

ten shillings, and shall not be entitled to be included in the prize list if the mistake is brought to notice after the prize list has been posted up."

It is provided that "All who intend to receive their prizes at the presentation shall enter their names in the book kept at the secretary's office for the purpose, not later than the day preceding that of the presentation, after which no names will be received."

Whoever is responsible for changing the magpie on our first-class targets from 6 feet square to a circle 6 feet in diameter should take notice that the N. R. A. magpie remains at 6 feet square.

With respect to revolver shooting the following regulations are made :

BORE.—Maximum weight, 2 lbs. 10 oz. Minimum bore, such as will carry .44 ammunition. Revolvers will be subject to examination by an officer appointed for the purpose before competitors will be allowed to use them.

PULL OF TRIGGER.—Minimum, 4 lbs.

SIGHTS.—Both foresight and backsight to be fixed, and without screw adjustment, no competitor to be allowed to alter the position of either sight at the firing point. Foresight to be of some simple pattern of sufficient solidity and strength to withstand rough usage. Backsight to be a plain open V or open half circle, or buckhorn pattern.

Competitors using their own revolvers may use their own ammunition, which must not weigh less than the lightest authorized pattern issued by the Government, viz., bullet, 225 grains; powder, 13 grains; case, 52 grains; total, 290 grains.

In "All Comers" competitions, competitors may, unless it be otherwise specified, adopt at all the distances any position suited to the firing points and target arrangements.

THE RIFLE LEAGUE.

The second season of the Canadian Military Rifle League has opened very auspiciously, no less than 96 teams of ten men each having entered, according to the latest returns received. A glance at the list given below, will show that teams have entered from a number of corps not represented last year, and also the absence of a few then taking part. From Ontario there are 49 teams entered, from Quebec 24, New Brunswick 5, Nova Scotia 11, Prince Edward Island 3, Manitoba 2, the North-West Territories 2; British Columbia, unfortunately, is not represented. The want of a range has shut out a number who would have liked to take part, and it is to be hoped that steps will be taken during the present season to secure proper rifle range accommodation at every headquarters. In the case of some rural corps expected to put in teams this season, it has been found impossible to bring the necessary ten men together, and in one of these instances, not to be shut out of the sport, the team entered from the 56th Battalion has had to be changed to the Prescott Rifle Association, two members of the Prescott Cavalry being admitted to fill. Though entered as a civilian team, under the rules, it seems to us that an exception should be made in such cases as this so far as the ammunition issue is concerned, and that teams consisting of all military men, even though not all from the one corps, should get their ammunition free. The following is the list of entries :—

	Teams.
Headquarters Staff, Ottawa	1
A Battery, Regiment Canadian Artillery, Kingston	2
B Battery, " " " " Quebec	2
A Company, Infantry School Corps, Fredericton, N.B.	1
B Company, " " " " St. Johns, Q.	1
C Company, " " " " Toronto	1
D Company, " " " " London, Ont.	1
Governor-General's Body Guard, Toronto	1
Halifax Garrison Artillery	4
Montreal " " "	2
Prince Edward Island Garrison Artillery	1
Charlottetown Engineers	1
Royal Military College, Kingston	1
Governor General's Foot Guards, Ottawa	4
1st Prince of Wales Rifles, Montreal	2
2nd Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto	4
3rd Victoria Rifles, Montreal	2
5th Royal Scots, Montreal	2
6th Fusiliers, Montreal	2
7th Fusiliers, London	1
8th Royal Rifles, Quebec	2
9th Voltigeurs, Quebec	1
10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto	4
13th Battalion, Hamilton	2
20th Battalion, Georgetown, Ont.	1
20th Battalion, Milton, Ont.	1
21st Battalion, Essex, Ont.	1
21st Battalion, Windsor, Ont.	1
22nd Battalion, Woodstock	1
37th Battalion, Hagersville	1
38th Dufferin Rifles, Brantford	1
43rd Battalion, Ottawa	5
44th Battalion, Niagara Falls, Ont.	1
45th Battalion, Bowmanville	1
45th Battalion, Lindsay	2
49th Battalion, Belleville	1
49th Battalion, Madoc	1
50th Battalion, Huntingdon, Q.	1
53rd Battalion, Sherbrooke, Q.	2
54th Battalion, Windsor Mills, Q.	1
56th Battalion, Prescott, Ont.	1
57th Battalion, Peterborough, Ont.	2
62nd Fusiliers, St. John, N.B.	1
63rd Battalion, Halifax	2
65th Battalion, Montreal	1
65th Battalion, Halifax	1
69th Battalion, Paradise, N.S.	1
71st Battalion, Fredericton, N.B.	1
71st Battalion, St. Stephen, N.B.	1
77th Battalion, Dundas or Hamilton	1
82nd Battalion, Charlottetown	1
90th Battalion, Winnipeg, Man.	1
93rd Battalion, Fort Lawrence, N.S.	1
95th Battalion, Brandon, Man.	1
96th Battalion, Port Arthur, Ont.	1
St. John Rifles, N.B.	1
Battleford Rifle Association, N.W.T.	1
Kentville Rifle Association, N.S.	1
Levis Rifle Association, Q.	1
Megantic Rifle Association, Inverness, Q.	1
Montreal Rifle Association	1
Ottawa Rifle Club	1
Regina Rifle Association, N.W.T.	1
Sackville Rifle Association, N.S.	1
Toronto Rifle Association	2
Vanneck Rifle Association, Ont.	1

Now that there are to be no June camps, the executive should take into consideration the advisability of altering their programme so as to bring some of the shooting into that month.

The Australian volunteers have experienced a very unfortunate termination to their Easter manœuvres. By the explosion of a mine off Middle Head, at the entrance to Sydney Harbour, two officers, Lieut. Thomas Hammand and 2nd Lieut. Rupert Bedford, with two privates of the New South Wales Volunteer Sub-Marine Miners, have been killed, and eight men more or less seriously injured. An unfeeling Australian paper reports the disaster in these words :—"Although this is the first serious accident that has happened in connection with the corps, it has always been expected that it would blow itself up some day."