

NEW SHOOTING RECORDS MADE

Bullseyes At 1000 Yards Off-Hand is Record Made Here

"Bullseyes at 1000 yards offhand." This assertion would arouse no great interest in one who was not aware of the possibilities of the ordinary rifle.

The question "How can it be done, reports of the records came to the attention of the DAILY CALEDONIAN representative was sent to investigate. Following is the story:

A. B. Pratt, of Our Husband's Manufacturing Company, Lyndonville, is the man who has made these things possible.

We took a regular Springfield army rifle and the remodeled gun and stepped out to the rear porch of the house. I had never fired a rifle, but possessed an idea of what to expect when I fired one.

The target was the regulation government size, 12 x 6 feet, with a three foot bullseye. At the great distance, the mark seemed very small, and to hit it, not to be impossible.

Huntton, March, and Vignault miss a their records on May 31, 1917. It was their first attempt at such a distance.

LYNDON CENTER.

(Mildred Rivers, Correspondent.) Emerson Blodgett, Dana Sherburne, Lillian Wright, and Andrew Batchelder are all ill with the measles.

The case of Clayton P. Hill versus the Passumpsic Telephone Company was resumed Wednesday morning in the Caledonia County Court.

The next witness called by the plaintiff was Stanley F. Garfield, of this town, who was with Stone when the pole on which they were strung fell.

MERRY DOZEN HOLD MEETING

Enjoy Excellent Entertainment at Home of Mrs. Hurley. The Merry Dozen met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Bertha Hurley.

Record Number Baptized

Twenty-four children, a record number were baptized Sunday morning by the Rev. George A. Martin at the Grace Methodist church.

ST. JOHN SBURY CENTER.

Sermon to the Graduating Class by Rev. Caldwell—Locals.

(Edith McLaughlin, Correspondent.) Rev. R. S. Caldwell delivered an excellent baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the grammar school last Sunday morning.

The Academy Commencement week observations Wednesday began with chapel exercises in the morning. In the afternoon the masque "Youth" was presented, by members of the senior class, on the Academy grounds.

At four o'clock in the afternoon the masque "Youth" was presented, proving one of the most interesting and pleasing performances of its kind ever given by a graduating class.

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WELLS RIVER

(Mrs. D. G. Farwell, Correspondent.) Graduation of W. R. H. S.

The commencement exercises of the W. R. H. S. was begun with the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Donald Fraser on Sunday evening. The public is cordially invited to the graduation exercises and reception at Village Hall, June 19 at 8 p. m.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

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CLASS PRESENTS YOUTH, A MASQUE

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BARNET

(C. E. Hazelton, Correspondent.) This is Red Cross campaign week throughout the state of Vermont to try and raise two hundred thousand dollars, and every family in Barnet will be visited by some member of the Red Cross and asked to sign a pledge card.

Dr. H. Carmichael who is at the head of the Wassen Memorial Hospital at Springfield, Mass., is spending several days with Dr. E. Hazelton, Heinrich W. Reese has arrived to take charge of the boys' camp at Harvey's Pond at West Barnet.

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WEST DANVILLE.

(Mrs. E. F. Ayer, Correspondent.) Miss Gladys Johnson, who has been nursing at St. Johnsbury, has returned home.

Mrs. Pym and Miss Gladys and Harold Pym of New York are stopping at Lakeside—William Brickett came home from St. Johnsbury over Sunday—Austin Goss came home from Providence, R. I. last Saturday for a vacation.

EAST ST. JOHN SBURY.

(Mrs. G. W. Dodge, Correspondent.) Mrs. Hannah Lee, who has been in Lunenburg the past winter, is visiting friends here on her way to her home in Glover.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters are advertised for the week ending June 16: Ladies—Margherite Deroh, Mrs. Christie Greenwood, Marion Sharon, Genevieve—F. C. McKenny, Charley Lushey.

CALL VERMONT MEN TO ARMY

196 Are Needed In U. S. Quartermaster Reserve Corps; Exempt

Montpelier, June 11.—The Vermont Committee of Public Safety has sent out letter to all members of the District Committees of Public Safety. This letter calls attention to the fact that the Northeastern Department of the United States regular army has issued a call for 196 men from Vermont to act as truck drivers, wagoners, clerks, cooks and the like.

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RYEGATE.

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