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Inadequacy of Initial Establishments.

The establishments of artillery based on pre-war requirements were far from adequate to permit of the accomplishment of this result and all belligerents set to work to remedy the defect.

In the British Field Army we had to begin with the following natures of armament :

	Calibre Inches.	Weight of Shell.Lbs.	Range	
			Yards	MILES
Horse Artillery	3"	13 lbs.	5,500	3
Field Artillery	3".3	18 "	6,500	3.5
Field Howitzer	4".5	35 "	7,200	4
Heavy Artillery	5"	60 "	10,000	5.5
Siege Artillery	6".	100/120	6,000	3.5

The allotment of artillery per division worked out at about 54 field guns and 4 sixty pounders and I believe that I am correct in saying, that the whole Siege Train capable of taking the field consisted of some 3 or 4 batteries of 6" How. and an Armoured Train equipped with antiquated 6" guns.

The total numbers of guns of all natures with the British Expeditionary Force in the Fall of 1914 was 184.

Growth of Artillery.

Some idea of the growth of the artillery may be