

Grand Aggregate—1st prize, silver medal, presented by Corpl. Macleod; 2nd, pipe, presented by Mr. A. H. Taylor; 3rd, dozen photos, presented by Ions Bros.; 4th (lowest aggregate), presented by Lieut. A. O. F. Coleman.

The following were the scores made:

Trooper Scott.....	15	29	12-56	Sergt. Thomson.....	10	5	15-30
Corpl. Bell.....	16	20	14-50	Trooper Olmsted.....	4	24	2-30
Trooper Hardy.....	12	18	13-43	Q.-M. Sergt. McGovern.....	9	17	2-28
Capt. Gourdeau.....	15	19	8-42	Trooper McNutt.....	6	16	3-25
Sergt.-Major Thompson.....	12	16	10-38	Trooper Lane.....	5	13	6-24
Corpl. Stewart.....	5	15	16-36	Pay Sergt. Botterell.....	2	8	6-16
Trooper Tyndall.....	5	25	4-34	Trooper Gordon.....	2	2	6-10
Trooper Powell.....	3	16	13-32	Trooper Senecal.....	3	0	2-5

Captain Gourdeau generously refused to claim the prizes won by him, which consequently passed to the next highest scorer. The rifle used was the Snider carbine.

### Regimental Notes.

**Durham, Ont.**—The west division of the Durham Field Battery commenced drill on Thursday evening preparatory to going to camp. Two detachments were drilled by Sergt.-Major Methel and Sergt. Snyder.—*Review.*

**"B" Company, I.S.C.**—Major-General Sir F. Middleton, with Capt. Wise, A.D.C., arrived in St. Johns on the 7th, to inspect this corps. Accompanied by Lieut.-Col. d'Orsonnens, commandant, he inspected the men's quarters, library, sergeants' mess, canteen, etc., and was well pleased with their clean and neat appearance. On Monday the company paraded at 6.30 a.m. in review order, Lieut.-Col. d'Orsonnens in command. The Major-General was received with the customary salute, after which a critical inspection of the clothing, arms and accoutrements was made.

Major Vidal then took command, the company marched past, and after the manual and firing exercises were gone through, Lieut. Freer, the adjutant of the school, put the men through the bayonet exercise. Two companies were then formed, and a number of battalion movements were made. Capt. Coursol, of the corps and Lieut. d'Orsonnens, 87th Batt, attached to the school for a "long course," were called upon in succession to take command; the movements were performed smartly, showing careful training on the part of both officers and men. Lieut. Freer having assumed command extended the right half companies for attack, the left half being in support. The extended line advanced by rushes and sections and were re-inforced by the support; the attack was supposed to be an unsuccessful one, so the companies had to retire; this they effected by firing volleys and retiring by alternate companies. All this was perfectly done; intervals were preserved; all available cover promptly taken advantage of. The company and section commanders and the men thoroughly understood what they were doing.

The Major-General expressed himself well pleased with the morning's work, particularly with the attack drill, and the commandant and officers are to be congratulated upon the efficient state of the corps.

**Governor General's Foot Guards.**—The second of a series of three moonlight excursions, organized by the officers of this corps in aid of the band fund, was held on Thursday evening last. The attendance was even larger than the week previous, and again the excursion proved quite as pleasant to the participants as profitable to the originators. The route was up the Rideau for about eight miles and return, the trip occupying about three hours. The band were present and furnished delightful music. The third and last excursion takes place to-night. Last evening the band gave an open air concert on Cartier Square, and attracted to that spot a very large number of citizens.

**95th Batt.**—The *Manitoban* says: "Capt. Wastie, of 'B' company 95th, states that he will bring his full strength (42 men) to Winnipeg from Brandon on the Civic-Holiday, and that he could bring 50 men if he had the uniforms for them."

**Winnipeg Light Infantry.**—The size rolls of six companies of the Winnipeg light infantry have at length been forwarded to headquarters. Of the remaining two companies, one—the Kildonan—has never been recognized since its return; and the other—the Minnedosa—is, it is understood, to be transferred to the 95th Manitoba grenadiers.

**Winnipeg Mounted Infantry.**—The School of Mounted Infantry are being instructed in their particular branch of the service, i.e., attack by mounted men acting as infantry. It is a great pity that more horses have not yet been supplied to the school. It is stated, however, that it is owing to want of stable accommodation and that this will be remedied very shortly. In view of the controversy which is now going on in English journals the experiment of a permanent corps of mounted infantry will be of interest on both sides of the Atlantic.—*Manitoban.*

**Cobourg Garrison Artillery.**—On Friday last, says the *World*, the Cobourg Battery of Garrison Artillery concluded their annual drill, and on that day were officially inspected by Lieut.-Col. Cotton, commandant of "A" Battery, now stationed at Kingston. The inspection took place at the Lakeside Park. Besides the inspecting officer, there were also present Lieut.-Col. Villiers, D A G, of Military District No. 3, accompanied by Lieut.-Col. Graveley, Lieut.-Col. Smith, Capt. Snelgrove, and other officers of the 40th Batt, and several officers of the United States Army, who are staying at the Arlington. These gentlemen were highly pleased with the manoeuvres of the little corps, which were skillfully executed and demonstrated that the men were proficient in their drill, and responded with promptness and precision to the various commands of their officers—Capt. Dumble, Lieut. E A Macnachten and Lieut. D McNaughton. After the inspection Col Cotton made a brief address to the men. He spoke of the satisfaction the inspection had given him, and complimented them upon the thorough training which they must have received from their officers. He said, in conclusion, that it would be a pleasant duty for him to forward a favorable report to the Department of Militia.

Target practice with the big gun took place in the afternoon. The firing squad consisted of eight picked men. Lots were drawn for the order in which they were to fire. We give the names of the squad in that order:—Corp Lunn, Sergt.-Major Service, Sergt. Russell, Sergt. Mulrenin, Corp Brooks, Corp Tripp, Sergt. Archer, Bomb Campbell. Each man fired three solid shot, one common and one shrapnel shell, the latter with time fuse. The target, six feet square, was placed 1,200 yards away. Two flags were placed, one 180 feet in front and 30 feet to the left of the target, the other, 120 feet in rear and 30 feet to the right. No shot counted which did not strike within the limits of the flags. The shooting resulted as follows:—Sergt. Archer, 36; Sergt. Russell, 33; Bomb Campbell, 27; Corp Lunn, 26; Corp Tripp, 25; Sergt. Service, 20; Sergt. Mulrenin, 19; Sergt. Brooks, 19. Total, 205. Time, 50 min., 3 sec.

### Militia General Orders of 18th June.

#### No. 1.—REGULATIONS AND ORDERS FOR THE MILITIA, 1883.

##### Salutes.

With reference to paragraphs 588 and 589 Regulations and Orders, 1883, it is to be understood that the salutes therein mentioned are to be fired by the artillery at the station, when available.

##### Clothing and Equipment.

Applications to headquarters for sets of "saddlery uniform G. S. pattern" are to be accompanied by the deposit receipt to credit of Receiver-General, for the amount required.

##### Schools of Military Instruction.—Certificates.

*Memo.*—Adverting to sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph 553, and paragraph 556 Regulations and Orders, 1883, the certificate granted by the Commandant of the Royal Military College in connection with a "long course, grade A" under the provisions of paragraph 556, will, on its receipt at headquarters, be forwarded by the Adjutant-General to the Commandant of the school by whom the "long course" certificate is to be issued. The Commandant of the school then transmitting to headquarters the "long course" certificate for registration, will return, attached to it as forming part, the certificate issued, in relation thereto, by the Commandant of the Royal Military College.

#### No. 2.—DISTRICT STAFF.

Changes in the district staff having been authorized the following officers are permitted to retire on 1st July, 1886, retaining their respective ranks in the militia, viz.: Lieut.-Colonel Robert Britton Denison, Deputy Adjutant-General Military District No. 2, with the rank of Lieut.-Colonel.

Lieut.-Colonel Thomas Milsom, Brigade Major 3rd, 4th and 5th Brigade Divisions, Ontario, with rank of Lieut.-Colonel.

The Commandant of the School of Infantry at Toronto (C company, Infantry School Corps) will, in addition to his duties as such commandant, take over from 1st July, 1886, until further orders, the duties of Deputy Adjutant-General, Military District No. 2, and of Brigade-Major 3rd, 4th and 5th Brigade Divisions, Ontario.

#### No. 3.—ACTIVE MILITIA.—REGULATIONS FOR THE ANNUAL DRILL OF 1886-87.

##### Camps.

Adverting to paragraph under the heading "camps" of No. 2 of General Orders (11) 28th May, 1886, the "places and dates of the several encampments" are as follows:—

District No. 1	London, Ont., on the 22nd June, 1886.
"	2 .....
"	3 Kingston, Ont., on the 7th September, 1886.
"	4 Prescott, Ont., on the 22nd June, 1886.
"	5 Richmond, Que., on the 26th June, 1886.
"	6 Longueuil, Que., on the 1st July, 1886.
"	7 Levis, Que., .....
"	8 Sussex, N.B., on the 29th June, 1886.
"	9 Aldershot, N.S., 14th September, 1886.

#### No. 4.—

**8th Cav., "A" Troop.**—To be lieut., 2nd Lieut. George Stopford Maunsell, S.C., vice Wedderburn, transferred to and promoted in "F" Troop. To be 2nd lieut., prov., Sergt. Charles Chillis McMonagle, vice Maunsell, promoted.

"C" Troop.—To be lieut., 2nd Lieut. David Sears, S.C., vice Sharp, retired. "F" Troop.—To be capt., Lieut. Frederick Vernon Wedderburn, S.C., from "A" Troop, vice Scovil, retired.

**Toronto Bat. Gar. Art.**—2nd Lieut. Andrew Hill Malloch resigns.

**Gananoque F. B. Art.**—To be lieut. prov., Sergt. Samuel Alex. McKenzie, vice Gillies, promoted.

**Late Ste. Catharines B. G. Art.**—No. 2 of general orders, 14th November, 1868, is amended by permitting Capt. James Wilson to retire retaining rank.

**Ottawa F. B. Art.**—Adverting to the appointment of T. A. D. Bliss in No. 5 of general orders (10) 21st May, 1886, read "to be 2nd lieut." instead of "to be lieut."

**Montreal B. G. Art.**—To be major, Capt. Walter Hunter Laurie, R.S.A., vice Fraser, promoted.

To be capt., Lieut. William Henry Lulham, G.S., vice Laurie.

**Newcastle F. B. Art.**—To be veterinary surgeon, Q.M.-Sergt. John Morrissy, vice James Brown, who resigns.

**New Brunswick B. G. Art., No. 2 Bat.**—To be capt., Lieut. John James Gordon, R.S.A., vice Langan, appointed adjutant. To be adjutant, Capt. Charles Frederick Langan, G.S., from No. 2 Battery.

**Charlottetown Engr. Co.**—To be lieut., Serg. Maj. George Morton Moore, E.C. (1st B.), vice Weeks, promoted. To be 2nd lieut., prov., Sergt. Hugh McLean Davison, vice Horne, resigned.

**Kildonan Infantry Co.**—Lieut. William R. D. Sutherland is permitted to retire, retaining rank.

This company having become non-effective is removed from the list of corps of the Active Militia.

**1st Batt.**—To be capt., Lieut. Arthur Scott Henshaw, S.I., vice John Ogden Willgress, who retires retaining rank;

2nd lieut. Charles Herbert Godfrey, S.I., vice Turpin, retired.

To be lieut., 2nd lieut. Frank Scott, S.I., vice Paul, resigned;

William Abbott, prov., vice Cooke, promoted.

To be 2nd lieut., prov., Benjamin Taylor Andrew Bell, vice Nelles, resigned.

To be adjt., Capt. Stewart Campbell, S.I., vice Butler, appointed major.

**9th Batt., No. 5. Co.**—To be 2nd lieut., prov., Joseph A. W. LeBel, vice Dorion.

To be adjt., Lieut. Lucien Gilbert Elzear Fiset, S.I., from No. 3 com., vice Pelletier, transferred to Regiment of Canadian Artillery.

**11th Batt. No. 8 Co.**—To be 2nd lieut., Sergt. William Williamson, S.I. (1st B.), vice Sittlington, promoted.