

two members of the Council ; such request to contain the nature of the business for which the meeting is asked.

5. Notice of the time and place of every regular and special meeting of the Council shall be issued by the Secretary to each member thereof, at least *seven* days before the day appointed for the meeting, and such notices must state the object or objects for which such meeting is called.

6. Meetings of the Council may be adjourned from day to day, as may be found necessary.

7. If at any regular or special meeting a quorum be not present, *three* members of the Council (an officer of the Association being one,) shall have power—after waiting half an hour, to adjourn the meeting, to another time, and it shall not be necessary to issue notices for such adjourned meeting.

8. The Council shall appoint *three* of its members a Committee of Audit, to whom the Secretary-Treasurer shall submit his books and accounts at least *one* week before the Annual meeting, and the Committee shall audit the same and report thereon at said Annual meeting.

9. The annual prize meetings of the Association shall be held at such time and under such regulations as may be determined on by the Council.

10. Notice of the time and place of the Annual Competition shall be given by the Secretary by advertisement in one or more newspapers published in the city of Saint John, and elsewhere in the Province, as the Council may direct, at least *fourteen* days before the first of the days appointed for the meeting, and it shall be the duty of the Secretary to forward to the Officers commanding Corps in the Province, at least *six* copies of the programme of such Annual Competition.

11. A Silver Medal will be given to each County or other Rifle Association within the Province which affiliates with the Provincial Association, on or before the first day of August in each year ; which medals shall be competed for at the Queen's ranges, and a certificate of the same together with the scores, shall be required from the Secretary of each affiliated Association, before the delivery of the Medal.

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