

MARKSMANSHIP'S CHIEF ESSENTIAL OF GOOD SOLDIER

Uncle Sam Is Determined that Men in Army Shall Shoot Accurately.

TRAINING Uncle Sam's soldiers how to shoot accurately, or in other words to become good marksmen with the rifle and pistol, is one of the chief essentials of military training in the army nowadays.

Limited Number of Shots. In the recent rifle firing 48 shots are fired with two shots extra, in order to get proper distance, elevation and sight.

Five Classifications. The classifications of firing are five. To obtain qualification at second class 12 points must be made out of a possible 200.

LIEUT. WEST IS TO LEAVE SOON FOR WICHITA, KAN.

Provost Marshal in El Paso Will Take Charge of Recruiting Station.

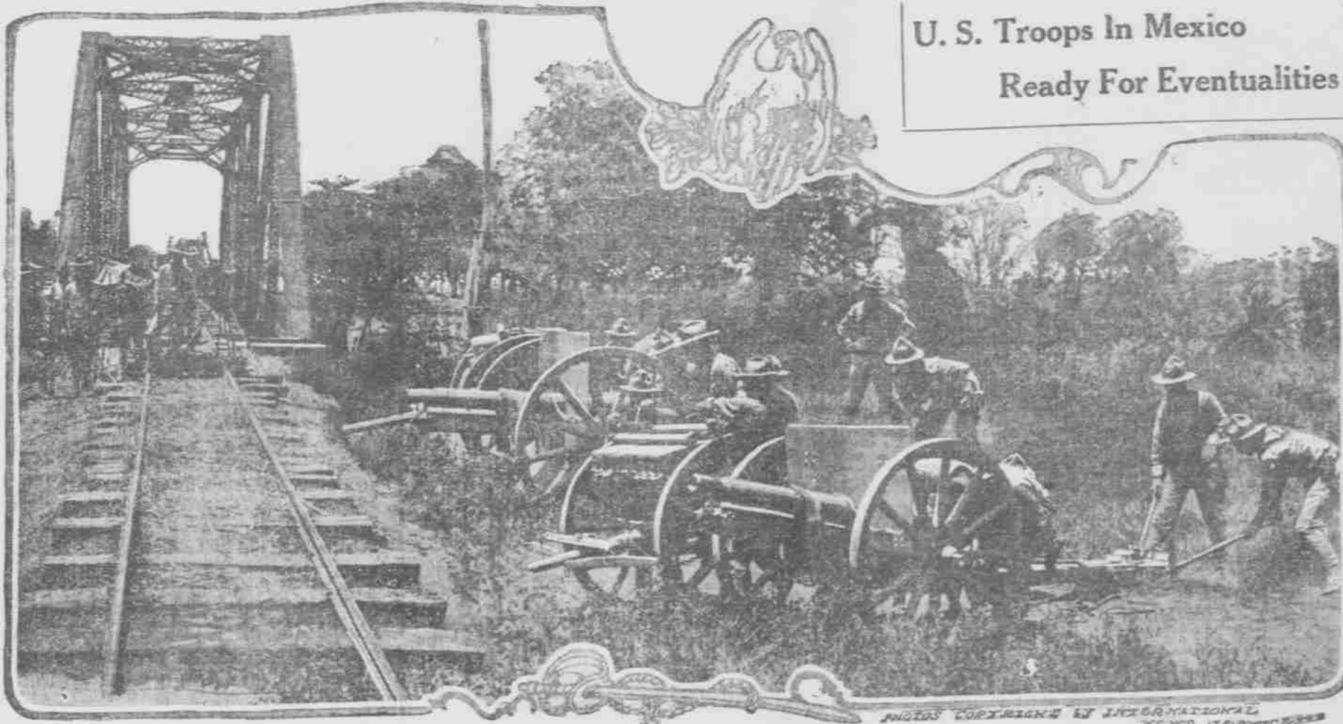
Lieut. Robert John West of the 10th infantry, provost marshal of El Paso, received notification Friday morning of his transfer to Wichita, Kan., where he will take charge of the United States army recruiting station.

Charles James of company H, 6th infantry, has recently been honorably discharged at the expiration of his term of enlistment.

Corporal John Cross has been granted a furlough and is planning to spend it in Cloudfort, N. M.

of a rifle must be understood by a soldier and he must be able to take it down and reassemble its 103 separate parts.

American Artillery Guarding Railroad Bridge



U. S. Troops in Mexico Ready For Eventualities

The Daily Novelette THE FATAL LETTER.

"A drop too much," the hero cried, and dashed out to the lamp-post. "Give me my letter back again, or I am ruined almost!"

THE moon was bathing the city in pale light as Midway Timbers dropped the letter in the mail box.

He had hesitated long before taking that action, but now it was over and he went home to try to sleep.

Several times during the night he awoke vaguely, regretting his decisive step, but it was not until morning that he felt the first real pang of remorse.

"Why did I do it?" he thought. "Why did I do it?"

He dreamed feverishly, for now one thought had possession of him. He must get to the box before the early mail collection induced the mailman to give him back his letter.

It must never be delivered! Midway Timbers and the mailman reached the box at about the same time. For awhile the mailman was undecided.

"It's as much as my job is worth to give you anything out of that box," he said.

"Man, my life is ruined if I don't get back that letter. Timbers, do you hear? I'll tell you what was on it to prove it's mine. Madison Shethers, & I-2 Summ Place."

"Sure enough," said the mailman, "there is one like that. Oh, well, take it. Jeh ka hobbler."

Five minutes later, in the privacy of his own room, Midway Timbers had torn open the letter and extracted the dollar bill that in a weak moment he had sent to Madison Shethers in settlement of their ancient debt.

"Now, I can go to the ball game this afternoon," exulted Timbers.

Raus Mit 'Em Shoe Sale

Following the usual custom the Guarantee is placing on sale their summer stock of shoes previous to the arrival of their fall styles. This sale does not comprise every style we are selling, but there is enough placed on the bargain counter from our immense stock of shoes, so that everybody can get a pair of shoes at a nominal price during this sale.

Advertisement for shoe sale featuring various styles: Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords, MEN'S OXFORDS, Boys', Youths', and Little Gents' Oxfords. Includes price lists and descriptions for each category.

Memories Of the Service

By 1st Sergt. WILLIAM H. SMITH, Company I, 20th Infantry, U. S. A.

THE PHILIPPINES. A thousand miles of laid-straw sea stretching fairly across the great gateway To the Orient and beyond.

Fertile Luzon, emerald of the tropic isles, And Mindanao, hazy wild and fair, Symmetrical Mayon, yea Macanajay, Wrapped in the beauty of summer's robes!

MY PICTURE ALBUM. I've got a picture of the company that I soldiered in, From the time I was a rookie till I retired in 1910.

Our company was just like a great big family, And the cap'n was its father, it always seemed to me.

Bullets didn't kill so many in them insurrection days, For it was awful hot, men got sick, and died in many ways.

But there never was a night some fella didn't ston, No matter how hard the day them voices would always bring Gladness to some sick comrade layin' in his bed.

Then we left that foreign land, said goodby, the war was o'er, And we passed in review upon our native shore.

The streets were lined with people takin' pictures of our return, And I guess I have a hundred or more of them to burn.

When we report to the Cap'n and then march away,

Special Sale of Discontinued Lines

We have selected from our enormous stock of shoes thousands of pairs which are reasonable, but which we will discontinue to buy. In many cases these have been marked down TO LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

Advertisement for shoe sale featuring various styles: Ladies' White Buck Welt Sole Pumps and Oxfords, Ladies' White Buck Turn Soles Pumps and Oxfords, Ladies' Tan Calf and Gray Suede, Welt and Turn Sole Pumps and Oxfords, Odds and Ends in Children's Low Shoes. Includes price lists and descriptions for each category.

Advertisement for The Guarantee Shoe Company, featuring the slogan 'The Guarantee' and 'Greater El Paso's Greatest Shoe Store'. Includes address 203 Mesa and a note that the sale will only last a limited time.