Lawn bowling and curling in Ottawa lost a great patron in John Manvel, who died recently. His interest in these sports was demonstrated by his handsome benefactions to the Ottawa Curling Club and Vittoria Lawn Bowling Club. Both of these organizations were well represented at the funeral.

W. A. Warne's Trade and Commerce rink of Ottawa lawn bowlers won out in the final rink match of the city tournament, beating the rink skipped by E. A. Thomas (Labour Department) by only two points, on the fifteenth end. On the fourteenth end the score was fourteen all. Other members of the winning rink were: G. H. Porteous, Printing Bureau; E. N. Jory and J. Skead, Census. The doubles competition in the city tournament was won by Wilson and Urquhart, Customs.

Interior Rifle Association of Ottawa. Scores for Saturday, Sept. 26th:—

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	600	500	200	
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A. E. Shore	. 31	35	30	96
J. L. Crawford	30	31	30	91
W. A. Purdy	27	34	29	90
H. R. S. Gow	25	33	31	89
J. M. Roberts	27	30	27	84
C. E. Gunby	24	30	22	76
C. A. E. Clendinnen	24	28	24	76
W. Thompson	15	31	27	73
TN:				10

First class spoon, A. E. Shore.

Spoon for possible at 500 yards, A. E. Shore.

Vittorias Won Birks.

The proud privilege of holding the Birks trophy for the winter belongs to the Vittoria Lawn Bowling Club. On Saturday the rinks of that organization trimmed the veterans of the Ottawa Club and carried off the silverware. Three of the four Vittoria rinks beat their opposing Ottawa quartettes, the fourth green being the scene of an Ottawa win. At the finish the Vittorias had a margin of three points. It was a close game, and the victors are justly proud of their win.

Before a fairly large crowd, but in

weather which was marred through rain, the annual Civil Service track and field sports were held on Saturday afternoon last on Rideau Hall grounds, under the auspices of President Sims and Secretary Doyle, with their bonnie committee, which has contributed so much to the athletic life of the Ottawa Service. In the relay race the team from the Post Office Department proved winners, and Bert Stronach, the hero of the games six years ago, won the all round championship. The results follow:—

100 yards—1, Simpson; 2, Watson; 3, Cameron. Time, 11 secs.

16-lb. shot put—1, McNeal, 47 ft. 6 in.; 2, Willis, 47 ft. 4 in.

100 yards, open, 1st heat—1, Simpson; 2, Dowd; 3, Watson. Time, 11 secs.

100 yards, open, 2nd heat—1, Salter; 2, Willis; 3, Grant. Time, 11 2-5 secs.

100 yards, open, final—1, Simpson; 2, Salter; 3, Dowd. Time, 11 4-5 secs.

Throwing baseball—1, Ross, 110 yards; 2, McCann, 105 yards; 3, Grimes, 98 yards. Tug-of-war. 1st heat—Police team de-

Tug-of-war, 1st heat—Police team defeated Public Works Department.

220 yards—1, Johnstone; 2, Watson; 3, Simpson. Time, 22 2-5 secs.

Tug-of-war, 2nd heat—Public Works defeated Police. (Win thrown out.)

Tug-of-war, 3rd heat—Public Works defeated Police.

One mile run—1, Tubman; 2, Stronach; 3, Simpson. Time, 4.44 3-4.

Running broad jump—1, Stronach, 18 ft. 6 in.; 2, McNeal, 16 ft. 9 1-3 in.; 3, McNeal, 15 ft.

440 yards—1, Simpson; 2, Stronach; 3, Pelletier. No time.

Quarter mile relay—1, Post Office team (Messrs. Cameron, Landriau, Anderson and Johnstone); 2, Interior (Vogan, Williams, Dewhurst and Dowd.)

Five mile—1, Tubman; 2, Law. Time, 27.6.

The Industrious Bee.—The bee has two distinct stomachs. In the first it stores away the honey it so industriously gathers from the flowers until such time as it is ready to yield it up, while the other stomach is used simply and solely for digestion purposes.