

Drivers gun	12
“ spare.....	6
To clean officer's horses and appointments.....	6
Total drivers	24
Total gunners	46
Spare men for guards, stable pickets, casualties.....	10
Total N. C. officers, gunners, and drivers..	70

The men mounted on the off horses should be employed to clean their riding horse and harness.” (1)

It would be useful in forming an idea as to the proper establishment according to Imperial Standard in men and horses of a Canadian 4 gun Battery both in time of peace and in time of war—to take $\frac{2}{3}$ rds of the strength of a 6 gun Battery of Royal Artillery. There are many reasons why a Canadian Battery should be similar in nearly every respect as regards its equipment to the Royal Artillery.

It would depend on the Imperial stores in time of war for everything required to keep it efficient, Ammunition, Small Stores, Material for repairs of harness, carriages etc. No system of supply, that would stand the least strain thrown upon it being in existence at present in Canada.

The following table shews the strength of a Royal Artillery 9 Pr. M. L. R. Battery of 6 guns—also the comparative strength of a Canadian Battery of 4 guns, being $\frac{2}{3}$ rds. of the R. A. establishment, where possible, as in some cases certain officers, N. C. officers, and artificers will be required for the Battery, irrespective of the No. of guns.

	9 Pr. F. By. R. A.	9 Pr. F. By. C. A.
Officers	5	4
N. C. Officers	18	14
Gunners	66	44
Drivers	61	40
Trumpeters	2	2
Artificers	7	4
Total	159	108

(1) Colonel Strange, R. A. Militia Report 1873.