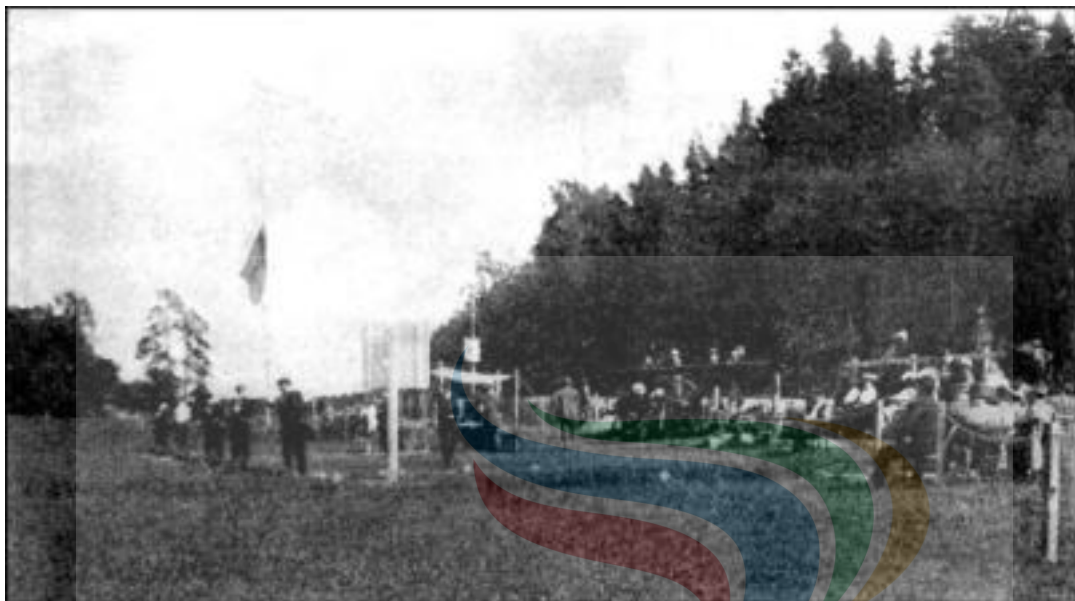


Trap-Shooting



The Trapshooting Grounds at Rasunda, Stockholm, Sweden

RIEHL STAR AT PORTLAND

Tacoma Professional Makes Runs of 107 and 91 Straight Targets

Portland, Ore., November 7.—Extremely long runs of unbroken shooting by Frank Riehl, of Tacoma, marked the first of the monthly handicap shoots which the Portland Gun Club has inaugurated for the Winter. In the 150-target shoot, Riehl broke 107 before missing, and in the 100-target defense of the Chingren medal he broke 91 in succession. Twelve started the tournament for the Chingren trophy, but the honors still rest with Riehl, who successfully defended the medal by making a total of 98 out of 100. The open tournament for the \$100 added money was attended from all the principal shooting centers of the Northwest, but not as many were present as the Portland officials expected.

It has been found that the bullets from the guns of the soldiers who practice on the government rifle range at Peekskill, N. Y., have completely cut away a row of large trees on the hills back of the targets. Range officers say that 76 giant trees have this far been sacrificed to the guns of the soldiers.

RANNEY N. Y. A. C. STAR

Despite Handicap of High Wind He Outshoots Twenty-Four Rivals

New York, N. Y., November 11.—Twenty-four gunners reported for the weekly shoot of the New York A. C. at Travers Island on November 9. The light was right for good scores, but as a high wind blew throughout the shoot, the majority of the nimrods found great difficulty in hitting the targets. A. E. Ranney, chairman of the Shooting Committee, had the satisfaction of winning the most prizes. He took a special shoot at 100 targets with the excellent score of 95. Ranney was also high gun in the shoot for the Ogden cup. After a shoot-off J. L. Brandenburg took a leg on the November cup. Dr. De Wolfe was high gun in the shoot for the Travers Island cup, and C. Lenane was the winner of the shoot for the McMahon cup. The gun-below-the-elbow shoot was taken by B. M. Higginson, and C. W. Billings had no trouble in capturing the distance handicap.

The Princeton University Rifle Club has just been equipped with Stevens "Armory Model" rifles No. 414. This organization won the non-military championship last year and tied for second place among all other American universities.



(From left to right)

AMERICAN TEAM

1.—Jay R. Graham, Ingleside, Ill. 2.—John H. Hendrickson, L. I. City, N. Y. 3.—R. L. Spotts, New York City. 4.—D. H. McMahon, New York City. 5.—C. W. Billings (Capt.), Glen Ridge, N. J. 6.—Frank Hall, Ridgefield, N. J. 7.—Dr. E. F. Gleason, Boston, Mass.

Forty-four shooters participated in a lively four-day meet of the Arizona Sportsmen's Association at Phoenix, on October 28-31. H. P. DeMund won the State championship, 50 straight, shooting Remington-U. M. C. pump gun and Arrow steel-lined shells. Three high men of the winning four-man team, Chris. Raithel, high amateur, 544x565, and second and third amateur average winners, shot the same world-beating ammunition. DeMund made a long run of 117 and Raithel recorded two long straights of 98 and 102 respectively.

Fred Jager, one of the best known wing shots in the United States, died at his home in Detroit on November 7, at the age of 59 years. He held the Michigan State championship for several years and was a prominent figure for many years in Middle Western shooting. He was born in Prussia and came to America in 1870.

Notice: The A. J. Reach new 1912-13 official Basket Ball Guide is now on sale. It is a valuable and authentic booklet.—Ed. Note.

"Deacon" Philippe, the former famous pitcher of the Pittsburgh Club, has gone into camp at Corinth, N. Y., with a number of Western Pennsylvania sportsmen and will spend the next few weeks hunting deer.

Alfred Topperwein, of San Antonio, Tex., a brother of the famous all-around Winchester shot, had the credit of bringing down one of the largest deer ever shot in Texas recently.

J. Franklin Meehan, the noted Pennsylvania sportsman, and prime mover in the Highland Gun Club, is now building up his health after an operation. He has only been out of the hospital three weeks.

Frank E. Butler writes that Miss Annie Oakley (Mrs. Butler), the great all-around shot, on the eve of her departure for her Winter home at Leesburg, Fla., has purchased a piece of ground on the Chop Tonk River, near Cambridge, Md. She is going to fit it up for a sportsman's paradise.