

folk darkened, but as a matter of fact I now find it impossible to regard the Africans with any feeling of repugnance because of the sable hue of their epidermis; and I have never met with any one who has had personal knowledge of them in their own native wilds who could.—*Cornhill Magazine*

RIFLE COMPETITION.

5TH BRIGADE MILITARY DISTRICT NO. 6 RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The fifth annual prize meeting was held at Rawdon, P.Q., on the 28th, 29th and 30th of October, on Mr. Smilie's farm. The range was a good one, and thanks are due to that gentleman for having placed his property at the disposal of the association. Lieutenant Colonel Hanson, Brigade Major of the Division, was present during the meeting. The weather was very unsettled having had snow, rain, and high winds most of the time, nevertheless the competitors made fair scoring.

NO. 1 RAWDON MATCH.

Ranges, 200 yards; five rounds.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Sgt. W. Sharp, No. Rawdon Co.	17	\$8
2 Pte. T. Copping	17	6
3 Sgt. Contu, No. 3 Co. 3 R. Batt.	16	4
4 Pte. Jas. Sharp, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	15	3
5 Capt. Sharp,	15	2
6 Pte. John Colter,	14	1

NO. 2 ASSOCIATION MATCH.

Ranges, 200, 400, 600 yards; five rounds.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Sgt. W. Sharp, No. 2 Rawdon, L. A. Boyer, Esq., M.P., Silver Cup, and Mrs. Hanson's Medal.	45	
2 Pte. Thos. Copping, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	45	\$6
3 Capt. Sharp, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	39	4
4 Lieut. Mason	36	3
5 Major Sheppard, Joliette Batt.	35	3
6 Pte. Jas. Sharp, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	35	2
7 Sergt. Contu, No. 3 Three Rivers Battalion.	35	2
8 Pte. W. Rowan, No. 1 Rawdon Co.	31	1

Six highest scores in the above ranges, 600 yards seven rounds.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Capt. Sharp, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	23	\$6
2 Pte. Thos. Copping, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	24	4
3 Lieut. Mason, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	22	2

3RD JOLIETTE MATCH.

Ranges, 400 and 500 yards, five rounds.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Pte. Thos. Copping, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	32	\$10
2 Sergt. Contu, No. 3 Three Rivers Battalion.	31	8
3 Sergt. Sharp, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	30	6
4 Lieut. Mason,	28	4
5 Pte. Jas. Sharp,	27	3
6 Capt. Sharp	27	2

4TH COMPANY MATCH.

Open to five officers, N.C.O. or men of the Brigade.

Ranges, 500 and 600 yards; seven rounds.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 No. 2 Rawdon Co. Capt. Sharp, Silver Cup, presented by Lt. Col. Howard, D.A.G. of District, and \$10.	195	\$10
2 No. 1 Rawdon Co., Capt. Quinn.	160	8

5TH LADIES' MATCH.

Ranges, 400, 500, and 600 yards; three rounds.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Sergt. Sharp, No. 2 Rawdon Co. one sett gold shirt studs and gold pencil case.	33	
2 Pte. Thos. Copping, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	25	\$7
3 N. Rowan, No. 1 Rawdon Co.	24	5
4 Lt. Mason, No. 2	22	4
5 Capt. Sharp,	21	2
6 Sergt. Morgan	19	1

Highest score in Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 5 matches.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Sergt. Sharp, No. 2 Rawdon Co.	125	\$10
2 Pte. Copping,	119	5

YORK CO. RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The Annual competition of this association took place yesterday, according to the announcement, at the Rifle Range in this city. There was a goodly number of competitors, many of these being marksmen, who on this occasion tried their skill for the first time. In some measure this will account for the small scores appearing in the list, as the prize money was divided into small sums, increasing of course the number of winners. That veteran marksman, Lieut. Johnson, carried off both prizes, as will appear from the appended score:—

1ST COMPETITION.

Ranges 200, 300 and 400 yards; five rounds each range.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Lieut. Johnson, Association Medal and \$10.	\$10	50
2 Pte. E. A. Morris	8	50
3 Quarter-Master Hogg	6	48
4 Pte. Whitehead	5	45
5 Pte. Jas. Perkins	3	45
6 Major Morris	3	44
7 Pte. Brannen	3	43
8 Pte. McBean	3	43
9 Sergt. Pinder	3	42
10 Ens. Bird	2	41
11 Pte. Woodward	2	40
12 Pte. J. Johnson	2	40
13 Ensign McLean	2	38
14 Corpl. Nason	2	38

2ND COMPETITION.

Ranges 500 and 600 yards; five rounds at each Range.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Lieut. C. Johnson, Challenge Cup and	\$8	30
2 Ensign Bird	7	29

3 Sergt. Pinder	6	29
4 Pte. Johnson	5	28
5 Major Morris	3	28
6 Quarter-Master Hogg	3	27
7 Pte. Perkins	3	26
8 Ens. McLean	3	22
9 Sergt. Lipsett	3	22
10 Pte. Brannen	2	21
11 " Nason	2	20
12 " E. A. Morris	2	20
13 " Whitehead	2	19
20 " McBean	2	18

CONSOLATION.

Range 400 yards; seven rounds.

	Pts.	Prizes
1 Pte. Patchell	\$6	20
2 Corpl. G. Morris	5	19
3 Sergt. J. Robinson	4	19
4 Sergt. C. White	3	18
5 Bugler Moxin	3	16
6 Sergt. M. Smith	3	14
7 Pte. Coro	3	13
8 " McPherson	3	11
9 Sergt. Major Vandine	2.50	11

—N.B. Reporter.

RIFLE MATCH.

On Saturday last, Oct. 11th, a rifle match took place at the provincial range, St. Boniface, between a team of eight of the Military selected from the Dominion Artillery and the Provisional Battalion, and eight marksmen from Winnipeg, three ranges. The day was fine, and the range in splendid condition. The match resulted in a victory for the Civilians by 33 points. The highest scores on either side were made by Private Cain, P.B.L., 48 points, and J. Thom, 38 points.

CIVILIANS.

	400yds.	500yds.	600yds.	Total.
Lillie	13	7	15	35
Gillis	10	11	12	33
Nesbit	15	11	10	36
Farr	15	8	14	37
Thom	14	12	12	38
Chambers	13	18	0	31
Burling	14	10	10	34
McGill	3	7	4	14

Total points..... 258

MILITARY.

Major Irvine	8	0	7	15
Capt. Taschereau	14	11	14	39
" Fletcher	14	4	6	24
Pte. Boawell	15	10	5	30
" Porter	18	7	4	29
" Cain	17	18	13	48
Corp. Young	15	13	5	33
" Grainger	2	0	0	2

Total points..... 220

The greatest number of consecutive bull's eyes was made by Chambers (civilian) at the five hundred yards range,—four.

—*Manitoban*.