

7. COMPANY TEAM MATCH.

A silver bugle, presented by Major-General J. W. Laurie, and \$30 added by the association.

\$12. No. 3 Battery H.G.A.		\$8. No. Company 75th.	
Lieut. Maxwell.....	77	Lieut. Dickie.....	53
Corpl. Case.....	76	Lieut. Suckling.....	64
Gr. Williams.....	70	Sergt. Dover.....	84
Gr. Dimock.....	68	Corpl. Cribb.....	75
Gr. Fader.....	57	Pte. Lynds.....	68
Total.....	348	Total.....	344
\$10. No. 1 Company 63rd.			
Capt. Bishop.....	79		
Sergt. Stenhouse.....	76		
Corpl. Taylor.....	62		
Pte. Langille.....	62		
Pte. Lear.....	68		
Total.....	347		

8. MARTINI MATCH.

Open to all comers. Ranges, 500 and 600 yards. Seven rounds.

\$15 Lieut. Maxwell, H.G.A.....	65	\$4 Sergt. Myers, 63rd.....	55
13 Capt. Bishop, 63rd.....	63	4 Sergt. Keddy, 68th.....	55
11 Adj. Nelson, 78th.....	61	4 Capt. Spike, 66th.....	55
8 Corpl. Case, H.G.A.....	61	4 Bandsman Defreytas, 63rd.....	54
7 Sergt. Grant, 78th.....	61	4 Capt. Corbin, 63rd.....	54
8 Capt. Stewart, R.I.R.....	61	4 Capt. Crane, 63rd.....	53
6 Gr. Campbell, H.G.A.....	60	4 Pte. Langille, 63rd.....	53
5 Lieut. Adams, H.G.A.....	58	4 Sergt.-Major Harris, H.G.A.....	52
5 Pte. Lynds, 78th.....	58	4 Sergt. Larkin, retired.....	52
5 Lieut. Fiske, 63rd.....	58	4 Sergt. Gibson, 66th.....	51
5 Corpl. Cribb, 78th.....	58	4 Capt. Smith, 78th.....	51
5 Lieut. Christie, 93rd.....	57	4 Lieut. Hallam, R.I.R.....	51
4 Sergt.-Inst. Power, 63rd.....	56	4 Pte. Bent, 93rd.....	50
4 Capt. Weston, 66th.....	56	4 Gr. Mackintosh, H.G.A.....	50

9. BATTALION MATCH.

A silver challenge cup, presented by Major-General Laurie. To be competed for annually by ten officers and men from each battalion, artillery brigade or field battery of the active militia of the Dominion, and from each of Her Majesty's regiments or artillery brigade serving in this province. Ranges, 200 and 500 yards. Seven rounds at each range. Discount on Martini-Henry rifle, 15 per cent. at 500 yards. Entrance fee, \$5.

Cup and \$30—Halifax Garrison Artillery.		Capt. Bishop.....	55
Lieut. Adams.....	52	Sergt. Stenhouse.....	50
Capt. Garrison.....	53	Capt. Crane.....	53
Corpl. Case.....	58	Pte. Corbin.....	50
Gr. Wilson.....	50	Lieut. Fiske.....	54
Gr. Fader.....	58	Total.....	535
Gr. Dimock.....	57	\$10. 78th Battalion.	
Lieut. Maxwell.....	54	Capt. Barnhill.....	50
Gr. Campbell.....	50	Lieut. Blackburn.....	52
Capt. Harris.....	57	Pte. Holesworth.....	50
Sergt. Harris.....	46	Sergt. Dover.....	57
Total.....	535	Corpl. Cribb.....	47
\$20. 63rd Rifles.		Pte. Lynds.....	52
Capt. Corbin.....	51	Sergt. Lawrence.....	48
Major Egan.....	52	Lieut. Dimock.....	58
Sergt. Power.....	52	Sergt. Davis.....	45
Sergt. Mumford.....	58	Adj. Nelson.....	49
Major Walsh.....	52	Total.....	508

10. CONSOLATION MATCH.

Open to all members who have been competitors in not less than four competitions during the meeting, and have not taken an individual prize. Range, 400 yards. Five rounds.

\$10 Lieut. McElmon, 93rd.....	23	\$4 Lieut. Dickie, 78th.....	21
7 Sergt. Gray, 66th.....	23	4 Capt. McCrow, retired.....	21
8 Sergt. Holesworth, 78th.....	22	4 Capt. Cunningham, 63rd.....	21
7 Gr. Fader, H.G.A.....	22	3 Lieut. Owen, 75th.....	21
6 Capt. Harris, H.G.A.....	22	3 Gr. Umlah, H.G.A.....	19
5 Sergt. Spencer, H.G.A.....	21	3 Sergt. Moody, H.G.A.....	19
4 Pte. McKenzie, 63rd.....	21	3 Pte. Smith, 78th.....	18

11. DOMINION TEAM.

Grand aggregate for a team to attend the competitions of the Dominion rifle association at Ottawa. The aggregate to be taken from the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 8th and 9th competitions. The highest fifteen to form the team. The sum of \$150 and free passes over the Intercolonial railway, provided the same can be procured, will be divided among the team, to be delivered at time of departure for Ottawa. Vacancies will be filled up in rotation.

Capt. Bishop, 63rd.....	338	Sergt. Gibson, 66th.....	300
Lieut. Fiske, 63rd.....	324	Corpl. Lawrence, 78th.....	297
Corpl. Case, H.G.A.....	319	Lieut. Dimock, 78th.....	297
Capt. Garrison, H.G.A.....	315	Bandsman Defreytas, 63rd.....	294
Pte. Dover, 78th.....	315	Sergt.-Major Harris, H.G.A.....	294
Capt. Crane, 63rd.....	306	Capt. Nelson, 78th.....	293
Capt. Weston, 66th.....	305	Lieut. Adams, H.G.A.....	293
Sergt. Mumford, 63rd.....	303	Pte. Corbin, 63rd.....	292

AGGREGATE PRIZES

To be awarded to the two competitors whose scores in the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 8th, and 9th competitions make up the highest aggregate: 1st, Aggregate badge and the National rifle association silver medal, Capt. Bishop, 63rd, 338. 2nd, Dominion rifle association silver medal, Lieut. Fiske, 63rd, 324.

Special Aggregate—Governor-General's medals, awarded to those two members of the association who are effective members of the active militia of the Dominion, whose aggregate scores at 500 and 600 yards in the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 8th competitions were the highest: 1st, silver medal, Capt. Bishop, 63rd, 158. 2nd, bronze medal, Capt. Garrison, H.G.A., 152.

Correspondence.

COMPOSITION OF THE SHOEBURNESS TEAM.

To the Editor of the Canadian Militia Gazette.

SIR,—With regard to the letter of "Six-by-Nine," which appeared in your issue of the 19th inst. upon the question of the composition of the Canadian Shoeburyness team, I beg to point out that under the ordinary terms of entry such a team as we send could not be entered at Shoeburyness at all, the detachments entered from the volunteer artillery of Great Britain being each composed of men from the same corps, while the men composing our two detachments are selected from many corps. Our team is not supposed to come solely from the volunteer militia of Canada, but to be a representative one of a certain composition and allowed specially to enter. This was the arrangement made when Lieut.-Col. Oswald took the first team to Shoeburyness, and the distribution as it now stands among different corps has since then been fully sanctioned in England. The greatest care has been taken to have it thoroughly known and understood that so many of our members are taken from the Royal military college, so many from the permanent batteries, and the rest from the field or garrison batteries, and it has been and is open to the National artillery association at any time to request us to alter the distribution of our team. That it is an advantage to compose it of men from different corps is a question which I do not purpose to discuss here, but it is necessary to do so in order to encourage the interest of different centres. Perhaps as good a team could be selected from one corps, as it would then have better chances of drill together, but the team would not be representative in its character, as it is intended to be. Discussion as to the best way to compose it, not solely in order to win though that is a great point, but in order to obtain, by sending it the best, advantages that can by its means be obtained for the Canadian artillery and for the country, is open to any one, but I write you merely to contradict most emphatically the suggestion and charges contained in the letter referred to, that men whom we should not permit to join it are slipped into the team, or that there is anything else underhand about it, and I refrain in the meantime from expressing more than my deep regret that such unfounded charges should have appeared in your paper.

A. H. MACDONALD, Lieut.-Col.,
President D.A.A. Council.

GUELPH, Ont., Aug. 24th, 1886.

Regimental Notes.

(We wish to publish information respecting all the doings of all corps. Will the officers interested, particularly at a distance, assist us by having news relating to their corps promptly forwarded?)

Montreal F.B.—The Montreal field battery have been undergoing annual drill in camp at St. Helen's island. The number of men in attendance was 76. They attended to their ordinary business in town every day, and performed drill in the evening and early morning. The camp has been a great source of attraction to friends of the corps, to enable whom to visit it extra boats had to be run between the city and island.



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WILLIAM WHITE,
Secretary.
Post Office Department, Canada.
Ottawa, 20th July, 1886.



Notice Respecting Passports.

PERSONS requiring passports from the Canadian Government should make application to this Department for the same, such application to be accompanied by the sum of four dollars in payment of the official fee upon passports as fixed by the Governor in Council.

G. POWELL,
Under Secretary of State.
Ottawa, 19th Feb., 1886.



MILITIA.

SEALED TENDERS, marked on the left hand corner of the envelope, "Tenders for Militia Clothing, Store Supplies and Necessaries," addressed to the Honorable the Minister of Militia and Defence, will be received up to noon of Monday, 6th September, 1886.

Printed forms of tenders, containing full particulars, may be obtained from the Department at Ottawa and at the following Militia Stores, where also sealed patterns of all articles may be seen, viz:—The offices of the Superintendents of Stores at London, Toronto, Kingston, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, N.S., and St. John, N.B.

No tender will be received unless made on printed forms furnished by the Department. The material of all articles will be required to be of Canadian manufacture and Canadian workmanship. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian bank cheque, for an amount equal to ten per cent. of the total value of the articles tendered for, which will be forfeited if the party making the tender declines to sign a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the service contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

C. EUG. PANET,
Colonel,
Deputy of the Minister of Militia and Defence.
OTTAWA, 5th August, 1886.