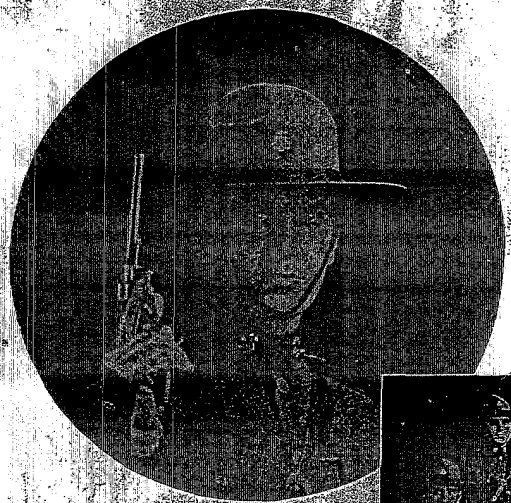
WORLD'S RECORD TOPPLES

...AT JERSEY PISTOL SHOOT



Private Thomas Eshleman, Pennsylvania State Police, whose score of 449 x 450 created a new world's record.

Private Eshleman, of winning Pennsylvania State Police Team, completes Army Qualification Course with 449 x 450...Private Morrison wins "Individual"...U. S. Ammunition used by entire winning team.

Pennsylvania State Police Team. (Standing, left to right) Private Walter B. Kunkle, Private Edward W. Morrison, Private Thos. E. Eshleman, Private Bruce M. Bartner. (Sitting, left to right) Private Lewis M. Whitecotton, Capt. Jacob C. Mauk (Team Captain), Sergeant Edward T. Strange (Team Scorer).

An old world's record was broken...a new record established...at the Sixth Annual Interstate and Intercollegiate Pistol Shoot conducted by the New Jersey State Police and held at the Wilburtha Training School Range on April 25, 1931.

Private Eshleman, of the Pennsylvania State Police Team, which won the five-man match with a score of 1473 x 1500, was the outstanding performer of the day.

Shooting 299 x 300 in the team match, Private Eshleman was given the opportunity to fire fifteen additional shots for record at a bobbing target to complete the Army Qualification Course. In this he shot a "possible" in spite of the fact that never before had he fired at this type of target, making his score for the day 449 x 450...a new world's record.

In the Individual match, Private E. Morrison, also of the Pennsylvania State Police, won with a score of 296 x 300.

Major Lynn G. Adams, Superintendent of the Pennsylvania State Police, writes:

"U. S. Ammunition was used throughout the match. If it has any defects, they were not developed during practice or the match. Every man on our team expressed himself as very much pleased with its performance."

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