

NATIONAL RIFLE MATCHES

Arrangements for the Great Tournament Are Now Complete.

THREE WEEKS OF SOLID SHOOTING

Camp Perry Range to Witness Greatest Contest of Marksmanship Ever Held Under Conditions of Peace.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—Arrangements have been completed under which the rifle shooting tournament, which will be held at Camp Perry, O., next August, will be the greatest shooting event which this country has ever seen.

Some Novel Features.

Among the interesting features of the new arrangements is the action taken by the National Rifle association. Heretofore its matches have been conducted by the state association where the matches were held and the National Rifle association received 20 per cent of the gross receipts.

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For the School Boys.

Colonel John Jacob Astor of New York, a life member of the National Rifle association, has given the association a trophy for the intercollegiate individual rifle match, which will be shot on the galleries of the various schoolboy clubs in April.

STRIKE AT RUSKEN COLLEGE

Angered Over Dismissal of Principal, Students Threaten to Start New School.

OXFORD, April 2.—The students of Rusken college, which was founded here in 1899 by an American, Walter Vrooman, are protesting with indignation over the dismissal of Dennis Hird, the principal.

Rich Banker Weds His Landlady.

M. C. Getzelman, a prominent banker and one of the wealthiest citizens of Elgin, Ill., married Mrs. Hulda Dobler, his landlady and woman of all work.

Leader of Chicago Black Hand Society is Arrested

CHICAGO, April 2.—Vincenzo Geraci, who is said by the police to be the leader of the Chicago Black Hand society, was arrested here today in the office of Dr. Peter Cutrera, from whom the Italian had demanded \$5,000 on pain of death.

The Kidnaped Girl

True Story that Degan Book in Indiana and Had Its Finish in an Institution of This City.

Few girls ever have such an experience in life as this one. She was the youngest of five children. The father and mother were poor people in Indiana, but sustained the reputation of honest, hard working people.

Ten years went by, during which time father and mother, two sisters and two brothers were constantly grieving. At the end of ten years a telephone message came to the Child Saving institute requesting the superintendent to come to the city jail to take charge of little Dolly Andrews.

Inquiry was made of her about her people. She gave the name of a man in Indiana who was her uncle. A telegram was sent, but never reached this man. The operator at that station remembered that ten years previous to that a little girl by the name of Dolly Richards had been kidnaped and also knew that the father and mother were living in another portion of Indiana.

A complete description was given of Dolly and again the father wrote insisting the circumstances in the case as described and the description of the child made him believe it was their own Dolly. When this letter was shown to Dolly she was greatly disturbed by it and cried and insisted that Mrs. Andrews was her own mother, and she knew that she would have told her if it were not so.

This was sufficient evidence to make it clear. This information from Mrs. Andrews' father was submitted to Dolly, which made a very deep impression upon her mind. In the meantime Mr. Richards had been requested to send photographs of himself and wife and the other children.

Most affectionate and loving letters were received from father and mother and sisters and brothers with reference to her return. Arrangements were completed for the restoration of the lost child and when they met in the Union depot in Chicago strangers watching the scene were so moved that tears were seen in all eyes.

WITH THE COLLEGE ATHLETES

Doing in the Field of Sports in East and West.

CHICAGO HAS STRONG TEAM

National Championship Game in Basket Ball—Wisconsin Students Prepare Trip to Poughkeepsie Races This Spring.

The college basket ball season has come to an end, and there is no decision as to the national championship because of the refusal of Chicago to consider a challenge sent by the Pennsylvania five.

It would not have been possible anyway for Columbia to have continued further into the year with basket ball because both Ceruzzi and Ryan had to give up the game in order to take up their crew work, or rather in order to get a rest before the hard work of the rowing season began for fear they might get overtrained.

High School Senior Fair

Big Building is Crowded by the Students and Friends.

PLENTY TO AMUSE THEM ALL

Crowds Kept on the Move and All of the Attractions Called to the Attention of the Visitors.

Brilliantly lighted, beautifully decorated and thronged with over 2,000 people, the corridors of the Omaha high school building gave forth evidence of merriment last night.

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Everybody knows that Nebraska is prosperous. Many people, however, even in Nebraska, do not know the source of its prosperity, except in their own neighborhood.

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IOWA PIONEER FOUND DEAD

W. B. Schoonover Expires Suddenly While Wife is Lying in Hospital.

FORT DODGE, Ia., April 3.—(Special Telegram)—W. B. Schoonover, 69 years old, was found dead in his room at the Delone hotel at Lehigh early this morning.

He had been drinking and a bottle of strychnine pills was found on his person, though there is nothing to indicate suicide. A coroner's inquest is being held. Schoonover was a prominent old settler and his wife is ill in the Webster City hospital.