, 1732.

and an equal number of shots at each range. The conditions of the match vary from the Palma only in respect to the rifles which may be used. Palma conditions require the use of the Service rifle of the country as issued; Herrick conditions permit any military rifle and any sight.

From the beginning of this match, which started on Monday morning,—the program providing for the 800 yard stage at that time, the 900 yard stage on Tuesday morning, and the 1000 yard stage on Tuesday afternoon,—the Ohio Team No. 1, showed a disposition to make a runaway affair of it. All the members of the team were shooting telescopic sights and using 180-grain special match ammunition. At 800 the eight men only fell five points below a possible, scoring 595 out of 600. The detailed scores in another portion of the paper will show how this was done.

At the close of the 800 yard firing Infantry Team No. 1 stood second with 582. They were using the straight Service rifle. Both scores are magnificent. The conditions for shooting were ideal, but even so, so many perfect holds and pulls show wonderful skill. Next to the Infantry at 800 yards was Massachusetts Team No. 1, with 578.

At 900 yards Ohio still continued to smother the field. Her range total of 584 was ten points above that of the nearest competitor, Marine Corps No. 1, which by good shooting had now pulled into second place. The 900 yard weather conditions were very good.

It was at the 1000 yard stage of the Herrick on Tuesday afternoon that the near-dopers, dopers and expert dopers got their full measure of satisfaction. Rarely are more difficult conditions found upon any flat rifle range.

To begin with, the light was changing from bright sun to clouded sky; of course light changes do not affect the telescopic sight but they raise Merry Andrew with men shooting with the Service sight, because firers have to take extra care to be sure the light is not affecting them and when they take extra care a vicious wind like that which blew Tuesday afternoon does mighty mean things to them.

This wind which had a velocity of from twelve to twenty-five miles an hour, increasing and decreasing in speed with the quickness of lightning and without warning, was not satisfied with the difficulties which it could make for the firers by changing speed, but it vacillated and switched about in hair-raising style. One moment it would be coming from seven o'clock, fifteen miles an hour; the next it would be around at nine, traveling at the rate of twenty miles; a few seconds later it would be at eight running twelve to the hour. You can imagine the result. In spite of everything the scoring was high. Ohio with her telescopic sights was not troubled by the light changes but even her seasoned and highly expert dopers were put to it at times to anticipate or to follow the wind changes.

The first Ohio pair up at 1000 yards consisted of Winder and Rich-

ard. Winder's first sighter was a miss. Richard got on for a low eight o'clock 3; before Winder fired his second sighting shot he seemed to go back through the full pages of many score books, but his study brought fruit for he got on low down on the target with his second sighter and on his first record shot scored a bull. His second record was also a 5, then he went out for a 4; the first of 33 shots for record at 800, 900 and 1000 to leave the black spot.

The conditions grew worse as the firing proceeded and everyone along the line had trouble. There was no betterment in the wind until about the close of the firing by the third pair, when the wind having apparently satisfied itself that nine o'clock was the best point to blow from, settled down so far as changes of direction were concerned and contented itself with moving along in changing velocities from practically nine o'clock.

The Ohio Team finished the 1000 with a total at that range of 553, this gave them a total for the match of 1732. The highest individual score was that of Colonel Winder, 220, while Emerson and Semon each delivered 219; 1732 to the best of our information is a world's record. The American Palma Team of 1907, shooting with the Service rifle in Canada against England, Canada and Australia, scored 590, 573 and 549, or a range total of 1712. This is a Service rifle record which has never been beaten in competition.

A comparison of the Ohio men's Herrick total of this year cannot correctly be made with the Palma Team Trophy because of the special rifles and sights the team used. The Elcho Shield competition, a British event open to English, Scottish and Irish riflemen, teams of eight, match rifles and any sight and any ammunition, is the nearest thing to the Herrick of which we know. The best Elcho Shield of which record is available is that shot in 1909. The English Team which won that year made 589, 573 and 555, total 1717, 15 points less than the total by which Ohio won the 1911 Herrick. Analysis of the range totals shows England 800: 589, Ohio 595; England 900: 573, Ohio 584; England 1000: 555, Ohio 553.

It will thus be seen that at both 800 and 900 the Ohio scores are better than the world's previous best. The English 1000 yard score is 2 points better than the Ohio total of this year. It is safe to say that reasonably fair conditions at the 1000 yards in the Herrick would have seen a 1000 yard total by Ohio but very few if any points less than the one the team made at 900.

The high individual score on the English team was that of Lieutenant Colonel Gibbs, 75, 74, 74, total, 223. Winder and Richard shot first on the Ohio team that they might coach the succeeding pairs. But for this it seems possible the lengthy Ohioan might have crowded the individual long range total very close. In the old days of the black-powder match rifle, shooting from the back position at Palma



CORP. C. A. LLOYD, MARINE CORPS.
Winner of President's Match; Score, 281.

ranges in competition, two Americans, Maj. Charles Hinman, and Dr. Charles H. Gerrish each scored 224.

Ohio's lead was so great that the following teams were almost lost sight of, but they had a rattling good battle among themselves. Navy Team No. 1, pulled into second, 102 points below the winner. After them and close up came Marine Corps Teams Nos. 1 and 2. Then Infantry No. 1, and after the Infantry, Ohio No. 2, which shot the second high score at 1000, 508. The other prize winners were Cavalry No. 1, Navy No. 2, and Massachusetts No. 1, in the order named.

THE PRESIDENT'S MATCH.

At the close of the first stage of the President's Match which embraced two and ten at 200 and 600 slow; and a skirmish, Lieutenant Rutherford of the Infantry was high with 193. Second man, Corporal Lloyd, Marines, 192. After him Van Amburgh, Massachusetts, with the same total, and Captain Cavanaugh, Cavalry, 191. There was a match within a match in the President's this year because the Cavalrymen's Cup presented by the Marine Corps was hanging ready to descend into the waiting hands of the cavalryman who finished high in the President's Match. It is a beautiful trophy and the hope of Captain Cavanaugh that it would be his, which must have risen high when he stood number four at the close of the first stage, was not to be shattered when the final results were given out. Cavanaugh was the high cavalryman in the President's and therefore he becomes the possessor of the Cavalry Cup until another President's Match shall be shot.

The 200 rapid fire stage of the President's was fired Tuesday forenoon. The 1000 yards slow fire and the last of this important event was scheduled for four o'clock or after the conclusion of the Herrick. When all the scores had been counted and totaled, it was found that the man who would get an autograph letter from the President of the United States certifying in no uncertain terms to his rifle prowess, was Corp. C. W. Lloyd, of the Marine Corps. Lloyd's scores were: skirmish, 99; 200 slow, 43; 600 slow, 50; 200 rapid, 46; 1000, 43; total, 281.

Next to him came Sergt. C. M. King, Iowa, 280, then Colonel Tewes, New Jersey, with the same total. Lieutenant Rutherford, Infantry, who stood first at the end of the first stage could only get 44 in his rapid fire, and a total of 279. He thus finished fourth. Sergeant Van Amburgh, Massachusetts, also had 279 and Captain Cavanaugh, Cavalry, and Lieutenant Burdette, West Virginia, had equal totals of 278. Full scores are in the score columns.

THE ROSS AND THE TOSS.

Capt. W. H. Hyde of Tennessee and some others who were interested fired a Deer-stalker model Ross .280 at the 500 yard range during a lull in the regular events. This beautiful weapon with its fine, straight pull bolt action and its extremely high velocity ammunition and consequent flat trajectory, attracted a great deal of attention of an admiring sort. Even with the simple, not to say crude open sight with which the rifle is equipped it was easy to score bulls at the 500.

The blue-rock shooters continue to have sport during noon-time and regular halts in the events, and some good shooting is being done. As a rest and relaxation from the routine of the rifle range, trap shooting is not to be despised.

It sounds like a good scheme to include some regular trap shooting events with the rifle program in succeeding years.

ABROAD WITH BILL.

Lieut. Col. N. B. Thurston, Ordnance Officer on the staff of Maj.-Gen. Chas. F. Roe, of New York, has for many years in the intervals between his vigorous direction of rifle practice in New York State, captained teams in each of the National Matches and the 1907 Palma. He requires no introduction to an audience of riflemen. His health has not been very good for the past two years although he was looking very much better when he arrived in camp this week, and he is apparently on a fair way to be in the immediate future quite his old, healthy self.

Colonel Thurston has many friends, among them one who last year from a salaried employe in an inconspicuous position woke up one morning to find himself the heir of an aunt just deceased and the possessor of three and a half million dollars. One of the earliest things he wished to do with the new money and the added leisure it brought, was to take a trip to Europe. He invited Colonel Thurston to accompany him. Another member of the party was a battalion chief of the New York Fire Department. Baby-Elephant Bill, six feet three inches from sole to crown, fifty-six around the chest and not an ounce of superfluous flesh; a special medal for heroism in a big fire, gray haired and distinguished far above ordinary men in appearance, honest-hearted and true, but with few ideas in his head which had nothing to do with the fire department and no experience outside of that line of work. Europe in company with such a man should present an infinite number of opportunities for exceptional enjoyment. It did.

A German interpreter of dignified mien stood with Colonel Thurston and his companions within the tomb of Frederick the Great. Looking upon the two indications of all that remained mortal of Frederick and his Queen, Big Bill, uncovered and with hat nervously revolving between ham-sized hands, stood first on one foot and then on the other, cleared his throat, and said to the interpreter: "Was dis de main squeeze?" Thurston endeavoring to push Bill into the background, said: "Shut up; shut up."

"What did your friend say?" asked the German. "Oh," replied Thurston, "he asked if Frederick was the leading man of his country." "He was a king, a great king;" came the answer. Another premonitory throat noise from Bill, still shifting and still revolving his hat.

"Who'd you say dis was with him?" "The Queen; the Queen." "Uh, huh," growled Bill, "the King and de Queen, huh." Looking around carefully on all sides: "Wonder wot'ell's gone with de Jack and de ten." All this in spite of the frantic endeavors of the distinguished soldier from New York to keep his companion from disgracing the party.

After this last outbreak Bill was silent for awhile but the hat motion never stopped. You could almost hear the wheels, and it was only a question of time when what passed for his brain would give birth to another thought. Finally, in a little pause he coughed once more, and ventured:

"Is dis on de square, or is it phony?" motioning with his hat to the sarcophagi. "Hush up, you fool," burst in Thurston, "you'll get these people all down on you."

"What did he say?" queried the polite interpreter.

"He asked if the King and the Queen were actually buried here; if their bodies are here." "Yes, indeed; yes, indeed," returned the polite German, "the ashes of the illustrious departed repose here before us."

Bill put his hands on his hips and gazed with an air of ponderous wisdom at every point within the tomb. He coughed again and with an air of Jove delivering a final decree, said:

"I size it up if dey're in dere dey'd find it a mighty hard place to get out of in case of fire."

The soldiers frightened Bill and there are soldiers everywhere in Germany. He might have taken any one of them by the head and feet



Photo. by Chaplain Dickson, 26th Infantry.

REACHING FOR THE BULLS-EYE AT 200 YARDS, OFFHAND.

and pulled him apart, but some constitutional timidity made him edge around every uniformed person he saw.

"W'y," he said one day. "You know wot I seen? Why, I seen a block up dere like a meat-chopper's block. And say, do you know what else I seen? A ax wid a blade dat long, and dere was a groove in dat block to put yer neck in w'en one o' dem soldier fellers chops yer head off. No ax for me. I'm wise to dese soldiers; dey're all on de blink; dey'd chop youse head off for a fennig, and dat's so."

Bill was happy when the party took the train to leave Germany and his pleasure made him want to feel better so he decided to take a drink. He had a flask in his grip and he sent back to the dining car for a bottle of vichy. When he finished he opened the window and threw the bottle out. His companions were horrified. There is a strict law in Germany against throwing things from car windows. They told Bill about the law, with embellishments. The big fellow was scared but he tried not to show it.

"Aw," he sneered, "I didn't hit nobody. Not even one of dem dinky track-walkers in uniform dat salutes w'en de train goes by." "Never mind, my boy, you're in for it; they'll put you in jail for a hundred years or maybe cut off your head," did not add to his comfort.

The interpreter was told to instruct the waiter after the next station was passed to come in and say a telegram had been received telling the conductor of the train a bottle had been thrown from the first compartment of the third car and the malefactor should be apprehended at once. Bill was fully frightened. He was almost scared to death. He shook like a leaf and stuttered like a scared schoolboy as he tried to make his apparently incredulous friends believe that he had not done any harm.

"We ought to be able to fix it wid money," he stuttered; "offer 'em some fennigs. The Goimans will do anything for fennigs." Conference brought the information that forty marks might be enough to repair the injury and Bill almost tore his pocket out getting the money.

The big New Yorker found France more pleasant, but he still felt the irksomeness of a too-numerous soldiery. At the tomb of Napoleon Bill looked all over with appraising eye and an air that showed he was figuring out the length of ladder which might be required. After the customary premonitory symptoms of thought, a painful process always with him, he offered:

"Pretty much of a affair' aint it? Who was dis Napoleon, anyway?"

"He was the ruler of Europe in his day;" was the reply. "Ruled Europe, did he?" remarked the interested Bill; "Well, what was he, a Frenchman?"

"No, he was a Corsican." "Corsican, eh; well, where t'ell's Corsicy?" "Corsica, Bill;" ventured his informer, "is an island not so very far away from France."

"Well, wot d'yer t'ink uh dat? Come from a little outlying' island and ruled Yurrupe. Wot'ell did dey let a carpet-bagger like him do dat for?"

"He licked 'em, Bill. Fought all their armies and whipped them."

"You don't say?" with great interest. "His soldiers beat their soldiers, did dey? Beat all the soldiers in Yurrupe, huh? Say look-a-here, did he fight the Goimans?"

"Yes, Bill, he fought the Germans."

"Well, by Gee, did he whip the Goimans, too?" "Yes, Bill, he whipped the Germans."

"Well, say old pal, I don't know who dis Napoleon is, I never met him, but if he whipped the Goimans, I'm for *him*; I tell yer dat."

It must have been fun to be in Europe with Bill. In Berlin the party went to see the Fire Department. The equipment and the methods of the German firefighters were beyond any criticism Bill could offer. Somebody asked the German lieutenant in charge of the firehouse how long it took the company to get out; the inquiry being prompted by an observation of the lack of American lightning methods and the further trifling incident that the horses to draw the apparatus were in box stalls situated in the next block.

The lieutenant replied that his company once turned out in fourteen minutes, but the usual time was twenty. The effect on Bill accustomed to fire turn-outs counted by seconds can be imagined, but his mind moved with ponderous slowness.

That night at dinner he was more than usually silent. Finally leaning chin upon hand and elbow upon the table, he gave the usual warning of the approach of an outburst of wisdom. His companions waited in pleased anticipation.

"I feel impelled," roared Bill, in those deep chest tones of his, "at this moment to offer a slight prognostication." A dignified pause. "Takin' into consideration the way these Goimans organize dere fire department and in consideration of de civic methods which dey employ I'm of the opinion dat some of dese nights de skies will be illuminated, an' it'll be Berlin!" Bill must have been good medicine for Colonel Thurston, for the latter certainly seems to be in better health than he was last year.

THE START OF THE NATIONAL INDIVIDUAL.

From the forty-two teams which were in camp Tuesday evening, 710 men entered the National Individual Rifle Match in which the first shot was fired on the morning of Wednesday. A few slight showers of rain fell Tuesday night and Wednesday morning dawned cloudy and cold. Shooting conditions were very fair and improved to good by the noon hour.

A GOOD JOKE ON THE CHAPLAIN.

Chaplain Dickson, of the 26th Infantry, mentioned last year and in our report of this year as a working chaplain who helps to keep the men clean, decent, well-disciplined and happy, completed his ten years of service in the Army on August 12.

Officers and others interested in his useful activities were considering his promotion to be a Major-chaplain for which step he became eligible at the end of the ten-year period. One asked the chaplain about it, who replied that while he would not of course refuse promotion he was not seeking it. On August 23, eleven days after the event, Major-Chaplain Dickson was astonished to learn that he had been appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate to the higher grade on the very day he became eligible, August 12. His promotion is a well-deserved recognition of good work done.

SOCIAL EVENTS NOT NEGLECTED.

There is an extensive ladies' camp in the vicinity of the clubhouse

facetiously named the Squaw Camp. Here the wives and women relatives of many of the men in the camp are domiciled, with a considerable number also occupying comfortable rooms in the Club. Dances take place on Tuesdays and Saturday nights and on Wednesday and Sunday evenings the excellent band of the 26th Infantry discourses sweet music from the bandstand before the clubhouse.

Idle hours are in this way made pleasant for everyone.

A CHANGE OF POSITION.

The team of the 2nd Ohio Infantry which finished in point of score second in the Regimental Championship Match was disqualified on account of a technical violation of the rules, in that all members of the team had not belonged to the regiment for six months prior to the match. No appeal was taken by Colonel Bryant commanding the 2nd Ohio from the decision of the Executive Officer.

By the change the 1st Squadron, Colorado Cavalry, moved up into second place while the 1st District of Columbia wins third, 1st Arizona Infantry fourth, 3rd Indiana, fifth, 1st West Virginia Infantry sixth.

NATIONAL INDIVIDUAL ENCOUNTERS DIFFICULTIES.

The incantation against rain which was invoked with so much success during the program of the National Rifle Association failed of effect when the National Individual began. Wednesday's firing went well. When night came all but two relays had finished at 600 yards and it was intended to dispose of that small fraction of mid-range firing and the 1000 yards stage Thursday morning.

In the early morning hours before daylight rain came. Daylight brought an acceleration of the downpour. It was impossible to shoot Thursday morning so the Executive Officer postponed the continuation of the National Individual until afternoon, but when afternoon came conditions were no better. It was a steady determined rain. No respector or persons or rifle matches, and it had come to stay. It had been intended that the spare half day on Thursday should be given to extra-team practice, instead of which, when Friday morning came after a night of rain, the National Individual had to be finished and team practice was somewhat disarranged on that account.

Friday morning's sky was threatening but firing began only a little late. The conditions were not bad, the wind was from the eleven



SERGEANT CHARLEY M. KING, IOWA.
Winner of National Individual Rifle Match; Score, 285, and Title of Military Champion of the United States With a Score of 565.



CAPT. W. H. RICHARD, OHIO.
Winner of Catrow Cup Match;
Score, 102.

CAPT. S. W. WISE, MASS.
Winner of Life Members'
Match; Score, 68.

o'clock direction, fairly steady, and not violent, and there was a good shooting light.

About the middle of the forenoon a small squall of rain came which soon passed. By noontime the National Individual of 1911 was a thing of the past, and by the settlement of it came also a settlement of the military rifle championship of the United States for the year. Sergt. C. M. King, Company I, 53rd Iowa, was the fortunate and skilful winner of the National Individual Match and to him also fell the honor of being designated the Individual Military Champion.

King is a young blacksmith who lives in Waukon. He was on the Iowa team of last year and the year before. He had been shooting well though somewhat erratically before this year. He carried off the honors in the Iowa State Matches of the present year. His scores may not be directly compared with those of the previous year on account of the change in the ranges but a skirmish of 98, rapid fire, 48, 200 slow, 46, 600, 48, and 1000, 45, a total of 385 out of a possible 300 slow, rapid fire and skirmish is magnificent shooting.

The Military Championship came to him by virtue of his aggregate of 565. The second man up for the high aggregate, Sergt. O. M. Schriver, Marine Corps, had 554. This total was equalled by that of Lieut. Col. Wm. A. Tewes, New Jersey, but the skirmish total of Schriver was better than that of Tewes and landed him in second place. King finished second in the President's Match being there one point behind Corporal Lloyd of the Marine Corps, who won the President's with a score of 281. The high aggregate in the President's and National Individual is as is known the basis for awarding the Military Championship. Full scores will be found in our score columns. Sergt. Charles M. Smith, 17th Infantry, was second in the National Individual.

SPECIAL PRIZES IN THE NATIONAL INDIVIDUAL.

For the highest aggregate in slow fire in the National Individual Match, Sergt. Andrew M. Dow, 1st Florida Infantry, by scoring 43 at 200; 49 at 600; and 48 at the 1000, an aggregate of 145 secured a gold medal and the cash prize. 145 at these difficult ranges is good going. The success of Sergeant Dow is an indication of the progress made in Florida where the construction of a fine new State range and other related activities are bearing their natural fruit.

Lieut. Don A. Preussner, 53rd Iowa Infantry, demonstrated his quality as a rapid fire shot by winning the special prize for this class of shooting in this wise: Nine men made possibles of a full 50 each in the rapid fire stage of the National Individual. These were Preuss-

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That a man shall serve his country in time of war is noble, brave, and patriotic; but that a man shall properly prepare himself in time of peace to serve in war is all of these things and more. It is noble with a nobility which is real, not ideal. It is brave with a bravery which assumes in time of unemotional peace many burdens, among them that of bearing the lack of appreciation of those who do not consider military preparation or training necessary.

NO PALMA MATCH THIS YEAR.

It is a great disappointment that the impossibility of arranging a mutually satisfactory date has rendered a Palma contest between Canada and the United States out of the question for this year.

The reasons were set forth at some length in our editorial of last week.

Official information has come from the Dominion Rifle Association of Canada, to the National Rifle Association of America, that September 11, which was the earliest date an American team could be made ready to shoot against the Canadians, is too late for the men of the Maple Leaf.

If preliminary arrangements had been made earlier it is probable that the Palma might have been tried for either at Sea Girt or at Camp Perry this year. Canada was willing, and the United States not averse but their engagements and ours were conflicting.

All the more reason, then, why serious attention should be given to arranging for a 1912 contest. Every interest of Canada and the United States would be served by holding this time-honored event every year, and if, as is entirely practicable, arrangements are made whereby the Palma can be shot for alternate years in each country regardless of who wins, rifle shooting in each country would be distinctly benefitted.

Negotiations with the purpose of making the Palma an annual institution with Canada and the United States at least, as competitors, have been begun. It is hoped the steps taken will result in making the Palma a permanent annual event.

THE FUTURE OF THE NATIONAL MATCHES.

In an assemblage made up of any half-dozen or more men who may group themselves together during the National Matches there is naturally much discussion of how these great contests may be improved. There is an entire unanimity of sentiment on the subject of a bulk appropriation to defray the expense of bringing teams to the National Matches. The presence of forty-two teams at Camp Perry this year when fifty-five might have come, is an indication of a serious fault in the present system.

Those teams which are absent, with the exception of the Military

and Naval Academy teams, did not come because their adjutants general felt they could spend the State's allotment to better advantage in building ranges or conducting rifle practice at home. Nor can it be said that these States are wrong in their conclusions. At any rate not all of them; some of them are because they have not yet developed a sufficient number of capable instructors in rifle practice nor created enough interest to insure progress.

The National Matches have made a great difference in the capacity of the American soldier to use the rifle. A constant effort should be made to so shape the program of the matches and all of the circumstances surrounding them until they shall be an increasingly powerful aid to rifle progress.

The question of holding the matches on alternate years has been well talked out and a considerable amount of opinion favors that course. The idea advanced by those who advocate the alternate year plan is that the National Matches shall come on non-joint maneuver years and that in the years between the States shall arrange for their own or interstate competitions.

Whatever is done with relation to the National Matches should be decided upon and undertaken only after a careful consideration of the whole situation. The National Matches are not primarily important as shooting contests. The match feature is a wholly secondary usefulness of these events in the promotion of rifle practice.

The way some States select their teams defeats the real purpose which lies behind the National Matches. If the National Matches themselves and all forms of activity which are connected with the selection of teams to compete in them, do not conduce to an increase of interest in rifle practice, and a growth of efficiency in the use of the rifle, then the National Matches have fallen short of fulfilling the purpose for which they were created.

The whole end and aim of all of those who encourage rifle practice as a means of national defence should be to develop the largest possible number of shots among those men who are in the military service, not forgetting also the citizens outside or the schoolboys.

In dealing with the situation in the States, those responsible are making a mistake if they send the same men back as members of the team for year after year. It is evident upon the face of it that one of two things has taken place when the same men represent a State each year: Either the State is not carrying on such instruction in rifle practice as will develop new men of high skill, or else it is keeping new men off the team because of their lack of experience.

The first thing a State should think of when it considers the selection of a team, is not how to make the strongest team, but how to use the selection of a team as the strongest incentive to, and the most potent agent for the increase of rifle efficiency in the whole State organization.

We heard from Captain Mumma the other day of an excellent plan which has been followed in Iowa. In addition to a State competition for places on the State National Match Team, one man from each of the forty-eight Infantry companies who has never shot on a team is ordered into a camp of special rifle instruction shortly before the State tryout takes place.

The men are carefully taught there and required to shoot on their company teams in the ensuing competition. The result is that at least one new man in each company is given special instructions each year to prepare him for National Match work. It is probable taking two or more men from each company would be more beneficial but the question of expense must be considered. The way the Iowa Team has come up from well down towards the bottom of the list considering the number of new men on it, is proof that they are using a good system, whatever it is.

In this connection a plan of indoor practice which is proposed for use in Iowa this winter is worthy of consideration. We shall hope to publish full details of it later on. It is briefly mentioned now that it is proposed to organize four teams of twelve men each in every company. These shoot against each other on the home ranges within a time designated and there are prizes for each of the four classes and

prizes for the company which produces the four teams with the highest aggregate, it being understood that each team of twelve contains no man who has shot on any other team. The beauty of this plan is that it insures rifle practice by at least forty-eight men in each company.

The leaven of intelligently directed rifle enthusiasm is working in a great many of the States. It should be active in them all. Hit and miss methods will no more accomplish results in rifle practice than in anything else.

The man who achieves success usually does it, not because he is smarter than the other man but because he is willing to be a little more careful about doing the right thing and because he is willing to work just a little bit harder.

THE GUNS AT PERRY.

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ner, 53rd Iowa Infantry, Sergt. Edward M. Lang, Company I, 10th Pennsylvania Infantry, Lieut. C. H. Freeland, 1st West Virginia Infantry, Color Sergt. George E. Organ, 3rd Wisconsin Infantry, Lieut. C. L. Pool, Texas, Sergt. S. C. Schoberg, 1st Minnesota Infantry, Lieut. C. Farley, Navy, Chief Gunner's Mate John King, Navy and Corp. C. A. Barcus, 55th Iowa Infantry.

On the shoot-off Preussner, Lang and Freeland each made a 25 possible; on the second shoot-off Lieutenant Preussner won with 23, while Land and Freeland each scored 22.

No possibles were made by the skirmishers in the National Individual, but two men came within one of it. Lieut. John H. Cole, 2nd District of Columbia Infantry and Capt. C. L. Test, Texas. In the shoot-off to decide the winner Cole got 90 and Test 88. Lieutenant Cole thus became the winner of the special skirmish prize in the National Individual.

PRELIMINARY PRACTICE FOR THE NATIONAL TEAM MATCH.

To compensate in part for the loss of some of the team practice hours targets were set aside Friday morning beginning at nine o'clock for those who wished to commence final preparation for the great events which begin on the morning of Monday, August 28, the National Team Match. As Friday wore on the weather god apparently ashamed of his ill-temper of the day before, brushed away the storm clouds and let the bright sunshine in once more. The well-soaked camp was duly grateful. Friday afternoon was fine, bright sun and no wind. The National Team Match of 1911 will be one of the most vigorously contested ever shot. So many teams are of about equal strength that their competitions against each other will make a race worth going around the world to see. All there is to tell about it with such pictures as will truly illustrate the text will be found in ARMS AND THE MAN of next week.

GENERAL EVANS' SMOKER.

For the last five years, or ever since the present Executive Officer has officiated as the chief figure in the administration of the National Matches, he has given a smoker where the team captains and others in authority could get together and talk things over, the discussion being enlivened by good fellowship and pleasant things to drink and smoke.

1911 furnished its contribution on Thursday night, August 24. The rain outside made the cheer within the more agreeable by contrast. General Evans was in his usual happy mood and made everyone feel at home. As Special Adjutant for the occasion, Col. J. C. Ewing surpassed himself in caring for commissary and other details. No one spoke at length but a number expressed opinions of weight, interest and value. General Bates spoke briefly, and was given a decided ovation by the party. General Maloney, Tennessee, General Elliott, West Virginia, General Hutchings, Texas, General Wagner, Michigan, Colonel Catrow, Ohio, Colonel Miller, Ohio, Colonel Guessaz, Texas, Lieutenant Shaw, Infantry, Lieutenant Clopton, Cavalry, Lieutenant Dortch, Navy, Captain MacDougal, Marine Corps, Colonel Dooley, Maine, and others added their quota to the eloquent and appropriate addresses of the evening. It was a very successful affair, and more than a little useful, because it gave so good an opportunity for an exchange of opinion.

DEPARTMENT OF THE LAKES RIFLE ASSOCIATION MEETING.

The Department of the Lakes Rifle Association held its third annual meeting in the mess hall in camp here at seven-thirty o'clock Thursday evening.

Representatives of Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois and Michigan were present. Gen. C. A. Wagner, President of the Association, announced that by reason of an unfortunate combination of circumstances no available date for the holding of the Association Matches for 1911 could be fixed upon that promised any degree of success, and it was therefore recommended that they be postponed to 1912 and a committee be selected to make the necessary arrangements for them. A resolution was unanimously adopted embodying these recommendations and Col. E. T. Miller, of Ohio, and Maj. J. V. Clinin, of Illinois, were selected as the committee to arrange all details for the matches of 1912.

The President, Gen. C. A. Wagner, of Michigan, further announced that under the constitution of the Association which provides that its officers and members of the Board of Directors shall be active members of the National Guard, of one of the States constituting the Department of the Lakes, he is at present ineligible for the reason that he is now on the retired list of officers of the Michigan National Guard. Col. E. T. Miller was unanimously chosen to fill the vacancy.

Col. George B. McCaughna, of Michigan, announced that he had resigned his commission in the Michigan National Guard and was about to take up his residence permanently in California which made a vacancy in the office of the Association now held by him as Treasurer. Col. Robert B. McCoy, of Wisconsin, was unanimously chosen to fill the vacancy.

A proposition to arrange for and hold small caliber competitions the coming winter in the Association was referred to the committee selected to arrange for the 1912 matches.

The enthusiasm and active interest manifested at this meeting give sure promise of a successful future for the Association. It has six or seven matches and trophies scheduled and will be able to contribute very materially to the promotion of rifle practice in the States included in the Association.

This was the first organization of this character formed in accordance with a recommendation made by the Committee on Small Arms Practice to, and approved by the National Guard Association of the United States at its meeting in Boston in 1908.

HOW TO GET AT PAMAMA.

THE great waterway across the mountainous though narrow barrier, which separates the two great oceans and forms the connecting land link between North and South America will soon be pierced through and through by the Panama Canal.

The question so widely discussed of the fortification of the canal with particular reference to the right of the United States to thus protect its own property, seems to have died a natural death. The justice of the claim of this country to protect, by all the force required, this great engineering work which it is constructing primarily for its own use, but in the second instance for the use of the world, was so equitable, so just, and so palpably fair that objectors were finally silenced by the sheer force of righteous public opinion.

The fortifications have been planned and they will be built, but there is more than one way of doing most things. More than one avenue of attack is open to those who would destroy or obtain possession. An English military authority discussing this subject recently, in one of the leading journals of his country, said:

"The attack upon the Panama Canal will come from above, from the air, through which, now, there are sufficient weapons in readiness to insure its destruction, and in which, in the few remaining years, there will be even more powerful and more numerous engines of destruction ready for its control awaiting opportunity. Dreadnoughts and super-dreadnoughts will lie helpless and inert along the coast while the key to the situation will be applied inland and overhead."

What this man says is the more worthy of consideration because the United States is far behind other countries in the development of machines and the training of men to navigate the air. The United States has eight airps for the use of its Army and Navy, while many countries, of which France is the leader, with Germany next, have literally hundreds of airps at their disposal and dozens of dirigible balloons.

Our people are making a start but it is a small one. We shall need to do a great deal more before we approach anywhere near a condition under which we can meet enemies in the air upon anything like equal terms.

Store Widows.

First Life Guard—Going to be extra careful this year?

Second Life Guard—Yep; I've posted a sign saying I won't rescue unmarried women or widows.—*New York Sun.*

National Rifle Association Match Scores.

LIFE MEMBERS MATCH.

10 Entries		200 Yds.	600 Yds.	Total	Prize
1. Wise, S. W., Capt.....	33	35	68	\$6.50	
2. Hessian, J. W., N. R. A.....	33	33	66	5.00	

TYRO.

3. Burnham, K. A., Sergt.....	30	34	64	2.50
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OTHER SCORES.

Leushner, W. F., Sergt., 74th N. Y..	34	31	65
Tewes, W. A., Lieut Col., N. J.....	29	34	63
Keough, J. H., Q. M. Serg., 6th Mass.	32	31	63
Duow, J. DeP., Capt., Md.....	28	34	62
Casey, K. K. V., Capt. 2nd Penn.....	30	30	60
Opie, O. W., 2nd Va.....	28	31	59

This match was won in 1910 by Maj. C. C. Townsend, 1st Infantry, Colorado.

The winner is awarded a gold medal.

ANNUAL MEMBERS MATCH.

252 Entries		200 Yds.	600 Yds.	Total	Prizes
1. Winder, C. B., Lieut Col.....	32	35	67	\$25.00	
2. Jackson, J. E., Sergt.....	32	35	67	20.00	
3. Smith, W. W., Ens.....	32	35	67	18.00	
4. Lang, F. K., Mid.....	32	35	67	16.00	
5. Richard, W. H., Capt.....	32	35	67	14.00	
6. Plassmeyer, J., Lieut.....	33	34	67	12.00	
7. Durchdenwald, W. H. Sergt..	33	34	67	10.00	
8. Bool, C. L., Capt.....	33	34	67	10.00	
9. Dietrick, L. L. Lieut.....	33	34	67	10.00	
10. Hurt, J. W., Lieut.....	31	35	66	9.00	
11. Schofield, P. S., Sergt.....	31	35	66	9.00	
12. Reid, G. W., Priv.....	31	35	66	9.00	
13. Rothrock, A. D., Lieut.....	32	34	66	9.00	
14. Teat, H. F., Sergt.....	32	34	66	8.00	
15. Duff, G. C., Capt.....	32	34	66	8.00	
16. Burt, F. T., Lieut.....	32	34	66	8.00	
17. Dixon, B. A., Lieut.....	32	34	66	8.00	
18. King, John, Ch. G. M.....	32	34	66	8.00	
19. Bell, A. D., Sergt.....	33	33	66	7.00	
20. Dahlene, A. H., Lieut.....	33	33	66	7.00	
21. Goodwin, Warren, Sergt.....	33	33	66	7.00	
22. Ogan, J. V., Lieut.....	30	35	65	7.00	
23. Fickey, B., Private.....	31	34	65	7.00	
24. Feiss, A., Sergt.....	31	34	65	6.00	
25. Cover, Roscoe, Sergt.....	31	34	65	6.00	
26. Eigenman, J. S., Cxn.....	31	34	65	6.00	
27. Simon, H. E., Lieut.....	31	34	65	6.00	
28. Cole, B. F., Capt.....	31	34	65	6.00	
29. Orr, C. E., Alt. R. & R. C....	31	34	65	6.00	
30. Shepherd, B. T., Lieut.....	32	33	65	5.00	
31. Bump, A. T., Lieut.....	32	33	65	5.00	
32. Shaw, G. C., Lieut.....	32	33	65	5.00	
33. Van Amburgh, Sergt. Maj....	32	33	65	5.00	
34. Wierzkowski, J. S., Q. M.....	32	33	65	5.00	
35. McEachin, E., Sergt.....	33	32	65	5.00	
36. Lyon, L. E., Colo.....	33	32	65	5.00	
37. O'Brien, J. J., Capt.....	33	32	65	4.00	
38. Kean, F. H., Sergt.....	33	32	65	4.00	
39. Allen, R. H., Capt.....	33	32	65	4.00	
40. Hammock, P. J., Sergt.....	29	35	64	4.00	
41. Daniels, F. R., Sergt.....	30	34	64	4.00	
42. Anderson, Chas, Sergt.....	30	34	64	4.00	
43. Allen, E. G., Ens.....	30	34	64	4.00	
44. Preussner, D. A., Lieut.....	30	34	64	3.00	
45. Taylor, A. C., Lieut.....	30	34	64	3.00	
46. Gardner, H. C., Artf.....	30	34	64	3.00	
47. Munshower, F., Lieut.....	30	34	64	3.00	

The winner of this match in 1910 was Lieut. G. C. Brant, U. S. Cavalry, with a score of 68.

The winner is awarded a gold medal in addition to cash prize.

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48. Chase, W. G., Colo. Cav.....	30	34	64	\$3.00
49. Dolfen, P. J., Priv.....	30	34	64	3.00
50. Black, A., Capt.....	30	34	64	3.00
51. Steffan, F. H., 1st Colo.....	31	33	64	3.00
52. La Tourette, L., 1st Lieut.....	31	33	64	3.00
53. Smith, A., Colo Cav.....	31	33	64	3.00
54. Jacobs, F. P., 2nd Lieut.....	31	33	64	2.50
55. Bruck, E. E., 1st Lieut.....	31	33	64	2.50
56. Stewart, C. A., Sergt.....	31	33	64	2.50
57. Knerr, H. J., Ens.....	32	32	64	2.50
58. Elliott, G. H., Priv.....	32	32	64	2.50
59. Smith, C. M., Sergt.....	33	31	64	2.50
60. West, J. T., 1st Lieut.....	29	34	63	2.50
61. Overholser, F. E., 2nd Lieut...	29	34	63	2.50
62. Farley, L. C., Lieut.....	29	34	63	2.50
63. Pratt, J. J., Capt.....	29	34	63	2.50

CATROW CUP MATCH.

165 Entries.		800 Yds.	900 Yds.	1000 Yds.	Total	Prize
1. Richard, W. H., Capt....	33	35	34	102	\$20.00	

2. Winder, C. B., Lieut. Col.	35	33	34	102	15.00
3. Test, C. L., Capt.....	33	35	33	101	12.50
4. South, B., Capt.....	32	34	34	100	10.50
5. Miller, E., 1st Lieut.....	34	32	34	100	10.00
6. Duff, C. G., Capt.....	35	31	34	100	9.00
7. Stoll, W. C., 1st Lieut....	33	34	33	100	8.00
8. Clear, V. L., 1st Lieut....	34	35	31	100	8.00
9. James, J., Ens.....	35	35	30	100	7.00
10. Overholser, F. E., 2nd Lt.	32	33	34	99	7.00
11. Westover, O., 2nd Lieut..	33	33	33	99	7.00
12. Patterson, R. P., Capt....	33	33	33	99	7.00
13. Cooper, B. E., Q. M. Sgt..	34	32	33	99	6.00
14. Collins, J. Sergt.....	34	32	33	99	6.00
15. Garland, J. B., Sergt.....	34	34	31	99	6.00
16. Wise, S. W., Capt.....	31	34	33	98	6.00
17. Pickard, G., 1st Sergt....	35	31	32	98	5.00
18. Emerson, G. H., Capt....	33	34	31	98	5.00
19. Van Auken, G., 2nd Lieut.	31	33	33	97	5.00
20. Austin, H. H., Capt.....	33	31	33	97	5.00
21. Jacobs, F. P., 2nd Lieut..	33	31	33	97	5.00
22. Jarrett, L. B., Col Sergt...	33	31	33	97	4.00
23. Smith, W. D., 1st Lieut..	32	33	32	97	4.00
24. Burtham, K. A., Sergt....	33	32	32	97	4.00
25. Casey, K. K. V., Capt....	34	33	30	97	4.00
26. Seeley, M. G., 1st Lieut...	34	33	30	97	4.00
27. Chisholm, C. B., 1st Lieut.	35	32	30	97	4.00
28. Chesley, G. W., W. R. & G. C.	35	32	30	97	4.00

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29. Roberts, F. A., 2nd Lieut.	34	29	33	96	3.00
30. Duboviczky, J., Q. M. Sgt.	32	32	32	96	3.00
31. Gemmill, F., Sergt.....	34	31	31	96	3.00
32. Briggs, C. O., Iowa.....	32	34	30	96	3.00
33. Duce, C. K., Capt.....	34	32	30	96	3.00
34. Feiss, A., 1st Sergt.....	34	33	29	96	3.00
35. Coykendall, H. G., Capt..	34	31	30	95	3.00
36. Spooner, L. H., Sergt....	31	32	32	95	3.00
37. Deitrick, L. L., 1st Lieut..	32	31	32	95	3.00

NOTE.—This match was won in 1910 by Sergt. Matt Klem, of the 15th U. S. Cavalry, with 102.

The winner is awarded the Catrow Cup, a gold medal and cash.

CHAMPIONSHIP REGIMENTAL TEAM MATCH.

26 Entries.		200 Yds.	600 Yds.	1000 Yds.	Total	Prize
1. 2nd Texas Inf. No. 1....	253	284	271	808	\$60.00	
2. 2nd Ohio Inf.....	254	277	274	805	45.00	
3. 1st Sqd. Colo. Cav.....	248	287	270	805	36.00	
4. 1st D. C. Inf.....	258	274	269	801	24.00	
5. 1st Ariz. Inf.....	244	276	279	799	18.00	
6. 3rd Ind. Inf.....	252	276	271	799	15.00	
7. 1st W. Va. Inf.....	261	268	269	798		
8. 2nd Conn. Inf.....	249	285	262	796		
9. 2nd Ind Inf.....	241	277	276	794		
10. 53rd Iowa Inf.....	253	284	257	794		
11. 1st Kansas Inf.....	254	278	260	792		
12. 1st Md. Inf.....	252	277	260	789		
13. 2nd Mont. Inf.....	245	277	266	788		
14. 2nd D. C. Inf.....	255	274	258	787		
15. 6th Mass. Inf.....	256	279	248	783		
16. 74th N. Y. Inf.....	248	277	257	782		
17. 54th Iowa Inf.....	247	266	260	773		
18. 2nd W. Va. Inf.....	248	267	258	773		
19. 2nd Texas Inf. No. 2....	247	267	251	765		
20. 1st Ariz. Inf. No. 2....	247	259	258	764		
21. 4th Md. Inf.....	245	265	250	760		
22. 2nd Ala. Inf.....	243	269	246	758		
23. 3rd Mich. Inf.....	249	265	244	758		
24. 1st Colo. Inf.....	242	266	240	748		
25. 2nd Va. Vols. Inf.....	246	264	232	742		
26. 4th Va. Vols. Inf.....	233	258	232	723		

NOTE.—This match was won in 1910 by the 6th Mass. Infantry, with a score of 831.

The winning team is awarded the Regimental Trophy and gold medals. The second team, silver medals, and the third team bronze medals.

THE HERRICK TROPHY MATCH.

33 Entries.		800	900	1000	Total	Prize
1. Ohio, Team No. 1:						
Winder, C. B., Lieut. Col....	75	75	70	220		
Emerson, G. H., Capt.....	74	74	71	219		
Semon, J. C., Capt.....	75	73	71	219		
Simon, H. E., 1st Lieut....	75	71	72	218		
Benedict, C. S., Maj.....	74	72	71	217		
Richard, W. H., Maj.....	75	73	67	215		
Stemple, J. O., 2nd Lieut..	74	75	66	215		
South, Ben, Capt.....	73	71	65	209		

Team total..... 595 584 553 1732 \$100.00

The members of the winning team are given medals.

2. Navy, Team No. 1.....	574	558	598	1630	\$80.00
3. Marine Corps, Team No. 1.....	572	574	483	1629	60.00
4. Marine Corps, Team No. 3.....	567	563	487	1617	36.00

5. Infantry, Team No. 1.....	582	551	481	1614	32.00
6. Ohio, Team No. 2.....	560	544	508	1612	28.00
7. Cavalry, Team No. 1.....	574	555	475	1604	24.00
8. Navy, Team No. 2.....	571	552	480	1603	20.00
9. Massachusetts, Team No. 1.....	578	552	472	1602	16.00
10. New Jersey.....	566	546	482	1594	
11. Maryland.....	576	552	465	1593	
12. Arizona, Team No. 1.....	564	563	455	1582	
13. Cavalry, Team No. 2.....	572	549	460	1581	
14. Pennsylvania, Team No. 2.....	568	523	489	1580	
15. Infantry, Team No. 2.....	563	546	469	1578	
16. Indiana, Team No. 1.....	565	548	464	1577	
17. Texas, Team No. 1.....	573	522	481	1576	
18. Marine Corps, Team No. 3.....	563	543	454	1561	
19. Pennsylvania, Team No. 1.....	577	519	464	1560	
20. Massachusetts, Team No. 2.....	569	528	462	1559	
21. Indiana, Team No. 2.....	570	514	466	1550	
22. Michigan.....	573	523	450	1546	
23. Illinois.....	567	537	439	1543	
24. Arizona, Team No. 2.....	560	536	445	1541	
25. Texas, Team No. 2.....	547	535	457	1539	
26. Tennessee.....	554	526	454	1534	
27. Mississippi, Team No. 1.....	539	534	436	1509	
28. Delaware.....	561	508	431	1500	
29. Minnesota.....	547	510	410	1467	
30. Virginia.....	551	522	394	1467	
31. Utah, Team No. 1.....	535	488	423	1446	
32. Utah, Team No. 2.....	521	479	400	1400	
33. Mississippi.....	508	472	411	1391	

The score of the winning team constitutes a new record for the Herrick Trophy Match.

THE PRESIDENT'S MATCH.

481 Entries.	Skir.	200 s.f.	600 r.f.	200 r.f.	1000 r.f.	Total	Prize
41. Eddy, E. W., Capt., Ohio.....	89	43	48	50	39	269	\$11.00
42. Brereton, W. D., Ens.....	88	41	49	47	44	269	11.00
43. Gardner, H., Artif.....	87	41	48	48	45	269	11.00
44. Davis, D. E., Sergt. Maj.....	94	42	46	46	40	268	10.00
45. Smith, W. D., 1st Lieut.....	94	44	46	44	40	268	10.00
46. Smith, C. C., Maj.....	94	42	45	43	44	268	10.00
47. Schutz, M., Corp.....	93	43	46	45	41	268	10.00
48. Schriver, J. D., Corp.....	93	40	48	40	47	268	10.00
49. Castaldini, L., Sergt.....	92	42	46	47	41	268	10.00
50. Waller, L. W. T., Lieut.....	90	42	47	47	42	268	10.00
51. Hensley, W., 2nd Lieut.....	90	42	47	45	44	268	10.00
52. Roberts, F. A., 2nd Lieut.....	88	42	48	46	44	268	9.00
53. Ralston, R. W., Sergt.....	81	44	49	45	49	268	9.00
54. Johnson, C. A., Gun Sergt.....	99	44	46	34	44	267	9.00
55. Burt, F. T., 1st Lieut.....	92	47	47	39	42	267	9.00
56. Spratt, C. T., Capt.....	88	41	46	46	46	267	9.00
57. Sweeting, E. W., Artif.....	88	43	49	38	49	267	9.00
58. Evans, H., Sergt.....	85	43	45	46	48	267	8.00
59. Hessian, J. W., N. R. A.....	94	44	47	39	42	266	8.00
60. Pilgrim, F. A., 1st Sergt.....	92	41	48	39	46	266	8.00
61. Muller, C. H., 1st Lieut.....	91	41	50	44	40	266	8.00
62. Skerry, H. A., Sergt.....	91	44	48	38	45	266	8.00
63. Jacobs, F. P., 2nd Lieut.....	89	42	47	41	47	266	8.00
64. Worsham, T., Corp.....	84	42	45	50	45	266	8.00
65. Reising, E. G., Mus.....	84	43	49	44	46	266	7.00
66. Lindroth, E. E., Lieut.....	95	43	47	49	31	265	7.00
67. Smith, B. L., 2nd Lieut.....	94	44	44	45	38	265	7.00
68. Aleshire, O. C., 1st Lieut.....	92	41	40	49	39	265	7.00
69. Richard, W. H., Capt.....	91	41	47	42	44	265	7.00
70. Shannon, P. L., Sergt.....	89	43	46	46	41	265	7.00
71. Kessler, R. J., Capt.....	89	39	48	43	46	265	7.00
72. Munshower, E. T., 2nd Lieut.....	85	45	49	45	41	265	6.00
73. Dolfen, P. C., Priv.....	80	41	49	46	49	265	6.00
74. Griffin, E., Sergt.....	94	41	46	46	37	264	6.00
75. Morris, C. J., Capt.....	92	44	46	42	40	264	6.00
76. Miller, E., 1st Lieut.....	89	42	46	47	40	264	6.00
77. Maybee, W. J., Sergt.....	89	39	47	44	45	264	6.00
78. Czegka, V. S., 1st Sergt.....	86	43	48	44	43	264	6.00
79. Lang, E., Priv.....	83	44	48	50	39	264	6.00
80. Anding, S. W., 1st Lieut.....	83	42	46	47	46	264	6.00
81. Armstrong, E. V., 1st Lieut.....	96	42	48	40	37	263	5.00
82. Wierzbowski, J. S., Q. M. lcl.....	89	41	44	43	46	263	5.00
83. Clyde, M. E., Sergt.....	86	42	46	48	41	263	5.00
84. Stewart, C. A., Sergt.....	85	42	46	45	45	263	5.00
85. Allen, E. G., Ens.....	84	42	50	45	42	263	5.00
86. Resche, F. E., Lieut. Col.....	94	41	46	46	35	262	5.00
87. Burnham, K. A., Sergt.....	94	42	44	42	40	262	5.00
88. Boykin, C. V., Capt.....	90	39	50	43	40	262	5.00
89. Alvord, E. R., Sergt.....	89	41	45	46	41	262	5.00

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90. Barnes, C. A., Priv.....	88	41	45	47	41	262	5.00
91. Laas, J. K., 1st Sergt.....	87	37	45	49	44	262	5.00
92. Clouser, R., Priv.....	87	43	47	46	39	262	5.00
93. Dahlene, A. H., 1st Lieut.....	82	41	48	46	45	262	5.00
94. Dilworth, H. S., 1st Lieut.....	81	42	49	40	50	262	5.00
95. LeBaron, E. H., Capt.....	79	45	45	48	45	262	5.00
96. Felt, L. H., Sergt.....	96	39	48	43	35	261	5.00
97. Smith, C. O., 1st Lieut.....	95	40	44	42	40	261	5.00
98. Guerin, F., Sergt.....	94	41	45	33	48	261	5.00
99. Gale, C. M., Capt.....	92	43	46	44	36	261	5.00

100. Conner, H. T., 1st Sergt.....	89	42	45	48	37	261	5.00
101. Steffan, F. A., Sergt.....	89	39	48	47	38	261	5.00
102. Henry, R. S., Maj.....	88	40	48	46	39	261	5.00
103. Duboviczky, J., Q. M. Sergt.....	87	40	45	43	46	261	5.00
104. Nettleton, H. H., Sergt.....	86	41	45	45	44	261	5.00
105. Stryker, W. L., Priv.....	82	40	48	47	44	261	5.00
106. Seeley, M. G., 1st Sergt.....	82	46	46	46	41	261	4.00
107. Shepherd, F. B., 1st Lieut.....	89	42	47	39	43	260	4.00
108. Clark, A. E., Capt.....	88	40	49	44	39	260	4.00
109. Muller, A. W., Sergt.....	85	44	46	46	39	260	4.00
110. Lewellen, R., Sergt.....	85	41	49	42	43	260	4.00
111. Romaine, O., Q. M. Sergt.....	91	41	47	33	47	259	4.00
112. Hurt, J. W., 2nd Lieut.....	89	42	46	40	42	259	4.00
113. Pearson, S., Sergt.....	88	42	44	47	38	259	4.00
114. Overholser, F. E., 2nd Lieut.....	89	40	44	45	40	258	4.00
115. Bach, C. A., Capt.....	89	42	47	40	40	258	4.00
116. Sanworth, T. G., Sergt.....	87	43	44	47	37	258	4.00
117. Williams, J. E., Priv.....	85	41	48	44	40	258	4.00
118. Webb, H. A., 2nd Lieut.....	80	42	47	45	44	258	4.00
119. Collins, J. E., Sergt.....	92	43	46	36	40	257	4.00

Of the men who finished in the first hundred of the President's Match, those who became prize winners, with their total scores at the end of the first stage, are as follows:

Name.	Total	Morris, Capt.....	182
Rutherford, Lieut.....	193	Emerson, Capt.....	181
Lloyd, Corp.....	192	Griffin, Sergt.....	181
Van Amburgh, Sergt.....	192	Collins, Sergt.....	181
Cavanaugh, Capt.....	191	Schriver, Corp.....	181
Johnson, Sergt.....	189	Pilgrim, Sergt.....	181
Burdette, Lieut.....	189	Smith, Major.....	181
Manion, Sergt.....	188	Resche, Lieut. Col.....	181
Clausel, Lieut.....	187	Gale, Capt.....	181
Rutishauser, Sergt. Maj.....	187	Patterson, Capt.....	180
Rothrock, Lieut.....	186	Guerin, Sergt.....	180
Burt, Lieut.....	186	Eddy, Capt.....	180
Armstrong, Lieut.....	186	Castaldini, Sergt.....	180
Schriver, Sergt.....	186	Kean, Sergt.....	180
King, Sergt.....	186	Burnham, Sergt.....	180
Tewes, Lieut. Col.....	185	Sweeting, Artif.....	180
Hessian, John.....	185	Boykin, Capt.....	179
Smith, W. W., Ens.....	185	Romaine, Q. M. Sergt.....	179
Hyde, Capt.....	185	Preussner, Lieut.....	179
Lindroth, Lieut.....	185	Smith, C. O., Lieut.....	179
Roesch, Midn.....	184	Waller, Lieut.....	179
Andrews, Sergt.....	184	Hensley, Lieut.....	179
Smith, W. D., Lieut.....	184	Richard, Capt.....	179
Knerr, Ens.....	184	Munshower, Lieut.....	179
Parmely, Lieut.....	184	Williamson, Ch. Yeo.....	179
Lang, Midn.....	184	Dorsett, Sergt.....	178
Aleshire, Lieut.....	183	McClintis, Lieut.....	178
Bradley, Midn.....	183	Barr, Sergt.....	178
Jackson, Sergt.....	183	Brereton, Ens.....	178
Russell, Lieut.....	183	Shepherd, Lieut.....	178
Kemp, Maj.....	183	Roberts, Lieut.....	178
Skerry, Sergt.....	183	Jacobs, Lieut.....	178
Farley, Lieut.....	183	Bach, Capt.....	178
Schofield, Sergt.....	183	Bump, Lieut.....	178
Felt, Sergt.....	183	Jackson, Sergt.....	177
Muller, Lieut.....	182	Clouser, Priv.....	177
Schutz, Corp.....	182	Miller, Lieut.....	177
Sprout, Hosp. Sted.....	182	Ogan, Lieut.....	177
Klem, Sergt.....	182	Cram, Lieut.....	177
Trusler, Corp.....	182	Benedict, Major.....	177
Smith, B. L., Lieut.....	182	Czegka, Sergt.....	177
Davis, Sergt.....	182	Hurt, Lieut.....	177
Heidenreich, Capt.....	182	Clark, Capt.....	177

GRAND AGGREGATE—INDIVIDUAL REVOLVER MATCHES.

1. Snook, J. H., Dr. Columbus Revolver Club. Prize \$9.67.							
Match.	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	Total	
August 14.....	82	98	84	95	90	449	
August 15.....	85	98	81	99	92	455	
August 16.....	87	98	86	99	92	462	
August 17.....	87	99	97	98	96	477	
August 18.....	76	97	80	97	91	441	
August 19.....	87	96	96	96	90	465	
August 21.....	92	96	93	96	88	465	
August 22.....	90	99	94	98	85	466	
Aggregate.....						3650	

2. Orr, C. E., Alton Rifle Club. Prize \$5.80.							
August 14.....	81	99	80	94	85	439	
August 15.....	83	96	85	96	91	451	
August 16.....	83	97	89	96	86	451	
August 17.....	89	99	84	94	92	458	
August 18.....	86	97	80	96	89	448	
August 19.....	87	95	90	97	97	466	
August 21.....	89	98	92	88	87	454	
August 22.....	87	100	87	95	89	458	
Aggregate.....						3625	

3. Lyon, LeRoy, 1st Colorado Cavalry. Prize \$3.88.							
August 14.....	90	96	73	97	93	449	
August 15.....	75	94	72	95	87	423	

August 16	82	97	78	95	93	445
August 17	84	99	89	98	95	465
August 18	86	98	83	99	87	453
August 19	93	97	88	94	89	461
August 21	84	97	82	94	89	446
August 22	79	99	88	94	88	448
Aggregate						3590
Reising, E. G., 1st Conn.						
August 14	72	97	82	96	95	
August 15	..	97	94	98	99	
August 16	..	96	90	97	88	
August 17	..	95	89	..	90	
August 18	74	94	89	98	96	
August 19	..	93	..	..	..
August 22	89	97	91	..	91	
Coffin, F. P., 1st Colo.						
August 14	87	96	79	95	76	
August 15	..	95	..	98	90	
August 16	90	97	79	97	87	
August 17	..	..	88	97	89	
August 18	..	..	88	97	85	
August 19	85	95	92	..	90	
August 21	..	..	87	..	..
August 22	..	..	..	..	89	
Hoffman, G. F.						
August 14	77	..	69	92	90	
August 15	77	98	75	95	..	
August 16	83	..	..	96	..	
August 17	85	..	85	97	..	
August 18	86	97	..	..	87	
August 19	85	100	..	..	91	
August 21	77	95	91	95	88	
August 22	75	91	87	96	83	
Finch, John, Sergt., 1st Colo.						
August 14	..	92	..	..	..
August 16	..	..	..	..	87	
August 17	86	..	..	..	..
August 18	..	94	..	..	..
Crossman, C. C., Mo. St. & R. Association.						
August 15	..	..	78	..	..
August 16	87	..	..	..	..
August 17	..	95	..	..	..
August 21	79	93	..	93	82	
August 22	74	..	..	..	..
McClintic, W. S., Lieut., U. S. N.						
August 16	..	97	79	96	92	
Peterson, S. W., Colo. Cavalry.						
August 16	78	..	..	..	..
August 21	76	93	77	93	93	
August 22	..	93	75	94	83	
Ogan, J. B., Lieut., U. S. N.						
August 17	84	95	..	..	..
August 19	84	93	88	97	..	
Hopkins, J. P., Capt., C. A. C.						
August 17	98	98	..	..	..
Nelson, C. A.						
August 22	..	..	..	97	..	
Smith, Arthur, 1st Colo.						
August 17	..	..	..	97	97	
August 18	73	..	..	97	..	
August 19	..	93	88	..	92	

PETERS' TROPHY MATCH.

242 Entries.		Skirmish	Prize.
1.	Kneer, H. J., Ens., U. S. N.	99	\$12.00
2.	Newton, A. B., Lieut., Mich.	99	10.00
3.	Bonscore, A., Priv., Mich.	98	5.65
4.	Joyce, T. F., 1st Sergt., M. C.	98	5.65
5.	Worsham, T., Corp., M. C.	98	5.65
6.	Eddy, E. W., Capt., Ohio.	98	5.65
7.	Reising, E. G., 1st Conn.	98	5.65
8.	Feiss, N., 1st Sergt., Cav.	97	4.50
9.	Anderson, C., Sergt., Inf.	97	4.50
10.	Aleshire, O. C., 1st Lieut. Cav.	96	4.00
11.	Johnson, C. A., Gun. Sergt., M. C.	96	4.00
12.	Schrivver, O. M., Sergt., M. C.	96	4.00
13.	Lincoln, E. C., Priv., Mass.	96	4.00
14.	Jefts, G. M., Col. Sergt., Mass.	96	3.75
15.	Andrews, J. J., Sergt., M. C.	95	3.50
16.	Bump, A. L., 1st Lieut., Inf.	94	3.50
17.	Fogel, F. J., 1st Sergt., Ariz.	94	3.50
18.	James, J., Ens., U. S. N.	94	3.15
19.	Miller, E., 1st Lieut., Ohio.	94	3.15
20.	Stoll, W. C., 1st Lieut., Inf.	94	3.15
21.	Long, C. B., Corp., Mass.	94	3.15
22.	Dilworth, H. S., 1st Lieut., Cav.	94	3.15
23.	Sprout, W. A., Hosp. Std., Navy.	94	3.15
24.	Myrick, E. D., Ch. T. C., Navy.	93	3.00
25.	Shaw, G. C., 1st Lieut., Inf.	93	3.00
26.	Maas, J. K., 1st Sergt., Cav.	92	3.00
27.	Lang, E. K., Mdsn., Navy.	92	2.50
28.	Keough, J. H., Q. M. Sergt., Mass.	92	2.50
29.	Benedict, C. S., Major, Ohio.	92	2.50
30.	Burt, F. T., 1st Lieut., Inf.	92	2.50
31.	Wierzbowski, J. S., U. S. N.	92	2.50
32.	McCarthy, W. H., Col. Sergt., Mass.	92	2.50
33.	Smith, C. M., Sergt., Inf.	92	2.50
34.	Clyde, C. H., Sergt., M. C.	92	2.50
35.	Giffin, R. C., Ens., U. S. N.	92	2.50
36.	Sawyer, G. P., Capt., Kansas.	92	2.50
37.	Hunt, R. E., Sergt., Alabama.	91	2.00
38.	Emerson, G. H., Capt., Ohio.	91	2.00
39.	Ringling, E. A., Capt., Iowa.	90	2.00
40.	Roll, W. Z., Maj., Ohio.	90	2.00
41.	Fragner, W. A., Sergt., M. C.	90	2.00
42.	Pearson, S. V., Sergt., Ore.	90	2.00
43.	Pickard, A. N., Sergt., Ore.	90	2.00
44.	Muller, G. H., 1st Lieut., Cav.	90	2.00
45.	Wilcox, J. W., Lieut., Navy.	90	2.00
46.	Pope, E. H., Sergt., Ala.	90	2.00
47.	Eigerman, J. S., Cxn., U. S. N.	90	1.00
47a.	Rothrock, A. D., 1st Lieut., Ohio.	90	1.00

Squadron A, N. G. N. Y.

		Deliberate				Rapid Fire.			
		50				50			
Putnam, A. W., 1st Lieut.	46	43	49	138	30	38	37	105	243
Smith, L. B., Sergt.	43	39	37	119	22	20	16	58	177
Wurster, F. W., Sergt.	47	43	43	133	36	35	8	69	202
MacNaughtan, Wm., Sergt.	39	39	44	122	18	38	32	88	210
Sayre, R. H., Lieut.	41	46	43	130	36	38	33	107	237
				642				427	1069
1st Squadron Colorado N. G.									
Lyon, L. E., Priv.	45	47	45	137	37	34	30	101	238
Peterson, A. W., Priv.	42	36	41	119	29	23	28	80	199
Coffin, F. P., Corp.	43	47	46	136	24	29	31	74	210
Finch, J., Sergt.	37	42	43	122	24	35	29	28	210
Smith, A., Corp.	46	46	41	133	29	34	23	86	219
Smith, A., Cook.	46	46	41	133	29	34	23	86	219
				647				429	1076

National Individual Match.

Name.	Sk.	R.F.	200	600	1000	Total	Med.	Prize
1. Charley M. King, Sergt. Co. "I," 53rd Ia.	98	48	46	48	45	285	G	\$60
2. Charles M. Smith, Sergt. 17th U. S. Inf.	97	46	49	47	44	283	G	55
3. O. M. Schriver, Sergt. U. S. M. C.	98	47	42	49	45	281	G	50
4. William H. Richard, Capt. 2nd Inf., Ohio.	98	44	44	47	48	281	G	45
5. C. J. Van Amburgh, Sergt. Maj. 2nd Mass.	96	45	46	46	45	281	G	40
7. K. A. Burnham, Elec. Sergt. C. A. C.	94	95	45	47	49	280	G	35
7. J. S. Eigenman, Cox. U. S. Navy.	92	49	43	49	47	280	G	30
8. Ernest Miller, 1st Lieut. 1st Inf. Ohio.	91	48	42	49	49	279	G	25
9. Emmett W. Eddy, Capt. 8th Inf., Ohio.	88	49	45	49	48	279	G	20
10. J. K. Maas, 1st Sergt. 13th Cav.	93	46	43	48	48	278	G	25
11. Don A. Preussner, 2nd Lieut. 53rd Inf., Ia.	89	50	44	45	50	278	G	10
12. John H. Cole, 2nd Lt. 2nd Inf., D. C.	99	45	42	46	45	277	G	5
13. Robert C. Giffen, Ens. U. S. Navy.	96	45	44	46	46	277	S	10
14. George C. Shaw, 1st Lieut. 27th Inf.	94	46	45	50	42	277	S	10
15. Hugh Kneer, Ens. U. S. Navy.	94	44	45	49	45	277	S	10
16. Tom Worsham, Corp. U. S. M. C.	96	45	42	47	46	276	S	10
17. Elmer E. Lindroth, Lieut. 3rd Inf. Ills.	94	49	41	47	45	276	S	10
18. E. H. Pope, Sergt. Co. "D" 2nd Ala.	91	48	41	49	47	276	S	10
19. Joseph V. Ogan, Lieut. U. S. Navy.	91	46	43	49	47	276	S	10

20.	C. L. Pool, 1st Lieut. Texas.....	83	50	44	48	46	276	S	10
21.	John King, Ch. G. M., U. S. Navy..	88	50	44	49	45	276	S	10
22.	C. L. Burdette, 2nd Lieut. O. D. W. Va.	96	43	44	46	46	275	S	10
23.	W. M. Randle, Priv. U. S. M. C.....	89	47	43	48	48	275	S	10
24.	E. D. Myrick, Ch. T. C., U. S. Navy..	92	47	42	48	45	274	S	10
25.	Frank J. Fincel, Jr., Co. "A," 53rd Inf. Iowa	92	44	44	49	45	274	B	5
26.	William A. Tewes, Lieut. Col. Asst. I. S. A. P., New Jersey.....	92	41	45	48	48	274	B	5
27.	B. F. Cole, Capt. 1st Inf. W. Va..	86	49	48	47	44	274	B	5
28.	L. E. Lyon, Priv. 1st Sqdn. Colo..	94	46	41	48	44	273	B	5
29.	E. A. Rutishauser, Batt. Sergt. Maj. 3d Ills.	94	46	43	47	43	273	B	5
30.	Harry A. Webb, 2nd Lieut. 6th Ohio....	93	48	42	44	46	273	B	5
31.	William F. Amsden, Ens. U. S. Navy.....	92	48	44	50	39	273	B	5
32.	William C. Stoll, 29th U. S. Infantry....	91	46	46	46	44	273	B	5
33.	William H. Meadows, Capt. 1st Inf., Ky.....	91	46	43	47	47	273	B	5
34.	Adolph H. Pfeil, Capt. I. S. A. P., N. J..	88	46	46	46	47	273	B	5
35.	Loren N. Felt, Sergt. Co. "L," 2nd Ills.	93	46	43	43	47	272	B	5
36.	George E. Organ, Col. Sgt. 3rd Inf., Wis.	91	50	43	47	41	272	B	5

The winner of this match in 1910 was Sergt. Scott Clark, Company "D," 2nd Indiana, with a score of 274.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

For highest aggregate in slow fire:
Sergt. Andrew N. Dow, Co. "D," 1st Inf. Fla., 48, 49, 48, 145. A gold medal and \$20 cash.

For highest score in rapid fire:
Lieut. Don A. Preussner, 53rd Ind., Iowa, score 50. Won in shoot-off.

For highest score in skirmish:
Lieut. John H. Cole, 2nd Inf., D. C., score 99. Won in shoot-off.

MORTON C. MULLA,
Captain 2nd. Cavalry, Statistical Officer.

INDIVIDUAL MILITARY CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE UNITED STATES.

No. 1.	Sergt. Charley M. King, Company "I," 53rd Inf. Iowa.	
	Score in President's Match.....	280
	Score in National Individual.....	285
	Aggregate	565
No. 2.	Sergt. O. M. Schriver, U. S. Marine Corps.	
	Score in President's Match.....	273
	Score in National Individual.....	281
	Aggregate	*554
	*Aggregate skirmish score in both matches, 192.	
No. 3.	Lieut. Col. William A. Tewes, Asst. Insp. Gen. Rifle Pract., N. J.	
	Score in President's Match.....	280
	Score in National Individual.....	274
	Aggregate	*554
	*Aggregate skirmish score in both matches, 183.	
	The U. S. Military Championship for 1910 was won by Corp. George W. Farnham, U. S. Marine Corps, with a score of 547.	

ARMADILLO SUPERCEDES THE SNIPE.

FROM time immemorial, ever since we were boys and before, green-horns, tenderfeet and rookies have been introduced to the great game of snipe-hunting at night.

You know how it is done, of course; the victim's willing ears are filled with tales which graphically portray the joys of this alluring sport until he is quite willing at last to take the grain-sack and lantern and foot it afield where the wily snipe lie. Snipe are not the only things in the locality which lie.

The darker the night and the worse the going underfoot, the better the snipeing. Participation in a snipe hunt as a principal is a pastime indulged in but once, and then the sniper abides his time until an opportunity offers to pass it on to the other fellow.

Down in Texas where Uncle Sam's doves of peace have been lately engaged in the strenuous occupation of preventing the Mexican troops of the Regular and Insurrecto armies from lassoing the international boundary line and putting a slip-noose on the Rio Grande, the soldiers found it convenient to substitute the armadillo for the elusive snipe.

There were armadilloes down there and some are probably left,

Daylight excursions resulted in some really-truly captures. Some were brought north when the troops returned to their stations, but by far the larger number of these curious creatures were cross, irritable and untractable. On many occasions they positively refused to enter the waiting sacks, no matter how carefully coaxed.

A genuine joke growing out of this spirited pastime, occurred when an armadillo actually did enter the sack which a rookie was holding open for him. That soldier is lucky enough to fall into the Atlantic Ocean and come up with his pockets full of fish and a mouthful of pearls of purest ray serene.

FAILED TO FIND THE NAVY.

SHORTLY after the Democratic majority took over control of the House offering another exemplification of the old rule that a "new broom sweeps clean," numerous special committees were appointed to investigate the affairs of every imaginable department of the Government. While such a course, no doubt, caused some discomfort to Republican politicians, it did not apparently distress members of the Government to any noticeable extent.

It was good politics, good policy and good practice. No harm can be done by investigating affairs where no wrong has taken place if the investigation is an honest one and conducted with fairness. The Democrats seem to have been doing a great deal of investigating, however, without finding much wrong.

An example is the Committee on Expenditures in the Navy Department, which has abandoned its purpose after six meetings. Various witnesses were heard during the different sessions of the committee many of whom were, as is usual in such cases, dismissed and therefore disgruntled former employes. Nothing was found which even remotely suggested a possibility of dishonesty, graft or mismanagement.

It should be a source of pride to us as it is an object of wonder to the men of many other nations that officers of our military services are so rarely approachable on the side of money interest. Our American officers are clean and honorable gentlemen who do not expect to have their "palms greased" before they find themselves able to transact public business.

This is a statement quite as equally and genuinely true of officers of the Army as it is of officers of the Navy.

TO STOP BULLETS.

FROM time to time some inventive genius presents the product of his fertile brain with the devout hope and expectation that he has solved problems with which the world has long wrestled in vain.

If the experiments which the British War Office is at present carrying out with a new bullet-proof armor prove successful and are adopted, modern land warfare is likely to enter upon a new phase.

The armor is being tested at Alhershot in two forms—one as a cuirass and the other a portable shield to be carried by riflemen. In both cases the weight is about five or six pounds, the metal forming the backing, with a leather pad in front to neutralize the concussion of bullets.

It is the invention of a Frenchman, and though it was tested some time ago in Paris with varying results, he has since perfected the composition of the metal. It is said that the armor will resist a bullet at from 100 to 200 yards.

The trials are being carried out under the supervision of the Arms and Equipment Committee of the War Office.

It is stated that the British Admiralty is inquiring into the invention, with a view to its adaptation to submarines and torpedo destroyers.

There Must Be a Bottom.

Up in the Adirondacks there is a lake which, according to local tradition, is bottomless. Whether it is or not is beside the mark, but sure it is that few persons ever have seen the bottom or reached it with stones tied to strings.

A party of New York folk were at the lake this summer, and spent much of their time rowing. One day they hired a man to row them, and one of the party asked him:

"Is it true that this lake is bottomless?"

The man at the oars stopped rowing and wiped the perspiration from his brow.

"Well," he drawled, "mebbe it is and mebbe it be'n't, but I'm inclined t' doubt it."

"Why so?"

"Wall," thoughtfully, "I be'n a thinkin' that thar must be a bottom somewhars, 'cause ef thar wasn't th' water'd all run through to 'th other side."—New York Times.

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RIFLE CARTRIDGES

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The Individual Military Championship of the U. S. THE NATIONAL INDIVIDUAL MATCH BREAK THE PALMA MATCH RECORD

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At the National Shoot now in progress at Camp Perry, Ohio, Winchester Rifle Cartridges are proving by the scores that they are making and the matches that they are winning their right to the title of "The Most Accurate," bestowed by the Government Board of Experts. They are sweeping everything before them on account of their uniformly accurate shooting, as the results show. The great big honor of the shoot was won by Sergt. C. M. King, of Iowa, who captured the Individual Military Championship of the United States, with a score of 565, and also the National Individual Match, with a score of 285. In both events Sergt. King shot Winchester Cartridges. In the last named event Sergt. C. M. Smith, U. S. Infantry, was second with a score of 283, and Sergt. O. M. Shriver, U. S. M. C., 3rd with a score of 281, both shooting Winchester Cartridges.

HERRICK TROPHY MATCH: This important event was won by the Ohio Team. Winchester Telescopes and Winchester Barrels were used by all members of the team and Winchester Cartridges by the four members who made the highest aggregate score. The team's winning score of 1732 beats the Palma Match score, which was a World's Record, by 20 points.

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

- September 1-9—Twenty-first Annual Rifle Tournament, at Sea Girt, N. J. \$10,000 in prizes.
- September 4, 1911—Labor Day Tournament of the Springfield, Mass., Shooting Club. C. L. KITES, Secretary.
- September 9-10—Tenth Anniversary shoot of the Shell Mound Pistol and Rifle Club, at Emeryville, Calif.
- September 10-17—Outdoor championship matches of the United States Revolver Association, held simultaneously in different parts of the country. J. B. Crabtree, secretary, Springfield, Mass.
- September 11-14—Annual Matches of sylvania State Rifle Association at the 1st Regiment Range near Essington, Pa.
- September 18-23—Eighth Annual Tournament of the New York State Rifle Association at Blauvelt Rifle

Revolver Shooting in Baltimore.

A good turnout distinguished the 17th outdoor meeting of the Baltimore Revolver Association at Fort McHenry, Saturday afternoon, August 19. A merchandise prize shoot was held. The weather was all that could be desired and some good scores were made on Standard American targets at 50 yards. Dr. R. J. Mullikin made high score of the season—87 out of a possible 100 points.

These are the scores:

Maj. J. S. Fort.....	80	83	163
R. J. Mullikin.....	70	83	157
C. C. Heble	73	76	149
J. S. Wilmer.....	55	61	116
S. H. Sharp.....	64	83	147
J. S. Reese.....	69	77	146
C. H. Goddard.....	68	74	142
Capt. Yates.....	58	56	114

After the shoot, prizes were presented by Secretary Wilmer to the following members: J. S. Fort, Dr. R. J. Mullikin, and C. C. Heble, with appropriate speeches to each one. Then all the members who were not too bashful lined up in front of a photographer to have their profiles taken.

On Sept. 2, the Association will have another prize shoot open to all members, at which any pistol or revolver of any caliber may be used. The highest scores will take home the cut glass.

The New York State Matches.

The competitive firing for the State and Brigade prizes, of the New York National Guard, will take place at Blauvelt on Sept. 26, 27 and 28. The competitive firing will be held as follows:

For the Headquarters prize, on September 26; for the First Brigade prize, on September 26; for the Second Brigade prize, on September 26; for the Third Brigade prize, on September 26; for the Fourth Brigade prize, on September 26; September 26th is assigned for the competitive firing of the Naval Militia; for the Major-General's trophy, September 26; for the Governor's trophy, on September 27; for the Adjutant-General's trophy, on September 27; for the State prize, on September 28.

The New York State Rifle Association will hold its eighth annual meet at the Blauvelt Rifle Range September 18 to 23, 1911.

OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION.

President, Maj. Gen. Charles F. Roe; Secretary, Capt. William H. Palmer; Treasurer, Capt. Henry E. Evans.
 Executive Officer of the meeting, Lieut. Col. N. B. Thurston; Statistical Officer, Capt. W. H. Palmer.

GENERAL INFORMATION.

The Blauvelt range is located in Rockland county, N. Y., on the line of the West Shore railroad, twenty-two miles from Weehawken.

Only limited facilities are available for quarters but an excellent mid-day meal at a moderate price will be provided at the Target Inn. Shooting will begin at 10:30 A. M., and close at 5:30 P. M.

All inquiries should be addressed to Capt. W. H. Palmer, Secretary, 141 Broadway, New York City.

Schedule of Events.

- MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH.
 No. 1. Company Team Match.... 10:30 A.M.
 No. 5. Old Guard Trophy Match... 2:00 P.M.

- TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH.
 No. 3. Cruikshank Trophy Match... 10:30 A.M.
 No. 4. 71st Regt. Trophy Match... 2:00 P.M.

- WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH.
 No. 6. Thurston Match..... 10:30 A.M.

- THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST.
 No. 7. N. Y. State R. A. Match... 10:30 A.M.

- FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22D.
 No. 2. McAlpin Trophy Match... 10:30 A.M.

- SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23D.
 No. 13. Revolver Team Match..... 2:00 P.M.
 Subject to change on reasonable notice.

Matches.

- NO. 1—COMPANY TEAM MATCH.
 Open to teams of four from any headquar-

ters, company, troop, or ship's crew of the United States Army, Navy or Marine Corps, National Guard or Naval Militia of any State, Territory, District of Columbia, or any foreign government, or any four civilian members of an Association or club which is affiliated with the National Rifle Association.

Distances—200, 300 and 600 yards; 7 shots per man at each distance. Entrance fee.—\$10.00 per team.

NO. 2—THE MCALPIN TROPHY MATCH.

Open to teams of eight.
 Distances.—200, 600 and 1,000 yards; 10 shots per man at each distance.—Entrance fee.—\$20.00 per team.

Won in 1910 by District of Columbia.

NO. 3—THE CRUIKSHANK TROPHY MATCH.

Open to teams of six.
 Distances.—200 and 600 yards; 7 shots per man at each distance. Entrance fee.—\$12.00 per team.

Won in 1910 by 2nd Regiment, N. G. D. C.

NO. 4—71ST REGIMENT TROPHY SKIRMISH AND RAPID FIRE MATCH.

Open to teams of six.
 Conditions.—Same as the Rapid Fire and Skirmish of the National Match. Entrance fee.—\$10.00 per team.

Won in 1910 by 15th Infantry, U. S. A.

NO. 5—OLD GUARD TROPHY MATCH.

Open to teams of six from any rifle club or association (other than state associations) organized prior to January 1st of the current year. Entrance fee.—\$10.00 per team.

Won in 1910 by 4th Regiment, N. G. N. J.

NO. 6—THE THURSTON MATCH.

Open to everyone, whether members of the New York State Rifle Association or not. Distances.—600 and 1,000 yards.

Entrance fee.—To members of the New York State Rifle Association, \$2.00. To all others, \$3.00. No re-entries.

Won in 1910 by W. H. Richard.

NO. 7—NEW YORK STATE RIFLE ASSOCIATION MATCH.

Open to members of the New York State Rifle Association only.

Distances.—200, 600, and 1,000 yards; 7 shots at each distance. Entrance fee.—\$3.00. No re-entries.

Won in 1910 by W. F. Leushner.

NO. 8—THE WINGATE ALL COMER'S SHORT RANGE MATCH.

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NO. 9—THE ROGERS ALL COMERS' MID-RANGE MATCH.

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Open to everyone, whether members of the
New York State Rifle Association or not.
Distance.—600 yards, 10 shots; position, prone
Entrance fee.—\$1.00. Three entries for \$2.00
if taken at one time.

Won in 1910 by W. B. Martin.

NO. 10—THE ROE ALL COMERS' LONG RANGE MATCH.

Open each day during the meeting.

Open to everyone, whether members of the
New York State Rifle Association or not.
Distance.—1,000 yards, 10 shots. Position,
Prone. Entrance fee.—\$1.00. Three entries
for \$2.00 if taken at one time.

Won in 1910 by G. W. Chesley.

NO. 11—SKIRMISH AND RAPID FIRE MATCH.

Open each day at such hours as the Execu-
tive Officer may prescribe. Open to every-
body. Entrance fee.—\$1.00, or three for \$2.00
if taken at one time.

NO. 12—MEMBERSHIP MATCH.

Open each day at such hours as the Execu-
tive Officer may prescribe. Open to everybody.
Distance.—200 yards, standing; 600 yards,
prone; 7 shots at each distance. Entrance
fee.—\$1.00.

NO. 13—REVOLVER TEAM MATCH.

Open to teams of five from any regularly
organized Rifle or Revolver Club, or Unite
States Army, Navy or Marine Corps, or the
organized militia of any State.

Target.—Standard American, with eight-
inch bull's-eye, down to and including the
four ring; shots outside the four ring to count
as misses.

Distance.—50 yards, each man to fire 15
shots deliberate fire, 1 shot per minute, and
15 shots in three strings of 5 shots each, fired
in the time limit of 15 shots for each string.

Entrance fee.—\$10.00.

Won in 1910 by the Manhattan Rifle and
Revolver Association.

Turkey Target Shooting in Los Angeles, Cal.

Being of a peaceful turn of mind and fur-
thermore never having seen anybody shoot
at turkeys at 300 yards with a revolver, I have
hitherto had a clam backed off the map in
the matter of the amount of silence I have
displayed on the subject of that Louisville
shoot. I have felt like Mark Twain's man
who doubted whether a buffalo could climb a
tree—I've never seen it tried and have had
nothing to say.

However, in view of the many astounding
records, that have been made around the
country since the row started, I am con-
strained to hand you an account of yet an-
other attempt to puncture gobblers at a dis-
tance where the ordinary eight inch bull re-
sembles one dollar when you're out for a good
time on Broadway.

None of us had a hand in the pie, except as
spectators, although I did fire four shots in
the fracas to demonstrate that nobody could
score more straight misses than I.

Last Sunday, August 13th, Dr. L. M. Pack-
ard, president of the Los Angeles Revolver
Club, together with J. Siefert, another mem-
ber, appeared at our range and did a little
rifle shooting with us. Then Doc somewhat
bashfully announced that he had brought
along an experimental turkey target to be
set up and tried at 300 yards. It turned out to
be the ordinary 50 yard Standard American
white target with a turkey drawn on it so the
center of the bird fell across the bull's-eye of
the target. The bird was merely outlined and
was not visible from the firing point, the bull
being used as the aiming point.

The bird was 19 inches from bill to root of
tail and 10 inches across the body. To this
was added a 6 inch tail. A plucked turkey of
this size would be some turkey, while few
turkeys have six inch after their feathers
are off. Of course Dr. Packard made no at-
tempt to get accurate dimensions. In shape
the bird was well drawn.

We had the marker paste this in the center
of the A target measuring four by six feet.
We told him to mark all shots that struck the
big target.

The conditions were not perfect, a wind
puffing across the range but is was merely our
ordinary summer zephyr from the Pacific and
hardly to be dignified by the title of wind.
The writer, an hour or so before had pulled
out 46 with the new Springfield over the same
range, using reloaded cartridges with 25 grains
of Lightning and cast bullet, a combination
about twice as sensitive to wind at this range,
as the new Springfield. No change of wind
gauge was made during the 46 scores.

The target came up into sight and then the
fun began. For the first ten shots, nobody
found the paper at all. The revolver men
were using .38 Smith & Wessons, the doctor
using factory loaded S. & W. Specials, Mr.
Siefert handloaded of the same calibre.

Finally the Doctor got on the target, a three
out on the left edge. Before that occasional
shots kicked up the dust in the hill behind the
target while the marker signaled that others
struck the bulkhead.

More misses of the entire paper followed
the three, then the Doctor got a hit and the
white disc crept up to the black spot. There
was jubilation for a moment, then another
miss, and still more misses.

Our local shark, R. J. Fraser, representative
of the U. S. R. A. for this district, took a
hand, with the same results, dust close to the
target, a hit on the paper and more misses.

Finally the ammunition was shot up and
they quit. About forty rounds had been fired
and about six shots had struck the A target.
The target goes to you for your inspection.

After the firing was over the writer fired
three shots from the new Springfield to see
what could be done off-hand at this range.
The first two shots struck the turkey; one of
them in the black bull that ran across the cen-
ter of the bird, one of them just outside the
bull while the third scored a four on the
Standard American target, missing the tail
of the bird about an inch. This demonstrated
what the writer had doubted—that a man
could hit the bird consistently with a rifle at
this distance.

The revolver test was in a way, not fair, as
half the forty shots were used in finding the
paper. However, the fact remained that after
finding the four by six foot target, the shoot-
ers could not hold it, let alone the vicinity of
the bird.

As to the class of the men, their scores
speak for them. While Fraser is probably the
best of the three, yet all three men shot on
the Revolver Club team that cleaned up Port-
land and their scores run well above the 90
mark. I hardly think our Louisville friends
have three men who could beat these three
westerners.

I offer no comments on the shooting. Pos-
sibly the small aiming bull may have hand-
capped the men although they merely aimed
for the center of the A target and then didn't
hit it. Maybe the wind conditions were bad—
but if so, then it would require nearly a
vacuum for good scores. Again, maybe the
revolvers were light for the long range work,
they are inferior to .44's of course for this
sort of thing. However, the feature that
struck most of us was that the finest sort of
holding would be necessary to strike that
turkey. Holding good enough to keep in the
eight inch bull at 50 yards would likewise only
keep in a forty-eight inch bull at 300 yards,
outside accuracy of load and atmospheric con-
ditions, entering into the competition.

None of us witnessing the performance or
doing the shooting are disposed to say that
it cannot be done. Most of us, however, are
entirely willing to state that we cannot do it,
wherein the Louisville boys have the best of
us.

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New England Schuetzenbund.

The 42d annual state shoot of the southern
New England Schuetzenbund closed on the
Schuetzen park range under conditions that
could hardly be called ideal on Aug. 15. Wind
and rain contrived to dampen the persons, but
not the enthusiasm, of a large number of
marksmen and markswomen from Massachu-
setts and Connecticut, but notwithstanding the
poor weather conditions good scores were
made. The shooters were early on hand, the
second day's shoot opening at 8 o'clock in the
morning, and even the dusty road leading to
the park failed to deter the delegates from out
of town and the local marksmen from putting
in an appearance for the last attempt at the
prizes. During the afternoon a meeting of
the delegates was held under the trees in the
grove and it was decided to hold the shoot at
Hartford next year. Another meeting of the
bund will be held in Hartford in February,
1912, and at that time officers will be elected
and the time of the shoot will be decided.

The tent containing the merchandise prizes
for the honor events was the center of much
interest, for the trophies were handsome pieces
of merchandise, ranging from leather uphol-
stered Morris chairs to clocks and medals.
Rugs, guns, fishing poles, pictures, stein sets

and other articles were on exhibition, presided over by a stern-looking German, who announced that anyone who wished to enter the tent would first have to have his pockets sewed up. Refreshments were served in various parts of the park, and all seemed to enjoy the affair, even with the sun missing for the greater part of the afternoon.

The shooting box was a scene of much activity and noise, for Springfield, Meriden, Hartford, New Britain and New Haven shooters besieged it early and late with sure-shot rifles and eyes alight with the enthusiasm of the sport. Side by side sat women and men, the former aiming from a resting position and the latter with weapons unsupported. The target of honor events closed at 3 o'clock and at about 4.30 it was announced that Philip Conrad, of Hartford, had won the title of king of the shooters with a 71 out of a possible 75. With the honor went a gold medal and a diploma, and later Herr Conrad was crowned king in the pavilion. The ceremony could not take place outside on account of the rain. Mrs. T. R. Geisel, of Springfield, won the queen's seat and a gold medal with a score of 69. Fred C. Ross, Springfield, was second to the king with 68 and Mrs. W. H. Klein, of Springfield, was runner-up to the queen with 68. The prize-winners and their scores follow:

Philip Conrad of Hartford, 71; Fred C. Ross, of Springfield, 68; Dr. Walter A. Smith, of Springfield, 64; C. D. Maloney, of Hartford, 62; Capt. T. R. Geisel, of Springfield, 61; J. Stehli, of Hartford, 60; Fred Brown, of Springfield, 59; J. Mund, of New Britain, 59; Oscar Buchholz, of Springfield, 57; Dr. I. R. Calkins, of Springfield, 57; J. Huntzinger, of Hartford, 57; Lewis Uhl, of New Haven, 56; Karl Drechler, of Meriden, 55; F. L. Smith, of Springfield, 55; John Goetze, of Hartford, 54; J. Flosdorf, of Springfield, 54; J. Kampf, of Hartford, 52; J. Hammer, of Hartford, 52; Wells Smith, of Springfield, 51; E. Scheuermann, of New Haven, 51; Leo Grywarz, of Hartford, 51; J. Baumgartner, of New Britain, 50; Capt. Herman Buchholz, Sr., of Springfield, 49; E. Bartholomew, of Springfield, 48; William Schroeder, of Springfield, 47; Eugene Winkler, of Springfield, 46; G. Baer, of Springfield, 45; John Findeisen, of Springfield, 45; H. Schultz, of New Haven, 45; H. Opperman, of Hartford, 44; August Baab, of Hartford, 44; Richard Hellar, of Hartford, 44; H. Brockerchen, of New Haven, 44; M. W. Wollman, of New Britain, 44; Richard Kroeber, of Meriden, 43; Frank A. Wakefield, of Springfield, 43; B. Jahn, of New Britain, 42; L. Triumph, of Hartford, 41; George Zunner, of Hartford, 41; W. G. Dudley, of Hartford, 40; G. Anschutz, of Meriden, 40; H. Kupfer, of Meriden, 39; Max Petzold, of New Britain, 39; H. F. Drowne, of Springfield, 37; E. Kroeber, of Meriden, 37; F. Auschutz, of Meriden, 37; Frank Becher, of Hartford, 36; W. Seery, of Meriden, 36; C. Zotter, of New Britain, 36; W. Burns, of New Haven, 36; A. Petsch, of New Haven, 36; C. Koele, of New Haven, 35; E. Muechke, of New Britain, 33; Otto Ester, of Meriden, 31; Julius Kuntze, of Meriden, 31; W. Evans, of Springfield, 30; Joe Schaub, of New Haven, 29; D. H. Sievers, of Springfield, 29; W. H. Klein, of Springfield, 29; H. Dilgert, of New Haven, 29.

Women's honor target—Mrs. T. R. Geisel, of Springfield, 69; Mrs. W. H. Klein, of Springfield, 68; Mrs. Stehli, of Hartford, 68; Mrs. Huntzinger, of Hartford, 65; Mrs. Goetz, of Hartford, 65; Mrs. Kuhn, of Springfield, 64; Mrs. Neurndorff, of Hartford, 62; Mrs. F. H. Brown, of Springfield, 62; Mrs. Becher, of Hartford, 61; Mrs. E. G. Remkus, of Springfield, 61; Mrs. Herold, of Hartford, 61; Mrs. Weber, of Meriden, 59; Mrs. Schaub, of New Haven, 69; Mrs. F. C. Ross, of Springfield, 58; Mrs. Frank Wakefield, of Springfield, 58; Mrs. Steugelin, of Hartford, 58; Mrs. Kempf, of Hartford, 57; Mrs. Zunner, of Hartford, 57; Mrs. Opperman, of Hartford, 57; Mrs. Baumgartner, of New Britain, 57; Mrs. Kroeber, of Meriden, 57; Mrs. Eugene Winkler, of Springfield, 56; Mrs. D. H. Sievers, of Springfield, 55; Mrs. Hellar, of Hartford, 55; Mrs. Zimmerman, of Hartford, 55; Mrs. Anschutz, of New Britain, 53; Mrs. Leupold, of Springfield, 53; Mrs. H. Zimmerman, of New

Britain, 51; Mrs. Albert Goesling, of Springfield, 50; Mrs. Laudu, of Hartford, 50:

In the events which were for cash prizes, ranging from \$40 down to \$3, J. Hunziker, of Hartford, Ct., proved an extremely fine shot, getting 49 bullseyes for the day's work, sometimes scoring six or seven straight. Other high scores were made, even the women giving unusually good exhibitions. In the women's general prize target event the trophies were articles of merchandise, but the other events, which follow, carried cash prizes:

Men's general prize target—J. Hunziker, of Hartford, 216; T. R. Geisel, of Springfield, 213; H. Hubelek, of New York, 213; W. Keim, of New York, 212; George Schlicht, of New Jersey, 210; F. C. Ross, of Springfield, 207; J. J. Young, of Naspeth, L. I., 203; Oscar Buchholz, of Springfield, 197; F. A. Wakefield, of Springfield, 196; C. D. Maloney, of Hartford, 195; F. L. Smith, of Springfield, 194; M. W. Wollman, of New Britain, 192; Dr. W. A. Smith, of Springfield, 190; F. W. Evans, of Hartford, 183; G. Anschutz, of Meriden, 180; F. W. Brown, of Springfield, 179; K. H. Goyette, of Hartford, 178; Karl Drechsler, of Meriden, 178; Otto Comes, of New Haven, 170; W. G. Dudley, of Hartford, 169; W. H. Seery, of Meriden, 165; B. Jahn, of New Britain, 147.

Bullseye targets—J. J. Young, of Naspeth, L. I., 21½; C. D. Maloney, of Hartford, 24½; J. Schaub, of New Haven, 24½; O. Buchholz, of Springfield, 29½; J. Hunziker, of Hartford, 37½; J. W. Dudley, of Hartford, 38½; G. Schlicht, of New Jersey, 39; W. Keim, of New York, 41½; F. C. Ross, of Springfield, 42¼; Max Zunner, of Hartford, 49½; F. L. Smith, of Springfield, 50; F. Brown, of Springfield, 67; A. Hubelek, of New York, 72; J. Stehli, of Hartford, 76; A. Stuckert, of Springfield, 80½; F. W. Evans, of Hartford, 82½; E. Winkler, of Springfield, 87; T. R. Geisel, of Springfield, 99; R. Hellar, of Hartford, 100; F. Mund, of New Britain, 101½.

Greatest number of bullseyes—J. Hunziker, of Hartford, 49; William Keim, of New York, 33; J. Young, of Naspeth, L. I., 31; O. Buchholz, of Springfield, 22; T. R. Geisel, of Springfield, 18; F. C. Ross, of Springfield, 11.

Women's general prize target—Mrs. William H. Klein, of Springfield, 140; Mrs. J. Hunziker, of Hartford, 138; Mrs. T. R. Geisel, of Springfield, 138; Mrs. F. C. Ross, of Springfield, 137; Mrs. O. Buchholz, of Springfield, 137; Mrs. T. A. Wakefield, of Springfield, 136; Mrs. Goetz, of Hartford, 132; Mrs. E. G. Remkus, of Springfield, 130; Mrs. H. Opperman, of Hartford, 128; Mrs. J. Stehli, of Hartford, 128.

The 1912 tournament of the New England Schuetzenbund will be held at Hartford, Conn. A business meeting will be held in that city next February.

At the shoot of the bund in Springfield last week, Philip Conrad, of Hartford, won on the target of honor with a score of 71, the old veteran Fred Ross, of Springfield, crowding him close with 68. On the women honor target, the wife of "Teddy" Geisel, of Springfield, won with a score of 69.

There was a full thirty of women who shot at the bund target of honor; think of it, 30 real live women competing at a rifle shoot.

Warren, Ohio, Rifle and Revolver Club.

Scores made August 21, with revolver and pistol at 20 yards, indoor under U. S. R. A. rules:

D. R. Estabrook...	46	46	40	39	41	212
N. A. Wolcott....	41	41	44	45	41	212
Hale Crosby.....	41	42	43	44	41	211
Clyde Osborn.....	38	39	46	46	41	210
C. M. Scott.....	39	40	42	42	45	208

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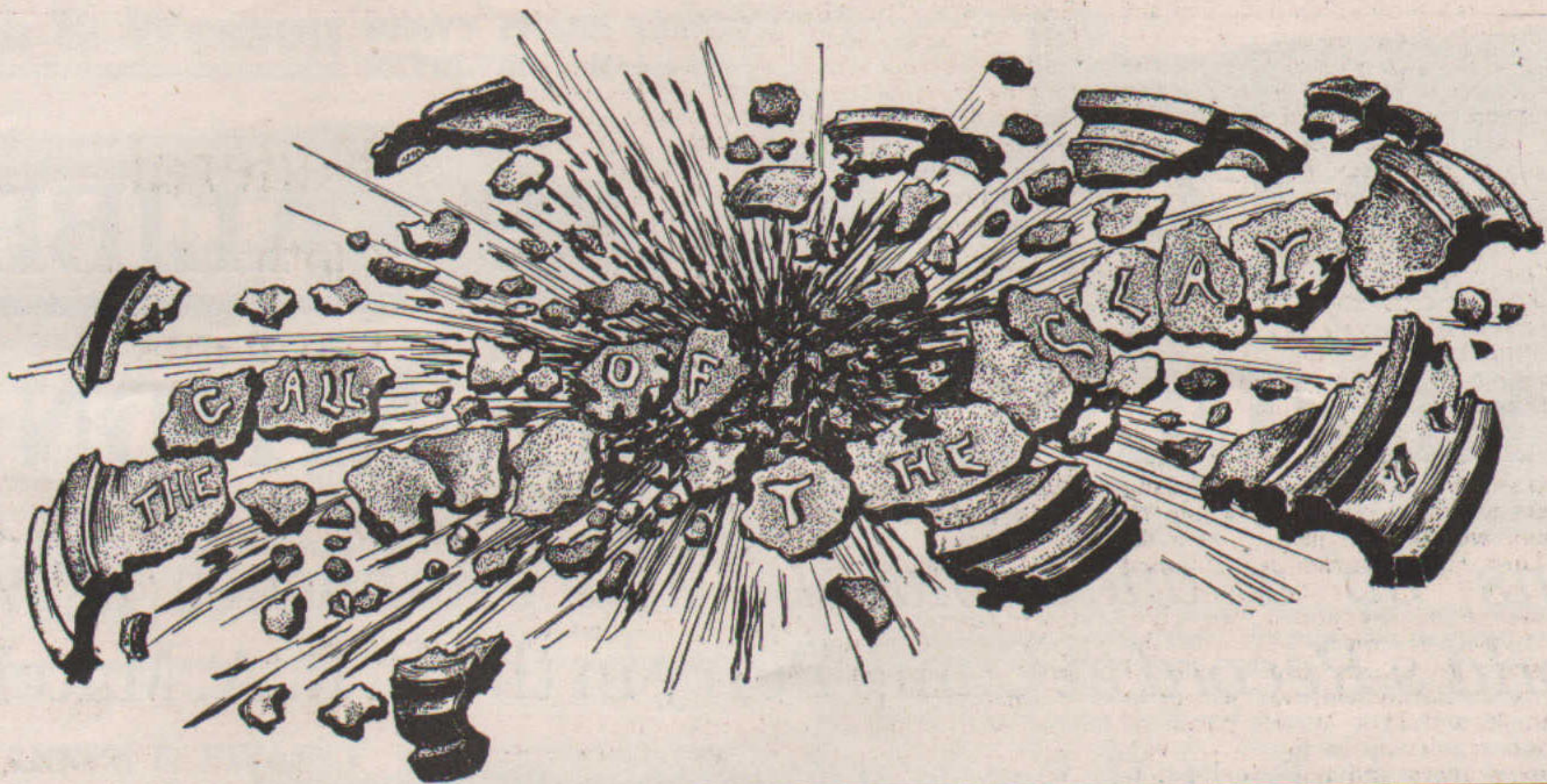
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The Indian Tournament.

The annual "Indian" trap shooting tournament, which assembles all the expert shots from New York to Washington, and from North Dakota to Mississippi, will be held on the south bank of Spirit Lake here this year, August 28, 29, 30 and 31, with headquarters at the Orleans, located on the narrow isthmus between Spirit and Okoboji lakes. The membership of this organization, which at present is limited to one hundred, is representative of twenty-eight states in the union, viz: Illinois, Washington, Iowa, West Virginia, Indiana, Georgia, Wisconsin, Ohio, New York, North Dakota, South Dakota, Pennsylvania, Montana, Missouri, Maryland North Carolina, Tennessee, New Jersey, Minnesota, Colorado, Oklahoma, Delaware, Nebraska, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan.

While the membership is thus limited the contests are open to the world and it is expected several hundred trap shooters will participate who are not members of the association. The first day is to be practice day. On the other three days there will be three shooting events a day and at the conclusion of the meeting a contest for the Indian Loving Cup championship. The Squier Money Back system will be used. The traps will be set on the shore of Spirit Lake and the clay pigeons thrown about fifty yards out over the water.

The present officers of the Indians, who will have charge of the shoot this year are:

- High Chief—Tom A. Marshall, of Keithsburg, Ill.
- Vice Chief—W. R. Crosby, O'Fallon, Ill.
- Chief Scribe—F. C. Riehl, Tacoma, Wash.
- Treasurer—O. W. Budd, Des Moines, Iowa.

The big feature of the club is the most unique and picturesque party held on the Iowa Great Lakes. A "bog war dance," given by the Indians in the large pavillion overlooking the large lakes rich with Indian lore. It is imperative upon every member and his squaw attending this function to be attired in the regalia of the Red Man. Some of the costumes worn by the members are costly and elegant. It is probably true that more valuable Indian regalia is assembled on this occasion than any one place in the United States. Beautiful bead work, costly elk teeth chains, magnificent feathers and elegant furs comprise part of the many wardrobes. The music for this event must be of a high standard. As it is planned it shall not offend the ear of any Indian.

Holland Gun Club, Batavia, N. Y.

Our ninth annual tournament held today was the most successful in the history of the club. We had 70 shooters and 45 shot the entire regular program of 140 targets. J. A. R. Elliott was high professional and high gun

with 134 out of 140 winning a cut glass pitcher for high professional average. T. F. Conneely, Bradford, Pa., was high amateur, 133 out of 140. F. D. Kelsey, East Aurora and C. L. Frantz, Seneca Falls, divided second average, 132 out of 140. F. D. Kelsey, East Aurora and C. L. Frantz, Seneca Falls divided second average 132 out of 140. E. E. Hilliker, East Aurora, third average, 131 out of 140. The next 18 shooters were 120 or better. Altogether, including the professional, 26 of the 45 shooting the entire regular program broke from 120 to 134, showing very keen competition. In the Merchandise, Wright broke 25 straight from 20 yards.

There were eight 24's and four 23's and in the shoot off of the ties miss and out choice, Hobbie broke 30 straight, and Conneely 29. There were 12 competing for the Watts L. Richmond Trophy—Western New York Championship. Wright, Frantz, Kershner, each got two 24's, Green got 23 and 25. On shooting the tie Wright and Green both went straight. On the second tie Wright missed his first target breaking 24 and Green went straight and won the fourth leg on the cup and will hold the cup for the coming year. With 9 left over from the first string of 23 and 25—second string of 25 and two ties of 25 each, J. D. Green broke 98 x 100 and 84 straight to win the cup and the high run of the tournament. Bradford, Pa., Gun Club, sent a delegation of 13 shooters and the thirteen was lucky for they won high average 4 of the eleven Merchandise prizes.

SCORES MADE BY AMATEURS.

Conneely.	140 133	Fellows	140 115
Kelsey	140 132	Bundist	140 115
Frantz	140 132	Walls	140 102
Hilliker	140 131	Weller	140 115
Carpenter ...	140 130	Van Nette ..	140 115
Wright	140 130	Harrison ...	140 114
Mallory, Jr..	140 130	Philips	140 113
Mallory, Sr..	140 130	Rogers	140 113
Hanlein	140 129	Eygabroat ..	140 111
Neen	140 128	Hookway ...	140 111
Vanderhoof	140 127	Connors	140 110
Hobbie	140 127	Imhoff	140 106
Kershner ...	140 127	Cameron ...	140 106
Loomis	140 125	Heaman ...	140 106
Smith	140 125	Crittenden ..	140 103
Corfield ...	140 124	Knickerbocker	120 103
Conley	140 124	Gardiner	120 99
Cox	140 123	Watson	120 96
Meager	140 122	Bartlett	120 95
Reed	140 122	Marsh	120 87
Farnum	140 120	Gohn	100 82
Bodine	140 120	Fuller	120 74
Skutt	140 119	Emerling ...	100 83
Dey	140 117	Pumpelly ...	100 80
Ward	140 117	Keily	100 74

Event No. 6, Merchandise Handicap.
Events 9 and 10, 50 target contest for the

Richmond Cup—Western New York Amateur Championship.

SCORES MADE BY PROFESSIONALS.

Elliott	140 134	Pringle	140 128
Glover	140 133	Tomlinson ..	120 104
Stevens	140 130	Custis	140 116

Event No. 6, Merchandise Handicap. Professionals shot from handicap distances.
Event 9 and 10, Richmond Cup.

The West Virginia Tournament.

The second annual tournament of the Big Game Rifle, Rod and Gun Club, of Wheeling, W. Va., on Tuesday, September 5. It is a registered tournament. The program consists of 10 events at 15 targets, entrance in each \$1. Division of money will be Rose System, Squier Money Back and percentage.

Editor ARMS AND THE MAN—

In accordance with a resolution adopted at the last annual meeting of the Interstate Association, I beg to advise you that Mr. William Ridley, What-Cheer, Iowa, was the winner of the Sixth Western Handicap, shot at Omaha, Nebr., August 10-11, 1911. Mr. Ridley used an L. C. Smith gun, Remington U. M. C. shells and Du Pont powder.

Yours very truly,
ELMER E. SHANER,
Secretary-Treasurer, Interstate Ass.

The Westy Hogan Shoot.

The program for the fifth annual shoot of the Westy Hogans of America, on Young's Pier, Atlantic City, New Jersey, September 19 to 23, has "gone to press" and in a few days will be circulating through the mails to trapshooters in every part of the country. From its inception four years ago, the Westy Hogan Shoot has rapidly grown in favor, until it is, with the exception of the Grand American Handicap, justly recognized as the leading target tournament in America. There are reasons for this—good reasons.

From 1907—the year in which the first Westy Hogan tournament was held—until the present time the organization has spared no pains to arrange all the details of this great annual event. This year more than ordinary care and forethought have been bestowed upon the preparation of the program. This was necessary, inasmuch as the management of the Hogans recognized that it had a new problem to solve, viz., the successful carrying out of an extremely attractive program with an extraordinary large entry list. However, as in

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the past nothing was left undone that could add to the pleasure and comfort of the host of shooters who, year by year, attend this tournament in increasing numbers, so in the future will the management work diligently for the same end to meet equally any new conditions that arise.

Before passing to a consideration of the program, a brief review of the history of the Westy Hogan Tournament is in order. The figures given below are instructive, and the records of the four Westy Hogan Tournaments that have gone are impressive.

1907, 63 entries.

1908, 104 entries.

1909, 178 entries.

1910, 233 entries.

These successes prove that the Westy Hogans have correctly gauged the wishes of the shooters of this country.

This year's tournament will be conducted on the same equitable lines as have characterized our previous tournaments. Each contestant will be the recipient of every attention and just consideration, consistent with the fairness

that has always been a feature of the Westy Hogan tournaments.

The program of this year's tournament is not materially different from that of its predecessor. That program was so happily devised that it won the approval and support of the trap shooting fraternity to an unexpected degree. The competition, however, has been broadened by adding an event to the program for amateurs who cannot average better than eighty-eight per cent. This event will be known as the "Westy Hogan Special." The competition has been further broadened by arranging for the famous "E. C." Cup to be shot for in open competition. This event will be open to all, and it will determine the question of individual excellence under scratch conditions and accepted auspices. All events of the program are arranged on a basis of entry fees as low as is consistent with the equity of the events and the material values which should award good performance in the competition, and which are essential to it.

No change has been made in the method of dividing the moneys from that which has prevailed at the Westy Hogan tournaments during the past two years. It will again be a case of "The Squier Money-Back System," with the Rose System governing the Regular Events, and the Percentage System and High Gun System governing the Optional Sweeps. The Squier Money-Back System has proved so eminently satisfactory in the past, as evidenced by the phenomenal success that has attended the efforts of the Westy Hogans, that the members see no reason why any change should be made.

The reader will find every matter of the tournament fully set forth in this program, hence it is worthy of careful study by those who will compete.

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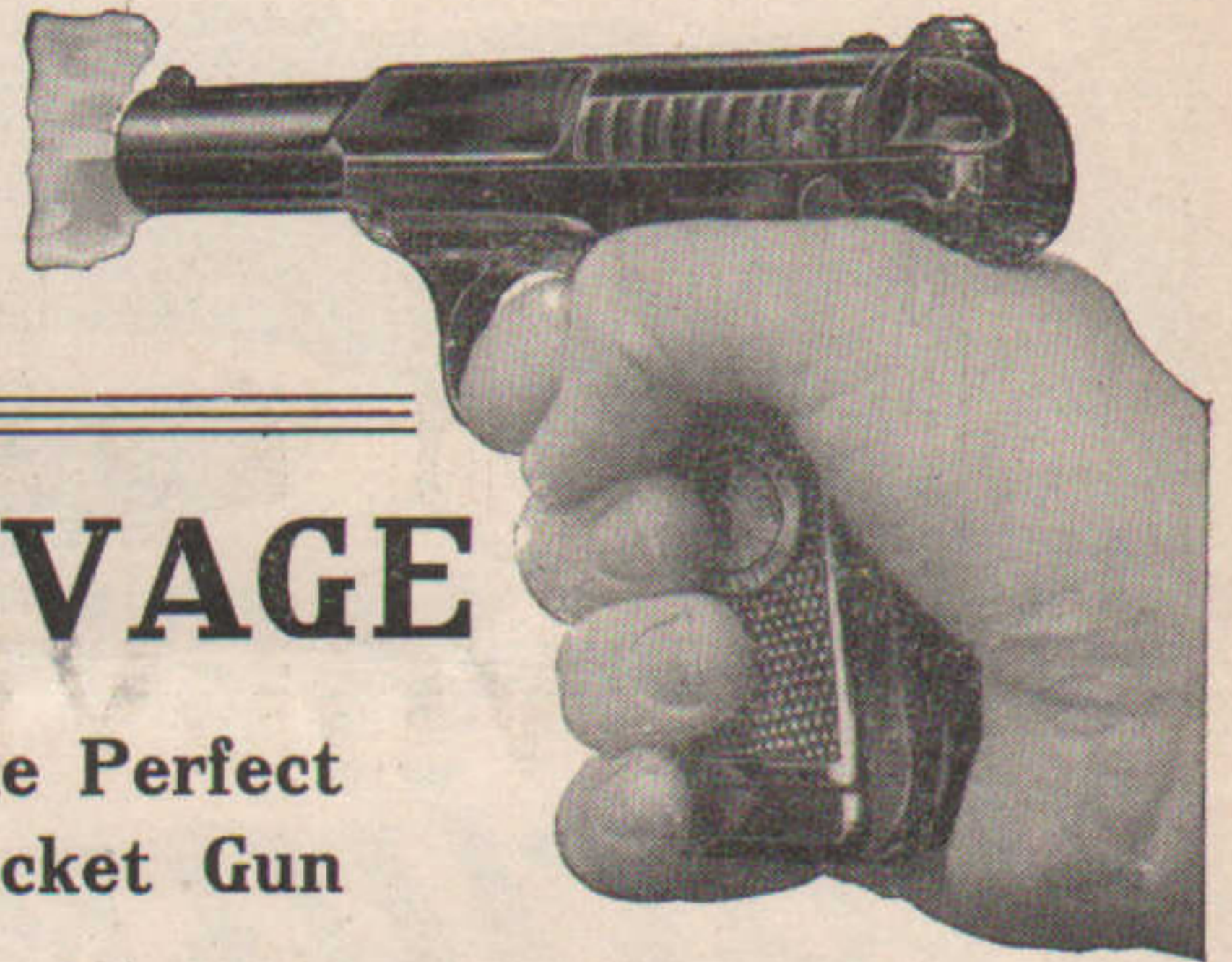
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Richmond, Va., Gun Club.

The last practice shoot was well attended, and enjoyed by all who were present. Lohman was high amateur in the club shoot, scoring forty-six out of a possible fifty, or 92 per cent., which is good shooting for amateurs. U. M. C. Anderson was high gun with ninety

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Snyder	23	44	64	83
Lohman	24	46	66	82
Chalkley	21	39	61	81
Parker	20	39	60	78
Lawrence	23	43	63	
Hays	21	46	61	
Keene	22	42	61	
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Peters Paragraphs.

Mr. J. S. Day, made the longest run of any amateur or professional at the Western Handicap tournament, Omaha, Neb., August 8 to 10. He was shooting Peters factory loaded high gun shells. On the third day of the tournament he broke the 16 yard program straight—100 targets. Then in the Western Handicap, shooting from 21 yards, he broke 36 before missing. These added to the 10 carried over from August 9, made a straight run of 146 targets, 36 of which were broken from 21 yards.

At Xenia, Ohio, August 17, Mr. H. E. Smith, of Columbus, won high amateur average with Peters shells, and Mr. Wm. Webster second, scoring 139 and 137 respectively.

At Laurel, Miss., August 15 and 16, Mr. H. D. Freeman tied for high general average, 291 out of 300; also won special event from 22 yards with a score of 49 out of 50. He used Peters factory loaded shells, the Grand American winners.

Geo. W. Lewis, won high general average at Malvern, Kansas, August 10, with Peters shells, scoring 81 out of 85.

At Warren, Minn., August 10, Mr. H. H. Chesterman, of Crookston, scored 139 out of 150 with Peters shells, winning the high amateur average. Mr. Chesterman was second amateur at the Crookston tournament, August 8 and 9, also using Peters shells.

At Knoxville, Tenn., August 5, Mr. C. A. Young, shooting with the Knoxville Gun Club, gave an exhibition of trap shooting such as has not been seen for a long time in that section. He ground 100 targets into dust, breaking the entire program and showing the assembled shooters and spectators that the famous 1911 Grand American ammunition made by the Peters Cartridge Company will break 100 per cent, when pointed right.

At Evansville, Indiana, August 14 and 15, Mr. Woolfolk Henderson, breaking 293 out of 300 with Peters 1911 target shells, won second general average.

Western High Gun.

Homer Clark, who has been winning averages and smashing records right and left with Western shells, again gave a good account of himself at Omaha, where he was High Gun on all single targets in regular program of the Western Handicap.

As the average at the Interstate tournament recently held at Omaha, Neb., was won by a Western representative, shooting Western

shells, loaded with Western "Velonite" Smokeless Powder, and as the traps and targets were of Western make, the shoot proved to be the Western Handicap in more than the ordinary sense.

With Remington-U. M. C.

The Watts L. Richmond Trophy, emblematic of the championship of Western New York, was won last week by Jay D. Green, Avon, N. Y., at Batavia. Green broke 48-50 tying three others in the main event and won in the shoot-off with 50 straight, making his last 75 without a miss. Green used Remington U. M. C. Nitro Club Shells as did T. F. Connealy, who won first amateur average, 133-140.

The New England Championship at single targets was won by Silas B. Adams at Portland Me., August 16th, with the excellent score of 93-100. Adams used Nitro Club Shells. R. L. Spotts was first amateur of the entire shoot, scoring 381-400 with Nitro Clubs. Lester German was high professional, 391-400, also using the Remington U. M. C. Steel Lined Shells.

L. F. Lallande, of New Iberia, La., was first amateur at Laurel, Miss., August 15-16. Lallande tied with one other for amateur average with 284-300 and won in the shoot-off. Lallande used Remington U. M. C. Shells. At this tournament H. D. Gibbs made a run of 111 straight with his Remington U. M. C. Pump and Steel Lined Shells.

At Spokane, Wash., August 20th, E. J. Chingren was first amateur, scoring 113-125 with Remington U. M. C. Arrow Shells.

Geo. Collins won first amateur average at Warm Springs, Ga., August 23rd, scoring 374-400. Collins also won the 100-Bird Special Event, 93-100, using Remington U. M. C. Pump and Shells. He also won first amateur average at the North Carolina State Shoot last week, making the excellent score of 427-450 with the "Red Ball" combination. With Remington U. M. C. Shells the Warm Springs Handicap was captured by E. R. Alexander, 46-50.

At Seneca Falls, N. Y., August 17th, Geo. H. Brown with Nitro Club Shells tied for first amateur average, 167-175.

At Canton, S. D., August 16-17, C. W. Okey, was first amateur, scoring 383-400, with Remington U. M. C. Pump and Shells.

J. S. Young with his Remington U. M. C. Gun and Arrow Shells captured first amateur average at Lowell, Ind., August 17, scoring 197-200.

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