MILITARY NEWS

B Company of the 13th Regiment gain won the marching and firing cometition, the first important annual vent competed in by the companies of the regiment. It also outdid its score for ast year, making in all 573 points when it appears on the streets for the first time on the 24th of May. again won the marching and firing competition, the first important annual event competed in by the companies of the regiment. It also outdid its score for last year, making in all 573 points again 501 in 1907. The ranges were in excellent condition, but a strong east wind somewhat upset the calculations of the men, with the result that the scoring of a few of the at the butts was a trifle lower than formerly, Each of the teams had enough men, and to spare, for the march out, which shows the interest that is evinced by the regiment. The points for firing show a very high average. Col. Cruickshank, the chief umpire, said that 40 per cent. of the total points was a high average, but B made over 50 per cent., which is somewhat remarkable. The men of all the companies arrived at the ranges after their long walk in good condition, one company do-ing the distance in 49 minutes. The scores were as follows:

*** 2.0	General Appearanc	Fire Discipline	Hits	
B	50	115	408	5
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A	50	110	368	5
H	50	120	350	5
72	48	94	342	
D	45	85	234	3
38		95	202	3
F	46	80	214	3
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of. Moore and the officers of the re-ent are well pleased with the excel-showing and desire to thank the for their good work, and enthus-h.

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The 13th Band and the 13th Sergeants, in conjunction with the Hand Firework Company, are going to give the public of this city a treat this coming summer that it will not readily forget. It is to be a grand military spectacular performance, on a scale never before attempted in this city. It will be similar to the firework display that is to be seen at the Toronto Exhibition every year. The date of this great event will be August 6th, and it will be held at the Cricket Grounds. It is the intention of Mr. Hand who will have charge of the entire performance, to put on a scene from one of the successful battles fought in the South African war, and it will be specially constructed with fortresses, and other warlike things. The scene will take the whole of one side of the grounds, and will be magnificent. The sergeant will have charge of the sports that will precede the battle. It will be a regular military camp scene and there will be tugs of war, boxing matches and choruses, such as might be seen and heard at any camp while the troops are waiting for the battle. The 13th band will provide the necessary music. From eight unfil nine o'clock the band will give a hand concert, and that in itself will be a treat, and this will be followed by the sports and the great battle. It is expected that in the neighborhood of 250 men will be used for the battle scene, which will be very realistic. These men will be drawn from the ranks of the 13th Regiment.

It is the feeling of the committee that the tattoo has been played out, as the public know just what is going to take place, and that robs it of novelty. This scheme of the 13th is something new, and will no doubt meet with the approbation of the public, who are al-

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The compised of the following: Sergt. Major Huggins, President; William F. Robinson, Secretary; Sergt. R. Woodcroft, Treasurer; Bandmaster G. Robinson, Sergt. Hutton, Corp. Oster, Corp. H. W. Robinson, A. J. Nelligan, James Donaldson, Q. M. S. J. Nicholson, Color-Sergeants Keith, Weston, Harvey, Sergts. Stone and Mahoney.

The 13th Regiment is sending two teams to take part in the service competition and one team for the tug-of-war at the annual military tournament that is to be held in Toronto the week after next. The boys expect to make a clean-up at the tournament in the events in which they participate. after next. The boys expeclean-up at the tournament in which they participate.

Another idea the 13th band has evolved that will meet with the approval of the public of this city and the surrounding country is that of the military squatic carnival that will be held in dune. Mr. Bishop, the manager of the Hamilton Steamboat Company, is working in conjunction with the band in this, and it will be one of the big things of the summer. It is the intention to have the bands from St. Catharines, Grimsby. the bands from St. Catharines, Grimsby, Oakville and Toronto take part. Boats from these points will come together about five miles from the Beach, and about five miles from the Beach, and will form a circle. In the middle of this circle there will be a tug with a big float on which will be a fireworks display by Hand & Company. During the evening the bands will play selections on the different boats. The evening ought to be a novel one.

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The Army Service Corps is progressing nicely. A drill was held on Thursday night, and a lot of good hard work was put in under the direction of Lieut. Sloan. The corps realizes the amount of work it will have to put in to be proficient for the Quebec tercentenary, and all the men are working with might and main to perfect themselves.

It is quite likely that Brig. Gen. Cotton will be in the city on Wednesday next to meet the officers of the local garrison, and informally inspect the 91st Regiment. Col. Logie has written him, and is expecting a reply shortly.

The church parade of the 91st Regiment will take place on the first Sunday in May. As a rule the regiment goes to its own church for the first of the season, but there is a probability that the chaplain, Rev. D. R. Drummond, will be away, and in that event the soldiers will go to St. Andrew's Church. This church had its invitation in some time ago, but the regiment was unable to see its way clear to accept. MacNab Street Presbyterian Church has also invited the Kilties to go there.

The Thirteenth Regiment expects to hold its first Sunday parade on the 27th of this month. All Saints' Church will be the one to be visited.

Col. Langton, commanding officer of Col. Langton, commanding officer of the army service corps, has almost completed his transport arrangements for the Quebec tercentenary. Col. Langton will have charge of the western Ontario regiments, that is, the transportation, and it will be little short of a tremendous job. There will be something in the neighborhod of 28 regiments of infantry, not including the cavalry and artillery. The bulk of the transporting will go to the C. P. R. and it is the intention of the officers commanding the troops to make the trip a real test of field training. The troops will most likely detrain about two miles this side of Quebec, and from that point will likely detrain about two miles this side of Quebec, and from that point will march into camp, which will be below Quebec. On arriving at the destination each regiment will have to set up its own cook stoves and will also have to do its own cooking during the camp. One thing that the soldiers will probably hail with delight is the fact that there is little work to do while at the tercentenary. There will be few parades, the principal work being the lining of the streets for the Prince of Wales. Then of course there is the big military demonstration. From the present arrangements, the troops from this city will leave here on the Saturday afternoon, arriving on Sunday afternoon. The soldiers will remain there until the following Saturday, arriving home on the Sunday, thus making a good week's outing.

It is now understood that the whole of the field batteries in the western Ontario, in the eastern, in Quebec, and the Maritime Provinces commands will be sent in full strength to the Quebec tercentenary, and not 50 per cent. of their strength, as was at first proposed. No one will find fault with this decision, for the field batteries belonging to the active militia of Canada are, generally speaking, in a high state of efficiency. Their presence at the great review which it is proposed to hold before the Prince of Wales will be alike a credit to themselves and to the Canadian militia, of which they form such an important part. The cavalry forces which will be sent to QQebec will be formed in one division under the command of the senior cavarly officer present, this division being composed of the various cavarly brigades, under their respective brigadiers, from the different commands. Col. Lessard, C. B., the adjutant-general at headquarters, will fill the same post during the presence of he combined forces at Quebec for the tercentenary— It is now understood that the whole during the presence of he combine forces at Quebec for the tercentenary. Tootnro Telegram.

The summer course of the Canadian The summer course of the Canadian School of Muskerry at Rockliffe, which was to have commenced on July 2 next, has been cancelled. Officers and noncommissioned officers, who had applied to attend the above course, may make to attend the above course, may make application to attend the autumn one, which will commence on Sept. 10 next.

Experience in the Boer war, where so many British officers were sniped by marksmen who easily distinguished them from the men under their command by their distinctive uniform, led to the order tha all dism unted men were to be armed in war with carbines instead of swords. In fact the sword was declared obsolete in modern field operations and accordingly discarded except for parade and ornamental purposes. for parade and ornamental purposes.

Along with it went gold lace and all distinctive decorations by which an officer could be distinguished from his men.

Last week the order was rescinded, and Last week the order was rescinded, and hereafter all dismounted officers in war shall be armed with sword and pistol. All who have seen service in the field will agree that this is a sensible restoration of the historic implement of warfare, an officer's duty being to direct, not to take part in, the line of fire. If the War Office would issue an order that officers on foot must lie down with heir men when under fire, instead of standing up to be potted by the enemy's sharp-shooters, as they usually do, it would save many valuable lives, abolish nnsensical ideas of personal courage in the army and be a general advantage to the service. Combats at close quarters may be rare in modern war, but they do occur, and occasional experiences in South Africa and Manchuria has proved that a good sword in the hands of a man who knows how to wield it is the best of all weapons. The revolver is a natural and proper auxiliary. With the two an officer can direct his men and defend himself. A carbine distracts his attention from his main duty of command, and without a bayonet it is of no use in a hand to hand encounter.

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Fun for Times Readers

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The Robins occupy again
Their summer home on Maple Leaves,

The Garden restaurant reports A fresh supply of angleworms,

The Elms—that fav'rite of resorts-Has boughs to rent on easy terms.

Ye Editor thanks Cherry Tree

For sundry floral offerings

Down cistern-way a water-spout Has been a source of active floods.

We hear of rumor comings-out some of Springville's choicest buds.

In case you run across Green Lawn Don't wonder why he looks so queer Tis only that he's undergone His first short hair-cut of the year, —E. L. S.

Unkind Deduction.

Mrs. Benham—I'm going to give a big party on my birthday. Benham—Who wil lbe invited? Mrs. Benham—Just my friends. Benham—I thought you said that you were going to give a big party.—New York Press.

Squaggs—Say, Squiggs, which is right, "I orter pay up," or "I should pay up?" Squiggs—Why, "I should pay up," of

Squaggs—That's what I though. How'd it do to apply it to that five I let you take three weeks ago? According to Her Observation.

Lil-Doesn't it cost a good deal to do as much roller skating at the rink as

you do? Jen-Naw! More cheap skates there than any place I know of

Uncle Henry.

"Uncle Henry.
"Uncle Henry, what is a sociologist?"
"A sociologist, my boy, is a person who can inspect a garbage can and find enough material in it for a long lecture on the needs of society."

Upgardson-You smoke all the time, don't you?

Atom—No; half the time I don't smoke at all. I seldom touch a cigar between 9 p. m. and 9 a. m.

Masculine Exaggeration.

Mrs. Quimby—Archibald, do you know anything about these people who are moving in next door? Mr. Quimby—All I know about them is that they are people of some consequence. Two men have just carried in the madam's spring hat.

Where Did She Get It?

all. Publican--Why, what's the matter wi' she, John? John--Well, first thing in the morning it's money; when I goes 'one to my dinner it's money again, and at supper it's the same. Nothing but money, money, money! Publican--Well, I never! What does she do wi' all that money? John--I dunno. I ain't given her any yet.--Punch.

His Trousers Material.

He was a proud little fellow as he strutted around in a new pair of trousers his mother had made for him, and very important he looked as he squared himselt in front of his hest friend, the corner groceryman, and said:

"I bet you can't guess what my trousers are made of?"

"Of broadcloth?" asked the grocery

"Nope." ventured the groceryman.
"Of coans."
"Nope."

Well, what are they made of?" "Of papa's old ones," triumphantly re plied the happy little fellow.

The Latest Fad.

Tis now the time that I arise And boldly draw the line; Tis time that I asserted here The rights quite plainly mine, I've stood for merry widow hats, For bridge—but by the fates, ne fad I will not stand, and that's The fad of roller skates!

Two years I've worn full patiently Two years I've worn full patiently
The yoke, submitting to
All fads and foibles that, maybe,
Fair Nellie wished to do.
I've stood for peek-a-boos and things,
Because we two are mates;
But I won't stand for, no, by Jings!
This fad of roller skates!

Think you I'd stand to see my wife Go rolling down the road And like a dancer pirouette. In front of my abode? Shall I see ther cut pigeon wings and fame times gights?

And fancy figure eights? Not much! I'll stand for many things, But not for roller skates.

The barn dance roused my ire, but I Submitted, nor complained.
I did not even blink an eye
To show that I was pained.
Don't think that this is idle talk
But one who treable hates;
I'll not be driven from the walk
When Nellie roller skates.

I've had to bend to tie her shoe, I've had to bend to tie ner snoe,
I've buttoned up her waist;
Her rubbers I have put on, too,
On errands I've been chased
At times that humbled me in pride,
But here I close the gates;
I'll not consent to step aside
When she's on roller skates.

Retort Courteous. Soubrette-You bet I am admir

That handsome young Egyptian student said he worshipped me.
Chorus Girl—Nothing unusual. I have Publican—And how do you like being often heard the Egyptians worshipped married, John? John—Don't like it at cats.—Philadelphia Bulletin.



Eph-Aunt Emmy, does your speca mag nity much? Aunt Emmy, 'Deed dey does calle, but why does you ask that? Eph-Well, would you mind tettle are hold 'em fo' you white you is diehin' out



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GRIMSBY AND BEAMSVILLE.

(Continued from page 11.)

Queen street to Mr. Gilmour, of Hamilton, who will take possession as soon as all the work is fully completed.

In point of attendance, the Gun Club's shoot on Good Friday is hardly up to the average, the big attraction at Toronto taking quite a number of the Hamilton contingent there. However, the events were all contested, and the lack of numbers did not downed the lack of numbers did not dampen the spirit of the shooting. Court Thompson, Horning and Barnes were some of the Hamilton men, and Drs. Killmer and Beam, Messrs. Shultz and Pringle, of St. Kitts, shot well.

GRIMSBY AND DISTRICT.

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Chester Gibson, of the bank staff, spent the holidays in Cleveland with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Gibson.

There were large crowds at the roller rink Good Friday afternoon and night.

W. and Mrs. Walker have returned home from a visit in the Southern

A large delegation of Oddfellows went

A large delegation of Oddfellows went to Hamilton on a special H., G. & B. car on Friday afternoon. Miss M. Struthers, Sarnia, is in town visiting her uncle. Mr. John Moffatt. Dr. Millward returned from New York

Dr. Millward returned from New York this week.

The beautiful oratorio, "Christ and His Soldiers," for which the members of the various choirs at Winona have been hard at work upon during the past six weeks, will be presented in St. John's Ch-rch on Monday and Wednesday evenings of next week.

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The funeral of Morris Fisher took plame to Queen's Lawn Cemetery on Wednesday afternoon. The deceased was well known in town, but had lived at Niagara Falls, N. Y., for some years.

C. F. Mabey intends to creet a large wareroom at the G. T. R. station for the storage of flour and feed. Building operations will be started shortly.

G. H. Barr, formerly of North Grimsby, was killed by a chimney falling upon him while moving a building in Saskatoon.

toon, Sask.

It it reported that J. M. Farewell has sold his fine fruit farm in the township to a Toronto buyer.

Benjamin Pyett is constructing a new

shop.

A number of visitors from out-of-town points were in town on Good Friday.

Special song service will be held in the church on Sunday morning and evening.
Mrs. R. Pollock, of Hamilton, was visiting Miss Hill during the beginning

of the week.

Mrs. John Gibson was visiting Mr. and
Mrs. R. A. Gibson, of Clinton township,

on Monday.

The annual show of the Peninsula Central Agricultural Society will be he a week from next Monday on the sciety's grounds here. Prizes are bein offered for the following classes of

norses:
Draft stallion, any breed, registered, 1st \$5, 2nd \$3, 3rd \$2. Carriage stallien, registered, of type and build suitable for production of carriage horses, \$5, \$3, \$2.

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Roadster stallion, registered, of type and build suitable for production of roadster horses, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Agricultural stallion, any breed, registered, suitable for production of horses for agricultural purposes, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Single roadster, mare or gelding, \$3, \$2.
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\$1.

For cattle.—Bulls, of beef breed, 20, \$2, \$1.

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The entry fee is \$1. Mr. W. F. H. Patterson is the secretary.

No farming operations have commenced as yet in this district, but with continued fine weather work will be started next week in several localities. Mrs. Evelyn Gordon, a young married roman of Winnipeg, poisoned herself

woman of Winnipeg, poisoned after a quarre! with her husband.

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