

\$5 Pte. Kimmerly, 49th.....	32	\$4 Sergt. Short, Guards.....	31
5 Bom. Armstrong, 1st B.F.A., Guelph.....	32	4 Sergt. Sutherland, Guards.....	31
5 Lieut. McMurray, 71st.....	32	4 Pte. McLatchie, 90th.....	31
5 Pte. Higginson, 4th.....	32	4 Capt. F. Hartt, 62nd.....	31
5 Major Wilson, retired list.....	32	4 Major Anderson, 43rd.....	30
5 Capt. Thomas, 54th.....	32	4 Lieut. Russell, 45th.....	30
5 Sergt. Loggie, 73rd.....	32	4 Capt. Harris, Halifax G. A.....	30
5 Staff Sergt. Wilson, 33rd.....	32	4 Lieut. McMicking, 44th.....	30
5 Lieut. Blair, 78th.....	32	4 Staff Sergt. Pain, 13th.....	30
5 Corp. Hinton, 49th.....	32	4 Sergt. Ross, 1st P. W. R.....	30
4 Staff Sergt. Ashall, Q. O. R.....	32	4 Major Smartt, retired list.....	30
4 Sergt. Kennedy, Q. O. R.....	31	4 Sergt. Allan, 82nd.....	30
4 Col. Sergt. Macrae, 1st P. W. R.....	31	4 Lieut. Lordly, 62nd.....	30
4 Capt. Hartt, St. John Rifles.....	31	4 Lieut. Smith, 32nd.....	3
4 Lieut. McRobbie, 8th Cav.....	31	4 Pte. Cotton, Guards.....	30
4 Lieut. Sherwood, Guards.....	31	4 Pte. Jamieson, 43rd.....	30
4 — Beattie, 60th.....	31	4 Pte. Hutchesson, Guards.....	29
4 Lieut. Smith, 71st.....	31	There were twelve 29's counted out.	

Series B.

\$20 Staff Sergt. Ogg, Guelph F. A.....	35	\$4 Major Wilson, Retired List.....	31
15 Sergt. Margo, 13 h.....	33	4 Sgt. Marks, 6th.....	31
10 Lieut. Sherwood, Guards.....	33	4 Lt. Abbott, 1st P.W.R.....	31
5 Sergt. J. C. Chamberlain, 43rd.....	33	4 Sgt. Sutherland, Guards.....	31
5 Lieut. Russell, 45 h.....	33	4 Capt. Miller, 81st.....	31
5 Capt. Thomas, 54th.....	33	4 Pte. Nowell, 45th.....	31
5 P. e. Higginson, 5 h.....	33	4 Lt. Lordly, 62nd.....	31
5 Lieut. H. C. Chamberlain, 43rd.....	33	4 Lieut. Forrest, 8 h.....	31
5 Sergt. Henderson, 62nd.....	32	4 Capt. Bradley, 5 h.....	31
5 Sergt. Ewing, 63rd.....	32	4 P. e. D. Mitchell, 13h.....	31
5 Lieut. McRobbie, 8 h Cav.....	32	4 Corp. Gowdie, 8 h.....	31
5 Lieut. Wilson, 33rd.....	32	4 P. e. Lordly, 62nd.....	30
5 P. e. Johnson, 85 h.....	32	4 Sgt. Rogers, P. W. R.....	30
5 Lieut. Gray, Guards.....	32	4 Lt. Smith, 71st.....	30
5 P. e. Jamieson, 43rd.....	32	4 Lt. Smith, 32nd.....	30
5 Capt. Harris, Halifax G. A.....	32	4 Corp. Crowe, 1st G.F.A.....	30
5 Staff Sergt. Wilson, 33rd.....	32	4 Sgt. Stephens, 66th.....	30
5 Sergt. Macklin, 90 h.....	32	4 Bomb. Armstrong, 1st G.F.A.....	31
5 Lieut. McMurray, 71st.....	32	4 Corp. Hilton, 49th.....	30
5 Capt. Hartt, St. John Rifles.....	32	4 Corp. Carroll, Guards.....	30
5 Cap. Crane, 63rd.....	31	4 Lt. Adams, H. G. A.....	30
5 Sergt. Wills, 43rd.....	32	4 Col.-Sgt. Donnelly, Q. O. R.....	31
5 Pte. Dover, 78 h.....	32	4 Capt. Waldo, Guards.....	30
4 Co. Serg. McCrae, 1st P. W. R.....	32	4 Sgt. Doyle, 53rd.....	30
4 Capt. Jackson, 85 h.....	32	4 Pte. Riddell, 6th.....	29
4 Capt. Hood, 5 h R. S.....	31	4 Pte. Macdonald, 49th.....	29
4 Sergt. Short, Guards.....	31	There were fourteen 29's counted out.	

THE BUSINESS MEETING.

There was a large and representative gathering at the meeting of the competitors, which was held as usual on the afternoon of the second day of the meeting. Hon. Lieut.-Col. Kirkpatrick, President of the Association, presided.

On the minutes being read Capt. McDonald, Q.O.R., stated that a motion had been carried last year suggesting that a copy of the report should be sent to every competitor present at the matches. As this motion did not appear in the minutes he would again propose it. After some explanations and discussion as to cost it was amended to read the report should be sent to any competitor desiring it and leaving his address with the secretary, and in that shape the motion passed. A suggestion being made that the report should be sent to all commanding officers, Captain Perley complained that commanding officers generally took a very lukewarm interest in the D.R.A., and that it more received them as members it would be more to their credit. (Applause) Mr. Sims thought it would be better to distribute them to smaller rifle associations, the Vics. received none. Capt. Chagnon said the 85th Association only received two copies. The president drew attention to the fact that the association, which distributed \$6,000 in prizes, had only 100 members on its roll, and thought steps should be taken to widen the interest taken in it. Captain Edwards, Vics., thought it would be well to distribute more prize lists than at present. He could distribute 12 or 15 to shooting men in his company, and he had no doubt others could do the same advantageously. Captain Perley explained that 900 copies were printed, of which 500 were distributed and 100 reserved for competitors. Col. White suggested distributing placards as in former years. Capt. Hood thought all these means would fail until regimental officers did more to encourage shooting in their own corps.

Sergt. Matthews, Vics., wanted to know if any information could be given as to the ammunition that would be used next year, as he thought the "Canadian stuff" (laughter) had prevented many from attending this year as they had been disgusted with the results of their practice. Capt. Adam gave some information as to the committee of enquiry that had been appointed. Staff-Sergt. Anthony said that as Minister of Militia in the Point St. Charles mock parliament he had studied up the whole subject and could assure the meeting that the bad ammunition was a result of cheap and inferior labor being employed in the factories, a statement that Col. Scott, as a Quebecer, denied. The President said he could promise for the executive that the best ammunition that could be obtained, whatever that might be, would be provided.

Mr. Sims asked if nothing could be done to secure single fare for the meeting. Col. Gibson thought the preliminary certificate by station agent might be dispensed with, as it was difficult to distribute them, and a hardship. Mr. Sims said he was informed that these were not wanted, and he had not obtained them. Capt. Macdonald said preconcerted action would probably secure single fares.

Lieut. Jamieson, 60th, would like the views of the meeting on the abolition of sighting shots. Col. Gibson was in favor of it, and said its only defence was the extra revenue. Major Anderson thought the entrance fees might be raised to cover this deficiency, and that the competitors would gladly submit to this for the sake of the convenience and the time gained. Capt. Moore, 25th, thought more pool targets might be provided and more extra series would be shot. Pte. Bellingham, 5th, coincided in the opinions expressed, and advocated their abolition.

On motion of Major Cates, seconded by Capt. Moore, it was unanimously resolved to recommend their abolition.

A motion to abolish blow-off shots was also carried unanimously.

Sergt. Macklin suggested that the figures behind the targets should be larger, and Capt. Perley promised that the change should be made.

Piper Clark, 5th, moved, seconded by Lieut. Sims, that some matches over 600 yards should be shot in any position.—Carried on division.

Pte. Bellingham, 5th, suggested a return to time matches, which met with no favor from the meeting.

Capt. Macdonald, Q.O.R., advocated a change in the Gzowski matches. The present conditions, he said, were not practical, as kits were not carried in the North-west, or in the English service; also because the time, fifteen seconds for two shots, was not enough. To prove this, he showed that in 1881 a score of 159 was made, and in 1883, 165, while in 1884, with double the number of shots, the score fell to 95; and even this was obtained by firing one shot at each halt instead of two. Capt. Perley said the conditions were framed by the donor himself, and that if they were departed from the cup would go to Government House, and stay there. General Middleton did not see that a little piece of soap and a towel strapped upon a man's back would increase the number of "bull's eyes" he could make, and therefore the kits were not required in his match. Sergt. Curry, 6th, said the teams should all be put on the same footing, as last year some were closely watched, while others broke the rules.

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES.

On Friday afternoon at the close of the meeting His Excellency the Governor-General proceeded to present the prizes to the fortunate winners. At the officers' marquee tables were arranged near the door upon which the handsome cups, badges and the British challenge shield were tastefully displayed.

There were present also the president and staff of the association, numerous militia officers, who had been in attendance during the week, and a host of spectators, each taking an interest in one or other of the lucky prize winners and a grace was lent to the whole most interesting ceremony by the presence of a number of ladies, whom it is very gratifying to see take an interest in out-door sports of all kinds.

When all was in readiness, by the formation of a hollow square, the secretary of the association, Col. Bacon, at once began calling out the names from the prize list, and as each winner stepped up to receive his prize, so well won from so many competitors, he was greeted with the usual hand clapping, and His Excellency in handing the prize accompanied it by a few chosen words of congratulation. Those of the competitors who came up repeatedly, viz, Sergt. King, of the 45th, the Mitchells and Sergt. Loggie, of the 73rd, who won the Governor-General's prize of \$250, were loudly applauded. The Provincial prizes were borne off by Lt.-Col. Gibson for Ontario and Major-General Laurie for Nova Scotia, each in turn receiving a hearty applause.

A vote of thanks was next moved by Lt. Col. Gibson, and seconded by Captain Hartt, thanking Lord Lansdowne for his continued interest in the affairs and proceedings of the association and for his handsome donation.

Col. Kirkpatrick, the President, then tendered the vote of thanks, upon which His Excellency expressed his pleasure at being in attendance at this year's meeting, which had passed off so pleasantly. He said it gave him much pleasure to co-operate with the association in carrying out the good objects for which they met every year, viz., to acquaint the volunteers with the use of their weapon which was such an important element in actual warfare and learning its use in such a pleasant way and through such healthful competition was an important feature of the work done by such an association and its value could not be too highly esteemed. After congratulating General Middleton upon his well won title and referring to his prize for a special match governed by conditions closely resembling actual service, His Excellency congratulated the association on the fortunate possession of so good a range so near the city and concluded by thanking them for the hearty vote of thanks which had been tendered him.

REGIMENTAL NOTES.

OWEN SOUND.—The 31st "Grey" having been selected to drill this year, will go into camp at Niagara on Sept. 15th. The regiment has met with a serious misfortune. About two weeks ago the residence of the Commanding Officer, Lieut.-Col. Brodie, and the drill shed, which was near by, were totally destroyed by fire. The flames spread so rapidly that little, if anything, was saved. Among other things destroyed were the colours and the plate of the regiment. Col. Brodie also lost all his uniform.

Sergt. Torry, of the Durham Co., attended the Ontario Rifle Association Matches this year and was very successful, considering the disadvantages under which he laboured. He is the first member of the regiment who has won a prize at the Ontario Matches, but it is probable that a team will be sent down next year to Toronto as well as to the Dominion Matches.

TORONTO.—The Royal Grenadiers have begun their autumn drill. The Queen's Own begin this week.

The remains of Private Hughes of the Grenadiers, who died at Battleford from injuries received at Batoche, arrived here on Thursday last and were interred on Saturday with military honors. The funeral was attended by the Grenadiers under Lt.-Col. Grassett, and by representatives from other corps.

The annual inspection of the city infantry regiments will, it is expected, take place as usual on Thanksgiving Day.

The directors of the Industrial Exhibition Association have been extensively advertising a military review as one of the special attractions of the exhibition which opened here this week. So far none of the city regiments have heard anything official regarding the affair, and it is possible that there will not be one.

An effort is being made to hold a military assault-at-arms in connection with the Industrial Exhibition now in progress here.

THE TARGET.

It will be noticed that the winners of the Governor General's medals in the Ontario matches were not correctly given in our last issue; the silver medal was won by Lieut. W. S. Russell, 45th Batt., with a score of 165, and the bronze by Staff-Sergt. Duncan, 12th Batt., with 141 points.

The Brandon, Man., Rifle Association have issued an interesting programme for a prize meeting on the 16th and 17th insts., comprising eight events. We hope to give the scores at this meeting in a future number.

The 43rd Rifles Association held their annual meeting during the D. R. A. matches, when officers for the ensuing year were elected, and it was decided to hold the annual matches on the 9th and 10th of October, and to affiliate with all the principal associations, including the National.