

# RIFLES RING THE BUNDESFEEST COMPETITION

## RESULT OF SUNDAY'S WORK WITH THE RIFLE

Shooting on the Honorary Target by a Few of the Enthusiasts and Some Good Scores Are Registered to Their Credit

**L**ITTLE shooting, comparatively speaking, was done on the ranges yesterday. This was due to the presence of great crowds, which are annoying in a degree to the best of marksmen. As the fest progresses more and more candidates for honors will compete.

The following made the highest scores for the day on the principal targets: American standard target, H. M. Pope, Zettler Rifle Club, New York, 47; man target, H. M. Pope, 75; ring target, A.

York; F. W. Belknap, Shooting Section Turn Verein Germania, Los Angeles.

### SUCCESSFUL BEGINNING OF FESTIVAL

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Jungblut, San Francisco, 69; Eureka target, August Hohman, San Francisco, 63. Three gold medals were won during the day by those making 150 points or more, and were awarded to the following: T. R. Geisel, Springfield, Mass., 210; Jacob Grubler, Sacramento, 191; E. Schmid, Sacramento, 194.

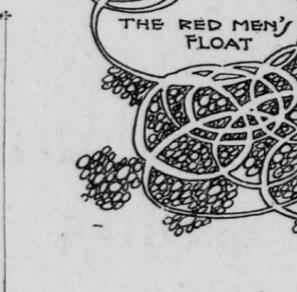
The following who made fifty and above on the point target received the silver medal: Philo Jacoby, 107; F. Boeckman, 89; O. Schlueter, Fresno, 56; George Keffel, San Jose, 64; Rudolph Scherf, San Jose, 59; Henry Kuhls, 101; F. D. Smith, 92; T. R. Geisel, Springfield, Mass., 210; Edward H. Goetze, 104; Jacob Grubler, Sacramento, 194; George Quittmeyer, Bridgeport Schuetzen Verein, Bridgeport, Conn.; M. C. Ramsey, Pope-Ramsey Rifle Club, Grand Junction, Colo.; J. Mendelson, Pope-Ramsey Rifle Club, Trinidad, Colo.; Homer Elliott, Denver Rifle Club, Denver; T. D. East, Pope-Ramsey and Denver Rifle Clubs, Denver; C. Brown, Pope-Ramsey Rifle Club, Grand Junction, Colo.; W. W. Yeager, Pueblo Rifle Club, Pueblo, Colo.; C. A. Shafer, Pueblo Rifle Club, Cheyenne, Wyo.; H. C. Jacobson, Pueblo Rifle Club, Black Hawk; O. W. Barnes, Pope-Ramsey Rifle Club, Grand Junction, Colo.; F. Schumacher, Dr. T. Schumacher, San Jose Rifle Club, San Jose; J. P. Delephanty, Zettler Rifle Club, Pittston, Pa.; A. Bergerow, Independent New York Schuetzen, Newark, N. J.

M. E. Taber, Charles A. Lughton, August Marquis, John Hauerwaas, Shooting Section Turn Verein Germania, Los Angeles; George Keffel, C. H. Letcher, Rudolph Scherf, San Jose Rifle Club, San Jose; Thomas P. Geisel, Springfield Shooting Association, Springfield, Mass.; H. Theodore Schumacher, F. R. Schumacher, New York; Julius Reichers, W. E. Maxey, San Jose Rifle Club, San Jose; C. F. Gennerich, John H. Rhode, Henry Koster, New York Central Schuetzen Corps, New York.

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President Kuhl, salutes the crowd.



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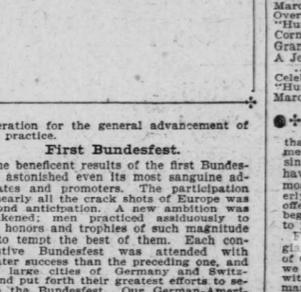
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## MONDAY'S PROGRAMME

Reception in the Morning and a Band Concert in the Afternoon

**T**HIS will be official reception day at the Bundesfest, and the visiting sharpshooters will be formally received by the president and officers of the National Schuetzen Bund at their headquarters. The reception will begin at 10 o'clock this morning.

The shooting at the ranges will begin at 8 a. m. and will last till 7 p. m., with an hour's intermission between noon and 1 o'clock. There will be the distribution of prizes, won during the day, at the "Temple of Gifts."

The general visitors, who may not care to follow the ups and downs of the sharp-

shooters at the ranges, will be entertained by an open air concert by Ritzau's band. The programme will be as follows:

March, "Third National Bundes Festival".....Ritzau  
Overture, "The Merry Widow".....Ritzau  
Concert waltz, "Stories of the Forest of Vienna".....Strauss  
Trombone solo, "The Merry Widow".....Strauss  
Gems from "The Wizard of the Nile".....Herbert  
March, "Hohenoller Ruhm".....Frisch  
Overture, "The Merry Widow".....Ritzau  
Hunting Scene in the Black Forest".....Vollker  
Carnet solo by T. Valera.  
Grand Fantasia, "Lohengrin".....Wagner  
A Jersey Review, "The Mosquito Parade".....  
Celebrated "Plasticka Polka".....Strauss  
Hungarian Dances".....Brahms  
March, "Schubert's Life".....Hofmann

that object we shall leave to your judgment. Not the riflemen alone, but all the singers, turners, German and other societies have vied with each other to prepare the most cordial reception for you. What trophies of honor and prizes are in store for you to offer you is at your disposal. Accept it, we beg of you. We open our hearts and homes to you and bid you enter.

### RUMORS OF DISASTER

#### ALARM NEW YORKERS

Heavy Fog in Harbor Responsible for Stories of Wrecks.

**NEW YORK, July 14.**—Fog tied up the harbor to-day. The excursion steamboats on their way to Coney Island had to feel their way through the mist. The presence of the fog gave rise to startling reports that two excursion boats had gone down with all on board. When sifted down, these rumors proved themselves into the fact that the small excursion boat Julia, plying between Canarsie and Rockaway, had gone ashore in Canarsie Bay, but was hoisted again in two hours. No one was hurt.

**RESCUE YOUR APPETITE**  
WITH CALIFORNIA CHUTNEY SAUCE  
Delicious with steaks, chops, etc.  
15¢ & 25¢ All Grocers

### MAKES FIFTH VOYAGE

#### THROUGH THE RAPIDS

Carlisle Graham Once More Tempts Death at Niagara Falls.

**Special Dispatch to The Call.**  
**NIAGARA FALLS, July 14.**—Carlisle Graham this afternoon made his fifth successful voyage through the whirlpool rapids in a barrel. The start was made from the Maid of the Mist landing below the falls. The barrel was caught in an eddy and circled about a little above the cantilever bridge for a quarter of an hour. The stronger current in the middle of the stream finally jerked it out of the eddy into the foaming waters of the rapids.

Passing under the second bridge the barrel had a narrow escape from being dashed to pieces against the stone abutments of the bridge. The passage through the rapids was swift. It took the barrel five minutes to reach the eddy from the starting point and twenty minutes to get out of it, but it took only three and a half minutes to pass through the rapids and the whirlpool, a distance of about a mile.

### CALIFORNIAN SPEAKS

#### TO THE WHITE BOXERS

Says the Order Is Gaining in Numbers on the Pacific Coast.

**Special Dispatch to The Call.**  
**CHICAGO, July 14.**—About fifty grown persons and about three times that number of children gathered in America Hall, 77 Thirty-first street, to-day and took part in the regular weekly meeting of the "White Boxers." Five men wearing domed hats and black robes were in black robes and one was in white. All wore conical shaped hoods. The children were not a bit alarmed at this mysterious array. They applauded heartily, and some even dared to laugh.

Joseph E. Trullitt, deputy chief of Conclave No. 7 of the "Boxers," stalked upon the stage and held up his hands for silence. He had no mask, but a flowing black gown concealed his form. He began by reading a short passage from the Bible, and then called upon Mr. Hopp of the California "White Boxers" to speak. Mr. Hopp wore a white robe. He said he just arrived from the Pacific Coast, where the Chinese were wielding a tremendous influence on white labor. The "White Boxers" of California, he said, were growing in numbers.

### SAILS FOR THE NORTH

#### IN SEARCH OF PEARY

Steamer Erik Leaves North Sydney Provisioned for One Year.

**Special Dispatch to The Call.**  
**HALIFAX, July 14.**—The steamer Erik left North Sydney this evening on her voyage to the north. She is to call at Labrador and then at the various Esquimaux stations in Greenland west, reaching Etah under favorable conditions in about three weeks. At the various stations she will make inquiries as to news of Lieutenant Peary and the Windward. The Erik took 350 tons of coal and is fully provisioned for at least a year. The members of the Peary Arctic Club who were on the steamer are: Dr. F. A. Cook, surgeon of the expedition; I. C. Stone and Herbert Berr, both of Brooklyn; C. F. Wickoff and I. C. Bennett of Elgin, N. Y., and Alfred W. Church of Elgin, Ill.

Dr. Cook said that fourteen American gentlemen have agreed to contribute \$1000 a year for four years to aid Peary in his work of Arctic exploration. The Erik carries a crew of sixteen all hardy Newfoundlanders.

### NOTORIOUS DESPERADO

#### FIRES HIS LAST SHOT

Attempts to Kill a Camper and Is Instantly Shot Down.

**Special Dispatch to The Call.**  
**ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., July 14.**—Charles Salonge, known as the "Bay Nigger," notorious as a desperado, was shot dead just over the border in Arizona yesterday. For a quarter of a century he has lived alone on Bonanza Wash, a tributary of Burraun Creek. He was known as a desperate man, easy to arouse and quick to shoot. He is reported to have killed twenty-five men. Recently he lost a stallion that was afterward found dead, and he suspected Newman and Brown, campers near by, of killing it, but he never mentioned his suspicions to them. Nevertheless the men knew they were suspected of the killing, and shortly after their team of horses were found dead with bullet holes in their heads. Newman accused Salonge of killing his horses, whereupon the latter raised his rifle and fired, but the bullet went wild of its mark and before he could fire a second shot Brown sent a ball through his brain. At the coroner's inquest Newman and Brown were exonerated from any blame, the jurors holding that the killing was done in self-defense.

"The Missouri Pacific Limited."  
The only route having through sleeping car service between San Francisco and St. Louis daily. Stop-overs allowed at Salt Lake City. For full information ask L. M. Fletcher, 128 California street.

### DISASTER TO SHIPS

#### ON THE ARCTIC SHORE

Two Vessels Are Damaged Off the Beach Near St. Michael.

**Special Dispatch to The Call.**  
**SEATTLE, July 14.**—The steamer John S. Kimball, which sailed from Nome July 4, arrived to-day with twenty passengers and \$75,000 in gold from that district. The gold was consigned principally to a local bank.

The vessel reports that St. Michael, as regards the discharge of freight from steamer, was still locked up July 3. Passengers could land and about 2000 from the Klondike and other Yukon camps had returned home, two-thirds of them being Nome-bound.

### SINKS IN THE RAPIDS

#### SIGHT OF FRIENDS

Sad Fate of Chief Engineer of the Water Boundary Commission.

**Special Dispatch to The Call.**  
**EL PASO, Tex., July 14.**—A private dispatch received here this morning announces that P. D. Cunningham, chief engineer of the International Water Boundary Commission, was drowned in the rapids of the Rio Grande below Eagle Pass by the overturning of his skiff. His body was lost, but the river is being dragged to recover it. Cunningham was chief of a party of attaches of the commission which embarked on the Rio Grande several months ago to explore the river from New Mexico to the gulf. The party was composed of members of both the Mexican and American corps and the task before them was considered one of great hazard owing to the treacherous nature of the stream. They embarked fifty miles above El Paso during a freshet and the skiff voyage was without incident until a few weeks ago, when Cunningham was bitten by a water moccasin while sleeping on the river bank at night. He was in a critical condition when brought back to this city, but soon recovered and rejoined the party. While passing the rapids yesterday he was swept away by the current and was unable to swim ashore and the other boats could not be sent to rescue him. He was swept down by the swiftly flowing waters and it was impossible to locate it. A dispatch this afternoon states that assistance had been secured from a nearby town and that the river is being dragged.

Recently there was presented by Mrs. Carrie J. Drake, president of Malvern Hill Relief Corps No. 59, auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, on behalf of the corps a beautiful American flag, 10x20, to the students of the High School at Fullerton. Not desiring to disappoint the expectant students by postponing the presentation, Mrs. Drake left a sickbed to perform a duty which proved a pleasure to her. Her address of presentation was a very patriotic and eloquent effort. There was a suitable response on behalf of the students, who took a deep interest in the ceremony. This corps will shortly present a like flag to the High School at Anaheim.