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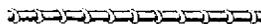
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Proposed Changes in the National Defense Act Affecting the National Guard

BY FRANKLIN W. WARD

Brigadier General, N. Y. N. G. and 1st Vice-President, National Guard Association of the United States

THIS article is written primarily to furnish the burden bearing members of the New York National Guard with information regarding proposed changes in the Federal laws relating to the national defense, which are now before Congress.

These changes have been urged by the Militia Bureau and the National Guard Association of the United States. They modify certain provisions of the present law and add others deemed to be essential or desirable for the progressive development of the National Guard component of the Army.

Through the personal interest of Secretary of War John W. Weeks, General John J. Pershing, and other officials in Washington these amendments have all been approved by the War Department.

Briefly they are as follows:

1. Providing that all persons appointed reserve officers shall be commissioned in the Army of the United States. Officers of the National Guard federally recognized as such to be commissioned in the grade held by them in the National Guard of their respective states for the period during which their federal recognition continues, in lieu of the five-year period times and terminating at the expiration heretofore prescribed. In time of peace such officers to be governed by such special regulations as the Secretary of War may prescribe. Upon termination of their federal recognition, that is, their separation from the National Guard, these officers may be appointed in the officers' Reserve Corps in such grades as their previous service entitles them to receive.

2. Providing that the reenlistment period in the National Guard be for one or three years at the option of the soldier, instead of one year as at present provided.

3. Permitting the use of federal funds allotted by the Secretary of War for the support of the National Guard to be used for the purchase and issue of forage, bedding, shoeing and veterinary services for animals owned or hired by a State or a National Guard organization, not exceeding the number of animals authorized by federal law for such organization, and used exclusively for military purposes. Providing further that of the caretakers for animals, air squadrons and coast artillery units, one may be a civilian in each unit.

4. Providing that captains, lieutenants and warrant officers belonging to organizations of the National Guard shall receive drill pay for not exceeding eight drills or



Brigadier General Franklin W. Ward

other periods of instruction in any one month and not exceeding sixty in one year. At present such officers are restricted to four drills in any calendar month. Providing further for a classification of officers entitled to administration pay and fixing the amount payable to the officers of each class through regulations prescribed by the Secretary of War.

Heroism of a Quarter Century Ago Finally Rewarded

FOR heroism under fire while serving as a major in the Spanish-American War, G. Creighton Webb, No. 640 Madison Avenue, New York City, was formally presented with a citation from President Coolidge on May 5th, on Governors Island. Colonel Julius T. Conrad, Adjutant General's Department, made the presentation.

According to the citation, Major Webb displayed extraordinary gallantry in action against the Spanish forces on July 1, 1898, at El Caney, Cuba, and by his splendid example inspired his entire command to renewed exertions.

Major Webb is a member of one of America's oldest families. His grandfather served in the Revolutionary War as aide-de-camp to General Washington.

5. Providing that enlisted men shall be paid for each drill attended, not exceeding sixty in one year. At present a soldier must attend sixty per cent. of the monthly drills of his unit in order to be paid. Providing further that a soldier may receive compensation, upon certificate, for any drill in which he participates with an organization within the same state at a station other than his own.

6. Providing for the purchase by National Guard officers of uniforms and equipment for cash from Regular Army post exchanges and stores.

7. Providing that sub-divisions of a unit may drill on a night other than the regular drill night of such unit during any one week and be counted in the percentage of attendance for such week.

8. Providing for specialists pay during field exercises. At present cooks, etc., do not receive the pay prescribed for such specialists in the Regular Army.

9. Providing for the abolishment of the percentage of officers of a unit required to be present in order to receive drill pay. At present at least 50 per cent. of the commissioned strength of a unit must be present in order to be paid.

10. Providing for pay and allowances, for a period not in excess of six months, for members of the National Guard, Officers' Reserve Corps and Enlisted Corps, undergoing hospital treatment on account of injuries received in line of duty.

11. Providing for burial expenses of men who die while undergoing training and medical and hospital treatment.

12. Providing for the condemnation of worn-out property by the Regular officer instructors assigned as inspecting officers for the purpose.

The prompt approval of the Senate was procured for all of the above provisions, through a former officer of the New York National Guard, United States Senator James W. Wadsworth, Jr.

During the past two weeks the House of Representatives has also passed practically all of it under the guidance of another former officer of the New York National Guard, namely, Congressman J. Mayhew Wainwright.

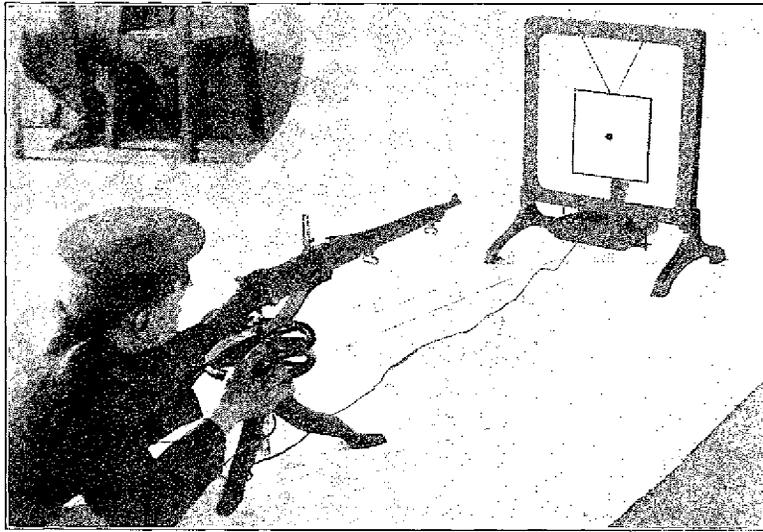
The above legislation is expected to be in the hands of the President before this issue of THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN reaches its readers. His favorable action is practically assured through the initial approval of the amendments by the War Department.

The Problem of Rifle Training

Many Officers Consider Private Nagy's Invention the Solution

WHAT is the matter with our rifle training? Why are we not turning out a larger percentage of qualified shots in our rifle organizations? It is natural that every man, especially every soldier-man, should be a good average rifle shot. We have an excellent rifle, with sights and windage adaptable to do the will of the "man behind the gun," if that man knows his business. But to become a good consistent rifle shot, a man must know every detail of the game and how to make every correction on his rifle to bring a low shot, a high shot, a right shot, or a left shot to the center of the bullseye. He must learn the correct positions, he must learn to hold his breath, to squeeze the trigger, to keep the barrel level, the sights aligned—in other words, he must work constantly and zealously to master all the details in order to become even a marksman, and if he does this, a little more application will soon advance him to a sharpshooter, or expert rating.

But training regulations, "Rifle 150-5", give all the preliminary steps to advance a man to range shooting, and if they were properly instilled into the minds of the recruits by rifle instructors and these recruits passed the examinations on every step of the training, as required, then the red flags on rifle ranges would cease to



The Nagy Triangulation Machine in actual operation. Private Nagy, 102nd Engineers, is the inventor.

wave. The men of the Regular Army have been taught this method by the "grinding route" of keeping a man pounding away at one phase of the instruction until he mastered it. However, in the National Guard, even if all the drill period each week was devoted to rifle training, the time elapsing between weekly drills would prevent a man's rapid progress, unless he was interested enough to do a little grinding work on his own time to speed his progress. In going through the routine of any kind of instruction, if we are interested we voluntarily give our attention, when our advancement is much faster than if we merely succumb to an involuntary instruction because we are required to do it.

In rifle training there is nothing more important, after a man learns position

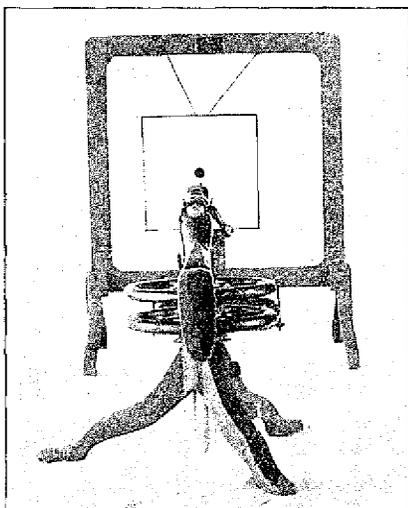
and squeeze, than mastering the art of grouping shots—or making a small triangle with three shots. But triangulation is tedious work; now if this could be made so interesting that men would drop into armories afternoons or evenings on their own time and work at it, the rifle efficiency in the Guard would advance fifty per cent. in a year, and we think we have the answer in the Nagy Triangulation Machine, patented by Private Steven Nagy of the 102nd Engineers, N. Y. N. G.

This mechanical device, as seen in the accompanying pictures, is extremely

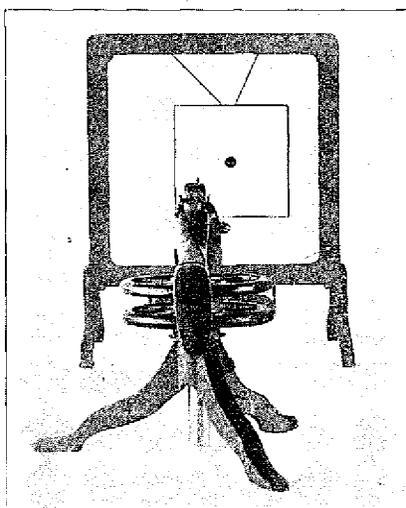
simple in construction and easy to operate. It is a rifle-sighting device. The method is similar compared to the old method of triangulation, where a man holds the bullseye against a sheet of paper and moves it in the direction indicated by the man sighting the rifle, until the sights are aligned on the bullseye, after which the spot is marked through the center of the bullseye with a pencil and repeated three times, or until the triangle group is made.

With this new device, however, the whole operation is accomplished by the man himself at the firing point, by moving the wheels on the rifle stand, which in turn operate the target in any direction until the sights on the rifle are lined up with the bullseye, after which he presses a push-

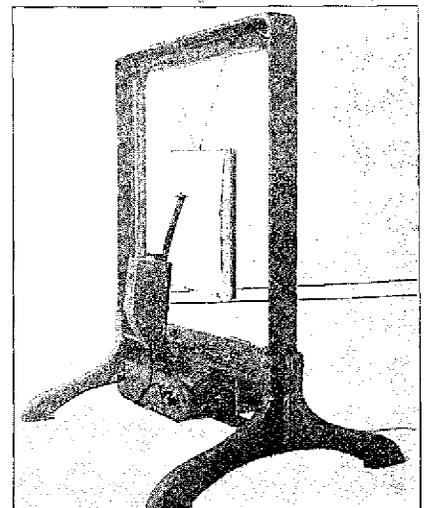
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Position of the moving target before it is lined up with the bull's eye by the operator.



Position of moving target lined up with bull's eye from the firing point by horizontal hand wheels.



Electrical punching device at back of target, operated by a push-button at the rifle rest.

Different Aspects of Swearing

By Capt. Emile S. Harper, Chaplain 27th Division

IS it all right to swear? Nearly all young men would say, "No, not until you are in the Army." Then for some strange reason because they put on khaki, what in civilian life is wrong, becomes the right thing to do.

Any light method of treatment of this habit will not take away from its essential evil. Is there any way it can be stopped? If not stopped can it be greatly lessened? All regard it as wrong, for the lowest only practice it habitually. The sinfulness of it will be touched on incidentally. The churches of whatever denomination regard profanity as a great sin. The law against it is equally valid for Jew, Catholic and Protestant. All regard it as a sin against God and therefore the man who swears insults the loyal member of every church. But some do not know that it is a breach of the civil law and can be punished by imprisonment.

This aspect will not be pressed farther. No man goes fishing with but one fly for his line. It does seem strange that one deaf to this, first great appeal might be reached by another, but we are wonderfully and fearfully made and strange reasons appeal to one and another. So here are different flies for different people:

1. The appeal has been made of needlessly hurling others. Soldiers as a rule are tender and considerate of others' feelings. While one is "hard-boiled" and glories in it yet that same one will not be so inconsiderate of another's feelings. Find out first if all like swearing before indulging.

2. It is just a habit. The army discipline is based upon substituting habit for habit but it is a good habit for a bad habit. Dirty equipment and person is not excused for the reason you always are dirty. Slouching around, being late and a thousand and one other things that can bring the soldier into trouble are not excused because it is just a habit. A man not stronger than a bad habit is only half a man.

3. What every youth hates most is monotony. And our American boys most of all hate it. Change, variety, "pep" is the aim. The boy begins with three or four "cuss" words. Then he adds to the number until the most expert of all has possibly twelve or fifteen. And upon these he plays variations. The most proficient profane man with these words interlards his speech and never dreams how monotonous it sounds to those who after ten minutes' talk has heard every adjective he knows how to use. "Variety is the spice of life."

4. But not one fly will do for every trout. One after another must be tied in the line and delicately flicked before the open mouth.

Open mouth is not purely a figure of speech. Too often true! Many say profanity is a sign of ignorance. Just the few monotonous words to express the whole range of human emotions: joy or sorrow, pain or pleasure, love or hate. When one is hot, cold, hungry, thirsty, tired, sleepy: these same words are the only ones to be used. At a baseball game, a great cathedral, a little baby, Niagara, just these expressions to show his admirations. Add other and better words to the common speech and there will be no need for swearing.

5. It is vulgar. A man apologizes to a girl if she hears him swear. He really is ashamed of it. Only he does not know it.

6. The last fly to try and land the genial Guardsman proved of profane fluency. It is really a sign of weakness. The strong men, the real leaders are proverbially silent men. "Barking dogs never bite." The loud-mouthed, cursing bully never gets respect, attention or obedience. The eye means more than the mouth. Look out for the quiet men.

The only way to stamp out this evil habit is to get the help of the men. They can stamp it out quickly and make the Army the school for clean talk as well as clean living. Then all pulling together, officers and men, ride those that offend in loose speech and make for all the ideals of clean living and clean thinking.

26th Anniversary of Old 7th Separate Company Celebrated

CAPTAIN CHARLES B. PLUMLEY, of Company B, 105th Infantry,

Cohoes, was one of the happiest men in that city when the twenty-sixth anniversary of the Old Seventh Separate Company in the Spanish-American War was celebrated with the annual competitive drill for the Woodward medal and the presentation of the Lieut. Col. James A. McCarthy Basketball Trophy to the Company B regimental champions. The affair this year had a four-fold significance, marking the twenty-sixth anniversary of the old unit in the Spanish-American War; the presentation of decorations for attendance, recruiting and service; the annual competitive drill and the presentation of the basketball trophy.

It was fitting at this time that Capt. Plumley, also Commissioner of Public Safety for the City of Cohoes, should be further honored by receiving from the State of New York his medal for twenty years' service.

After a review by General Ward, came the competitive drill in which Corp. A. R. Green took his first honors for being the most proficient soldier in the Manual of Arms. The judges for this contest were: Capt. Joseph P. Dwyer, Co. D.; Capt. L. Higbee, Co. A, and First Lt. Edward J. Hubbard, of Co. C.

Lt. Colonel John McGaffin, 105th Infantry, made the following presentations: Woodward Medal, Corp. A. R. Green; Twenty Years' Service, Capt. Charles B. Plumley; Ten Years' Service, 1st Lt. Joseph A. Forget, and Supply Sgt. Albert J. Plumley. Distinguished Recruiting: Sgt.

C. Moak, Corps. James Cummill, Fred Curtis; First Cl. Pvt. John Dyer, Texas Gendron, John Nolan; Privts. Stanley Lester and Michale Palka.

Medals for one hundred per cent attendance were distributed to: Capt. Plumley; 2nd Lt. A. H. Tompson; First Sgt. J. J. McDermott; Sgt. T. R. Connery; Corps.

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Capt. Chas. B. Plumley

The Improved .45 Pistol

By Major Lee O. Wright, Ord. Dep't, U. S. A.

PISTOL experts throughout the country will be interested in learning that an improved model of the Colt Automatic Pistol, caliber .45, model of 1911, has been adopted, and a quantity are now under manufacture for issue.

In this improved model an effort has been made to improve the pistol in a number of ways. One of the greatest objections to the standard automatic pistol is the fact that when the average man attempts to point the weapon at an object in the same manner as he would point his index finger, instead of hitting the object, the bullet invariably goes low. The reason for this is the fact that the angle between the grip and the barrel is too acute. This could be remedied by changing the angle, but such a solution would require the manufacture of new receivers and new magazines.

The same object, however, can be accomplished by bringing the main spring housing to the rear, making a sort of hump which fits into the palm of the hand and has the effect not only of giving a better grip on the pistol, but tips the barrel up so that the shooter instinctively points toward the object which he wishes to hit. This change has been made and the main spring housing has also been checked to prevent slipping when the hand is moist.

Many complaints have been received that the fleshy part of the hand between the thumb and the forefinger is pinched between the hammer and the tang of the grip safety when the slide recoils. To remedy this the tang of the grip safety has been made to project farther to the rear, covering this part of the hand and preventing injury during firing.

A change has been made in the trigger which will be welcome, particularly to a man with small hands. The trigger has been cut back approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch and the sides and receivers just back of the trigger cut away. This enables the shooter to grip the trigger with the second joint of the forefinger without assuming a strained position. With the standard gun the average man pulls the trigger with the first joint of the finger.

The front of the trigger has also been checked. For the past four years a wider front sight has been put on the pistols issued for National Match use. This wider front sight has now been adopted as standard and will be placed on all pistols manufactured in the future.

Several of these modifications were suggested by Lieut. W. H. Wenstron of the Cavalry and recommended by the Cavalry

Board. Before adopting the improved pistol a number were made up and tested by the Cavalry Board at Fort Riley and were reported upon favorably. One half-dozen of these pistols were sent out to the National Matches last year in order to get the comments of the shooters. These comments in the main were very favorable.

Another rather important change has been made in the interest of improving the accuracy of the pistol. The Ordnance Department tests show that if the bullet fits slightly tighter in the bore than at the

present, the mean radius will be reduced considerably. As a result of tests, special caliber .45 ammunition made for the National Matches last year was made .0005" larger in diameter than the standard ammunition. In the new pistol this tighter fit is accomplished by reducing the maximum land diameter by .002" and increasing the depths of the grooves .0005". This new type of pistol will be issued at the 1924 National Matches, a sufficient number of those under manufacture being specially selected for this purpose.

107th Infantry's Third Annual Band Concert

THE third annual band concert at the 107th Infantry Regiment Armory on April 26th drew the usual colorful assemblage of veterans, actives, and their friends to the army. The large drill floor was completely transformed by skillful decorating with flags, draperies, palms, etc., which furnished a delightful background for the performing artists. Lieutenant Francis W. Sutherland and his Seventh Regiment Band rendered an excellent program and they are to be commended for the evening of high class music they gave us. Madam Julia Clausen sang two solos and Mr. John Powell played selections of his own composition on the piano. Both were greatly enjoyed and applauded. Dancing in the upper drill hall completed an evening that will long be remembered by all.

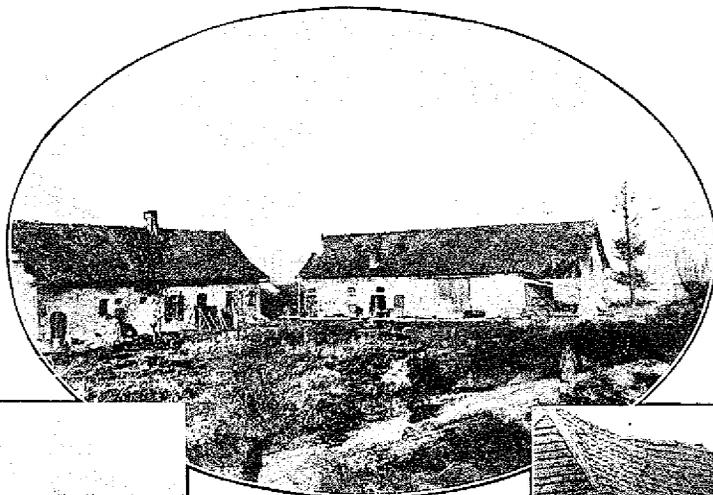
Another annual affair that grows in popularity each year is the mock review. This event always has packed the armory and this year was no exception. Comedy and unique ideas were in abundance and the enlisted personnel deserve high praise for the time and thought they gave to make it a success. This year's was the third annual and was given, according to the program, in honor of BIG CHIEF SITTIN BULL and, celebrating his acceptance into the tribe of Navajo Blankets. Company M was decorated with the "Order of the Iron Radiator" for having the most original and effective costume, their's being a very striking likeness of the Campbell soup can. Dancing in the Company rooms followed.



Here is the new .45 Automatic Pistol described by Major Wright in the accompanying article.

The Famous 105th Infantry in France

The quarters in Camp Smith, Peekskill, are quite different from those occupied by the 105th in Belgium during the World War, as shown by the accompanying pictures.



Left: After the Battle of the Bund, August 21, 1918, regimental headquarters of the 105th, moved to Walker Farm, near Dickebush Lake, in the Ypres district, Belgium.



Left: Officers' quarters of the 105th, about four miles from the front line. This vicinity was shelled frequently. Right: Members of Co. D receiving rations at the front, the place being Mazinghein, Nord, France, and the date October 18th, 1918.



The second period of the Infantry Camp at Peekskill, commencing June 29th, will be devoted to the field training of the 105th and 10th Infantry regiments. The gallant 105th, now in command of Col. Ransom H. Gillet, with headquarters at Troy, was one of the battling infantry regiments of the Glorious 27th Division. Major General Charles W. Berry, upon his promotion to Lieutenant Colonel, was assigned to the 105th, leaving the 106th Infantry as Major. The 10th Infantry, sharing the camp activities with the 105th, is in command of Col. Chas. E. Walsh. This regiment last year captured all the shooting records of the State.

108th Infantry Howitzer Co. Made Fine Basketball Showing

WORK and play is a good combination, and the 108th Infantry officer and enlisted personnel is solidly behind Major-General Charles W. Berry in his effort to bring the National Guard to a high state of efficiency through a big program of athletics.

Rochester units of the 108th started out last fall to put basketball on the map, and the aim was accomplished to the extent that the Howitzer Company, Captain Charles C. Mosher commanding, won the regimental championship and had an opportunity to play in the elimination program for the award of the State National Guard championship.

Winning the 108th championship, Major Arthur T. Smith, acting for the Armory Athletic Association, Rochester, presented an immense trophy cup to the Howitzer Company at a recent dinner party in the armory. In addition, the A. A. A. presented the team a check for \$100.

Amateur rules prevail in Western New York, this style of play being preferred by

professional, amateur, high school, college and semi-professional teams. The Howitzer Company team, playing at Utica, on a neutral court, on May 9, found itself facing a severe handicap in meeting the 105th Infantry team in a contest to determine which team would be sent to New York for the finals. Howitzers lost the contest, 29 to 21.

"Training Circular No. 11, 1923, calls for play of matches under professional rules," Captain Mosher stated in discussing basketball with THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN Rochester correspondent. "These rules are obsolete in this vicinity. All teams seen here this past season played under A. A. A. rules, and this applied to several teams from New York City. Now and then a team from the Metropolis played a half under professional rules and the remainder of the game under amateur rules.

"I believe that if we are going to accomplish the most out of this athletic program that we should play under amateur rules. Let us adopt these rules as stand-

ard for the Guard, giving all units an equal chance.

"I think it advisable to develop the individual unit rather than the regimental team. During the season all attention is centered on the team, and if this unit is the best in the regiment then it is good enough to play in the elimination contests for the championship.

"If a plan is continued which is in vogue in the 105th Infantry, it will be impossible for the best team of a regiment to represent the regiment. To develop a good team during the season only to have a regimental team picked is to lose the *esprit de corps* of the company.

"We consider that we did remarkably well in reaching the finals. Three professional players of the State Basketball League played on the 105th team and for our players to have run up the score they did is most satisfactory. We will be in the fight again next year."

Ed. Note: Lack of space prevents us from printing in this issue an excellent photograph of the Howitzer Company's basketball team. It will appear next month.

Field Artillery Problems Being Solved

By Brigadier General Wm. O. Richardson

EVER since the post Civil War days, the Guard of this State has stood out as an example of efficiency and strength to all the state soldiery throughout our country. The State proved that the National Guard system could be made a success, but it was not until about 1912 that we were able to demonstrate that anything but Infantry, a small amount of Coast Artillery, a few scattered troops of Cavalry, and Field Artillery batteries could be made efficient.

With the completion of the New York Division in 1916, it was demonstrated that the State could maintain and train three regiments of Divisional Artillery, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Field Artillery.

Since the World War and the creation of the Corps Area System by the War Department, our Federal Government has called upon this State to maintain not only the two regiments of Divisional Artillery (75m/m Horse Drawn) now called for by the tables of organization for an Infantry Division, but also two regiments of Corps Artillery, one each of 155 m/m guns and 155 m/m howitzers, both tractor drawn. When this was accomplished we were further called upon to furnish a fifth regiment to become a part of the 44th Division. This call has just been met by converting the 132nd Ammunition Train (Corps) into the 156th Field Artillery (75 m/m Horse Drawn).

From four separate batteries in 1910, in part armed with the old-fashioned 3.2 inch field piece, the Field Artillery of New

York has grown to five regiments and an ammunition train, equipped for war with the modern standard material of the Regular Army.

This is an achievement that we of the Field Artillery are justly proud of and hope that our brothers in arms of the other branches will feel equally proud, for we realize, as they must also, that the sole reason for the existence of Field Artillery is to assist the other arms on the field of battle.

In the training of our Field Artillery since the beginning of the reorganization period we have been most fortunate in having detailed to us as instructors Regular Army officers of both war experience and school training. It has also been most fortunate that the Field Artillery has been able to retain in the service in peace time so many officers of active combat experience, for the Brigade Staff, all the Colonels, with few exceptions the Majors, a majority of the Captains, and very many of the Lieutenants are officers of actual combat experience and years of service.

That the Field Artillery has been handicapped to a very great degree by not having the advantage of a well organized camp for its period of field training is fully realized by the Division Commander. General Berry is working on a plan that will give to the Field Artillery, and in fact all the mounted troops of the State, the same advantages that Camp Smith at Peekskill affords the Infantry.

To accomplish this it will be necessary for the State to purchase a tract of land sufficiently large to afford a range of from six to seven miles, to develop it by building a fully equipped camp with proper sanitary conditions, kitchens, mess shacks, permanent streets, baths, stables, watering facilities and pistol range.

This can hardly be expected by 1925, but should prove possible for the field service of the following year. With possibilities of such a training area in sight, where all the Artillery of the State can be trained, and where reinforced Brigade problems can be worked out over a varied terrain, we have much to look forward to.

The plan to use Montauk Point this year as a training area had to be given up at the eleventh hour because of the purchase of the property by a developing company. The program has been transferred to Pine Camp on the Black River, about twelve or fifteen miles out of Watertown, New York, where there is a sufficient range for the 75's.

The Brigade Commander hopes that within a short period the Field Artillery will be



Brigadier General
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able to establish a proper liaison with the Infantry Brigades, so that each regiment of Field Artillery will be assigned to an Infantry Brigade, and that each Battalion will be assigned to an Infantry Regiment for training purposes, and that, as our training progresses, a perfect liaison will be established between the two arms to the end that in peace time we give to each other a thorough understanding of our methods, problems and effectiveness. In accomplishing this we will go far to overcoming the misunderstandings which were so common during the war.

The schedule for this year's field training is as follows:

July 20th to August 3rd—52nd F. A. Brigade at Pine Camp, N. Y.

July 20th to August 3rd, 102nd Ammunition Train at Pine Camp, N. Y.

July 13th to July 27th—105th Field Artillery at Pine Camp, N. Y.

July 27th to August 10th—156th Field Artillery at Pine Camp, N. Y.

August 24th to September 7th—104th Field Artillery at Pine Camp, N. Y.

July 20th to August 3rd—258th Field Artillery at Fort Eustis, Va.

August 10th to August 24th—106th Field Artillery at Tobyhanna, Pa.

FOR SQUAD ROOM DISCUSSION

1. What is meant by canting a rifle or pistol?
2. What effect does canting have?
3. How can a firer be sure that his rifle is not canted?
4. In aiming where is the eye-sight focused?
5. What is meant by calling a shot?

(See page 32 for answers.)

Cardinal Hayes Reviews 69th

CARDINAL HAYES reviewed the Fighting Sixty-ninth, the famous old regiment of New York Guard, now known as the 165th Infantry, at its Armory on Lexington Avenue last month. This was the first public appearance of the Cardinal since his elevation to that rank and the Armory was thronged with people and thousands were unable to get in.

Battle streamers recently awarded the regiment by the War Department and representing major engagements in the Civil War, World War, and numerous minor actions were blessed and attached to the pike of the regimental colors by the Cardinal.

Engineers and Medical Regiments to Open Peekskill Camp June 15th

THE great Infantry camp at Peekskill will be opened for the 1924 training season on Sunday, June 15th, when the 102nd Engineer Regiment, with headquarters at Fort Washington Avenue and 168th Street, Colonel F. E. Humphreys commanding, and the 102nd Medical Regiment, with headquarters on 66th Street, just off Columbus Avenue, New York City, Colonel L. A. Salisbury, commanding, will go under canvas for two weeks of outdoor life and field military training. The camp has been put in excellent shape by the custodian, Major William W. Weaver, Quartermaster 27th Division, who has the ice houses filled, tent floors and tents erected and put in condition, with the

electric light installed and water supply in readiness.

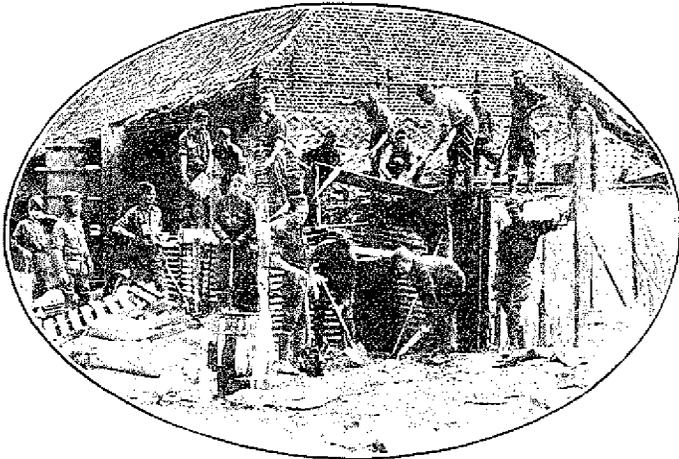
Among the improvements this year will be the swimming basin, a new range for the machine guns and Infantry "light artillery, improvements to other ranges, roads, a Hostess House, etc.

The troops will arrive in camp on Sunday, June 15th, and on Tuesday the Engineer Regiment will commence their rifle range work. They will fire Course "A," the qualifications in which have been made much higher, but the Engineers are good riflemen and will undoubtedly make a better regimental record than last year.

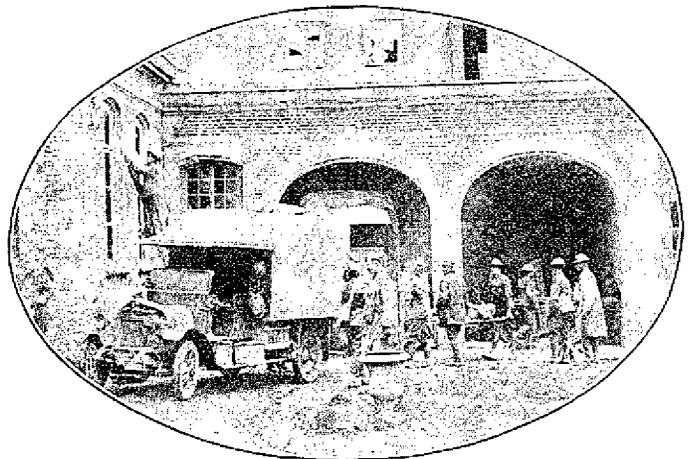
The master of the rifle in the Engineer regiment, and he is some rifle shot and one

of the best coaches and instructors in the Guard, is Lieutenant Colonel George H. Johnson.

The Medical Regiment is not required to have training in marksmanship, consequently the crack of firearms will be limited for this first period of camp training. The Medical Regiment will, however, certainly appreciate the fact that the camp is about to have added to it a Camp Hospital, which has always been needed in Peekskill. There are naturally quite a few casualties during the season when some twenty-five hundred men are continually under canvas and accommodations in the village hospital at Peekskill are usually both inadequate and inconvenient.



Speaking of engineering activity, here is a picture of a dugout for telephone and telegraph under construction by the 102nd Engineers. When it was completed it was protected from all shells under 8-inch. Located about four miles from the front line, it was used as the advanced regimental headquarters of the 105th Infantry, August 20, 1918.



Through the courtesy of the U. S. Signal Corps we are also able to show a picture of the medical activities of the 27th Division in France. This photograph was taken at Busigny, Nord, France, October 13, 1918, and shows medical detachments taking care of the wounded after the 27th Division headquarters was shelled by the enemy on the same day.

Excellent Contests by N. G. Rifle Teams

THE Tenth Infantry N. Y. N. G. Rifle Team took a trip to Plattsburg a few weeks ago and shot a fifteen men match with the 26th Infantry, U. S. A. team, winning by thirty points in a spirited match. The teams and scores were:

10th Infantry, N. Y. N. G.

	300 S.F.	600 S.F.	200 R.F.	300 R.F.	Total
Paddock, H. P., Major	42	45	50	49	187
Norton, R. H., Capt.	42	45	50	50	187
Daeling, H. A., Capt.	41	44	47	49	181
Meecker, J. H., Pvt. 1/c.	41	41	47	47	176
Beil, O., Pvt.	40	43	48	45	176
Wood, P. A., Sgt.	43	43	50	47	183
Blanchard, Pvt. 1/c.	39	39	38	40	156
Wilbur, R. L.	43	42	49	46	180
Smith, C. E., Pvt. 1/c.	41	43	48	47	179
Lamb, W. S., Sgt.	42	47	46	46	181
Smith, F. E., Sgt.	45	41	48	50	184
Murphy, H., 1st Sgt.	39	34	49	47	169
Monroe, W., Pvt.	41	40	50	42	173
Washington, L. R., Corp.	37	44	47	49	177
Hell, S., Corp.	42	41	47	42	172
Totals	618	633	714	696	2661

26th Infantry, U. S. A.

	300 S.F.	600 S.F.	200 R.F.	300 R.F.	Total
Pinnessy, Capt.	35	41	49	47	175
Brady, Lieut.	12	39	43	40	134
Dunkelberg, Lieut.	41	46	50	50	187
Reidson, Lieut.	41	37	46	42	166
Bille, Sgt.	42	39	50	49	180
Perry, Pvt. 1/c.	43	46	46	50	185
Johnson, Pvt. 1/c.	39	46	45	47	177
Harrison, Sgt.	36	44	43	50	173
Turner, 1st Sgt.	34	42	48	47	171
Allen, Cpl.	42	41	47	37	167
Lenski, Sgt.	29	47	46	44	176
Bull, 1st Sgt.	43	39	49	48	179
Metzger, Cpl.	15	40	46	43	144
Parkins, Pvt.	41	46	46	46	179
Butler, Sgt.	39	43	49	47	178
Totals	605	636	703	687	2631

71st Infantry, N. Y. N. G.

	200 S.F.	300 K & S	300 R.F.	600 S.F.	Total
Capt. Dougherty	15	16	50	46	127
Capt. Jelenczyk	46	15	49	46	156
Serjt. Holtzman	45	12	49	49	155
Lt. Martens	46	43	49	46	184
Sgt. Koras	43	45	48	47	183
Sgt. Rosen	44	44	45	49	182
Corp. Phyl	41	42	49	48	180
Pvt. Kovacs	44	44	50	46	180
Lt. Geiss	45	42	49	43	179
Capt. Hall	40	42	49	47	178
Totals	439	431	487	467	1824
Team average	45.60				

West Point

	200 S.F.	300 K & S	300 R.F.	600 S.F.	Total
Cadet Black	46	49	50	47	192
Cadet McDonough	45	47	50	47	189
Cadet Lee	43	45	50	49	187
Cadet Gallbraith	42	46	50	49	187
Cadet Miller	45	45	47	49	186
Cadet Hamilton	43	44	49	48	184
Cadet Barth	42	48	44	49	183
Cadet Bowman	38	46	50	48	182
Cadet Johnson	40	44	44	48	176
Cadet Williams	41	37	45	48	171
Totals	425	451	476	482	1834
Team average	45.85				

The 71st Infantry, N. Y. N. G., had a hot contest with the Cadets at West Point on May 10th, being beaten by 20 points after putting up a good big average. Major A. E. Wells, the team captain, was not disheartened with this defeat.

Keep Smiling

With the Aid of Scissors, Paste Pot and Brain Storms

"WELL," says one doughboy to the other after the girls had gone home from the visit to the camp, "I wish my female friends would stop putting rouge on their lips. I think it's rather poor taste."

Take No Chances

It was a bumpy old vehicle that was taking the traveler to the station. What's more, it was the slowest thing since the Ark, and its passenger was becoming fearful of missing his train.

"Is your horse sick?" he asked the driver, after the beast had pulled up against the side of the road again and was contemplating nature.

"Nope."

"Balky?"

"Nope—but he's so danged afraid I'll say Whoa! an' he won't hear me that he stops every quarter of a mile to listen."—*Legion Weekly*.

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Mary

Mary had a limousine;
She rode it everywhere.
It cost a lot for gasoline,
But, oh, boy! She Got There.

—*Exchange*.

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Incredible

He: "Did you ever see a corn-husking bee?"

She: "No, and I don't believe any bee can do it."

—*Legion Weekly*.

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The Old-Fashioned Girl

"My girl's got a dress she'll never wear out."

"What kind is it?"

"Her nightgown."

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Recruiting Officer—What's your name?
Recruit—Wood.

R. O.—What's your wife's name?

Recruit—Wood, of course.

R. O.—H-m, both Wood. Er any kindling?

—*The Leatherneck*.

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Sheik: Oh, come on. Let's go for a ride. I'm harmless.

Flapper: Indeed? And who wants to go for a ride with a guy that's harmless?

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A hundred years ago today a wilderness was here;

A man with powder in his gun went forth to hunt a deer,

But now the times have changed somewhat —are on a different plan,

A dear, with powder on her nose goes forth to hunt a man.

—*Boll Weevil*.

Thrift

The man who put something aside for a rainy day has nothing on the fellow who did likewise for a dry one.—*Life*.

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They Never Make a Mistake in Camp

"I'll bite, what is it?" said one mosquito to another as they landed on a mummy!

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Epitaph

There was a young rounder named Lou,
Who made up a batch of home brew,

He took a wee nip,

Just a moderate sip,

Funeral—Tuesday at two.

Told by The Marines.

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ENGINEER OLD TIMER—"Heard about the new liquor issue?"

MEDICAL RECRUIT (Eagerly):—"No, where is it being issued now?"

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Englishman (watching an intercollegiate dance)—I say, they get married afterwards, don't they?—*Brown Jug*.

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"I wonder if you know whether George Washington was a soldier or sailor."

"Sure, he was a soldier!"

"How do you know?"

"Because I saw a picture of him crossing the Delaware and any sailor would know enough not to stand up in the boat."

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Farewell Tour

Western exchange: "Sunday morning Mr. Frazer sang, 'I May Not Pass This Way Again,' to the great delight of the congregation."—*Boston Transcript*.

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Foreman—What about carrying some more bricks, Murphy?

Murphy—I ain't feeling well, guv'nor; I'm trembling all over!

"Well, then, lend a hand with the sieve."

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Judge: This lady says you tried to speak to her on the dock.

Sailor: It was a mistake. I was looking for a shipmate's girl whom I had never seen before, but who'd been described to me as a handsome blond with classic features, fine complexion, perfect figure, beautifully dressed and—

Witness: I don't care to prosecute the gentleman. Anyone might have made the same mistake. —*The Leatherneck*.

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Auto Suggestion

Click: "A great light dawned upon him."

Clack: "And did he dodge the car in time?"—*Exchange*.

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Smile Awhile

A maiden entered a Chambers Street bus
And firmly grasped a strap,
And every time they hit a hole
She sat in a different lap.
The holes grew deeper, the perking worse,
Till at last she gasped with a smile,
"Will someone kindly tell me, please,
How many laps to a mile?"

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After all it isn't what a man thinks,
It's what he drinks.

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Sitting Pretty

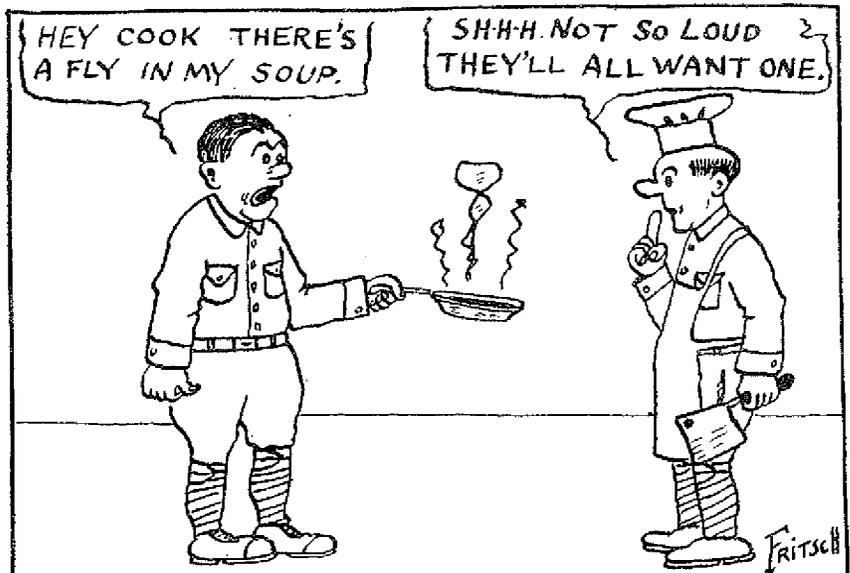
First Girl—My roommate and I are having a race to see which one can go out with the most fellows this year.

Second Girl—Is that so. Who's in the lead?

First Girl—Well, I'm about ten laps ahead.—*Michigan Gargoyle*.

Wet—What's good for the flu besides whiskey?

Wetter—Good Lord! Who cares?



And For All This—We Thank You!

Journalistic Effort of the National Guard Receives High Praise from
Newspapers of the State

Citizen Soldiers in Print

THE New York National Guard now has a monthly magazine, the inaugural issue of which appeared in the armories this week and presents for the first time in the history of the State's organized defenders a publication all their own.

"Better Guardsmanship and Better Citizenship" is the slogan selected for the periodical by Major General Charles W. Berry, commanding the National Guard. In General Berry's foreword is contained the promise that the magazine will maintain a non-political policy and that it will not "underwrite the ambitions of any individual." That is a promise which deserves the applause and commendation of the whole 22,000 of the Guard's membership.

The purpose of THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN, which is the title of this newest venture of our citizen soldiers in the field of publicity, is to furnish the members of the organization from one end of the State to the other with its own monthly budget of official news and propaganda for a better and more efficient National Guard—Editorial in New York *Telegram and Evening Mail*.

Guard Magazine Makes Debut

COPIES of the first issue of THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN, an official magazine published in the interests of the New York National Guard, were received at the State Armory today and will be distributed to all members of local units of the state forces. Major General Charles W. Berry, commander of the Guard, is sponsor for the publication. It has received the endorsement of Governor Alfred E. Smith, commander-in-chief of the military and naval forces of New York; of Brigadier General Edward J. Westcott, adjutant general of the state, and others prominent in military circles.

Lieutenant Colonel Fred M. Waterbury is the editor and the magazine is published at 47 West Thirty-fourth street, New York City. It will be published monthly. The first issue contains much of interest to members of the National Guard, including an outline of activities of the state forces for the remainder of the year.—The *Binghamton Press*.

Extending the Glad Hand

TOWN TALK takes pleasure today in extending a fraternal glad hand to THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN, an official magazine published in the interests of the New York National Guard.

THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN,

HOW THE MEN FEEL ABOUT IT

Company L, 108th Infantry
State Armory, East Church Street,
Elmira, New York

May 7th, 1924.

Lt.-Col. Fred. M. Waterbury,
Headquarters New York National
Guard,
No. 829 Municipal Building,
New York City, N. Y.

My dear Colonel:

At a meeting of Company L, 108th Infantry, N. Y. N. G., a motion was made, seconded and unanimously carried that a vote of thanks be given you and your associates for the copies of "The New York National Guardsman" that were given them.

A number of the men spoke of the pleasure they derived from reading it. I want to thank you personally and also congratulate you and your staff for the splendid publication. I believe that it will be a fine thing for the National Guard.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) JAMES RIFFE,
Captain, 108th Infantry.

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which will be edited by Lieut. Col. Fred M. Waterbury, is not the first publication to be published by the New York Guard. In the days when the Guard was the Sixth Division, there was *The Rio Grande Rattler*, published at Mission, Tex. We had the distinguished honor, we chronicle modestly, to serve under Lieut. Col. Waterbury as an associate editor of that soldier newspaper. *The Rattler* was succeeded in due time by *The Gas Attack*, published at Camp Wadsworth, S. C., when the Guard, then the Twenty-seventh Division, prepared there for service "over there."—The *Syracuse Telegram*.

Col. Waterbury Edits Guard Magazine

LIEUTENANT COLONEL FRED M. WATERBURY, former captain of Co. L, this city, and a member of the New York State National Guard for many years, is editor of the new monthly publication, THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDS-

MAN, the first issue of which appeared recently.

The magazine is published for members of the New York National Guard, who receive it free of charge. On the advisory board with Colonel Waterbury are Major General Charles W. Berry and Brigadier Generals Edward J. Westcott, George R. Dyer, Edgar S. Jennings, Franklin W. Ward, Mortimer D. Bryant and William O. Richardson.

Colonel Waterbury is experienced in newspaper work, both as a publisher and editor, having been engaged in the printing business here for a number of years prior to devoting all of his time to military work. He was editor and publisher of the *Saratoga Eagle* for many years.

At present Colonel Waterbury is a member of the 27th Division staff as ordnance officer.—The *Daily Saratogian*.

Guard Publication Creates Favorable Impression

DURING the last week THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN, the official publication of the National Guard of the State made its initial appearance and created a highly favorable impression among Brooklyn Guard members.

THE GUARDSMAN is a monthly to be published on the fifteenth of each month and distributed free to all members of the Guard. Lieutenant Colonel Fred M. Waterbury is the editor-in-chief, Matthew J. Eder, the general manager and J. A. Harris, the business manager.

THE GUARDSMAN is a thirty-two page magazine, containing articles on Guard affairs of every nature by men active in National Guard affairs all over the State. Governor Smith has a letter of commendation in the issue, in which he compliments the editors of the publication for its evident success and its purpose. The magazine is to be "strictly non-political," according to the announcement of the staff, and will not "underwrite the ambitions or activities of any individual, public or private."—The *Brooklyn Times*.

National Guard Magazine Is Attractive

COPIES of THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN, the first official state publication of the New York Military establishment, were received in Rochester today for distribution among Rochester units of the 108th Infantry.

Containing 32 pages, the magazine, printed with a three-color cover, is attractive
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A PEACE-TIME MOBILIZATION

AT a dinner of the Reserve Officers' Association held recently at the Hotel Astor, New York City, General Pershing spoke at length of the plans being perfected for a peace-time mobilization of the Regular Army, the National Guard and the Reserve Officers, September 12th. He said that the purpose of such a scheme was to drive home the problems of mobilization in case of war, not only to the officers themselves but to the public generally. The scheme test contemplated is the assembly for one day of the Regular Army, the National Guard and the officers enrolled in the reserve units at their home stations, to interest the people in their local unit and through public meetings, or joining the ranks for one day, to bring all our citizens to the realization of the expediency, wisdom and necessity of having some sort of foresight in the matter of quick response if a call comes to take up arms in defense of our country. This should prove a fitting way to celebrate Defense Day, in commemoration of the victory of St. Mihiel.

From now until early fall the slogan will be "Keep the camp fires burning."

As the June issue of THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN

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goes to press, the crack shots of the National Guard and civilian clubs are contesting fifteen trophy match events at Camp Smith, Peekskill, being the combined Annual Rifle Tournament of the New York State Rifle Association and the New York State Matches of the National Guard. It will make interesting reading in the July issue, which will run the complete story.

"Bodies and Brains"

WHEN General Gouraud, known as the "Lion of Argonne," visited this country, one of the Metropolitan daily papers under the caption of "Bodies and Brains" contained the following:

"The right arm of this great French soldier is gone, he still limps from a wound in the right foot, and he bears scars of several other wounds received in his many campaigns. But he is still in the service of his country. Had General Gouraud been a soldier of the United States he would now be out of the service on little pay on account of these physical defects. His body is broken, but his brain is not—and France knows it is that brain, and not the body, that makes the great soldier."

It seems to be the opinion of a great many that business or professional men should be retired when they age mentally, rather than when they arrive at a certain number of years. At least in the Army and Navy, let's keep the men of seasoned military judgment to do the thinking and the planning, rather than trying to make old men of them by pushing them out of the picture at sixty-four.

Rumors are still flying around that the Army is about to adopt a dress uniform.

We extend to the 156th Artillery a hearty welcome! There is *some* bunch of artillery in the National Guard of New York State at present, and "the caissons go rolling along!"

National Rifle Day

THE Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice designated June seventh as National Rifle Day and on that day the sixteen hundred and fifty civilian rifle clubs in the United States and Alaska held "open house" in an effort to show their communities how the old tradition of "America, a Nation of Riflemen," is being maintained. There was a time when that tradition was an actuality, but it is no longer true, for, although the riflemen of the United States at the present time hold all the world's titles, the percentage of rifle shooters when you consider the total population is surprisingly small, especially when compared with the percentage of shooters in the little Republic of Switzerland. This year Switzerland will have 43,000 competitors in the Swiss National Rifle Matches at Berne.

Regimental rifle teams are coming to the front in the National Guard. They have been increasing in prowess for the past two years. Within the month the 10th Infantry rifle team defeated the 26th Infantry team (Regulars) at Plattsburgh some thirty points in a spirited match and the 71st Infantry rifle team was defeated by the West Point Cadets by only ten points. In this match the National Guardsmen averaged 45.60 per man and the Cadets 45.85 per man.

General Berry's Editorial

Field Training

THE season of field training for National Guard organizations is at hand, and it was felt that a few thoughts along this line might not be amiss.

Every unit commander during the indoor drill period has been engaged in training his command in military science. The minutia of different maneuvers and evolutions have been worked out in detail. Efficiency in the use of the arms of the service has reached a high standard, and the organizations are ready to take the field at short notice and demonstrate that they know the game and can be a credit to themselves and the Army.

Field Training is a call to actual service, and will show all intelligent officers just how effective the training has been and how much dependence may be placed on the organizations concerned.

It is like a man with a new machine. He has been singing about its superior qualities until everyone is tired of listening. He has boasted of its possibilities and dreamed of its performances, and finally the time arrives when an actual test must be made. He is obliged to bring it out and show his neighbors from Missouri the real facts. No machine or military body can be successful on theory alone; they must be tried out.

The excellence of an organization is judged by its field efficiency. This short sentence means much, because all military training is only a preliminary to real service. Many commanders have excellent commands as long as their units are in their own quarters and others only excel while in the field.

There is nothing more demoralizing than to see a poorly trained regiment in the open during severe weather. Wet, cold, hungry and uncomfortable as human beings can ever be, simply because they don't know what it is all about. One could only surmise what would happen to such an organization under battle conditions.

The lesson to be learned from this is that every officer who is responsible for troop training should direct all of his efforts to the one objective. For one does not need a military education to know that unless an organization can take the field effectively, train and detrain without confusion, be able to take care of itself anywhere and under any conditions, and above all be able to strike with all the power of its personnel and arms as one man, that it is of little use to the Army and nation.

Military bodies that exist solely as ornaments, or to grace social functions, have no place in the National Guard of today. There is very little of the social amenities on a naked bayonet or an unlimbered seventy-five.

Another side of the field training period must not be lost sight of, and that is the opportunity given to get in some work that could not be done indoors or could only be done when the entire unit is together. Don't neglect this phase of the training.

No organization ever reaches perfection, and a period of field training will show the experienced commander where his weak points are, and the proper corrective measures will follow. Sometimes it is the marksmanship, or discipline, or hygiene or other of the many things that make up military effectiveness, but no matter if it is one thing or many, note it down and arrange future training to obviate the weak spots.

During preparation for war, field training is carried to extremes, because time is of paramount importance and a command must not only be trained but hardened and put in the best condition possible, so that hardships and physical strain may be carried to the limit of human endurance. On the athletic field thorough preliminary training will carry the contestant successfully through a gruelling contest and in battle, other things being equal, the same conditions hold good. The troops who are trained to the hour, whose morale is high because they have the grit and endurance will advance and hold on again and again and keep this up until the enemy is beaten by sheer physical exhaustion.

In time of peace while field training should be thorough it need not be carried to this extreme. Officers of long service remember the old practice of taking soft, untrained men from home and business and engaging them in long so-called maneuvers until, exhausted and foot sore, they returned home and took a couple of weeks to recuperate before they could again resume their daily routine. Little was gained by this practice, except to demonstrate conclusively to high ranking officers that business men with soft, flabby muscles could not cover ten to twenty miles a day for several days and still be an effective force.

Today we would like to accomplish three things:

- FIRST: Find out how efficient each organization is, note the weak spots and apply the proper corrective measures during periods of indoor training.
- SECOND: Provide the means for training that are not available at home stations, or when the units are separated.
- THIRD: Return every man to his home, physically better than when he went away and not only a better soldier, but satisfied and happy with his experience.

To accomplish such results much preliminary work and careful planning are needed. Visualize your period of camp duty, preparation of baggage, equipment, entraining, discipline enroute, detraining, making quarters under canvas, guard duty, personal hygiene and the daily routine required in the field by the training schedule. See where you are lacking and go to it. Men who have joined the organization since the last field training need special instruction—see that they are put in squads with experienced men and have every opportunity to learn how to take care of themselves in the field. Put the soft pedal on hazing; quiet fun is one thing, brutality and indecency call for prompt interference. The calibre of the non-commissioned officers will show itself in this connection. Every National Guardsman is supposed to be first of all a soldier and a gentleman until he proves himself otherwise.

If every man will, to the best of his ability, try to make the most of his opportunity during the period of field training, and have the credit and honor of his organization next to his heart, nothing else will be needed.



Major General.

The Whole Guard on Review

Being a Department for the Publication of Newsy Notes of the Various Organizations

101ST CAVALRY

IT is but a week or so before the First Squadron of the 101st Cavalry will entrain for Fort Ethan Allen where they will undergo two weeks' camp tour. The Brooklyn troopers, under the command of Colonel James R. Howlett, will leave July 5th and will be joined by Brigade Headquarters from Staten Island and the up-state troops en route to Vermont. The troopers are very enthusiastic over the selection of Fort Ethan Allen, which is on Lake Champlain and only a short distance from Burlington. Many of the men going this year attended the same camp three years ago and came back with the unanimous statement that it was the best cavalry camp in the East. Brigadier General Mortimer D. Bryant, former commander of the 101st, will be in charge of the 51st Cavalry Brigade, which includes the 101st Regiment of Cavalry, the First Cavalry and the 51st Machine Gun Battalion.

The Squadron C farm at Huntington, L. I., opened this month and the active organization and veterans are looking forward to a pleasant summer of week ends at one of the beauty spots of Long Island. On the return from camp practically all the horses will be shipped there for the remainder of the summer. The farm with its 200 acres offers facilities for polo, tennis, baseball, riding and handball. The annual veterans' reunion will take place some time next month. The polo field when completed will be one of the best in the East and it is expected that several of the large tournament games will take place at the Huntington farm.

Several more handsome cups and ribbons were added to the 101st collection during the Fort Hamilton horse show. A large list of entries in the various classes included troopers' mounts, officers' chargers, jumpers and polo ponies.

Troop A defeated Troop C in the inter troop polo tournament which ended last month. The victors receive the much coveted Love trophy. On the Troop A combination were Ken Platt, William Nillson and Ralph Bunting.

Troop C issues a snappy monthly publication called the "Tanbark." It is edited by Wally Clapp.

At the annual troop dinner of Troop A, Lieutenant James Wilson, formerly top sergeant of Troop A, received a handsome sabre from the members of his former troop.

The annual dinner and theatre party of the officers of the 101st took place a week or so ago, following a polo tournament among the officers of the various troops.

The entire First Squadron visited Peek-

skill during the latter part of May for rifle practice on the range. Pistol shooting for record is being held at the Bedford avenue armory.

On Decoration Day the five-line troops of the 101st took part in the Memorial Day parade along Bedford avenue and were well commended for their snappy appearance.

The polo squad will report to Captain Charles Hart shortly for outdoor practice. With a very successful indoor season behind them, the team is looking forward to a big season outdoors.

A dinner was given June 7 in honor of Sergeant William Bocttyer, the regular army sergeant attached to the 101st, by the non-coms music ride class in appreciation for his work during the Spring Exhibition in training the men for the jumping class and music ride.

174TH INFANTRY

ON Friday evening, May 2nd, for the first time since the war, the entire regiment was assembled in the Buffalo Armory for a review and parade in honor of the G. A. R. About seventy-five Civil War veterans were present and they, together with the commander of the United Spanish War Veterans and the County Chairman of the American Legion, constituted the reviewing party. A large crowd was present and thoroughly enjoyed the program which included exhibitions by all of the out-of-town companies. This occasion also marked the presentation to

members of the regiment of the Adjutant General's recruiting medals.

The Instruction Rifle Practice season is well under way. On May 17th and 18th the Third Battalion went on the range at Fort Niagara, followed by the First Battalion on the 24th and 25th. The Second Battalion will make the trip on June 7th and 8th. In spite of inclement weather much good work has been accomplished in the instruction practice and the boys have had an opportunity to get a good taste of camp life before going to Peekskill.

Captain Joseph H. Robinson is being promoted to Major, Machine Gun Officer, as successor to Major Clifford H. Branch, resigned, and will be succeeded as commanding officer of Company H by Lieutenant Charles H. Prior. Captain Alvin C. Hoddick has resigned from Company M and Lieutenant Marcus D. Boarmen is being promoted to fill the vacancy. Lieutenant Lyman A. Shaw has been commissioned as Captain and takes command of Regimental Headquarters Company.

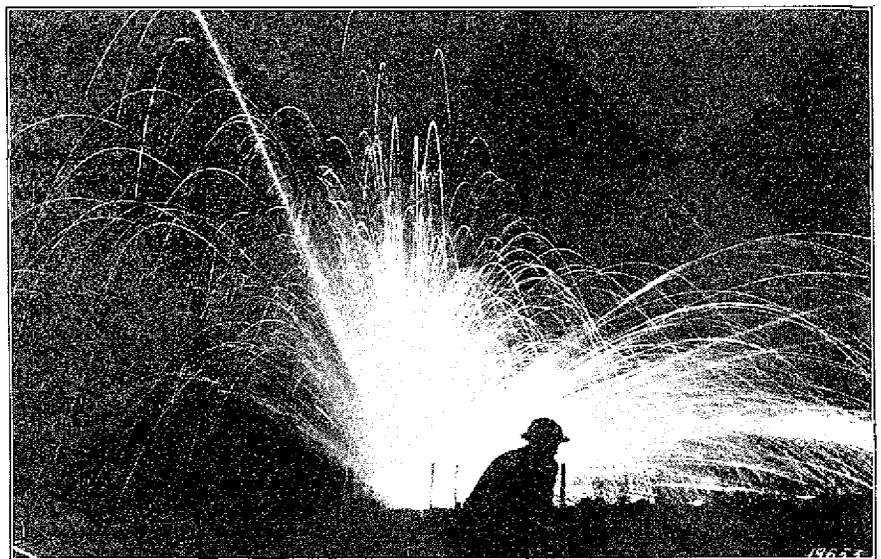
369TH INFANTRY

HUNDREDS of veterans and ex-service men were supplied at Headquarters with bonus blanks, and Lieutenants Herbert E. Gee and Paul Lorch were kept busy during that time instructing the men and assisting them to fill out their applications properly.

Plans are being made for the annual membership games or athletic meet, which

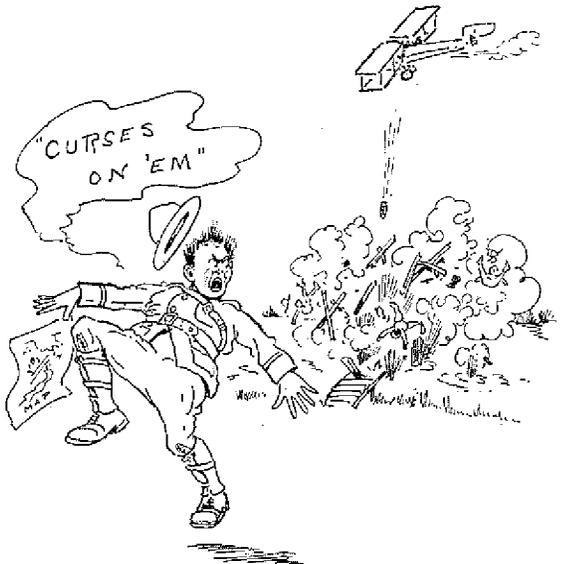
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War Fireworks

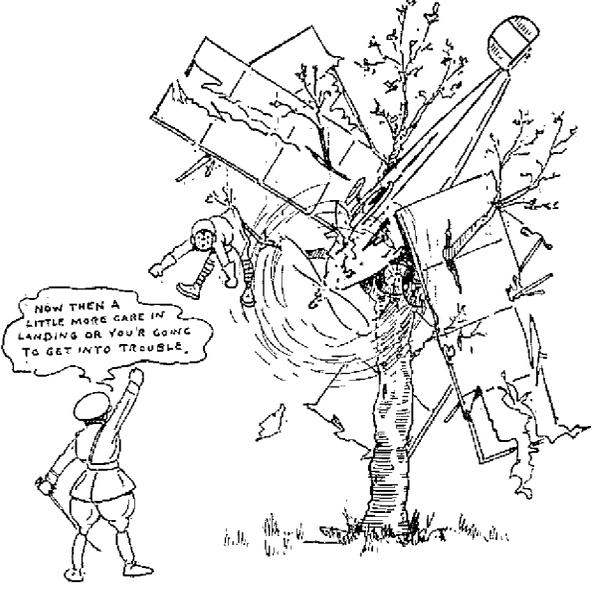


This picture shows the successful use of phosphorous bombs during a night attack in maneuvers, First Corps School, Gondrecourt, France, August 15, 1918.

The National Guard Alphabet



ES AN ENGINEER WHO BUILDS BRIDGES, AND THINGS,
THAT ARE KNOCKED ALL TO BITS BY THE PEOPLE WITH WINGS.



F IS FOR FLYING IN THE SERVICE OF AIR,
A BRANCH THAT REQUIRES BOTH COURAGE AND CARE.



G IS FOR GIRLS, WHEN THEY VISIT A CAMP,
EVERY SOLDIER THEY SEE THEY AT ONCE TRY TO VAMP.



H IS FOR "HERE" EVERY SOLDIER MUST SAY,
WHEN THE "TOP" CALLS THE ROLL AT THE START OF THE DAY.

How We Stand

Maximum Strength New York National Guard	25,460
Minimum Strength New York National Guard	19,388
Present Strength New York National Guard	20,478

DIVISION HEADQUARTERS

Maintenance Strength	26
27th Division Headquarters	26

CAVALRY BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS

Maintenance Strength	75
51st Cavalry Brigade	75

FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS

Maintenance Strength	22
52nd Field Artillery Brigade	39

INFANTRY BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS

Maintenance Strength	37
87th Infantry Brigade	53
54th Infantry Brigade	51
53rd Infantry Brigade	40

SPECIAL TROOPS

Maintenance Strength	311
27th Division Special Troops	391

AIR SERVICE

Maintenance Strength	108
27th Division Air Service	142

SIGNAL BATTALION

Maintenance Strength	187
101st Signal Battalion	174

ENGINEERS

Maintenance Strength	495
102nd Engineers	468

MEDICAL REGIMENT

Maintenance Strength	367
102nd Medical Regiment	407

DIVISION TRAIN, Q. M. C.

Maintenance Strength	257
27th Division Train, Q. M. C.	256

DIVISION AMMUNITION TRAIN

Maintenance Strength	68
102nd Ammunition Train	48

INFANTRY

Maintenance Strength	1,068
1 105th Infantry	1,359
2 10th Infantry	1,255
3 71st Infantry	1,221
4 107th Infantry	1,211
5 108th Infantry	1,189
6 106th Infantry	1,114
7 165th Infantry	1,111
8 14th Infantry	1,070
9 174th Infantry	995
10 369th Infantry	696

CAVALRY

Maintenance Strength	600
101st Cavalry	671

SEPARATE TROOPS

Maintenance Strength Per Troop	65
1st Cavalry (3 Troops)	202

MACHINE GUN SQUADRON

Maintenance Strength	243
51st Machine Gun Squadron	353

ARTILLERY 75s

Maintenance Strength	635
104th Field Artillery	797
105th Field Artillery	719
156th Field Artillery	508

ARTILLERY, 155 HOW.

Maintenance Strength	647
106th Field Artillery	615

ARTILLERY, 155 GUNS

Maintenance Strength	647
258th Field Artillery	665

ARTILLERY, C. A. C.

Maintenance Strength	647
244th Artillery	867

ARTILLERY, FIXED DEFENCES

Maintenance Strength	977
245th Artillery	1,005

ARTILLERY, A. A.

Maintenance Strength	774
212th Artillery	789

STAFF CORPS AND DEPARTMENTS

Maintenance Strength	137
Ordnance Department	25

Soldier Golf Tournaments

Twelve thousand officers of the National Guard, Reserves, and Regular Army from New York, New Jersey, and Delaware will be invited to enter a huge golf tournament which is to be held either at Briarcliff Lodge, N. Y., or on Governors Island early in August. Definite plans are under way to make the event one of the largest golf tournaments ever held, Major General Robert Lee Bullard recently announced.

Similar tournaments are to be held in each of the nine Army corps areas in the

United States to select the best golfers for the War Department tourney which will be held one month later at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, with the golf championship of the entire military establishment at stake.

Actual working out of the details of General Bullard's plan have been delegated to a committee headed by Major H. W. Fleet, of the Governors Island Golf Club, who will select the course and arrange the schedule of play. The Briarcliff Sports Club, numbering many officers, has also

offered to cooperate with the General for the success of the tourney.

According to Major Fleet there are no less than ten thousand Reservists between the ages of 21 and 60 and at least one-third of that number are adherents of the game of golf. Many leading amateurs of the Metropolitan district hold commissions in the Reserve, he said. The National Guard officers in the States of New York, New Jersey, an Delaware number 1,578 and the Regular Army slightly less than 1,000.

Average Percentage of Attendance, N. Y. N. G.

April, 1924

The
Honor
Space →

Yours
for the
Effort

(1) 93%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
101st Cavalry			
Headquarters	4	5.5	96
Headquarters Troop	5	67	89
Service Troop	5	81	96
1st Squad, Headquarters	5	18	91
Troop A	4	58	88
Troop B	4	62	88
Troop C	5	63	94
2nd Squad, Headquarters	4	25	89
Troop E	5	90	93
Troop F	3	99	97
Troop G	5	72	94
Medical Det.	3	33.3	100
Total	673	627	93

(2) 89%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
102nd Medical Regiment			
H'dq's. & H'dq's. Det.	5	27	95
104th Sanitary Co.	3	47	76
104th Ambulance Co.	5	45	90
105th Ambulance Co.	5	49	92
104th Hospital Co.	4	68	87
106th Hospital Co.	4	94	89
102nd Med. Sup. Sec.	5	11	82
102nd Med. Lab. Sec.	5	8	73
102nd Veterinary Sec.	5	32	93
Total	340	303	89

(6) 82%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
71st Infantry			
Headquarters	4	9	100
Headquarters Co.	5	65	77
Service Co.	5	74	90
Howitzer Co.	4	64	67
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	28	71
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	39	79
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	32	74
Company A	5	72	87
Company B	5	73	79
Company C	5	79	84
Company D	5	69	71
Company E	5	78	82
Company F	5	65	88
Company G	5	70	78
Company H	5	68	78
Company I	5	77	93
Company K	5	77	87
Company L	5	77	87
Company M	5	73	84
Medical Det.	5	34	76
Total	1223	1006	82

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
Company G	5	64	73
Company H	5	66	72
Company I	4	76	78
Company K	4	58	77
Company L	5	63	71
Company M	5	45	64
Medical Det.	4	20	70
Total	373	705	80

(3) 84%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
51st Machine Gun Squadron			
H'dq's. & H'dq's. Det.	5	37	84
Troop A	4	107	86
Troop B	4	101	84
Troop C	5	95	80
Medical Det.	5	9	88
Total	347	289	84

(7) 82%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
1st Cavalry			
Troop B	4	70	92
Troop G	5	71	78
Troop M	4	62	72
Total	202	165	82

(10) 79%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
107th Infantry			
Headquarters	5	6.6	91
Headquarters Co.	4	66	70
Service Co.	4	98	87
Howitzer Co.	5	65	70
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Det.	5	27	74
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Det.	5	3	87
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Det.	5	20	75
Company A	5	62	74
Company B	5	71	86
Company C	5	68	74
Company D	5	70	70
Company E	6	75	72
Company F	6	79	92
Company G	6	77	81
Company H	5	87	72
Company I	6	63	81
Company K	6	86	80
Company L	6	74	84
Company M	5	72	90
Medical Det.	5	34	94
Total	1204	957	79

(4) 83%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
165th Infantry			
Headquarters	4	10	100
Headquarters Co.	4	70	97
Service Co.	5	77	85
Howitzer Co.	3	70	67
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	4	13	92
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	4	64	100
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	4	20	90
Company A	4	63	73
Company B	4	66	79
Company C	4	62	65
Company D	4	65	72
Company E	3	66	82
Company F	3	71	79
Company G	3	70	87
Company H	3	70	87
Company I	4	80	98
Company K	4	62	74
Company L	4	62	87
Company M	4	68	81
Medical Det.	4	32	99
Total	1161	962	83

(8) 81%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
10th Infantry			
H'dq's. & H'dq's. Co.	4	74	71
Service Co.	5	64	89
Howitzer Co.	5	60	76
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	4	21	85
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	24	79
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	32	81
Company A	5	63	66
Company B	5	62	72
Company C	5	69	78
Company D	5	89	86
Company E	5	69	73
Company F	5	87	86
Company G	5	71	74
Company H	5	91	84
Company I	5	99	86
Company K	4	77	87
Company L	5	81	88
Company M	5	81	88
Medical Det.	5	34	88
Total	1248	1022	81

(11) 78%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
27th Division Air Service			
162nd Observ. Squad.	5	113	74
102nd Photo Section	5	21	91
162nd Air Intell. Sec.	5	6	93
Total	140	109	78

(5) 82%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
105th Infantry			
Headquarters	4	10	100
Headquarters Co.	4	63	70
Service Co.	6	130	86
Howitzer Co.	4	61	72
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	6	42	83
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	6	30	88
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	7	39	87
Company A	4	79	83
Company B	4	83	89
Company C	5	77	69
Company D	5	75	70
Company E	5	87	78
Company F	6	78	81
Company G	4	73	75
Company H	5	80	82
Company I	5	71	82
Company K	4	79	87
Company L	4	76	89
Company M	5	88	90
Medical Det.	6	35	61
Total	1386	1132	82

(9) 80%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
174th Infantry			
Headquarters	4	7	100
Headquarters Co.	5	58	56
Service Co.	4	61	68
Howitzer Co.	5	60	56
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	18	80
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	20	76
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	37	85
Company A	4	63	69
Company B	5	47	65
Company C	5	38	65
Company D	5	50	80
Company E	4	71	85
Company F	5	45	75

(12) 77%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
245th Artillery			
Headquarters	6	6	100
Headquarters Battery	6	102	91
1st Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train	5	3	100
Battery A	5	61	77
Battery C	5	67	67
Battery E	5	78	75
Battery F	5	94	76
2nd Battalion H'dq's.	6	2.3	100
Battery B	6	62	70
Battery D	6	77	68
Battery G	6	77	68
Battery H	6	75	80
3rd Battalion H'dq's.	5	3	100
Battery J	5	59	79
Battery K	4	68	86
Battery L	5	79	77
Battery M	5	59	74
Medical Det.	6	36	87
Total	1068	782	77

(13) 77%

	No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.
104th Field Artillery			
Headquarters	4	6	96
Headquarters Battery	4	51	91
Service Battery	4	89	91

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
1st Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	4	74	52	70
Battery A	4	106	76	72
Battery B	5	75	59	79
Battery C	5	86	65	76
2nd Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	5	65	50	77
Battery D	5	65	51	78
Battery E	4	81	56	70
Battery F	5	64	44	68
Medical Det.	4	33	28	86

(14) 76%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
108th Infantry				
Headquarters	4	6	6	100
Headquarters Co.	4	56	38	68
Service Co.	4	81	71	87
Howitzer Co.	3	62	53	86
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	4	33	25	75
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	34	31	90
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	4	32	25	76
Company A	4	70	56	80
Company B	4	71	50	73
Company C	4	63	51	81
Company D	4	63	45	71
Company E	4	89	60	67
Company F	5	69	57	83
Company G	4	64	47	74
Company H	4	67	52	77
Company I	5	68	49	63
Company K	5	64	47	73
Company L	4	91	81	89
Company M	4	72	49	67
Medical Det.	4	34	22	66

(15) 74%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
105th Field Artillery				
Headquarters	4	6	5	83
Headquarters Battery	5	45	37	80
Service Battery	5	84	63	75
1st B'n. H'dq'rs., H'dq'rs.				
Det. & Combat Train	5	28	19	69
Battery A	7	77	66	85
Battery B	7	79	56	70
Battery C	7	72	49	68
2d B'n. H'dq'rs., H'dq'rs.				
Det. & Combat Train	5	53	35	66
Battery D	7	80	54	68
Battery E	6	76	49	64
Battery F	7	78	55	70
Medical Det.	5	38	31	82

(16) 74%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
27th Division Special Troops				
Headquarters	5	13	12	94
Headquarters Co.	4	53	33	61
27th Tank Co.	5	52	37	64
102nd Ordnance Co.	5	52	37	70
27th Signal Co.	5	73	60	82
27th Military Police Co.	5	52	38	72
102nd Motor Cycle Co.	5	44	35	79
27th Div., H'dq'rs. Det.	5	27	26	96
Medical Det.	5	17	11	65

(17) 73%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
156th Field Artillery				
H'dq'rs. & H'dq'rs. Det.	4	25	16	64
Battery A	5	52	43	83
Battery B	5	49	40	80
Battery C	5	54	37	69
Battery D	5	50	36	70
Battery E	4	54	42	77
Battery F	4	52	46	88
Battery G	3	64	42	66
Battery H	3	66	41	62
Battery I	4	63	46	73
Medical Det.	3	6	6	100

(18) 72%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
106th Infantry				
Headquarters	4	6	6	100
Headquarters Co.	5	62	46	74
Service Co.	5	103	87	83
Howitzer Co.	5	52	27	52
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	27	21	95

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	19	16	84
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Co.	5	28	24	85
Company A	5	64	45	70
Company B	5	76	62	81
Company C	5	64	41	64
Company D	5	60	54	90
Company E	5	47	27	57
Company F	5	64	40	62
Company G	5	66	40	60
Company H	5	73	49	66
Company I	5	67	42	62
Company K	5	67	45	67
Company L	5	66	54	81
Company M	5	67	46	67
Medical Det.	5	34	28	82

(19) 71%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
14th Infantry				
Headquarters	4	7	6.7	95
Headquarters Co.	4	52	24	46
Service Co.	4	67	57	85
Howitzer Co.	5	68	61	89
1st B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Det.	5	19	13	68
2nd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Det.	5	21	11	52
3rd B'n. Headquarters & Headquarters Det.	4	24	20	83
Company A	5	61	34	55
Company B	5	65	54	81
Company C	5	61	47	77
Company D	4	58	35	60
Company E	4	55	42	76
Company F	4	59	38	64
Company G	4	67	34	50
Company H	4	63	40	63
Company I	5	72	60	83
Company K	4	80	68	85
Company L	4	64	48	75
Company M	4	51	35	68
Medical Det.	5	35	22	61

(20) 71%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
369th Infantry				
Headquarters	4	11	8	82
Headquarters Co.	5	14	9	67
Service Co.	5	109	94	86
Howitzer Co.	5	25	20	80
1st Battalion H'dq'rs.	5	3	3	100
Company A	4	51	32	63
Company B	4	79	52	66
Company C	4	84	51	60
Company D	4	16	12	79
3rd Battalion H'dq'rs.	5	16	11	72
Company H	4	15	11	75
Company I	5	57	43	76
Company K	5	70	46	66
Company L	5	37	25	69
Company M	4	44	30	68
Medical Det.	4	33	27	44

(21) 71%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
102nd Engineers				
Headquarters	4	1	11	100
H'dq'rs. & Service Co.	5	79	67	71
Company A	4	63	41	65
Company B	4	66	52	79
Company C	4	53	35	61
Company D	4	47	25	54
Company E	4	61	41	67
Company F	4	55	34	62
Medical Det.	4	16	14	86

(22) 67%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
212th Artillery A.A.				
H'dq'rs. & H'dq'rs. Btry.	4	70	47	67
Service Battery	4	78	76	97
1st Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	4	77	55	72
Battery A	4	70	57	81
Battery B	4	48	25	52
Battery C	4	66	44	66
Battery D	4	67	55	82
2nd Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	5	19	11	60
Battery E	5	64	40	62
Battery F	5	68	41	60
Battery G	5	64	36	56
Battery H	5	66	25	38
Medical Det.	5	19	16	83

(23) 67%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
106th Field Artillery				
Headquarters	4	20	20	100
Headquarters Battery	4	53	30	57
Service Battery	4	57	33	67
1st Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	4	35	30	87
Battery A	4	63	46	73
Battery B	4	62	30	49
2nd Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	4	27	19	71
Battery C	4	64	45	70
Battery D	4	66	44	66
3rd Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	5	49	37	74
Battery E	5	54	45	83
Battery F	5	55	30	56
Medical Det.	4	23	12	54

(24) 66%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
244th Artillery				
Headquarters	4	6	6	100
Headquarters Battery	4	48	37	78
Service Battery	5	97	68	70
1st Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	5	59	34	61
Battery A	5	83	39	47
Battery B	5	77	48	62
2nd Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	5	71	40	56
Battery C	4	75	60	80
Battery D	4	78	59	75
3rd Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	4	69	57	82
Battery E	4	78	45	57
Battery F	4	84	46	55
Medical Det.	5	37	27	73

(25) 64%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
258th Artillery				
Headquarters	6	5	4.8	97
Headquarters Battery	6	60	26	43
Service Battery	6	71	48	68
1st Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	6	50	31	62
Battery A	6	68	38	57
Battery B	6	67	61	62
2nd Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	6	31	20	65
Battery C	6	52	28	53
Battery D	6	60	32	53
3rd Battalion Headquarters & Combat Train.	6	39	26	67
Battery E	6	79	55	69
Battery F	6	63	43	68
Medical Det.	6	18	11	61

(26) 63%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
101st Signal Battalion				
Headquarters	5	27	19	69
Company A	5	66	40	60
Company B	5	67	42	63
Medical Det.	5	11	7	66

(27) 59%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
27th Division Train, Q.M.C.				
Headquarters	5	13	12	94
Wagon Co. No. 103	4	59	20	34
Wagon Co. No. 104	4	65	35	54
Mtr. Trans. Co. No. 105	5	43	26	61
Mtr. Trans. Co. No. 106	4	48	34	70
Mtr. Rep. Sec. No. 103	5	20	17	83
Medical Det.	5	12	10	82

(28) 54%

	No. of Rep. and Rec'd.	Aver. Pres. and Abs.	Aver. % Att.	Aver. % Att.
102nd Ammunition Train				
102nd Ammunition Train	5	44	24	54

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		No. of Rep.	Aver. of Pres. and Abs.	Aver. Att.	Aver. % Att.
(31)	89%				
53rd Infantry Brigade					
Headquarters		6	3	3	100
Headquarters Co.		5	33	38	88
		44	39		89
(32)	87%				
54th Infantry Brigade					
Headquarters		4	5.5	5.5	100
Headquarters Co.		4	46	39	84
		51	45		87
(33)	85%				
87th Infantry Brigade					
Headquarters		7	52	46	85
(34)	80%				
51st Cavalry Brigade					
Headquarters		4	7	7	100
Headquarters Co.		5	67.8	59.2	87
		75	66		80

The Whole Guard on Review

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will be staged at McCombs' Dam Track and Field, at a date to be announced later. Only members of the regiment are eligible for competition, and the company scoring the highest number of points will be the winner of a handsome five-foot trophy.

The Medical Corps has great expectations of "walking away" with the honors with the help of such star athletes as Lieutenant Buster Woods and Private William Ash, one of the fastest sprinters in the regiment.

The boys were cheered and applauded by the crowds that viewed the Decoration Day parade on Riverside Drive. This has always been true of the regiment when on parade, but the fact that they all had on spic and span new uniforms seemed to inspire them to outdo all previous performances. The Colonel later complimented the men on their personal appearance, behavior and splendid showing.

212TH ARTILLERY

THE month of May has been devoted to finishing the recruiting drive. Battery "E" carried off the honors with twenty-six recruits, and a great deal of credit has to be given to Lieutenant Campbell for the work which he and his committee did on this drive. The results of the drive of the various batteries were 140 new members.

On May 3rd quite a few of the officers went to Fort Totten, where a demonstration in coast artillery work was given by the 62nd Artillery in anti-aircraft defense.

On May 24th a number of the officers went to Fort Hancock where a demonstration in coast artillery work was given. It proved most interesting. On the same day a consolidated battery, under several

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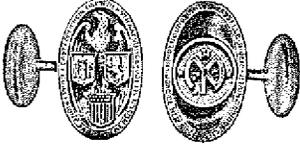
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officers of the Machine Gun Battalion went to Fort Wadsworth where they fired all Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning. The Battalion is going down again in June for a couple of week-ends.

On Sunday, May 18th, the regiment held its annual church service at St. Patrick's Cathedral. Over six hundred active members of the regiment attended and also about two hundred veterans.

It is with deep regret that we have to announce the retirement by resignation, at his own request, of Major Frank T. Richardson. We are sorry to lose him and hope that some day he will see fit and find the time to return to the regiment of which he has been such a staunch supporter.

105TH INFANTRY

COLONEL RANSOM H. GILLETT has scored again! He sought sufficient funds to have the grounds about the new armory at Troy beautified, and work has progressed so well that the grading has been nearly completed. When the work of the contractors is finished, there will be a baseball field, running track, tennis courts, possibly an outdoor swimming pool for summer and an ice rink in winter, not to mention the trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass wherever needed.

Doring's 105th Infantry Band held its seventy-fifth anniversary celebration in the form of a concert at Music Hall. Miss Lucy Marsh was the soprano, and the May 7 affair will linger long as a musical treat.

Seventh anniversary of the entry of the 105th Infantry in the world war was commemorated at the Troy Armory with a divine service. Colonel Gillett was in command. Services were conducted by the Chaplain, First Lieutenant Rev. Henry R. Freeman, D.D., and Rev. Peter J. Donnelly, Associate Chaplain. Addresses were made by Colonel Gillett, Rev. Dr. Freeman and Rev. Father Donnelly. Doring's 105th Infantry Band played.

Former First Lieutenant George Hopkins of the Howitzer Company, has been promoted to the captaincy of that outfit. Sergeant W. A. La Dow, of I Company, Malone, has been examined for the position of Second Lieutenant.

Service and C Company have received rifle instruction at the Rensselaer rifle range, under the direction of Captain Arthur McGee, U. S. A., who is stationed at Troy. The men lived under canvas at the range overnight. Lieutenant John P. Meaney was range officer.

The captains held a meeting at the Saratoga Armory where they discussed with Col. Gillett a plan to organize the officers in order to promote regimental efficiency and to develop the best interests of the National Guard.

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Thiessen, commanding, held one of the finest banquets in the history of the old or new organization at the Hotel Rensselaer last month.

Sergeant Henry La May of C Company has been promoted to First Sergeant. Corporal Nelson Willsey to Sergeant and Privates Hans Wein and Herbert Ring to Corporals.

The 105th Infantry basketball team, champions of Northern New York, will meet the 106th Infantry, champions of the southern section, for the State championship title at the Albany Armory. With such a team of stars as Tom O'Neil, of State Basketball League fame; Ed. Case, Buttsy Collins, Steve Carpenter and Chuck Huntington, the local doughboys believe they will make a good showing. Colonel Gillett's boys now hold the Senator Wadsworth baseball cup and would like to add the basketball trophy to its list. Lieutenant Harry Gaynor is manager.

Captain Albert Geiser, athletic officer of the Troy battalion, has appointed Staff Sergeant Martin J. B. McDonagh, correspondent for THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN, as track and field and swimming coach. Sergeant McDonagh is a national hurdle and sprint record holder, and captain of the Rensselaer County Chapter American Red Cross Life Saving Corps.

14TH INFANTRY

THE most impressive sight of the whole year to the men of the Fourteenth Regiment came on the twenty-third of May. On this evening the armory was taxed to its capacity by thousands. They came to pay their annual tribute to those who made this regiment nationally famous in the days of '61. They came to have their spirits stirred by the sight of those last survivors of the Civil War.

To the slow beat of martial music came the eight comrades of the 14th Regiment Civil War Veterans Association, the remnant of a once glorious regiment. Under the leadership of Captain Davy and Lieutenant Riker, they marched with faltering step but proud spirit, wearing their dull red, regimental caps and carrying their battle scarred banners. The last survivors of those, who in '61, gave to the regiment the name of "The Fighting Fourteenth." The regiment marched out May 18, 1861, and returned home on May 25th, 1864. After twenty-two engagements during the war the regiment was discharged June 6th.

When one knows the story of these men represented today by but nine living survivors one cannot help but feel the heart beat faster as one sees them on parade. May 23rd will always be a day of glorious memories to the sons of Brooklyn's own, the "Fighting Fourteenth!"

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quarters, held a sham battle on April 26th with the Snakes, an organization composed of Spanish War Veterans. A Philippine village was set up on the drill floor which was attacked and captured by the American troops.

Keen rivalry is being shown among the members of Company M over the loving cup offered by Captain D. J. Nielson to the man securing the most recruits by July 1st. Corporal Louis Renard, Jr., is in the lead.

The following men were honored at the review of the Fourteenth by Major General Charles W. Berry on the evening of May 23rd:

State Decorations: Ten years—Captain John A. Nelson and First Sergeant J. E. Cleveland.

Regimental decorations for long and faithful service: Thirty years—Sergeant J. Noble; Twenty years—Major John J. Byron; Twelve years—Second Lieutenant W. J. Munday; Eight years—Captain F. Tornabene, Captain T. J. Krokus, Captain F. V. Hunt, Captain F. O. Kretchman, Sergeant J. Boland and Sergeant R. D. Livingston.

105TH ARTILLERY

ONE of the most spectacular reviews ever tendered a general officer was staged by the 105th Field Artillery in its armory in the Bronx on May 7th, last. Major General Charles W. Berry, Commander of the National Guard, was the



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guest of honor and the artillerymen as-tounded the General with the versatility of their display.

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As a preliminary to the review Colonel Marshall entertained General Berry and his staff and a group of visiting officers at a dinner at the new Concourse Plaza Hotel in the Bronx.

The First Battalion, under command of Major Edward Raldiris, came over from Brooklyn and the regiment passed in review before General Berry.

The men made an excellent appearance.

It was a gala night in the life of Colonel Marshall. Up in a box near the General's seat there was a special detail of invited guests. There were forty-two in the party. All of them were present 'way back on September 6th, 1904, when the Colonel, then buck private "Bob" Marshall, held up his hand and said "I do" and became a full-fledged member of the old Second Battery.

The opening event was a fast chucker of polo between a picked team of the 105th F. A. and the team of the N. Y. A. C. This was followed by a rough riding and high jumping demonstration by a class from the S. First Battalion, under Captain William Brady. Next came a mounted basketball game between the battalions of the regiment and then a Battery Drill by a provisional battery under command of Captain Thomas M. Miley. The second polo chucker and the second basketball period followed and then came refreshments and dancing.

107TH INFANTRY

THE nomination of Major E. McK. Froment will give us a Lieutenant Colonel of whom we are proud. He is a real Seventh Regiment man of long standing and a very popular one. The entire regiment rises and welcomes him with hearty congratulations and a promise of loyal support.

Captain Wm. G. Le Comte has been nominated for promotion right out of Company F, which he loved so dearly, and will be by now Major Le Comte of the 2nd Battalion. This battalion is right behind their new C. O. to a man and promises keen competition to any other battalion that dares challenge in any line of activity.

The new C. O. of Company E is Captain J. J. Anderson, promoted to fill the vacancy of Captain Anthony DeH. Zink, who is now residing in Miami where, according to his letters, he is doing very nicely in business when he is not out fishing.

All three battalions have completed their
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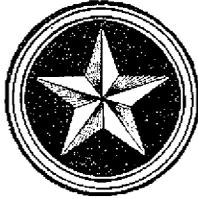
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practice course on the range of Peekskill and did very well despite adverse weather conditions. Lieutenant Colonel Froment headed the three separate expeditions and spent the balance of the week drying out.

The baseball team, after starting out with a defeat by Fordham, is rounding into form and has played several interesting games with the following scores: 7th Regt.—6, Manhattan College—5; 7th Regt.—4, N. Y. A. C.—5; 7th Regt.—7, Standard Oil of N. J.—3. On June 7th the team goes to West Point and a boat is being chartered to take care of the large following which is going along.

104TH FIELD ARTILLERY

THIS Regiment has added another scalp to its belt. It certainly has an inexhaustible store of ideas for recruiting. Through its Commanding Officer, Colonel James E. Austin, they have made a tie-up with a patriotic motion picture now being shown at one of the large theatres called "The Spirit of the U. S. A." Two three-inch guns are in the lobby of the theatre in charge of a noncommissioned officer, who answers all questions concerning the outfit readily and cheerfully. Hand bills, giving the advantages of training in the National Guard, Summer Camp, riding, shooting, etc., are distributed to all. An officer addresses the audience from the stage during the evening performance.

We wish to thank our comrades in the 105th Field Artillery for giving Captain Henn, our Regimental Instructor, credit for the noncommissioned officers school idea. He is most deserving of any praise, and (we nearly forgot) we, too, must thank the aforementioned Captain Henn for the same thing in the 104th F. A.

The Regiment is seething with excitement over the report that some time in the near future, we are to have a new Armory.

The Officers Quartette is coming along nicely, so far there have only been four complaints from the neighbors.

Captain William H. Merrick now commands Battery "D." Captain Roy M. Hunter has been assigned to command the 2nd Battalion Headquarters Detachment and Combat Train, and Captain William H. Caldwell is now the 2nd Battalion Adjutant.

The 2nd Battalion Combat Train recently put over one of the niftiest shows the Armory has seen in quite some time.

The great recruiting drive now in progress had an enormous boost on Tuesday, May 20th, when Colonel Austin enlisted the services of none other than the famous "Sultan of Swat," Babe Ruth himself. After holding up his right hand in the usual manner and signing the enlistment blank on the jacket of a "75" field piece, the Babe spryly mounted an off wheel

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horse and rode back to the Armory in the usual way of taking home recruits in the Field Artillery. Ten men enlisted in Battery "D" the same day, all being previously unknown but mostly all ex-service men. How is this for recruiting publicity? The 104th is now the largest Field Artillery Regiment in the United States.

On Sunday, May 18th, the Regiment marched down Fifth avenue to Church at St. Agnes, the Parish of our Chaplain, Father Lafayette Yarwood.

87TH INFANTRY BRIGADE

CORPORAL DONNELLY advises that number two of the front rank of his family squad has arrived. Good luck, Tom, and best wishes for your squad.

Major Thomas C. McDonald, attached, recently was honored by the Roumanian Government with the Legion of Honor. We congratulate the counselor for his conspicuous services. Other decorations, we understand, are to follow.

Slowly but surely Brigade Headquarters Company is getting their company room equipped. Each drill night some new article of adornment appears. Our late

acquisition is a player-piano which all the boys enjoy pedalling.

At the time THE GUARDSMAN goes to press two events will take place. On the evening of May 29th Brigadier General Dyer will be the guest of Colonel Little and review the 369th Regiment. This regiment is attached to this brigade and it is worthy of notice to all enlisted men to find in the May issue the number of commissions made from men in their ranks. Decoration Day will witness the Memorial parade on Riverside Drive in commemoration of the deeds and sacrifices of our heroes who have come and gone. The National Guard units will be under the command of General Dyer.

27TH DIVISION SPECIAL TROOPS

THE 27th Division Special Troops had another wonderful reunion on May 15th at the Third Annual Reception and Dance which was held at the Waldorf Hotel. This affair certainly surpassed either of the other two which had been held previously, besides being privileged with professional entertainers from some of the big shows. We are indebted for

this affair to Captain Leslie A. Sackett, who arranged everything.

There are seven enlisted men in the 27th Military Police Company, who, when their service is added together, have served a total of one hundred and sixty-six years. This is something for the 27th M. P. Co. to be proud of, and something for other companies to strive for.

The men are: Supply Sergeant Frazier, 38 years; Mess Sergeant McQuillan, 25 years; Sergeant Bell, 12 years; Corporal Kidd, 35 years; Corporal Emier, 25 years; Corporal Taylor, 11 years; Cook VanTassel, 20 years.

27TH AIR SERVICE

FORMATION of planes from the 27th Division Air Service acted as escorts to the parade at St. George, S. I., on Memorial Day.

The squadron represented the 27th Division at the aerial carnival staged at the Naval Air Station at Lakehurst, N. J., on May 31, by sending a formation of planes. The Lakehurst Station is expected to return the visit by sending the Shenandoah to the 27th Air Service Flying Circus at Miller Field on June 28.

The Air Service also took a prominent

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a result of the National Guard competitive examination held last Fall. The successful candidates are:

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John H. Olin, Fort Wadsworth, S. I.

Edward Pierce, West New Brighton, S. I.

245TH ARTILLERY

APPROXIMATELY 7,000 persons crowded the 13th Regiment Armory Monday night, April 28th, at the boxing exhibitions between the 16th Infantry of Fort Jay and the 245th Artillery of Brooklyn.

Eight bouts were contested between the Fort Jay troopers and the Coast Defenders, the object of the fistic competition being a silver point trophy donated by the heads of both regiments. The failure of the Regular Army boys to gain even a finger hold on the trophy belies the fact that the fighting was the closest, though naturally of amateurish calibre. None of the fights could be termed sham battles. The 245th won every bout during the evening and the 16th fighters returned to their quarters realizing full well that they had been trounced.

The Barnes Trophy, which for many years was the property of Battery H for their crack rifle team, was contested for again at the armory during the past month. Headquarters Battery scored the highest percentage in the firing and it will be theirs

until next year. Battery A was a close second.

244TH ARTILLERY

THE 244th Artillery made a fine turnout at the Memorial Day parade, and on Saturday, June 7th, proceeded to Governors Island for a parade and review. Our activities at Governors Island were a part of the afternoon's program of the Army Relief Society's Garden Party.

The vacancies for officers in this regiment are fast being filled up. Many men from the ranks are being rewarded for their efficient service. Some of the recent assignments and promotions are as follows: Captain (Adjutant) J. G. Phelps Stokes to Major, commanding 3rd Battalion; 1st Lt. Alan S. Morgan to Captain, 3rd Bn. Hq.; Sgt. Frederick Williams to 1st Lt., Battery E; Sgt. Thomas J. Hanney to 2nd Lieut. Battery E; Sgt. John E. J. Clare to 2nd Lieut. 2nd Bn. Hq.; Sgt. Rudolph Mandell to 2nd Lieut. Battery B; Sgt. Frank Hannon to 2nd Lieut. Battery C. Several other nominations have been made, and are expected to go through before camp.

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The Problem of Rifle Training

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Many commanding officers have ordered these machines and will set them up in their armories where the men can drop in and use them, thus becoming their own instructors.

It is believed that the use of these machines will be so popular that they will increase the interest in rifle training and rifle qualifications in the National Guard.

26th Anniversary of Old Separate Company Celebrated

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J. Cunniff, A. R. Green, R. N. Verlifeuille, S. E. Wilcox, F. W. Curtis; First Cl. Pvt. Eugene Duroche, L. E. Lajeunesse, C. Badger, Edward Bullock, and E. J. Carey.

Lt. Col. James A. McCarthy, finance officer of the 44th Division, formerly Captain of Co. D., 105th Infantry, personally presented the cup he offered as a prize to the Champion Basketball Team of the 1st Battalion, 105th Infantry. Sgt. Plumley, manager, accepted the cup on behalf of the team. The cup is silver, standing fourteen inches high, and is suitably inscribed.

The impressive ceremonies closed with dancing.

And For All This—We Thank You!

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and reflects credit on the editor, Lieutenant-Colonel Fred M. Waterbury of New York city, and his staff of assistants.

The magazine contains two columns of news pertaining to 108th Infantry activities.—The Rochester Times-Union.

New York National Guardsman To Be Distributed Free

THE first issue of THE NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARDSMAN, a publication devoted to the military organizations of the State, appeared yesterday. It was established by Major-General Charles W. Berry, commanding general of the State National Guard, and Lieutenant-Colonel Fred W. Waterbury, New York city.

Copies will be sent each month to every National Guardsman in the State. The first issue contains a letter from Governor Smith, in which he declares his support of the National Guard and plans of the State for building it up.—The Oswego Palladium.

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The match for the 1924 medals was hotly contested by over one hundred crack shots at Peekskill, Saturday, June 14th.

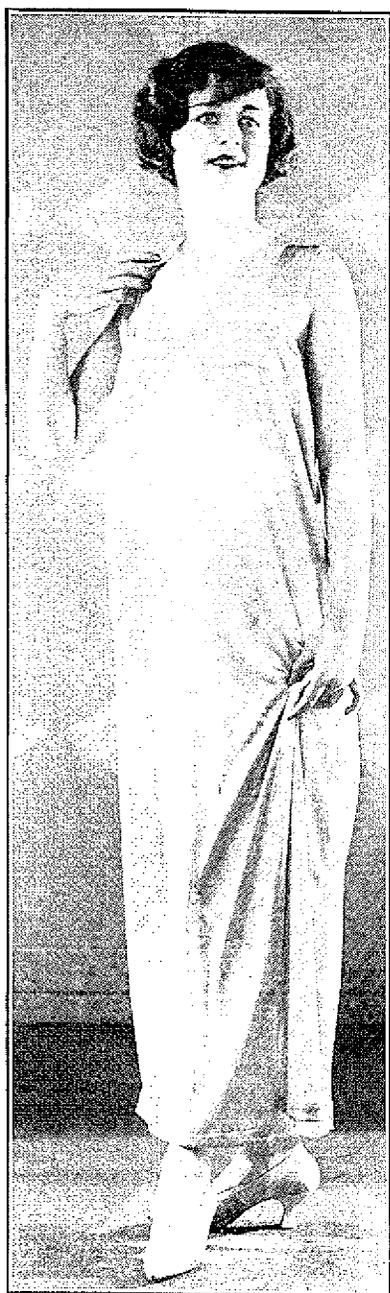
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