

The board of directors of the National Rifle Association of America has determined to send a team of twelve men to compete for the Palms rifle trophy at the Dominion of Canada matches on the Rock Cliff Range at Ottawa next August. The team will be chosen after a competition at Sea Girt, N.J., in August, and is to be open to riflemen from the National Guard, the Army and the Marine Corps. The meet in Canada is expected to patch up with friendliness the bad feeling engendered as a result of the last international competition for the Palma trophy. An American team journeyed to England and won the trophy. Later it was alleged that the Americans had violated the conditions that governed the match by using rifles having a bore different from the government standard. Finally the trophy was returned to England. It has been arranged to place the trophy in competition in Canada this year and that England shall send a team to defend it. This course, it is believed, will heal the unfortunate rupture for all time.