

Cup, presented by Merchants of London, England, value .....	\$1,000
2nd prize, to highest individual score.....	75
3rd prize, to 2nd highest individual score.....	50
4th prize to next highest individual score.....	25
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	\$1,150

Snider Enfield Rifle. Government ammunition. Any position. Ranges—300, 500 and 600 yards. Seven rounds at each range. Entrance Fee—\$15 for each Province.

The conditions of the competition for this Cup are, that the Cup shall be held by the President of the winning Provincial Rifle Association for the year, and then returned to the President of the Dominion Rifle Association.

This match with its rich trophies was of course the means of creating considerable excitement among the marksmen, and some excellent shooting was made at all the ranges, especially the 600 yard one, where nearly all the shots being placed in close proximity to the bull's eye. The following is a list of the names of the competitors and the scores:—

NOVA SCOTIA.

Capt Walsh, 63rd.....	78
Lieut Barnhill, 72nd.....	71
Lieut McInnes, 63rd.....	65
Sergt Corbin, 63rd.....	71
Sergt Bishop, 63rd.....	65
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QUEBEC.

Capt Boyd, 54th Batt.....	65
Capt Thomas, 54th Batt.....	58
Lieut Wright, 50th Batt.....	74
Pte Ross, 1st Batt.....	58
Pte Turnbull, 1st Batt.....	72
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	330

ONTARIO,

Capt Mason, 13th Batt.....	54
Capt Anderson, 10th Batt.....	69
Lieut MacNachtan, C G A.....	68
Sergt Sutherland, G G F G.....	71
Sergt Mitchell, 13th Batt.....	77
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NEW BRUNSWICK.

Lieut Johnson, 71st Batt.....	75
Sergt Loggie, 71st Batt.....	70
Sergt Lipsatt, 71st Batt.....	45
Corpl Patten, N B A.....	73
Pte Perkins, 71st Batt.....	63
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Thus it will be seen that Nova Scotia has been the victor. There was a tie between Ontario and Quebec, each scoring 330 points. The individual scores are:—

1st Lieut Barnhill, 72nd, N S, 78.....	\$75
2nd Sergt Mitchell, 13th B, 77.....	50
3rd Lieut Johnson, 71st N B, 75.....	25

This concluded the shooting for the day, and the rain, which threatened an appearance had the effect of clearing the range at the double.

It may be interesting to our readers to know that during the three days of the match 9,990 rounds of ammunition have been fired.

Third Day.

At four o'clock yesterday morning Jupiter Pluvius shed his tears most plentifully

over the face, so far as Ottawa was concerned, and more especially bestowing his aqueous blessings over the neighborhood of the Rideau Rifle Range. It rained and blew like great guns, and the dwellers in tents, who chose rather to stop on the field under canvas, were very much like Artemus Ward when he got his "moral sho" demoralized at Utica, N. Y. They wished they hadn't kum," but the rain came nevertheless, and that there was no doubt about it. No trenches had been dug around the tents, and the consequence was that those pitched on the slope of the hill were nearly inundated, and a bedstead raised about eighteen inches from the ground would have been worth that fabulous value generally attached to the visual organ of an Israelite *Pulgus*, a Jew's eye. Fortunately, however, there was a plentiful supply of blankets, and Gunner Stackpole of the O. F. B., an old campaigner, managed to keep himself and his comrades dry, inside at least, although there was anything but a drought outside (this is sarcastic). About six o'clock the wind was due north, and held that way until half past eight, when the gun fired, then it chopped round to the N. N. W., and after that throughout the day it blew in fitful gusts, sometimes amounting to a whole gale of wind from all points of the compass, so that it was next to impossible for the best of marksmen to make sure of making their accustomed average of points. Although a visit to the range was one which anyone had they not business to transact there, would not have cared to undertake. Those who had on all the warm days taken their overcoats with them, and had left them at home found themselves something in the fix of the Dutch Skipper when he wanted his bow er anchor — *non est* when most needed! It was bitterly cold and the shelter of the tents and the marquees was most diligently sought, and a friendly shelter it was. The most cheering results of the firing at the pool target on the previous day, brought comfort to the heart of Gunner Gray of the Ottawa Field Battery, who scored three bull's eyes out of six shots. The consequence was that he realized 90 points on each occasion he literally "made his mark," in the proper place. In yesterday morning's report it was stated that Ontario and Quebec, in the Provincial Match, had tied—so they did in point of numbers, each scoring 330 points, but on the score being revised it was found that Quebec had come out three points ahead, they having made the best score at the longest range, although the numbers were the same. This puts Quebec in the premier place instead of being equal with the sister Province. The first event of the day was commenced under most adverse circumstances. old Boreas being more than ordinarily blustering, and the shooting made was not up to the average, some of the best men being at fault. At halfpast twelve o'clock the gun fired for the noontide. The lunch in the staff tent was presided over by Col Worsley, the vice chair being occupied by Major White, G.G.F.G. Speeches were dispensed with, business being the order of the day. So soon as the luncheon was finished, the firing for the following match which commenced in the morning, was resumed with the following results:

AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION MATCH.

To be competed for by members of Affiliated Associations, who are also Members of the Dominion Association.

1st Prize.....	\$150
2nd Prize.....	75

Highest individual scores.....	25
Ten next highest individual scores at \$10 each.....	100
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	\$350

Description of Rifle—Snider Enfield. Government ammunition. Ranges 500 and 600 yards. Seven rounds at each range. Position—any. Entrance Fee—\$5 each Association, and 50 cents for each individual competitor.

The first prize to be awarded to the highest aggregate score made by three previously named members of any one Association. The second prize to the second highest aggregate score made by three previously named members of an Association. Remaining prizes to the highest individual scores.

HIGHEST AGGREGATE SCORES.

	Pts	Prize
1st 13th Rifle Association.....	125	\$150
Team—Captain Mason 42, Sergt Mitchell, 46, Pte Morrison 47.		
2nd 49th Hastings.....	120	75
Team—Sergt Bennett 45, Captain Hilton 46, Pte Caruth 29		

INDIVIDUAL PRIZES.

3rd Sergt Lockhart Ramsay.....	51	25
4th Bomb Crowe, W I. A.....	50	10
5th Capt Anderson, 10th Royals.....	48	10
6th Sergt Blackball, M G A.....	48	10
7th Gun Morrison, O B G A.....	46	10
8th Pte Turnbull, P W R.....	46	10
9th Corp Hilton, 49th.....	46	10
10th Sergt Mitchell, 13th.....	46	10
11th Sergt Bennett, 49th.....	45	10
12th Lt Col Henning, late 54th.....	45	10
13th Sergt Stanley.....	45	10

Col Macpherson, the Treasurer of the Association, attended in the afternoon for the purpose of paying the money prizes, and investing the winners with the silver and bronze badges of the Association, which, by the way, are most handsome pieces of workmanship, got up by Messrs. Savage, Lyman & Co., of Montreal. They are in Maltese Cross shape, not unlike the V. C., and are sustained by a tri-coloured ribbon, red, white and blue, and as the gallant Colonel affixed each trophy upon the right breast of the winner, he cordially shook hands with him, and congratulated him upon his success. The next match was

THE AGENT GENERAL OF CANADA PRIZE OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Presented by Edward Jenkins, Esq., M.P., London, England.

Conditions same as in Dominion Match.

1st prize.....	\$60
2nd prize.....	30
3rd prize.....	10
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	\$100

Ranges. 500 yards. Rifle and ammunition—Snider Enfield. Government ammunition. Rounds, 5. Position, any. Entrance fee, 50 cents.

Capt Graham, W F B.....	21
Lieut Wright, 50th.....	21
Gun Mills, N B G A.....	19

There were 107 entries for the trophies. It may be here mentioned that during the afternoon Colonel Macpherson paid out \$1,350 in money prizes, besides ten silver and ten bronze badges. Colonel Jackson, B. M., came upon the ground about two o'clock, and was heartily welcomed by the volunteers on his return from his trip to Manitoba.