

1st Bn.—This battalion having become non-effective is removed from the list of corps of the active militia. Major Wm. B. Thibaudau is placed on the retired list of majors. Captain and Adjutant J. S. Hurst reverts to, and Capt. Christopher Graburn is placed on, the retired list of captains.

CONFIRMATION OF RANK.

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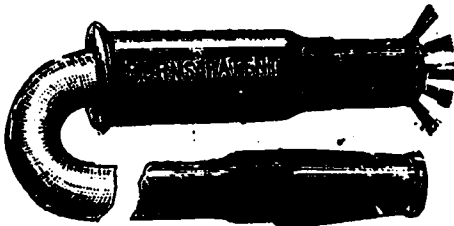
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