MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 25.-The Locomotive Engineers, whose excursion to the rocks at Hopewell Cape was interrupted by the grounding of the steamer Wilfrid C., owing to the low tide, got away all right this morning and had a delightful time on the picturesque shore of Albert county. J. C. Mahon, manager of the Havelock Mineral Springs Company, who has been seriously ill at his home in Moncton, was somewhat improved to-

Miss Stenhouse of Edinburgh, Scotland, has been visiting her uncle, Jas. Stenhouse, in Halifax, is spending some time in Moncton with her cousin, Mrs. Geo. O. Spencer.

Dr. Elzear A. Gaudet, who graduated this year, left yesterday for England via New York . After a course in hospital work he will take a position on one of the Elder-Dempster liners between England and South Africa. A nurse's home, to cost \$3,000, is now projected in connection with the ncton hospital. The capacity of the hospital has been overtaxed for some time, and of late many prospec tive patients have been unable to get admission. The addition would permit of a number of extra rooms for bati-

HOPEWELL HILL, Aug. 25.-Mildred Turner, the nine-year-old daughter of Capt. H. A. Turner of Riverside, fell down cellar at her home on Tues day and alighting on her head on a stone step, was rendered unconscious for two hours. It was feared at first but fortunately the more serious symptoms disappeared, and with rest the little girl is expected to be all right

The following are among the recent well Cape: Geo. W. Fowler, M. P., wife and three children; Mrs. Wilson, S. J. Goodliffe and wife, Sussex; Miss R. Cooke, Guelph, Ont.; Dr. and Mrs. David Allison, Sackville; H. A. Alli-

M. Melanson after a few hours' illness, aged fifty. Deceased was taken ill Monday night and despite medical aid passed away yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Caldwell, relict of the late Caldwell, died at Shediac yes terday, in her eightieth year. Deceasand Thomas J. of New Carlisle, Que. and Charles and Robert, living in She-

represented at the Dom and H. H. Haines. They left this af-

The funeral will be held tomor-

ST. MARTINS, N. B., Aug. 25,-The of Fairville

Episcopal sunday school their sex and Bloomfield. annual outing at Nugent's Pond, Robert Gillmor of St. John spent Thursday. A large number of adults Sunday here. joined the Sunday school and thus nost pleasant day was enjoyed. Miss C. Stillwell of Montreal is th

guest of Mrs. (Rev.) Alfred Bareham. Mrs. R. Buck and two sons of New York; Miss Eleanor Robinson and Miss Geraldine Coster of St. John are guests at the Kennedy House.

Newton Centre, Mass., who have re for the summer months, left Fritin Saturday night to their home Geo. W. Russell and family left Satmorning en route to Boston

after a pleasant stay here of two Robert De Ceu, wife and family left

Saturday morning for St. John, after a stay of two months.

BURTON, Aug. 25 .- Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnes passed through on last night's boat to spend a few days at the Methodist parsonage, Gagetown. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes were married in Montreal last Saturday on the arrival of the Tunisian from England on which was the bride. On their return they will reside in Fredericton Mr. Barnes being one of the pepula clerks in Edgecombe & Co.'s store. On the night of the financial district meeting in Pine Grove church a publ nary meeting is to be held, when Rev. Dr. Rogers and Rev. W. B. has will deliver addresses. The inisters expected to attend are Revs. James Crisp, Dr. Rogers, W. B. mas, Edmund Ramsay, J. A. Ives, J. K. King, M. R. Knight, W. R. Pepper, A. C. Bell, W. J. Kirby and some of the supernumeraries. An equa mber of laymen have a right to be elected by the official boards. This is first time this church has been ted to entertain the district, but the and will make the district welcome Mr. and Mrs. Robert Belyea of St. John were visiting at Upper Gagetown

on Tuesday. Mrs. (Rev.) G. M. Campbell and daughter, Jean, passed through by boat yesterday to Gagetown after g in Fredericton for a few days. Word has been received here that Lewis Dingee of Gagetown fell while passing from one room to the other at her son's house, Fred Dinsee's, and dislocated her hip. She is over 80 years of age and a heavy woman, and her recovery is said to be

Miss Clowes of Oromocto is visiting at Mrs. Robert Davis' at Gagetown.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 25. A disastrous fire occurred at Long's Creek yesterday afternoon, causing a tetal actual loss of \$5,000 to Jacob Lawence. The fire entirely destroyed the known as Lorg's Creek. The fire orney leading from the kitchen stove, and soon the whole place was ablaze. It was about 4 o'clock when the fire menced, and at that time a heavy was blowing. Sparks were blown and Mr. Lawrence's three barns were on fire also. By the most haz-

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rdous as well as strenuous work, the furniture in the house was saved. Forunately the cattle were in pasture. ses, pigs and other live stock The ho in the barns and smaller outbuildings are reported to have been rescued. Included in the property destroyed in the barns were 125 tons of hay and 500 bushels of oats, and the loss of this produce will be badly felt by Mr. Lawence. There was insurance upon the burned property to the extent of \$2,000 in companies represented here

by B. H. Babbitt. Mrs. Lawrence is expected to active here from St. John this evening, and Mrs. Lawrence was formerly Miss Lucy Vanwart, and has many relatives living at St. John,

An appraiser is expected to arrive here from St. John this evening, and he will go to Long's Creek to adjust the losses. It is stated today that Mr. Lawrence will commence to rebuild as soon as possible

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 25 .-W-rd was received here today of the The death occurred last evening of The death occurred last evening of Charles King, in the 73rd year of his The deceased, who was one of this city's best known and respected citizens, had for the past thirty-seven years filled the position of sexton of the Methodist Church. He is sruvived by a widow, one son and three mar-

This has been a week of picnics. Yes-terday the Church of England and Methodists held their annual outing and today the Presbyterians are taking their turn. All were most successful, both in attendance and finan-On Wednesday the Church of MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 25. — Mrs. Moses P. Gallant of Shediac Bridge, died suddenly at the residence of O. Success, about 1450 being realized. icton Junction. It was a very great success, about \$450 being realized.

ST. MARTINS, Aug. 26.-The funeral of Wm. Brown, the 16 year old son of James Brown, West Quaco, who died in the St. John hospital and whose re ed leaves five sons, Marven, Albert mains were brought here by train Friday, was held Friday afternoon in the Episcopal church, Rev. Alfred Bareham officiated. The interment was The Moncton Rifle Association will held in the Mosher Hill cemetery. Much sympathy is expressed for the matches by Capt. Anderson, Captain bereaved parents, as the young man Forbes, A. R. Jardine, D. R. Chandler was particularly bright and clever. Rev. Donald McKenzie of the Pre

Sunday, Aug. 27th, with Rev. Mr. Hill Presbyterian Sunday school held their annual picnic at Bain's Corner on Monday for Montreal accompanied by Tuesday, Aug. 22. The party was her brother and niece, Mr. and Miss d to the picnic grounds by Stillwell, who have been her guests.

A thorough good day was en-

John Godard and daughter. Miss elle, of St. John spent Sunday here. Robert Murdoch and Frank Tilton of St. John spent Sunday at the Brown

Mrs. William Forbes and daughter, Bertie, left for St. John Saturday after a pleasant vacation.

mouth is the guest of her mother, Mes. Thos. Bradshaw. Horace Hutchins of Montreal is the

guest of Mrs. (Dr.) H. E. Gillmor. C. E. Everett, provincial manager of North American Life Assurance Co., made a business trip here Friday and

AMHERST, Aug. 27.-Pineo Wilson of the firm of Wilson & Brown, left on Friday for Toronto, where he will be married to Miss Campbell, daughter of D. J. Campbell of the Canada Life Insurance Co. A cosy home or Crescent avenue is ready for occu-

Mr. Holmes comes off on the 20th Sept and not on the 30th inst., as incorrect

On Sunday the Oddfellows marche to the Highland cemetery, as is their custom annually, and decorated the graves of their deceased brethren with

Mrs. J. Albert Black is friends in Halifax. A number of our citizens intend leav ing early next month on a trip to the Pacific coast. Among the many are Curry, E. E. Hewson and sister, Miss Hewson, and C. E. Black of Pugwash. Miss Winnie Fullerton left last week

to spend a little time with friends in Mrs. Dr. Bliss and her mother, Mrs Reid, of Los Angeles, Cal., who is spending a few weeks with her, went to Halifax on Saturday morning, re-

irning tomorrow evening. The Choral Union of the Shedia Deanery, comprising the choirs of the Chruch of England in Shediac, Mc ton. Petitcodiac Hopewell. Dorchester with representatives from Christ church, Amherst, will have their anin Trinity church, Dorchester.

HOPEWELL HILL, Aug. 26.-L. A Corey, formerly principal of the superfor school here, who has been spending vacation in this parish, left today for his home in Petitcodiac. Miss Margaret McGorman left by oday's train for Campbellton, where she has a position on the teaching staff

Miss A. Laura Peck. B. A., of Wolfville, formerly of this place, is visiting relatives and friends here and a Harvey. Miss Peck is to take up the work of foreign missions.

Word was received here today of the death of Mrs. Gross, widow of the late Rev. Michael Gross of Hillsboro, The deceased lady was about 75 years of age, and was held in high esteem

HARCOURT, Aug. 26.- A large

Loggieville today on the L. C. R. pic-

Rev.W. B. Armstrong of Petitcodiac nany years ago pastor of the Harscopal Church, visited E. B. Buckerfield this week.

Miss Bessie Ingram went to Monc

Thursday. Mrs. Fowler and Mrs. Jardine Chipman visited Mrs. Ingram here Mrs. Ingram's daughter in Joggins,

Mrs. F. G. Allen of Campbellton has returned to Harcourt from her visit to Mrs. Woodville Barker, Sheffield, and is staying with Mrs. Dunn. Smith's Corner school has reopened The teacher is Miss Ferguson of Main

Rev. W. M. Townsend of Bass River

is taking a vacation. Mrs. Wm. West of Boston has be here saveral days visiting her mother, Mrs. Thos. Smith. Mrs. Robert Bryant, Harcourt, Mrs. Thos. Olsen and Mrs. Albert West of Trout Brook, and Mrs. Boyd of Granville, are sisters. Kirby Wathen and his sister, Miss Blanche, are home from their visit to Richibucto this week. Rev. J. B. Champion closed a very

successful series of special meetings in Clairville last night. MILLTOWN, Aug. 23.-Mrs. Edwin

Farnham has returned from Eastport, where she has had a pleasant outing. Mrs. George Allen, who has been in poor health for the past eight months, iled this morning at 2 o'clock, leaving three small children, the youngest only three weeks old, and her husband. Much sympathy is extended to him in this his great bereavement. Mrs. Wm. Todd, little son Fred and

nurse of Richmond, Va., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irving R. Todd. Mrs. Wm. McLaughlin arrrived home St. John and Welsford, where has been the guest of Mrs. John Pink-

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pike and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ganong are receiving congratulations on the arrival of oung heirs at their respective homes, John McGarrigle arrived home Saturday and is the guest of his sisters, Misses Mary and Belle, Mrs. John Wall is the guest of her

nother, Mrs. Wall, at Look Out cottage this week. Mrs. Annie Varney of Boston is the suest of her father, Duncan Tremble. Mr. and Mrs. John Bresnehen have been confined to the house this week Mrs. Wm. Murray arrived home from

The National Loom Fixers' Associaion, which convened in Boston recently, appointed John Percell as national secretary for a fourth term. This office carries with it a yearly salary and travelling expenses.

Calgary and other points in the west

Mrs. Henry McAleland and child and the Misses Connor of Boston are the guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Kehoe. Mrs. Skiff Murchie entertained umber of her friends to a buckboard ride and dinner at her cottage at De

Monts today. byterian church exchanges pulpits Mrs. Wm. Henry returned to her ome in Fredericton this week. Miss Annie Anderson is ill at her in Glebe street.

for some time, is not as well today. Mr. Whisker of Marysville was calling on friends today. Mr. and Mrs. James Gothreau are receiving congratulations on the arrival The

The band will hold one of their open

air concerts at Butler's corner this

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., Aug. 26.-The and tea meetings held in Saint And- will be laid off for some time. rews terminated with that of the sale accident occurred while Harvey morial hall on Thursday, the and fancy articles, made by the will- paris green or other poisonous matter. ing workers, matrons and misses. The

Fancy work table-Mrs. Marsh Hanson of San Jose, Cal., Miss Lottie Pye, Miss Lettie Worral, Miss Allen Guild table-Miss Chase, Miss Bessie

Thompson, Miss Hilda Hewitt, Miss Maud Greenlow. Candy table-Miss Cecelia Hewitt, Miss Edith Hewitt, Miss Bessie Clark,

Miss Winnie Maloney. Ice cream table-Miss A. Allen, Miss C. Parkins, Miss Margaret McQuoid. Flower table-Miss Bertha McQuoid, Miss Jean Hewitt.

Tea tables-Mrs. Parkins, wife of rall, Miss McQuoid, Miss Carrie, Gardiner, Miss Allen, Mrs. J. S. Maloney, iner, Miss Lottie Pye, Mrs. G. McKay, situated, read the prayers. The lessons Miss Margaret Johnson, Miss Vera were read by Revs. H. H. Gillies and Hewitt, Miss Bertha Tool, Mrs. John H. A. Cody. Canon Richardson was Wilson, Mrs. George Chase, Miss Ceelia Hewitt, Miss Jean Hewitt, Mrs. clo-

Tea and coffee servers-Miss Ida Graham, Miss Barbara Armstrong, the light of the World. Miss Cathcart. Carvers of meats-Mrs. Burpee, Han-

The proceeds of the sale and tea dollars, five dolars of which was a donation from the Misses Sherrard for

SACKVILLE, N. B., Aug. 26 .- The lunday school of St. Anne's Church, Westcock, held their annual picnic on the church grounds Wednesday. Miss Le Page, who has been the guest of the Misses Morin, leaves today for her home in Charlottetown.

Professor and Mrs. Wilson. John, returned to Sackville Tuesday. Miss Hart of Halifax, who has been the guest of the Misses Hart, York street, left for home Thursday.

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### SUNLIGHT WAR AGAINST

this week. They are now visiting \$5,000 Roward will be paid by Mrs. Ingram's daughter in Josephs. Limited, Toronto, to any person who can prove that this soap contains any form of adulteration whatsoever, or contains any injurious chemicals. Ask for the Octagon Bay.

# ALBERT CHILDREN DIED FROM POISON

Three Sons of arren Reid Ate Some Herb

And Now Two Are Dead, While the Third is in a Critical Condition.

dead and the third and only remaining child dying, one of the saddest and they could in quick time. most pathetic cases in the annals of home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reid. One week ago on Monday little Hersey, the four year old son of Mr. and visit of the officials they succee Mrs. Reid, was seized with violent illsix, both became afflicted in some been summoned and the case diagnosed as poisoning and the usual treatment given. Drs. McNaughton, Smith and Darling were called into consultation, but their efforts were of no avail. Yesterday (Thursday) morning, one week after he had been seized with the mysterious malady, Warren, the younger of the two, passed away. Hersey ,the second son, lingered until this morning, then the death messenger came. Joseph, the eldest son, still lingers, but little or no hope for his ecovery is held out. The cause of the deadly disease is a source of mystery, and the parents are dazed by the terrible affliction which has so suddenly came upon them. They can form no opinion on the cause. It is believed that the boys had eaten some deadly plant poison, laurel or something of that nature, which caused the diseas Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reid had lived in Middle Coverdale up to three years Mrs. McLaughlin, who has been sick May last the family returned to Middle Coverdale and have since resided at the latter place. The sons comprised all their children, and the parents' hearts are broken at the terrible blow. The deceased lads were bright little fellows, and in their bereavement the stricken parents have the genuine and heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

While at work in the I. C. R. yar last of the annual August church sales had his foot painfully crushed and of fancy goods and tea held in Me- shunting cars, his foot catching be-24th tween the cars.

inst., under the auspices of the ladies The death of the children is believed of the Methodist Church. The sale to have been due to drinking from a was patronized to a large extent by well, the water in which was very low. the residents of the town, including The well was dragged and a number representatives of all denominations. of old tins were found in the bottom There was a good display of useful some of which may have contained

#### CHURCH CONSECRATION.

New Anglican Churches at Queens town and Spright's Corner Consecrated by Bishop Kingdon.

On Wednesday, Aug. 23rd, service was held in the new Anglican church, pastor; Mrs. Dr. Wade, Miss Wor- Queenstown, in connection with the consecration service. Rev. M. C. Shewen, the energetic rector of Green Bessie Clark, Miss Minnie Gard- wich, in which mission the church is the special preacher and held the

attention of the large congrewhich filled the edifice. He 1 from St. John 1:9, on Christ On Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock

Bishop Kingdon consecrated both the on, Mrs. Isaac Johnston, Miss Annie church and the burial ground. H. A. Cody, through whose efforts the amounted to two hundred and sixty consecration. This handsome strucchurch was built, read the deed of ture, which is situated just below the their brother James, who was absent ance from the river. It was erected at on a trip to his farm at Bloomfield, a cost of about \$3,000, a large portion partially patronized all the church Hewlett of Queenstown and the ground by Miss Clarissa Hewlett of Gagetown. Their generous munificence will long he remembered by the people of

On Friday morning his lordship consecrated another new church at Speights' Corner, in the same missermon being preached by Rev. H. A. Cody, a former rector. Among those taking part in the service were Revs. D. W. Pickett, R. W. Colston H. H. Gllies, and the rector, M. C. Shewen.

There were large congregations a both churches and the services were bright and hearty.

A WAY OUT.

Mrs. Hiram Offen-See here, Maria, he dishes you have put on the table late have been positively dirty. nething's got to done about it. Maria—True for ye, ma'am. If ye only had dark colored ones, ma'am they would not show the dirt at all.

# ALL FISHERMEN

For Using Dynamite in Killing Fish.

Pleaded Not Gullty But Were Held and Fined \$100 and Sixty

EASTPORT, Aug. 25.—It now looks ke war against all fishermen, both Yankees and Canadians, who use dynamite for killing off pollock, cod and the other kinds of fish so common in Passamaquoddy Bay and the Bay of Fundy, for there was something doing at the city rooms Wednesday befor Judge John H. McFaul.

Fish Warden Peter M. Kane of this city has been hot on the trail of reported violators of the fisheries in the section of the coast, and in company with Captain John H. Pratt of the Canadian fishery protective cruiser Curlew early in the week made an unannounced visit to a party of boatmen MONCTON, Aug. 25.-With two sons in the harbor who were making use of explosives for killing as many fish as

On the approach of the boat contain-New Brinswick has been recorded ing the above American and dominion within the past twenty-four hours at officials, who are giving their attention Middle Coverdale, Albert Co., in the to this kind of illegal fishing at the present time, the boatmen got out of catching Charles Lank and James Mc ness and on the Thursday following Callum of this city gathering up fish Warren, aged two, and Joseph, aged from the top of the water where they had been killed or stunned by the us mysterious manner. A physician had of the dynamite used earlier in the

morning. The men were held by Warden Kan and had their hearing Wednesday, and both pleaded not guilty; in fact, later stated that they had not used any kind of an explosive or taken part in the Monday, but were on hand to catch all that came to the surface. Judge Mc-Faul found enough evidence to hold them, and fined them each \$100 and 60 days in the county fail. The prisoners appealed to the October term of court at Machias and their bonds were placed at \$300, which were later in the day secured, when they were released. The warden has evidence against other illegal fishermen of Quoddy, it is stated, and other arrests are looked

for later in the week on the same charge of using dynamite or other kinds of explosives. While the Canadian law for the same offense is a fine of \$100 and the confiscation of the boat and fittings, on

Where the fishermen have their lines out with a baited hook on the end.

#### PARRSBORO.

PARRSBORO, Aug. 25.-Miss Bessie Upham returned on Wednesday from

week to have an operation performs His official duties are being performed in his absence by E. Woodworth. George McK. Upham of the staff the Canadian Bank of Commerce Antigonish, arrived here yesterday to prize was offered for quick shooting, go through their work under the trainspend his vacation with his family. I never saw anything like the flurry Dr. Hayes is attending the medical

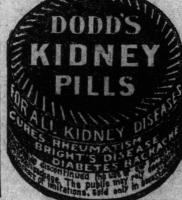
anybody used to quick shooting would have stuck cartridges between the fin-

Moday. Several changes have been made in the teaching staff since last term. TWENTY YEARS OF PILES.

greater distress. Dr. Chase's Ointmen gave me relief from the first applica McLaren, Farmer and Contractor, Tiverton, Ont.

Mamma-No child: what a silly thir

Child-Well, we do, don't we? Mamma-No; whatever makes think of such funny stuff? Child-Why, mamma, I heard ook say she'd have to buy a bread raiser only this morning.



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# **BISLEY SHOOTING**

**According to Walter Winans** 

of England He Says the Whole System is at

Walter Winans of Surrenden Park,

Pluckley, Kent, who is the "Celebrity

Bisley itself, both as the winner and

with authority upon his favorite tonic

laughed so much in my life. Of course

gers of his left hand, another between his teeth, and others between the but-

tons of his waistcoat, so that he could

have fired at least six shots in about

twice as many seconds.
"Then, again, what is the use of a

stationary target at a fixed range? Do

a moving object that the soldier is

called upon to hit at an unknown

range—a line of horsemen riding over

rock, a number of men in open order

scuttling over a plain. The Bisley marksmen would never get a look-in

under such conditions. I have long

advocated some kind of movable tar-

at them as they passed. That seems

ne" in the current number of

Fault and Marksmen There are No Good for Active Service.

(London Standard.)

at Hor the World, makes some interesting this side we go them one better and suggestions on the subject of improved the 60 days' sentence is added, so it rifle shooting. His wide experience as

ed in this practice. for several days looking after any donor of cups, all entitle him to speak dominion fishermen who might caught with the explosives in their possession, which would be good evidence that they were to use it, and the conditions of warfare, and the Bisjust at the present time line fishing is ley champion is almost more useless being more extensively practiced than at the front than the man who has for some time past, and the pollock and pever handled a rifle. The shooting at cod may get a chance to live out their a big stationary target at long range allotted term of life in the surrounding is the worst possible training. In the waters, unless they wander around first place, the men fire with a black

Major C. A. E. Kelly, town clerk, went to Victoria General Hospital this

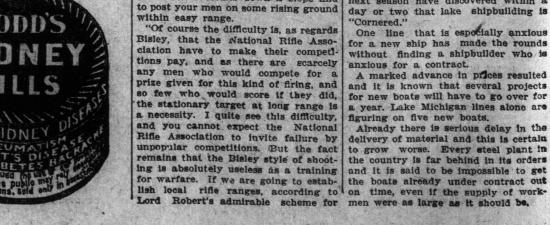
of one man who went in for it. lost his nerve completely, and, diving into his pocket with a trembling hand, William Campbell of Boston, who ha tried to load his rifle with his pencil, een visiting the friends of his youth in Parrsboro, leaves for Boston today. penknife, cigarette-holder, and anything he could catch hold of. I never H. H. Upham goes to St. John nex week to take a situation with Emer

The Parrsboro schools reopen nex

"I suffered from itching piles for twenty years and cannot imagine any you ever get a stationary target in time of war? It is almost invariably tion, and has now entirely freed me this horrible disease."-Mr. J. S. a hill or galloping down a valley, a head suddenly bobbing up behind a

A little girl asked her mother one lay: "Mamma, do people ever shave

get at Bisley, and I have offered prizes for quick firing at moving objects, but few people will compete for them. I am told that in the German army a little while ago they adopted the practice of floating toy balloons down a stream, and getting the men to shoot



training the youth of the nation it is absolutely essential that lads should be taught to fire at moving objects, unless all the money is to be practically thrown sway. It is extraordinary to me that military men should be so attached to old traditions and bound up with red tape. Some time ago a number of sporting men and myself competed for the running deer at Bisley. The rule was that we were to fire in volleys. Scarcely one of us failed to hit the object, but, to our astonishment, an officer came up and began to bully us. 'I have never heard such bad volley firing in my life,' he said. 'It was positively ridiculous.' He was quite shocked at our straggling fire, and I am sure that he would have been much better pleased if we had

all missed our object, but had fired together with one big bang. "I am convinced," said Mr. Winans, in conclusion, "that every citizen of the state should be required to pass a shooting test. This is done in Switzerland, and if a man fails to pass the necessary standard he has to pay a fine. I have an idea which I believe would be an improvement on that system. I would not fine the man who fails, but reward the man who shows his skill. With any citizen who passed a good standard of shooting I would knock a penny or more off his income tax, and there should be an annual examination for this purpose. would appeal to his pocket, and the state would not lose by such a plan, comes higher to be caught on the American side of the boundary engaged as one of the crack pistol shots of the world, and his connection with the world, and his connection with there is something in that idea?"

#### there is something in that idea?" IS KIND TO HIS HORSES.

the remarkable performance given by Prof. Crocker's horses, any show that has traveled through Britain for eighplaces over and over again, and always warmly welcome, has made a reputasight upon a white object. It is just the large audience present last night the reverse in warfare. A soldier never had witnessed the first performance of has to fire at a white object. It is al- the horses in America, they were of but ways black or dark. The Boers in one opinion, that they had seen a re-South Africa always shoot with white markable show, and were s.o.ply asivory sights, and no doubt part of their tonished with the marvellous work of good shooting in the late war was due the animals. They hardly knew which to praise the most—the wonderful in-"Then the Bisley man fires under the telligence of the horses, or the results nost artificial conditions. He lies of the care, patience and kindness of down on his stomach and rests his el-bow on the ground. Any baby could ance showed that some horses possess do that. Little flags wave at him to more intelligence than many human tell him the direction of the wind. He beings, and how much they appreciate can take as long as he likes over each a kind master was evidenced by the shot. All that hopelessly unfits him high grade of efficiency they have for 'the real thing.' Some 'time ago a attained and with what pleasure they ing and kindnes of such a man as the

SAMOA'S WEALTH OF RUBBER.

fax, June 20, 1905.

(Chicago Tribune.) Samoa's get-rich-quick scheme is the rubber plant. One species, when planted 20 fet apart, attains a height of 10 or 12 feet in a couple of years, and is expected to yield good sap in eight years. It thrives in high and low latitudes, in sun and shade. At the end of tapped, and it can be safely reckoned that half a pound of rubber per to

Two hundred trees are planted per acre and five per cent. mortality is al-200 acres to 38,000 trees, which in the seventh year yield 19,000 pounds of

A rubber plantation of 200 acres will cost on the average about \$20,000 to bring it to the end of the sixth year and guaranteeing its suitability, proper tendence will in the seventh and eighth year return the total of the capital invested, and every year thereafter yield an income of between \$15,000 and \$25,-

CHICAGO, Aug. 25-A half dozen steamboat lines figuring on building to me a very good plan; another would new passenger steamers for service be to roll footballs down a slope and next season have discovered within a day or two that lake shipbuilding is

> One line that is especially anxious for a new ship has made the rounds without finding a shipbuilder who i anxious for a contract.

the stationary target at long range is a year. Lake Michigan lines alone are a necessity. I quite see this difficulty, figuring on five new boats, figuring on five new boats. Already there is serious delay in the Rifle Association to invite failure by delivery of material and this is certain unpopular competitions. But the fact to grow worse. Every steel plant in remains that the Bisley style of shoot-

ing is absolutely useless as a training and it is said to be impossible to get for warfare. If we are going to estab- the boats already under contract out lish local rifle ranges, according to on time, even if the supply of work-Lord Robert's admirable scheme for men were as large as it should be, Third **Fam** 

Upwards of formati

FOREST GLE appointed for th pitts clan dawne remain that way the sky was all cast, and gloo indulged in, and ed to be in store looking forward spite of the thr weather everyb and teams beg grounds before Havelock Colpitt the day's proce kept all on the the early part o only a very few way with anyon kept arriving fr after dinner. also added no s the number in a was made to s those who atten hundred enrolle After a bount

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