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A New Questions and Answers Department of Interest to Shooters

Readers are reminded that this column is open to questions which should be sent to me in care of the re-actors on anything connected with hunting or target shooting.—A. P. L.

Q. J. S., Bloomfield, N. Y. 1. How is the best way to keep a gun from rusting through the summer? Ans. The best way to get the inside of the barrel in such condition that it can be left a long period without rusting it to clean it thoroughly twice at intervals of two or three days and then grease the inside of the barrel with vaseline or one of the regular gun greases. A barrel cleaned in this way may be put away for a long time without fear of rust. 2. Which is the best rifle for big game hunting, the 30-30 or the .22 Hi-power? Ans. The 30-30 cartridge is more regular in its effect than the .22 high power cartridge. Neither of these cartridges are, however, generally considered by hunters powerful enough for the largest of big game. 3. Is smokeless powder better than black for field shooting? Ans. I assume you mean smokeless powder in a shotgun. If so, I should prefer smokeless powder for field shooting as the recoil is lighter and on second and third shots there is no smoke to obscure the view. 4. Is 3 1/2 drams of bulk smokeless too heavy for a 12 ga. pump gun? Ans. 3 1/2 drams in a factory loaded shell with any of the standard makes of pump guns is perfectly satisfactory. 5. Can buckshot be used in a 28 in barrel? Ans. Buckshot can be used in any length barrel. The length of barrel has nothing to do with the size shot which can be used. W. L. M., Kenosha Lake, N. Y. What causes a band of what resembles burned powder to form in the barrel of a new carbine about an inch from beginning of rifling in breech after being fired about three times? It is almost impossible to remove this with a wire cleaner and nitro solvents have no effect whatever. Load my own shells using Duponts F.F.G. black rifle powder and soft point bullets. Ans. You do not say what cartridge you are using. It may be you are using black powder in a cartridge designed for smokeless. If so, this is probably the cause of your trouble. H. O. N., Chicago, Ill. Can a Maxim Silencer be put on a Luger automatic pistol, calibre .38, and will it work, and what is the address of the Maxim Silencer people? Ans. Maxim Silencers cannot be used on any automatic pistol. The address of the Maxim Silent Arms Co., is Hartford, Conn. E. P. S., Council Bluffs, Iowa. I have an army rifle which is of European make I believe. On the

RUSSIA DRINKING TEA INSTEAD OF VODKA Both German and Russian Troops are Using it—Tea Trade Tightens.

Elimination of the vodka from Russia has evidently started that immense nation tea-drinking. According to The New York Journal of Commerce, heavy buying by Russia of India and Ceylon teas has caused abnormal prices for these teas, the quotations being from 8 to 10 cents a pound higher than a year ago. From reports in the trade the Russians are buying all the India-Ceylon teas available, and there is a likelihood of prices going still higher. Not only is the Russian army using tea in enormous quantities now, but the Kaiser long ago ordered it for his troops. Unusually large buying by these two nations and their entrance into new markets as competitors have placed the tea market in a tight position. (It has been previously pointed out that Britain is turning more to tea-drinking. United States drinks 90,000,000 pounds a year. To these factors the Canadian tea trade is sensitive, and advances in market value are not unlikely.)

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snackless powder. Ans. It is advisable always to use 2. Is it not advisable to use the same size cartridge after once starting with it? Ans. It is advisable always to use the longest cartridge for which the barrel is chambered. 3. Where can I get a good 25 yd. target to use with this pistol and what one do you recommend? Ans. The standard distance for pistol shooting indoors is 20 yds.; outdoors, 50 yds. Targets can be secured from C. W. Hinman, 127 Portland St., Boston, Mass., or from any hardware or sporting goods dealer. 4. Do you consider hitting a piece of metal the size of a penny three times out of five at 20 yds. good shooting? (with a .22 rifle). Ans. Yes, this is good work.

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NOTICE OF LEGISLATION

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick, at its next session for an Act to amend the "Town's Incorporation Act" in so far as it relates to the Town of Newcastle.

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The purpose of the said Act is to provide that the Aldermen of the said Town shall be elected to serve for the period of two years, four of them to be elected each year, and with the provision that before the said Act comes into force, it shall be submitted to and approved by the ratepayers of the said Town. J. E. T. LINDON, Town Clerk.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Local Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick at its next Session for an Act to incorporate The North West Miramichi River Driving Company. The purposes for which incorporation is sought are to conduct and carry on the driving of lumber on the North West Branch of the Miramichi River from the mouth of Portage River to the Johnston Bridge so-called above Red Bank, and on the Little South West Miramichi River from the mouth of Catamaran Brook to the upper or northerly side of a Bog-an at the lower end of the Ox Bow Meadow; to build and maintain dams, booms, and other works and improvements in connection with such driving operations; to fix fees for driving such lumber and to make other provisions for the proper carrying out of the proposed undertaking. DATED this twenty-seventh day of February, A. D., 1915. A. A. DAVIDSON, 9-4 Secretary, North West Boom Co.



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ASSESSMENT FOR 1914 Town—Park & Fire 2000.06 Police & Street Lighting 2300.00 Schools 10550.00 Public Works 1500.00 Contingencies 2700.00 Sinking Fund 4163.00 Interest 6300.00 Sewerage 800.00 County—Schools 1298.17 Pauper Lunatics 412.00 Contingencies 1496.00 Alms House 400.00 Total \$33919.17 C. E. FISH, GEO. F. MCWILLIAM, J. H. PHINNEY, Assessors. Dated at Newcastle, March 3rd, 1914. 10-4.

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