

ship of Mr. E. Hardy, played popular airs while the visitors discussed the refreshments provided; and a photographer busied himself securing a collection of views.

While the "at home" was in progress, Major W. E. Hodgins, G.G.F.G., had the pleasure of parading at the Council tent the team of that regiment who had on the previous day won the Houghton cup for the best aggregate in the two military matches. The members of the team were Col.-Sergt. G. A. D. Mailleue, Corp. J. P. Nutting, Ptes. J. A. Armstrong, Wm. Short and R. Tink. Lieut.-Col. Houghton, D.A.G., made a brief address, congratulating the team upon their victory, and saying that while he would naturally have liked to see the trophy won in his own district, he hoped that the victors on this occasion would attend and shoot just as well next year, so that when they surrendered the cup it would be to a team who had learned to make even a better score. Amidst hearty applause the cup was then handed to Major Hodgins by Mrs. Houghton. Major Hodgins briefly returned thanks on behalf of the team, who, he said, would not fail to attend next year, if possible, and do their best to retain possession of this beautiful trophy, of which they were proud to be the first winners.

Thursday, 14th August.

The second range of the Association match, 500 and 600 yards, 7 shots, was fired this morning, in a very difficult wind, which played havoc with the scores. There were six team prizes, for teams of six, and these were taken as follows:—

Cup and \$30, Toronto Rifle Association	254
\$25 3rd Victoria Rifles, Montreal	241
18 Montreal Rifle Association	238
12 Victoria Rifle Club, Hamilton	236
10 Montreal Garrison Artillery	231
5 Sherbrooke Rifle Association	231

The cup has to be won twice consecutively to become permanent property. The winners in 1888 were the Victoria Rifle Club of Hamilton. This was the individual prize list:—

\$20 Major Thomas, 54th.....	56	\$4 Corp. Westman, Q.O.R.....	52
15 Capt. W. Macdonald, Toronto..	55	4 Lieut. R. Rennie, Q.O.R.....	50
10 Pte. D. Smith, Scots.....	55	4 W. H. Timbers, Ottawa	50
8 Lieut. Spearing, 53rd.....	55	4 Pte. Armstrong, G.G.F.G.....	50
8 Pte. Macfarlane, Vics.....	54	4 Pte. R. Tink, G.G.F.G.....	50
5 Major Jameson, 60th.....	54	4 Cadet Macpherson, R.M.C.....	49
5 Staff-Sgt. Goodwin, 13th.....	54	4 Pte. R. Kough, Vics.....	49
5 Sgt. Drysdale, M.G.A.....	53	4 Pte. Parke, 8th	49
5 Sgt. Bell, M.G.A.....	53	4 Pioneer Pratt, 6th.....	48
5 Lieut. Pope, Vics.....	53	4 Major Wright, 43rd.....	48
5 Sgt. Thompson, 12th.....	53	4 Corp. McNaughton, 51st.....	48
5 Lieut. J. Mason, 83rd.....	53	4 Staff-Sergt. Macadam, Vics.....	48
5 Staff-Sergt. Simpson, 12th.....	53	4 Sergt. J. Riddle, 6th.....	48
5 Col.-Sergt. Brown, Vics.....	53	4 Col.-Sergt. Marks, 6th.....	48
5 Corp. R. Binmore, Vics.....	52	4 Staff-Sergt. Mitchell, 10th.....	48
4 Corp. J. Ward, 6th.....	52	4 Capt. Rogers, 43rd.....	48
4 J. K. Fairbairn, Brockville....	52	4 Capt. Ibbotson, Scots.....	47
4 Lance-Corp. McCrae, Vics.....	52	Six 47's counted out.	

The Carslake Trophy match, a new event and the biggest of the meeting, was commenced near eleven o'clock. The firing consisted of seven shots standing at 200 yards, seven shots at 400, and seven shots at 600. The contest was for both team and individual prizes, but the trophy offered caused attention to centre on the team firing. The scores were very low, even when it is considered that the position was standing at 200 and that the reduced inner and magpie were used there. These were the totals of the teams, consisting of ten men each:—

Trophy and \$30. 3rd Victoria Rifles, Montreal	700
\$25. 6th Fusiliers, Montreal	670
20. 43rd Battalion, Ottawa	668
15. Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto	663
10. 5th Royal Scots, Montréal	616

The Vics thus had the proud satisfaction of becoming the first winners of the trophy, which they will hold for a year. The individual prize list also shows very low scoring. There were, however, a few high aggregates, notably Staff-Sgt. Mitchell's 88, which that noted shot commenced with six bull's eyes and a magpie at 200 yards:—

\$25 Staff-Sergt T. Mitchell, 10th... 88	\$4 Lieut. Crean, Q.O.R..... 76
20 Major Jameson, 60th..... 86	4 Capt. Rogers, 43rd..... 76
15 Corp. Matthews, Vics..... 84	4 Col.-Sergt. Boville, 43rd..... 75
10 Staff-Sergt. Simpson, 12th..... 82	4 Staff-Sergt. Ogg, 1st Brig. F.A... 75
10 Sergt. Hall, 79th..... 81	4 Staff-Sergt. D. Mitchell, 13th... 75
8 Sergt. Thompson, 12th..... 81	4 Corp. T. Westman, Q.O.R..... 74
8 Sergt. Bartlett, 47th..... 81	4 Sgt. J. Riddle, 6th..... 74
5 Pte. Macfarlane, Vics..... 80	4 Pte. Hilton, 47th..... 74
5 Staff-Sergt. Harp, Q. O. R.... 79	4 Sgt. Kimmerly, 47th..... 73
5 Pte. Davison, Q. O. R..... 79	4 Sgt. Lavers, 6th..... 73
5 Sergt. Short, G. G. F. G..... 79	4 Pte. McJanet, 43rd..... 73
5 Staff-Sergt. Wynne, Scots..... 79	4 Cadet Panet, R.M.C..... 72
5 Sergt. Goodwin, 13th..... 78	4 Sgt. Sylvestre, 43rd..... 72
5 Sergt. J. Waters, 6th..... 78	4 Major Hood, Scots..... 72
5 Lieut. McDiarmid, 6th Cavalry. 77	4 Stf.-Sgt. Macadam, Vics..... 72
5 Pte. Armstrong, G.G.F.G..... 77	4 Pt. Kenny, 45th..... 72
5 Pte. Kough, Vics..... 77	4 Pipe-Sgt. Clark, Scots..... 72
4 Capt. O'Grady, 43rd..... 76	

THE AGGREGATES.

The aggregate prizes were awarded for the scores in the Frontier, Active Militia, Association and Carslake matches, and were taken as indicated below. The medals were restricted to Quebecers:—

\$10 Stf.-Sgt. T. Mitchell, 10th.... 248	D. R. A. silver medal and \$4, Sgt.
10 Stf.-Sgt. Simpson, 12th..... 236	Marks, 6th..... 225
N. R. A. medal, P. Q. R. A. badge	D. R. A. bronze medal and \$4, Sgt.
and \$10, Sgt. Riddle, 6th..... 232	Hall, 79th
\$6 Lt.-Col. Anderson, 43rd..... 232	\$4 Sgt. Goodwin, 13th..... 223
5 Sgt. Bartlett, 47th..... 232	4 Stf.-Sgt. Ogg, 1st Brig. F. A. . . 223
5 Sgt. Thompson, 12th..... 229	O. R. A. medal, Lt. Pope, Vics.. 222
5 Capt. MacMicking, 44th..... 229	Sgt. Short, Guards..... 221
5 Capt. Rogers, 43rd..... 228	Sgt. D. Mitchell, 13th..... 221
5 Col.-Sgt. Boville, 43rd..... 226	Pte. Macfarlane, Vics..... 220
5 Capt. Macdonald, Toronto..... 226	Sgt. Mailleue, Guards..... 220
4 Pte. Armstrong, G.G.F.G..... 225	

Those of the first twenty who attend the Dominion matches and are eligible to shoot for the London Merchants' Cup, are entitled to free tickets to Ottawa. It will be seen that only five of the twenty are eligible, the other fifteen being Ontario men.

In the Nursery aggregate, for the scores in the matches included above combined with the Nursery match, the winners were:—

\$8 Bomb. Gardner, M.G.A..... 224	\$4 Sgt. R. J. Taylor, 43rd..... 208
6 Corp. Bethune, Scots..... 222	4 Cadet Macpherson, R.M.C..... 206
5 Cadet Panet, R.M.C..... 208	

The Martin Challenge Shield and two cash prizes of \$15 and \$10 were offered for the aggregates of Nursery teams of five, but unfortunately there were no entries.

For the aggregate scores of teams of five in the Frontier, Active Militia, Association and Carslake matches, there were three prizes offered:—

Cup and \$20. Toronto Rifle Association.....	1144
\$15. 6th Fusiliers, Montreal.....	1110
10. Victoria Rifle Club, Hamilton.....	1089

The cup now becomes the permanent property of the Toronto Rifle Association, they having won it twice, the previous occasion being in 1888.

For the best aggregates in the Militia, Association and Carslake, at 600 yards, Sergt. Riddle, 6th Fusiliers, won the Governor-General's silver medal with 70 points; and Pte. Macfarlane, Vics, the Governor-General's bronze medal with 69 points. The Lieutenant-Governor's silver medal, for the best scores in the Frontier, Militia and Association at 500 yards, was won by Lieut. Davidson, 8th, with 83 points.

The last regular match was the Martini-Henry, seven shots at 600 yards. This was commenced shortly before five o'clock in the afternoon, and resulted as follows:—

\$20 Lieut. Pope Vics..... 33	\$5 Pioneer Pratt, 6th..... 28
15 Major J. Wright, 43rd..... 31	4 Corp. Westman, Q.O.R..... 28
10 Sergt. Hall, 79th..... 30	4 Capt. Macdonald, Toronto..... 27
6 Major Jameson, 60th..... 30	4 Pte. Reynolds, Vics..... 27
5 Pte. McJanet, 43rd..... 30	4 Pte. McAfee, Vics..... 27
5 Bomb. Gardner, M.G.A..... 30	4 Sergt. Wynne, Scots..... 27
5 Sergt. Johnson, 85th..... 29	4 Major Hood, Scots..... 27
5 Corp. Binmore, Vics..... 29	4 Pte. Kambery, Scots..... 27
5 Pte. Morse, G.G.F.G..... 29	4 Stf-Sergt. Pink, 43rd... 27
5 Staff-Sergt. Simpson, 12th..... 29	4 Sergt. Clark, 53rd..... 27
5 Sergt. Riddle, 6th..... 28	4 Pioneer Brighton, 6th..... 26
5 Sergt. Thompson, 12th..... 28	4 Corp. Armstrong, 6th..... 26
5 Sergt. Mitchell, 10th..... 28	

THE EXTRA MATCHES.

In the Extra Series matches there was very little firing, a great part of the time allotted to them in the programme having to be given to the regular matches. The scores ruled low in consequence, and on the last day the association had to redeem upwards of \$100 worth of tickets which the competitors could not find opportunity to fire.

Optional, 500 yards, 7 shots, Snider or Martini:—

\$30 Sergt. Thompson, 12th..... 34	\$4 Lieut. Mercer, Q.O.R..... 29
25 Staff-Sergt. Simpson, 12th..... 33	4 Sergt. Hall, 79th..... 29
20 Pte. R. Moodie, 43rd..... 32	4 Staff-Sergt. T. Mitchell, 10th... 29
15 Sergt. Goudie, 8th..... 32	4 Capt. MacMicking, 44th..... 29
10 Bomb. Gardner, M.G.A..... 32	4 Gr. W. Pugh, B Battery..... 29
6 Sergt. Drysdale, M.G.A..... 31	4 Sergt. Goodwin, 13th..... 29
5 Master Gun. Lavie, B Battery.. 31	4 Corp. Binmore, Vics..... 29
5 Pte. Currie, Scots..... 31	4 Pte. Tink, Guards..... 28
5 Cadet Panet, R.M.C..... 30	4 Cadet Macpherson, R.M.C..... 28
5 Corp. McNaughton, 51st..... 30	4 Lieut. Spearing, 53rd..... 28
5 Sergt. Johnson, 85th..... 30	4 Corp. Marris, 13th..... 28
5 Staff-Sergt. Ogg, 1st B.F.A.... 30	4 Capt. Macdonald, Toronto..... 28
5 Sergt. D. Mitchell, 13th..... 29	4 Lieut. Rennie, Q.O.R..... 28
4 Pte. J. Armstrong, Guards..... 29	4 Sergt. Skedden, 13th..... 28
4 Major Hood, Scots..... 29	4 Lieut. Dixon, 54th..... 27
4 Corp. Hawkins, 8th..... 29	4 Bomb. F. Clements, B Battery... 27
Nine 27's counted out.	4 Gr. Cooke, M.G.A..... 27