

The loss of our efficient captain, in the early part of the season, upon his transfer and promotion to commissioned rank, was a serious one, and this, coupled with the moving of other members of our personnel on duty and transfer has at times been keenly felt, but in spite of all, the "J" Division Association Football Team is always welcome as a visitor to other clubs, having earned the name of playing a clean sportsmanlike game, and taking victory and defeat in the same spirit.

Notes of "Depot" and "F" Divisions

The Saskatchewan Provincial Shoot took place on the 16th, 17th and 18th July and a most creditable showing was made by "F" and "Depot" Divisions. Const. F. C. Sullivan won the "Green Shot" cup and aggregate, while the "Green Shot" team won the Shield and first prize. The Tyro aggregate and Bronze Medal was taken by Const. B. Ramsay. Many money prizes were also won, and on the whole the Divisions are to be congratulated on the excellent showing put up by the members.

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On July 21st, 1934, the Barracks were invaded by the members of the American Flying Corps Squadron which was then on a tour of good will and mapping routes to Alaska. Sixteen N.C.O.'s had lunch with the Sergeants at the Barracks, and in addition to the usual good will expressions made an admission that the Saskatchewan beer was far superior to that of the States.

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The annual picnic of the two Divisions took place at Boggy Creek on July 26th, 1934, when the expert needle threaders of the Barracks were discovered, and the egg droppers were investigated. The children thoroughly enjoyed the outing and worked hard for the many prizes provided. The Ladies Soft Ball Match was won by the ladies of "F" Division, but it was a hard struggle.

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The Annual Sports Day of the two Divisions was held at the Barracks on August 29th, 1934, in the presence of a large and interested crowd of spectators, approximately 500 guests attended.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor of Saskatchewan and Mrs. Munroe were present and the prizes were presented by Mrs. Munroe after the various events were finished. Music was provided by the Regina Rifles Band and the day was concluded by a dance in the gymnasium.

It was found more suitable to arrange the sports this year under a Squad system. The various squads in training entered teams of four for each event, and the races were run on the relay system allowing for better competition and a more even distribution of the prizes.

The Mounted Competition results were as follows,—

Tentpegging, (Instructors) S/Major Griffin.

Jumping, (Instructors) Sgt. Greenley, SPCA Cup.

Tentpegging Section—No. 1 Section, Lt.-Col. Cleary Cup.

Jumping—Half Sections—Recruits—Consts. Bloxham and Wilmott, U.S.I. Cup.

Balaclava Melee—No. 1 Troop.

Tentpegging—Recruits (Individual)—Consts. Hall, Tilley and Jones.

Jumping—Recruits (Individual)—Consts. Jordon, Wilmott and Leger.

Post and Ball—Recruits (Individual)—Consts. Hastie, Sullivan and Godsoe.

The dismounted events were competed between the Drill Squads—the Aggregate Cup presented by Messrs. Eilers going to "B" Squad.

A magnificent motor car, built and equipped by the technical experts of the Garage Staff in the Barracks, was on display, and it is anticipated that a car which can produce pigeons from its inards is quite capable of swimming the Atlantic, in which case we hope to see Cpl. Brown and his Staff blowing pontoon skids on the Bras d'Or coast before receiving the Brass Medal for their untiring efforts.

The Staff worked hard to make the Sports Day a success and we are glad to inform them that their efforts were very much appreciated.