

Captain Ogilvie and Lieut. Ogilvy gracefully responded. Lieut.-Col. Wilson followed posed the health of Mr. Ulric Tessier, who in a most amusing speech, and then replied in most felicitous terms. Afterwards there were numerous remarks of a most cordial nature, and the whole party separated before midnight. The marriage of Lieut. Benyon took place at a quarter to one o'clock on Thursday, the 9th inst.—Chronicle.

remained there for years and years. They were spread about as valleys and gardens on the river and continued spreading until they had reached their zenith. The territory of

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The Quebec Chronicle gives the following as the strength of the Royal Canadian Artillery at present stationed in Quebec, showing names of officers:—

Lieut.-Col. D. T. Irwin, commanding the Royal Canadian Artillery, is also shown on the strength of No. 1 Company, but is permanently on the staff at Headquarters, Ottawa.

Lieut.-Col. C. E. Montizambert, Commandant of the Royal School of Artillery, Quebec.

Lieut.-Col. J. F. Wilson, Commanding No. 1 Company.

Captain A. A. Farley, Commanding No. 2 Company.

- Captain R. W. Rutherford, Adjutant.
- Captain V. B. Rivers.
- Captain T. Benson.
- Capt. J. A. Fages.
- Captain G. H. Ogilvie.
- Captain O. C. C. Pelletier, Commanding "B" Battery.
- Lieut. J. A. Benyon.
- Lieut. J. H. C. Ogilvy.
- Quartermaster W. E. Imlah.
- Surgeon-Major C. C. Sewell.

Of the above Captains Farley and Rutherford are at present undergoing a course of instruction at Halifax.

"B" Battery, 1 Officer, 2 Sergeants and Staff-Sergeants, rank and file 28; No. 1 Company, 9 Officers, \*15 Sergeants and Staff-Sergeants, rank and file, 92; No. 2 Company, 4 Officers, \*10 Sergeants and Staff-Sergeants, rank and file 77. Total, 14 Officers, 27 Sergeants and Staff-Sergeants, rank and file 197.

\*One Staff-Sergeant from each of these companies is attached to, and employed as Instructor to, the Montreal and British Columbian Battalions of Garrison Artillery, respectively.

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The members of the Garrison Club celebrated the re-opening of their Club house, after the extensive improvements made in it this season, by a very successful "At Home" on the night of Friday, Nov. 3, for which upwards of seven hundred invitations were issued. An unusually large proportion of these must have been accepted, for the whole of the Club's extensive premises were crowded throughout the night. The entertainment lasted from 8.30 p.m. to midnight, and the guests were received by Lieut.-Col. Duchesnay, D.A.G., and Mrs. Duchesnay, Captain and Mrs. Rutherford, Captain and Mrs. Pennce and Captain and Mrs. Aylwin.

The President and members of the Committee of this Club had spared no efforts to assure the success of their "At Home"

and the pleasure of their guests.

The decorations were exceedingly handsome. Carpets were laid from the street to the door of the Club, and the avenue was lighted on either side by lanterns. The gallery in rear of the Club was transferred into a veritable conservatory, being partitioned off, partially filled with palms and other tropical plants and illuminated with Chinese lanterns. The handsome sitting and reading rooms on the ground floor, overlooking the Esplanade, were utilized as card and coffee rooms, etc., and in the former dining room, which we understand is in future to be used as a silent reading and writing room, the refreshments of the evening were served, consisting of coffee, claret and champagne cups, cakes, sandwiches, etc. These were served throughout the evening. The spacious billiard room was the attention of several of the guests, many ladies and gentlemen amusing themselves at the various tables.

Dancing went on in the large new dining room on the upper flat of the building, and the smaller dining room adjoining was occupied by "B" Battery band, which, under Mr. Vezina's management, supplied excellent music.

All present appeared to enter heartily into the enjoyment of the evening, and dancing was kept up vigorously by the young people throughout the evening.

The costumes of the ladies were very much admired, and a brilliant effect was produced too, by the gorgeous uniforms of the military officers. The Lord Bishop of Quebec and members of his family were amongst those present, and so was Capt. Douglass, R.N.R., and many other people of note.

HUNTINGDON.

The annual prize meeting of the Frontier Rifle Association, was held on the farm of Alex. Thompson, near Huntingdon, on the 10th inst. The attendance was better than in former years. The day was fine and very good scores were made. The following are the names of the prize-winners of Huntingdon.

Trial Match. 5 rounds, 200 yards.		
	Pts	Pze
Sgt. R. Gardner, Co. 1, 50th Batt.	17	\$4
F. Brown, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	15	3
A. Davidson, Co. 1, 50th Batt.	14	3
M. Donnelly, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	13	2
A. Stark, Co. 4, 50th Batt.	12	2
A. McCoig, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	8	2
J. Castell, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	8	1
P. Monique, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	8	1
J. Kidney, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	7	1
F. Lucas, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	7	1
T. Gamble, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	7	1
McEachern. Ranges 200, 400 and 500 yards; 5 rounds at each range.		
	Pts	Pze
W. Davidson, Co. 1, 50th Batt.	51	\$4
Sgt. R. Gardner, Co. 1, 50th Batt.	49	3
Pte. H. Holiday, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	36	3
Pte. R. Barr, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	33	2
Pte. P. Monique, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	31	2
Pte. A. Stark, Co. 4, 50th Batt.	31	2
Pte. A. Davidson, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	28	1
Corp. M. Donnelly, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	25	1
Surgeon McLaren, staff, 50th Batt.	25	1
Pte. J. Kidney, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	23	1
Frontier Match. Ranges 200, 400 and 500 yards; 5 rounds each.		
	Pts	Pze
Sgt. McNaughton, 51st Batt.	63	\$6
Sgt. T. Baird, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	62	5
Corp. D. McNaughton, 51st Batt.	62	4
Pte. Geo. Sayer, Co. 4, 50th Batt.	61	3
G. W. Cunningham, civilian	57	3

J. Bryson, civilian	54	3
Lieut. J. Sriver, Troop	52	2
D. G. McFarlane, civilian	52	2
Wm. Davidson, civilian	52	2
Sgt. W. F. Stewart, Troop	50	1
Sgt. R. Gardner, Co. 1, 50th Batt.	49	1
J. W. Stark, civilian	48	1
Corp. Wausworth, Troop	47	1
Wm. Goundry, civilian	47	1
Association Match. Range 500 yards; 7 rounds.		

	Pts	Pze
Corp. Wadsworth, Troop	30	\$6
Sgt. R. Gardner, Co. 1, 50th Batt.	29	5
G. W. Cunningham, civilian	28	4
Corp. D. McNaughton, 51st Batt.	26	3
Sgt. T. Baird, Co. 2, 50th Batt.	25	3
J. Bryson, civilian	23	2
Wm. Goundry, civilian	22	2
G. Sayer, Co. 4, 50th Batt.	20	2
Sgt. W. H. McNaughton, 51st Batt.	18	1
Sgt. W. F. Stewart, Troop	18	1
Lieut. J. Sriver, Troop	15	1
D. G. McFarlane, civilian	14	1
J. W. Stark, civilian	14	1

Company Challenge Match. There being only Capt. Gilbert's company eligible to enter in this match, they were awarded 1st prize, viz., a silver tankard, presented by Colonel McEachern, C.M.G., and \$7.

The D. or C.R.A. medal was won by Sergt. Thomas Baird, No. 2 Co., 50th Batt., with 51 points in matches 3 and 4. There was only firing at one range in 4th match, it getting dark.

Captain Gilbert won the barrel of flour given by Lieut. Baxter, having 13 competitors at the match.

BRANTFORD.

Dufferins, attention! Shoulder arms! By the left, quick march! The formal opening of the new drill hall to-night marks an important epoch in the history of the Dufferin Rifles. The history of the old shed, its condition before being finally discarded, and all the difficulties and disputes which occurred before laying the foundation of the new structure, are fresh in the public memory. Though not even now housed as satisfactorily as the character and importance of the regiment deserves, or dealt with as liberally by the government as other battalions have been, yet, a marked step forward has been made, and under the new conditions the Dufferins may not only expect considerable accessions to the ranks, but will doubtless, with the facilities at its disposal, not only maintain, but improve its drill, discipline and general efficiency, and uphold its claim to the military motto "Second to None."

The officers of the regiment have made a soldier-like effort to make the formal opening of the hall worthy of the occasion, and look with confidence to the public of Brantford, not only availing themselves of the opportunity of hearing one of the finest military musical combinations on the continent, but of showing their appreciation of a regiment so long identified with the city, and with which many of them are personally connected or interested.

The new drill hall is a very handsome structure, and will supply ample accommodation for the Dufferin Rifles for some time to come. It is built with the front and entrances on Elizabeth street, which is a continuation of Dalhousie, on the west side of Brant avenue, while the main building extends along Brant avenue. The building is divided up with the drill shed