

REGIMENTAL NOTES.

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MONTREAL.

The annual meeting of the Montreal Garrison Rifle Association was held in the Armoury on the evening of April 5th, and was well attended. After the reading of minutes and reception of annual report and cash statement, the election of officers for the ensuing year was proceeded with, and resulted as follows :—

President—Lt.-Col. Cole.
 Vice ditto—Major J. Ogilvy.
 Secretary-Treasurer—S. S. J. Bell (re-elected).
 Assistant ditto—Sergt. N. Finlayson.
 Executive officer—Capt. McEwen.
 Representative to D. C. R. A. and P. Q. R.A.—Major J. Ogilvy.
 Capt. of Team—Capt. McEwen.
 Executive Committee—Capt. Reid, Lt. Wynne, Lieut. Featherstone, B. S. M. Dowker, Sergt. J. Drysdale, Sergt. J. Carpenter.

The Association has arranged a series of monthly matches, in which the prizes will be silver spoons, with suitable aggregate prizes for season's shooting, and they look forward to a successful year.

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Considerable interest is shown by the members of the First "Prince of Wales" Rifles in the Company competition. The prizes are \$30 and \$20, and the allotment of marks is as follows :—

Attendance at drill	10
Manual and Firing	40
Squad drill	10
Company drill	10
Battalion "	10
Attendance at Inspection	10
Company Books	10

There must be an average attendance at Drill of 10 files, and 15 files at Inspection, exclusive of bandsmen.

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Capt. Bartlett has been posted to "B" Co., P.W.R., and Capt. Finlayson to "C" Company—

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The annual meeting of the 85th Battalion Rifle Association was held on Wednesday evening, the 5th of April. The meeting was largely attended by officers and non-coms. The election of officers for 1893 gave the following result :—

Patrons—Lieut.-Col. d'Orsonnens, D.A.G. ; Lieut.-Col. Houghton, D.A.G. ; Lieut.-Col. Mattice, B.M. ; Lieut.-Col. Brosseau ; Major Roy, B.M.

Honorary President—Lieut.-Col. Aubry.
 Honorary Vice-President—Major de Montigny.
 President—Major d'Orsonnens.
 Vice-President—Major des Trois-Maisons.
 2nd Vice-President—Capt. Dunn.
 Secretary-Treasurer—Capt. Carrière.
 Executive Committee—Captains Trudeau, Paterson, and Taschereau ; Lieuts. Lippé, Kelly, and Ducharme.
 Surgeon—Oswald René de Cotret, M.D.

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"D" Company, Royal Scots, held their annual meeting on 28th ult. Satisfactory reports were submitted, and the following officers elected for the coming year : President, Sergt. Kelly ; Vice-President, Private Edson ; Sec.-Treas., Early ; Committee, Ptes. Woods, Wright and Foley ; Corporal auditors, Sergts. Clarke and Yardley, and Corporal Harbeson. A vote of thanks to last year's officers was adopted.

Sergt. Crawford, who has recently retired from the Company, has been the recipient of two handsome souvenirs. One of these is a silver ice-pitcher and goblet presented by the Company, the other is a handsome set of carvers and steel from Capt. Cantlie.

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The "Establishment List" of the Active Militia of Canada for the financial year 1893-4 has just been issued. It is very interesting, not only in giving the full establishment of every corps in our service, but also in indicating several changes in the strength and designation of certain corps. The term "Brigade" as heretofore applied to the Halifax, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, Montreal, and British Columbia corps of Garrison Artillery is now replaced by "Battalion" as in the infantry, and in like manner the designation "Battery" is superseded by "Company." In Halifax and British Columbia each company will in future contain 80 gunners with proportionate N. C. O.'s ; the Halifax corps will have four such companies, the British Columbia, five. This is an excellent step and is, we trust, the first move towards a general increase of the present feeble company establishments.

The permissible strength of each corps is as follows :

PERMANENT CORPS.

Regiment of Canadian Dragoons	158
Regiment of Canadian Artillery	426
Canadian Regiment of Infantry	428

CAVALRY.

Governor-General's Body Guard	193
1st Hussars	192
2nd Dragoons	235
3rd Prince of Wales Canadian Dragoons	192
4th Hussars	192
5th Dragoons	236
6th Duke of Connaught's Canadian Hussars	192
8th Princess Louise's N. B. Hussars	319
Queen's Own Canadian Hussars	85
King's Troop Hussars	42
Princess Louise Dragoon Guards	38
Winnipeg Troop Dragoons	38
Manitoba Dragoons	84

FIELD ARTILLERY.

1st Brigade, 2 Batteries	160
Durham Battery	79
Gananoque Battery	79
Hamilton "	79