

11TH COMPETITION—ANY RIFLE MATCH.

Open to all. Ranges 800 and 900 yards. Ten rounds at each range. 10 per cent. discount on all rifles except Snider and Martini.

\$15 Capt. Corbin, 63rd.....	75	\$5 Capt. Piers, retired.....	63
12 Sergt.-Major Gibson, 66th.....	73	5 Staff-Sergt. H. C. Blair, 78th.....	62
10 Sergt.-Ins. Powers, 63rd.....	72	5 Sergt. Case, H G A.....	61
8 Br. Fau'kner, H G A.....	71	5 Capt. Bishop, 63rd.....	58
6 Sergt.-Major Harris, H G A.....	68	4 Lieut. Black, 78th.....	54
5 Capt. Spike, 66th.....	67		

The Halifax *Evening Mail* says of the meeting that it was the most successful yet held by the association. The time system was introduced and found to work admirably; the shooting being done in three days, while under the old system four and sometimes five days were required. Some remarkably good shooting was done yesterday. In the Gen. Williams competition at 500 yards, Sergt. Stenhouse took first place with a score of 47. His first two shots were bulls, his third was an outer, and his next seven shots were bulls. In the Ladies' prize competition, seven rounds at 500 yards, Lieut. Adams took first place with a possible, thirty-five, Capt. Keddy and Crane following with 34 each. The excitement during this contest was great. Capt. Crane got a bull six times in succession and just missed it the seventh time. Sergt.-Major Harris had six successive bulls eyes to his credit. He lost his last shot, failing to strike the target. Secretary Weston and his assistant, Sergt. Hughes, did much towards making the meeting a success, being very obliging and courteous.

Richmond.—The seventeenth annual rifle meeting of the Richmond county and 54th battalion rifle association took place at Richmond last Thursday. The following were the scores of the prize winners in the competitions:

1. MAIDEN STAKES—200 YDS. 7 SHOTS.

\$6 Pte. W. A. Young.....	31	Pte. W. J. Hygh.....	24
5 Corpl. T. Newman.....	30	Sergt. W. Findley.....	22
4 Pte. C. Griffith.....	28	Capt. Jas. Stevens, R F B.....	21
3 Pte. W. Bushell.....	27	J. T. Thomas.....	20
2 J. A. Adams.....	26	Pte. H. Lyster, 54th.....	15
1 Pte. S. Beattie.....	25	Pte. John E. Gibson, 54th.....	14
Pte. G. E. Hygh.....	24		

The last six prizes in this match were in kind, the winners having their choice of either money or articles.

2. 200 AND 500 YARDS, 7 SHOTS.

\$10 Capt. L. Thomas, 54th.....	29	29	58	\$1.50 Staff-Sergt. E. A. Cleveland, 54th.....	28	18	46
8 M. A. Harvey.....	30	25	55	1.50 Pte. W. A. Young, 54th.....	29	17	46
6 E. Harvey.....	27	25	52	1 Sergt. J. A. Bothwell, 54th.....	29	17	46
5 Capt. L. L. Brown, 54th.....	30	22	52	1 Q.-M. T. P. Cleveland, 54th.....	27	17	44
4 Staff-Sergt. A. E. Shaw, 54th.....	29	22	51	1 Pte. C. Griffith, 54th.....	30	14	44
3 Capt. J. W. Harkom, 54th.....	25	25	50	1 Sergt. Geo. Colman, 54th.....	25	18	43
2 E. Leet.....	28	21	49	1 Pte. R. Thompson, 54th.....	27	16	43

3. OPEN MATCH—500 AND 600 YARDS, 7 ROUNDS.

\$10 Staff-Sergt. E. A. Cleveland, 54th.....	31	22	53	\$1.50 Lieut. Jas. Alexander, 54th.....	27	7	34
8 Pte. R. Thompson, 54th.....	28	21	49	1 H. A. Bothwell.....	12	21	33
6 Capt. J. W. Harkom, 54th.....	30	15	45	1 Sergt. W. Wenthworth, 54th.....	15	18	33
5 E. Harvey.....	22	21	43	1 Major E. S. Beuard, 54th.....	18	13	31
4 Staff-Sergt. A. E. Shaw, 54th.....	15	27	42	1 Pte. L. V. Hygh, 54th.....	21	10	31
3 Capt. L. Thomas, 54th.....	28	10	38	1 Corpl. T. Newman, 54th.....	26	5	31
2 Pte. W. A. Young, 54th.....	19	16	35	1 Sergt. W. Findley, 54th.....	22	7	29
1.50 Sergt. Geo. Colman.....	17	17	34				

The last part of the shooting in this match was done in the dark.

AGGREGATE PRIZES.

Open only to members of the 54th battalion who have performed all drills required.

1 D. C. R. A. medal and \$5, Staff-Sergt. Cleveland.....	99	3 \$3, Capt. J. W. Harkom.....	95
2 P.Q.R.A medal and \$5, Capt. L. Thomas.....	96	4 \$2, Pte. R. Thompson.....	92

Ottawa.—The eleventh weekly spoon competition of the Guards' rifle association took place on Saturday afternoon, with the following result, the firing being with Snider rifles at Queen's ranges:

Sergt. Short, No. 2, spoon.....	28	28	20	76	Staff-Sergt. Dawson, No. 2.....	23	18	23	64
Col. Sergt. Maillie, No. 2.....	23	26	20	69	Corpl. Watts, No. 1.....	26	19	18	63
Corpl. Carroll, No. 4.....	27	22	20	69	Corpl. Behan, No. 4.....	28	20	10	58
Sergt. Codd, No. 2.....	26	24	15	65	Staff-Sergt. Cawdron, No. 3.....	27	16	10	53

Quebec's Annual Rifle Matches.

THE annual prize meeting of the Province of Quebec rifle association opened on the Point St. Charles Ranges, Montreal, on Tuesday, continuing yesterday and to-day. In next issue we will be able to give a more extended notice of the meeting. Time permits of only the results of the matches of the first day being published in this.

THE NURSERY MATCH.

The first match to be fired, the Nursery, seven shots at 400 yards, brought out a good number of new shots, and very creditable scoring was made in it, resulting in the following securing prizes.

Team Prizes.

For the aggregate scores of four previously named members of any affiliated association.

\$12, 6th Fusiliers.		\$8, 3rd "Vics."	
Pte. Harrison.....	29	Sergt. Brown.....	30
Sergt. Howard.....	26	Corpl. Badgley.....	26
Pte. Scott.....	24	Pte. Tabb.....	24
Corpl. Currie.....	24	Pte. Reynolds.....	17
Total.....	103	Total.....	97

Other teams scored as follows:

Himingsford Rifle Association.....	88	8th Royal Rifles.....	66
Montreal Garrison Artillery.....	87		

Individual Prizes.

\$15 Sergt. H. Brown, 3rd Vics.....	30	\$4 Pte. McNaughton, 51st.....	26
10 Pte. A. Harrison, 6th.....	29	4 Pte. O'Brien, 5th.....	25
8 Staff-Sergt. Lefebvre, 1st P.W.R.....	29	4 Mr. Irving, G.T.R.A.....	25
7 Mr. Galbraith, M.R.A.....	26	4 Corpl. W. Currie, 6th.....	24
6 Corpl. H. Badgley, V.R.C.....	26	4 Gr. W. Sharp, M.G.A.....	24
5 Sergt. B. Howard, 6th Fus.....	26	4 Pte. McLaughlin, 8th.....	24
4 Sergt. Grove, M.G.A.....	26	4 Pte. A. Tabb, V.R.C.....	24
4 Pte. Thomson, 54th.....	26		

2. ASSOCIATION MATCH.

The targets having been thrown open for upwards of an hour for extra series firing at 500 yards, the Association match, the first for other than nursery members, was not commenced until nearly eleven o'clock. The ranges were 500 and 600 yards, seven rounds at each. A fish-tail wind, of constantly varying force, sadly bothered the riflemen, and, with an atmosphere dry and hot, served to produce wretchedly low scores.

Team Prizes.

For the aggregate scores of five previously named members of any rifle association.

Challenge Cup and \$30.—60th Battalion.		\$25.—Governor-General's Foot Guards.					
Pte. Stanton.....	26	26	52	Pte. Sutherland.....	29	21	50
Capt. Whitman.....	31	21	52	Sergt. Short.....	22	26	48
Sergt. Sweet.....	26	17	43	Corpl. Carroll.....	25	21	46
Lieut. Beattie.....	25	17	42	Pte. Morrison.....	18	19	37
Capt. Jameson.....	18	15	33	Lieut. Gray.....	24	8	32
Total.....	126	96	222	Total.....	118	96	213
\$18.—6th Fusiliers.		\$12.—Ottawa Rifle Club.					
Pte. Watters.....	25	26	51	Capt. Wright, 43rd.....	27	23	50
Sergt. Marks.....	27	20	47	Major Anderson, 43rd.....	28	17	45
Pte. T. Scott.....	24	18	42	Sergt. Fairbairn, 43rd.....	24	17	41
Pte. Riddle.....	22	16	38	Staff-Sergt. Jamieson, 43rd.....	25	14	39
Pte. Lavers.....	26	9	35	Pte. Holtby, G G F G.....	22	15	37
Total.....	124	89	213	Total.....	126	86	212
\$10.—Fifth Royal Scots.		\$5.—Metropolitan Rifle Association.					
Color-Sergt. Wynne.....	24	20	44	Sergt. Reardon, Guards.....	29	21	50
Pte. D. Smith.....	31	13	44	Col. Sergt. Maillieue.....	21	20	41
Lieut. Vaughan.....	28	15	43	Lieut. Thompson.....	16	24	40
Capt. Hood.....	23	17	40	Major Todd.....	21	15	36
Color-Sergt. Dalrymple.....	22	17	39	Pte. J. D. Taylor.....	18	2	20
Total.....	128	82	210	Total.....	105	82	187

Other team scores were as follows:

Sherbrooke Rifle Association.....	186	Eighth Royal Rifles.....	160
Victoria Rifles.....	180	Stadacona Rifle Association.....	160
Montreal Garrison Artillery.....	177	Hemingford Rifle Association.....	152
Richmond Connty Rifle Association.....	174	Second Team Fifth Royal Scots.....	142
Prince of Wales Rifles.....	172		

The aggregate scores of the 85th Batt. and Montreal rifle association teams, which had entered, were not handed in.

Individual Prizes.

\$25 and Steward Album, Pte. O. S.		\$4 Sergt. Sweet, 60th.....	26	17	43		
Stanton, 60th.....	26	26	52	4 Lieut. Vaughan, 5th.....	28	15	43
20 Capt. Z. Whitman, 60th.....	31	21	52	4 Pte. Russell, 60th.....	20	22	42
15 Pte. Watters, 6th.....	25	26	51	4 Pioneer Edwards, 53rd.....	21	21	42
10 Capt. Wrigh, 43rd.....	29	21	50	4 Capt. Sylvestre, 85th.....	22	20	42
10 Pte Sutherland, G.G.F.G.....	29	21	50	4 Staff-Sergt. Cleveland, 54th.....	24	18	42
5 Sergt. Reardon.....	29	21	50	4 Pte. T. Scott, 6th.....	24	18	42
5 Sergt. Short.....	22	26	48	4 Lieut. A. F. Beattie, 60th.....	25	17	42
5 Lieut.-Col. Miller, 8th.....	24	23	47	4 Mr. Vicat, Richmond Co.....	20	21	41
5 Sergt. Pratt, Montreal Engineers.....	26	21	47	4 Col. Sergt. Maillieue, Guards.....	21	20	41
5 Sergt. Marks, 6th.....	27	20	47	4 "Fairbairn, 43rd.....	24	17	41
5 Corpl. Carroll, G.G.F.G.....	25	21	46	4 Lieut. Thompson, Guards.....	16	24	40
5 Lieut. Spearing, 53rd.....	23	12	45	4 Pte. R. Kough, 1st.....	21	19	40
5 Major Anderson, 43rd.....	28	17	45	4 Capt. J. Hood, 5th.....	23	17	40
5 Staff-Sergt. Wynne, 5th.....	24	20	44	4 Capt. Thomas.....	23	17	40
5 Pte. D. Smith, 5th.....	31	13	44	4 Staff-Sergt. Ross, 1st.....	25	15	40
4 Pte. C. M. Hall, 79th.....	18	25	43	4 Pte. Scott, 6th.....	26	14	40
4 Sergt. Dowker, M.G.A.....	22	21	43	4 Col.-Sergt. Dalrymple.....	22	17	39

The military match was proceeded with about three o'clock in the afternoon. The results were not made up in time for insertion this week.

Militia General Orders (No. 14) of 5th August, 1887.

No. I.—REGULATIONS AND ORDERS FOR THE MILITIA, 1883.

Expenditure of Funds.

The following is added after paragraph 240 of the Regulations and Orders, 1883: "Commanding officers will exercise the strictest economy in the disbursement of the funds of the corps, and will discourage any expenditure other than that which is necessary to maintain the efficiency of the corps.

(2.) Undue expenditure on bands and prize meetings is to be especially discouraged, and officers should not be called upon to pay contributions for balls, entertainments or refreshments, unless their assent to such has been previously obtained.

(3.) Commanding officers are to give their special countenance and protection to those officers who may, from motives of economy, decline to share in the proposed expense, and will call the attention of officers commanding companies to this regulation.

Postage and Stationery.

Military District No. 10 has been transferred from paragraph 1036 and placed under the provisions of paragraph 1035 of the Regulations and Orders, for the above allowance, dating from 1st January, 1887.

PAY—ACTUAL SERVICE.

Assignment of Pay by Officers, Non-commissioned Officers and Men to their Wives and Families.

Adverting to No. 1 of General Orders (10) 16th June, 1887, the following additions are made to that portion relating to the "Assignment of pay":—

Add the following to paragraph 5 as sub-paragraph (a):—"The names shown in the Monthly Pay Lists must be placed in alphabetical order, giving the regimental number of each non-commissioned officer and man."

Add as paragraph 6:—"Requisitions of regimental or other paymasters, on brigade or divisional paymasters, should be for the full amount of pay of the corps or command in their charge, for the period for which pay is asked; and the amount of "assigned pay" must be deducted therefrom, thus:—

Total amount of requisition.....	\$
Less amount of assigned pay.....	\$

Net amount required.....\$

Brigade or divisional paymasters will make advances according to the requisitions of the regimental paymasters, and forward the amount of assigned pay to the district or other paymasters charged with the payment of the assigned pay."