

These particulars will be submitted to the Committee of Selection, and if your proposed representative meets, in the opinion of the Committee, the above requirements, you will be early notified thereof, and you will then please obtain the signature of such representative to the enclosed terms of service attaching thereto this letter, and forward the same to the Secretary.

Further information will be furnished if required on application to the Secretary, or myself.

J. R. ARMSTRONG, Lt.-Col.,

Commanding N. B. Brigade, G. A.

ST. JOHN N. B., May, 1886.

AGREEMENT.

WE, the undersigned, agree to the following regulations :—

1.—The Gentlemen Cadets, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Gunners selected by the Dominion of Canada Artillery Association, from the Active Militia of the Dominion of Canada, to represent the said Dominion, at the meeting of the National Artillery Association, to be held at Shoeburyness in 1886, are, from the date of signing this agreement, until discharged from duty at Shoeburyness, to be under the immediate command of Lt.-Col. ARMSTRONG, and to be subject to such orders as he may, from time to time, issue for their guidance.

2.—No member of the Team to be absent from the headquarters of the Team, from the day of landing in England, until released from duty after the conclusion of the matches at Shoeburyness, on any pretence whatever, without the permission of the officer in command.

3.—We also agree to be bound to observe and obey the orders made for the regulation of the force assembled at Shoeburyness, and that we may have imposed upon us, in addition to those herein contained, the penalties prescribed for infringement of such orders.

4.—Any member of the team disobeying the order of the officer commanding, whether received direct, or through the Adjutant, or being under the influence of drink, or contravening any of the orders made for the regulation of the force assembled at Shoeburyness, or being guilty of any disorderly conduct, shall, in addition to any other penalties to which he may be liable, forfeit his return tickets, or be deprived of the pay and allowance hereinafter provided for, or both, or so much of his pay and allowance as the officer commanding may decide.

5.—The members of the Team will receive Government pay and rations at Quebec, from the time hereafter mentioned till date of embarkation, and shall have their steamship and railway fares paid (as may be directed by the Committee,) as well as their ordinary board on the steamship, and at such places after landing in England, and until the arrival of the first steamer from Liverpool to Quebec after the conclusion of the competitions at Shoeburyness, as the officer commanding may select, but from the time the team is relieved from duty in England until the sailing of such vessel in lieu of such board, each Cadet, Non-Commissioned Officer, and man shall receive in addition to his pay the sum of 4 shillings sterling per day for his maintenance, as stated in the 16th paragraph hereof. All such allowance may be stopped from any member of the team guilty of a breach of this agreement, by order of the commanding officer as per paragraph No. 4.

6.—Also, that should any of the undersigned, during their course of instruction at Quebec or elsewhere in Canada, appear to be physically, mentally or otherwise unfitted for the duties expected from them upon such Team, or should not strictly abide by these regulations, and should the commanding officer of the