



METROPOLITAN RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

VALUABLE PRIZES AMOUNTING TO OVER ONE \$1,000.

LIST OF MATCHES.

TO TAKE PLACE ON THE

HADEAU RIFLE RANGE,

AT OTTAWA,

On Tuesday, 25th August, 1868, and following days.

I. INTERNATIONAL MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—40 dollars. To Squad making highest aggregate Score.
SECOND PRIZE,—Silver Cup, presented by the Proprietors of the "United Service Gazette," to the highest individual aggregate Score.
 To be competed for by 8 representatives by birth or descent of England, Scotland, Ireland, France and such other nationalities, as may choose to enter; Ranges 200, 400 and 600 yards; 3 shots at each; Snider Rifles; Hythe at first, and any position at the others; no sighting shots allowed. Entrance 1 dollar per man. [Entries are now closed for the first three countries named.]

II. VOLUNTEER MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—20 dollars.
SECOND " —15 dollars.
THIRD " —Silver Tankard, presented by Messrs Young & Radford, —value, 10 dollars.
FOURTH " —8 dollars.
FIFTH " —6 dollars.
SIXTH " —Courier Bag, presented by James Hope & Co.,—value 5 dollars.
 9 Prizes of 3 dollars each.
 Ranges 200 and 300 yards; 3 shots at each; Government Enfield Rifles; Hythe position. Open to all Volunteers, and Officers and Soldiers of H. M. Service. Entrance 25 cents.

III. ALL-COMERS' MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—20 dollars.
SECOND " —Silver Cup, presented by James Harris, Esq.,—value 15 dollars.
THIRD " —8 dollars.
 3 Prizes of 4 dollars each.
 Ranges 300, 500 and 700 yards, 3 shots at each; any rifle; any position. Open to all comers. Entrance 50 cents.

IV. ASSOCIATION MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—Silver Cup, presented by Lieut. Colonel Coffin.
SECOND " —15 dollars.
THIRD " —10 dollars.
FOURTH " —Mr. Nelson's Special Prize, value 6 dollars.
FIFTH " —5 dollars.
 7 Prizes of 2 dollars each.
 Ranges 400 and 200 yards, 5 shots at each; Government Enfield Rifles; any position. Open to members of the Association only. Entrance 25 cents.

V. BATTALION MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—50 dollars.
SECOND " —Tweed Suit, presented by Messrs. Robertson, Lawrence & Co.,—value 20 dollars,—to the highest individual aggregate score.
 Ranges 200, 400, and 600 yards; 3 shots at first two and 4 at last range; Hythe position; Government Enfield Rifles. Open to ten men of any Volunteer Brigade, Battalion, Prov. Brig., Prov. Bn., or Regiment of H. M. Army. Entrance per ten men, 5 dollars.

VI. HOTEL KEEPERS' PRIZE TO VOLUNTEERS.

FIRST PRIZE,—30 dollars.
SECOND " —25 dollars.
THIRD " —15 dollars.
FOURTH " —Case of Claret presented by Mr. Robert Gilpin,—value 10 dollars.
 4 Prizes of 5 dollars each; 3 Prizes of 3 dollars each; 1 Prize of 2 dollars.
 Ranges 500, 400 and 200 yards, 3 shots at each; Government Enfield Rifles; any position. Open to all Volunteers, and officers and men of H. M. Service. Entrance twenty-five cents.

VII. MILITARY BREECH-LOADING RIFLE PRIZES.

(For Rapidity and Accuracy combined.)

FIRST PRIZE,—10 dollars—For the highest number of points, each hit counting one point in addition to points secured.
SECOND " —Set Photographs, presented by Mr. E. Spencer, for the next highest.
FIRST PRIZE,—10 dollars—For the highest number of points.
SECOND " —5 dollars—For the next highest.
FIRST PRIZE,—10 dollars—For the highest number of hits.
SECOND " —5 dollars—For the next highest.
 Range 200; time one minute; any breech-loader, magazines not to be used; any position. Entrance 50 cents. Competitors may enter three times on repayment of the fee, but can only take one prize.

VIII. OFFICERS' MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—Photograph of the Winner, by Wm. Notman, Esq.,—value 25 dollars.
SECOND " —Revolver, presented by T. Isaac, Esq.,—value 16 dollars.
THIRD " —Valise, presented by Geo. May, Esq.,—value 10 dollars.
FOURTH " —Officers' pair Crimean Boots, presented by Messrs. Angus & Huckell,—value 9 dollars.
FIFTH " —Riding Whip, presented by Mr. T. Warwick, —value 5 dollars.
SIXTH " —Pair Binocular Glasses, presented by Mr. R. Kenly, Jr.,—value 5 dollars.
SEVENTH " —Mr. Offord's special prize,—value 5 dollars.
EIGHTH " —Meerchaum Pipe, presented by Messrs. Gelhausen & Dupuis,—value 3 dollars.
 Ranges 200 and 600 yards, 3 shots at each; Government Enfield Rifles; any position. Open to officers of the Volunteer Force and of H. M. Service. Entrance 1 dollar.

IX. THE METROPOLITAN "RIFLE OAKS."

Sweepstakes, 50c. each, Divided into three prizes.
FIRST PRIZE,—Half the sum subscribed.
SECOND " —Three-fifths of do.
THIRD " —The remaining two-fifths.
 Minus 25 per cent. deducted for the Association.
 Ranges 500 yards, 5 shots; any position; Government Enfield Rifles. Open to all comers.

X. COMPANY MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—25 dollars.
SECOND " —50 dollars.
 Liqueur Stand presented by the Proprietor of THE VOLUNTEER REVIEW to the highest individual Score.
 Ranges 300 and 500 yards, 5 shots at each; Government Enfield Rifles; Hythe position. Open to 5 men of all efficient companies of Volunteer Militia in the Dominion of Canada and in H. M. Army. Entrance per company two dollars fifty cents.

XI. ALL COMERS' MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—25 dollars.
SECOND " —Mr. Rodgers' Special Prize,—value 15 dollars.
THIRD " —10 dollars.
FOURTH " —8 dollars.
FIFTH " —6 dollars.
 3 Prizes of 3 dollars each.
 Ranges 600, 800, and 1,000 yards, 3 shots at each; any rifle; any position. Open to all comers. Entrance 50 cents.

XII. ASSOCIATION MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—15 dollars.
SECOND " —10 dollars.
THIRD " —O'Meara's & Co's. Special Prize,—value 7 dollars.
FOURTH " —5 dollars.
FIFTH " —3 dollars.
 Ranges 700 and 900 yards, 3 shots at each; any rifle; any position. Open to members of the Association only. Entrance 25 cents.

XIII. CHALLENGE MATCH.

Twenty Marksmen of the Metropolitan District vs. any Twenty in Canada.
FIRST PRIZE,—60 dollars.
SECOND " —10 dollars.
 Ranges 300, 500 and 700 yards, 3 shots each; Hythe position; Government Enfield Rifles. Entrance per man, 1 dollar.
 [If a team representing all Canada cannot be organized, the entrance money shall be returned, and the prizes forfeited to the Association.]

XIV. CONSOLATION MATCH.

FIRST PRIZE,—A Hay Rifle, presented by Major Grant,—value 25 dollars.

SECOND " —A Magic Lantern and Views, presented by John Leslie, Esq.,—value 20 dollars.
THIRD " —Double Barrelled Fowling Piece, presented by Mr. T. Birckett,—value 15 dollars.
FOURTH " —Silver Watch, presented by Mr. N. Morrison,—value 12 dollars.
FIFTH " —Pair of Parian Marble Vases, presented by W. Allen, Esq.,—value 10 dollars.
SIXTH " —Case of Claret, presented by D. T. Browne & Co., value 10 dollars.
SEVENTH " —Mr. Crosby's Special Prizes,—value 4 dollars.
EIGHTH " —Parian Marble Statuette, presented by Mr. Boyden,—value 4 dollars.
NINTH " —Mr. Philemon Wright's Special Prize,—value 3 dollars.
TENTH " —Set of Deer Horns, presented by Mr. James Thompson,—value 3 dollars.
ELEVENTH—Carrol Ryan's Works, presented by the author,—value 2 dollars.
TWELFTH —Cash 2 dollars.

Ranges 200 and 400 yards, 2 shots at the first and 3 at the second; Government Enfield Rifles; any position. Open to all who have unsuccessfully competed. Entrance 25 cents.

XV. MAYOR AND CORPORATION PRIZE.

Silver Cup, presented by the Mayor and Corporation of the City of Ottawa,—value 50 dollars.
 Ranges 200, 300 and 500 yards; 3 shots at each. Government Enfield Rifles; Hythe position. Open only to Members of all City Volunteer Corps. Entrance 25 cents.

AGGREGATE PRIZES.

FIRST PRIZE,—20 dollars, for the highest individual Aggregate Score in Matches II and VI.
SECOND PRIZE,—18 dollars, for the highest individual Aggregate Score in Matches III. and XI.
THIRD PRIZE,—Case of Sherry, presented by King Arnold; Esq., for highest individual Aggregate Score in matches IV. and XII.

POOL TARGETS.

Open to all comers. No. 1 open to Enfield Rifles, and No. 1 to any Rifle not contrary to Rule 7. Persons competing at the Pool Targets must register their names with the officer in charge; at the same time paying entrance fee of 10 cents. At the conclusion of each day's firing the money will be counted up, one-third going to the Association, and the balance will be divided equally to each bull's eye. The Committee will endeavour to get through at least three matches a day.
 N.B.—Non-commissioned officers and men of H. M. Service pay half entrance fee in all matches open to them, with the exception of the Battalion and Company matches, and at the Pool targets. They also may become members of the Association, on the same footing as non-commissioned officers and men of the Volunteer Force.
 Two sighting shots will be allowed at all ranges beyond, and not inclusive of 400 yards on payment of 10 cents.

Military and Volunteer prizes when shot for by officers and men in the authorized full or undress uniform of their respective corps.

Firing shall commence each day at 9 a.m.

N.B.—The Managers respectively of the Grand Trunk, St. Lawrence and Ottawa, and Brockville and Ottawa Railroad Companies, and the Ottawa River Navigation Company, and the Richelieu Lines of Steamers, have kindly consented to convey Volunteers in uniform attending the matches at Single Fare for the double journey, upon producing a certificate from the Secretary.

C. E. PERRY,
 Capt. & Secy.

Several Rifle marches are on the tapis between the companies of the Battalion, No. 4 of Whity being the principal challenger. Arrangements are being made between No. 4, Whitby, Greenwood, Uzbridge, Cannington and others to fire company matches. It is possible they will be shot, at the coming Sept. match. The marksmen of the companies are practicing for the Rifle contest as well as the busy season will allow.—*Oshawa Vindicator.*