

warmer than yesterday. The health of the troops is good. General Gripenberg is 56 years of age. He served in the Crimean war and distinguished himself in the Polish insurrection of 1863-64, and for his part in the latter received the St. Stanislaus cross and a sword of honor. He commanded the Moscow Guards regiment in the Russo-Turkish war and in that conflict was promoted to the rank of major general.

CHANGE IN RIFLE ASSOCIATION

Individual Memberships Are to Be Barred Hereafter.

WILL BECOME A LEAGUE OF CLUBS

Plan Proposed Which is Likely to Have Important Bearing on Future Shooting Practice and Competition.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—In the opinion of military experts the action recently taken by the National Rifle Association of America at its annual meeting at San Geronimo, N. J., looking toward the abolition of annual membership in the association and confining the membership to clubs or other organizations, will have a most important bearing upon the future of rifle practice in this country. Heretofore the National Rifle Association has been composed of life members, annual members and affiliated clubs. It is now proposed to make it strictly a central or governing body for the shooting clubs of the country, both civilian and military, and to confine its membership to representatives of these organizations rather than to individuals. The association recommended to the board of directors that suitable action should be taken to effect this change and there is no doubt the recommendation will be adopted. In treating on this subject in its annual report, Lieutenant Jones, in his capacity of secretary of the association, pointed out that although only five years have elapsed since the reorganization of the National Rifle Association there are affiliated with it fifty active shooting organizations representing the various arms of the service and every class of shooting. Within the last year eighteen organizations, eleven of them military, five civilian and two state organizations, affiliated with the National Association.

Combine Two Meets. Another action by the association cannot fail to receive favorable comment from all those interested in rifle shooting, and that was the adoption of a resolution suggesting to the board of directors the advisability of holding the national meeting of the association at the same time and place with the contest for the national trophy. It was never intended that the contest for the national trophy should be separated from the National Rifle Association, and the act of congress creating the trophy provided that it should be shot for under rules and regulations of the national board, which is largely made up of trustees of the National Rifle Association. This year, however, the national match got sidetracked into a strictly army competition, contrary to the wishes of the national board, and the trophy is now in jeopardy. By uniting these two contests the number of prizes will be greatly increased, as will the attendance, for it is impossible for many of the expert marksmen to take four or six weeks away from their business in the fall of the year to devote to the contest, as was necessary when they held separately.

The announcement was made at the annual meeting of several additional prizes which will be offered next year for long distance shooting as well as in the revolver match.

In his annual report, Lieutenant Jones suggested that all affiliated military organizations hold a competition for the National Rifle Association medal previous to the fall meeting, at the organizations expense, the winner as the official representative of that organization in the president's match for the individual military championship of the United States. Many foreign countries have a plan similar to this, the difference being that the preliminary shoots are held by countries or cantons.

Children Learn About Microbes. The prevalence of typhoid fever in the District of Columbia has resulted in the appointment of commissioners directing principals of all the schools to strictly require the water used for drinking purposes boiled. As a result of this order there have been any number of funny incidents attending upon the use of boiled water in the schools. A small boy at the Park building, who had been drinking water from the opening of a school by pulling from his inside pocket a white glass half-pint flask, containing what appeared from its color to be whisky, and when the teacher was not looking took a big swig of the liquid.

Man Who Says He Is Wanted Holy-oke, Mass., Locked Up at San Francisco. The heat kills all animal life in the water, especially the germs that carry typhoid fever.

San Francisco, Sept. 25.—A man giving the name of John R. Blaney has given himself up to the police saying that he was wanted for the embankment of \$2,000 in Holyoke, Mass. The police placed him on the detention book and telegraphed to Holyoke to ascertain if the man was wanted there. Blaney says that he was the secretary and treasurer of the White Weavers' union in Holyoke and two months ago, after his pecuniaries had reached the sum of \$2,000, fled from that city. He says he was indicted by the grand jury shortly after his escape.

Fifth Ward Roosevelt Call. The Fifth Ward Roosevelt and Fairbanks marching club meets Tuesday, September 27, at 8 p. m. in Young's hall, Sixteenth and Corby. Prominent party speakers, candidates and everybody invited. Young men especially invited. Last rally before the primaries. Refreshments.

Peter Kiewitz, President. BEN J. STONE, Secretary.

ness of the building. It was borrowed from the War department through the courtesy of Quartermaster General Humphrey. Though not as large as the great stately banner in the pension office, which was sent to the Paris exposition as the largest American flag made up to that time. It is about 225 feet long and inspires a spirit of patriotism not only among the army of clerks in the big structure, but to the thousands of visitors who daily pass it. It can be seen from any of the seven floors within the court and continually attracts the attention of everybody who enters the building.

OMAHA WINS THE PENNANT

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OMAHA'S EXTRA BASE HIT RECORD. Long Hits, Sacrifice Hits and Stolen Bases for the Season.

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FANS ALL OVER STATE ARE HAPPY. Widespread interest in race for the flag.

Washington and St. Louis Teams Shut Each Other Out. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 25.—St. Louis and Washington split even in a double-header here today.

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St. Louis Wins in Ninth. SIOUX CITY, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—The Mountaineers from Denver made a gallant but unsuccessful fight for the western league pennant today.

Chicago Shuts Out Philadelphia. CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—A base on balls, a single and two runs in the third inning, and two singles, a stolen base and Sullivan's double

Chadwick's support was nearly perfect, while O'Brien's was very ragged. Score: R.H.E. Sherwood.....0 0 1 0 1 0 0 R.H.E. Batteries: Chadwick and Keri; O'Brien and Sherwood; By Chadwick, 12; by O'Brien, 11. Umpire: Dunkle.

Local Man Puts Up Fine Game Against St. Louis Crack. A Christie, professional golfer at the Omaha Field club, was defeated in his match with W. C. Sherwood, professional at the Country club at St. Louis, in one of the most exciting golf contests that has ever taken place on the field club links.

French Workmen Arrive at National Expense. NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Delegates of French workmen sent at the expense of the French government to the St. Louis exposition arrived here today on board the French line steamer La Bretagne from Havre.

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AMUSEMENTS. Society Event of the Season. The Omaha Horse Show Auditorium. Monday, Sept. 26, at 8:00 p. m.

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