

The above shots to be fired deliberately, and the result of each shot signalled from the range. Range to be at least 1,600 yards.

The four competitors making the highest scores at above practice to fire three rounds each, viz.:

2 common shell, plugged.....	8
1 shrapnel shell, time fuse .....	4
Total.....	12
Total rounds per battery .....	30

When 40-pr. R.B.L. guns are used in the preliminary practice each competitor will fire:

1 common shell, plugged.....	8
2 shrapnel shell, time fuses.....	16
Trial shots—common shell, plugged.....	2
Total.....	26

and in the subsequent competition

3 common shell.....	12
1 shrapnel shell .....	4
Total.....	16
Total rounds per battery.....	42

In the final competitions the existing rules as to competitive practice, etc., will be strictly followed.

Ties in the scores made in the preliminary practice will be decided—  
(a) by points for direction,  
(b) by common shell score,  
(c) by seniority of enrolment.

In the competitive practice ties will be decided as above for (a) and (b), and if still ties by (c) score in preliminary practice.

Where S. B. guns are used for practice the rules of 1884 will be followed.

No badge will be given to any competitor who fails to obtain one-half the possible score.

Officers are not eligible as competitors, but should act as instructors, and note the result of each man's shooting.

The prizes offered by the Dominion artillery association, or others, for individual scores will be competed for by the selected competitors in the second or competitive practice referred to above. The prizes for battery scores, or for efficiency competitions, will be decided by the aggregate scores at both practices.

It is to be understood that a direct hit in garrison gun practice is to be credited with full marks.

PRIZE MEETING.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE.

Firing Competition.

Badges as for a field battery.	
Field Glass, value .....	\$25

ROYAL SCHOOLS OF ARTILLERY.

Firing Competition—9-pr. R.M.L. Guns.

Aggregate.....	\$16
Individual.....	8
Badges as for field batteries.	
	\$24

64-pr. R.M.L. Guns.

Aggregate.....	\$ 8
Individual.....	8
Shifting ordnance.....	25
	\$65

Shifting Ordnance Competition.—Vide (A.)

1 Gzowski Challenge Cup and .....	\$30
2.....	20
3.....	10
	\$60

Cup to become the property of any battery winning it two years in succession.

GARRISON BATTERIES.

Firing Competition.—64pr. R.M.L. Guns.

Aggregate Scores—1 .....	\$20
2.....	10
	\$30

Individual Scores—1 at \$15 .....	15
2 " 10.....	20
2 " 8.....	16
3 " 6.....	18
3 " 5.....	15
3 " 4.....	12
2 " 2.....	4
	\$70

40-pounder R. B. L. Guns.

Aggregate score .....	\$15
Individual scores—1 at \$15.....	10
1 " 10.....	10
1 " 8.....	8
2 " 5.....	10
2 " 4.....	8
2 " 2.....	4
	\$70

Or at the rate of \$10 per battery.

Smooth Bore Competition.

Individual scores—1 at \$10.....	\$10
2 " 8.....	16
2 " 5.....	10
2 " 4.....	8
2 " 3.....	6
5 " 2.....	10
	\$60

Or at the rate of \$10 per battery.

Shifting Ordnance Competition.

(Vide B.)

1st prize .....	\$30
2nd " .....	20
2rd " .....	10
	\$60

One first prize if only four batteries or under compete; two prizes if only five batteries compete, and three prizes if six batteries compete.

General Efficiency.

To Field and Garrison Battery making highest total points, cup value \$75, presented by His Excellency the Governor-General.

Voluntary Drills.

Highest average attendance, Field or Garrison—1st prize \$20, 2nd \$10. Badges same as last year.

OFFICERS' COMPETITION.

The trial shots authorised by regulation for Field Batteries may be fired for competitive purposes by an officer of the battery—if so an entrance fee of \$1 must be paid. The first two shots to be fired at commencement of preliminary practice, the last two at commencement of competitive practice. The last three rounds only to count for the competition. 1st prize, value \$10; 2nd, value \$5.

SHIFTING ORDNANCE COMPETITION.

Royal Schools of Artillery.

To be arranged by umpire to be selected from staff of Royal Military College.

GARRISON BATTERIES.

A 24-pr. or 32-pr. S. B. gun, vent downwards.

- To be placed on two 6" x 9" 3' on same ground.
- To be slewed vent uppermost on same skids, which only are to be used.
- To be changed end for end, " " " " " "
- To be mounted on garrison standing carriage by parbuckling up two skids and lowered into the trunnion holes. Carriage may be placed in position when required.

- To be dismounted over opposite side by parbuckling down two skids.
- To be replaced in exactly the same position as originally placed, i.e., on ground, vent down. Carriage not to be displaced after gun is mounted.

Every operation in mounting and dismounting to be conducted in accordance with drill manual.

Two seconds to be added for mistakes at drill.

Detachment to consist of 1 n. c. officer and 18 men for 15 cwt. guns—two additional men for guns over 50 cwt.

Detachment performing operation in shortest time (as corrected) to be declared the winner.

Stores—as for parbuckling, except drag ropes, viz:—

Handspikes, common 6ft.....	8
Parbuckle ropes, 4 1/2" 12 or 18 fathoms .....	2
Scotches .....	12
Skids, fir..... 14' x 8" x 8".....	2
" oak..... 3' x 9" x 6".....	2
" "..... 3' x 6" x 6".....	2
" "..... 3' x 4" x 4".....	3

FIELD BATTERY COMPETITION FOR GZOWSKI CUP, ETC.

Nine-pounder gun and limber, four horses. Detachment to consist of 1 n. c. officer (mounted), 6 gunners, 2 drivers. Field day order.

Detachment to be in order of march. No. 1 and drivers stand to their horses.

- Gunners and drivers prepare to mount. Mount.
- Forward at a trot. March. Left incline. Right wheel. Forward. Right wheel. Forward. Left incline. Halt. The gun to be taken round two pickets, each 20 yards from the leaders and 20 yards apart, and back again to the original ground.

- Action. Front.
- Load with drill cartridge and fire one round with friction tube.
- Cease firing. Rear limber up.
- Gunners prepare to mount. Mount.
- Forward at a trot. March. Gun to be taken straight through two pickets 30 yards distant and 6 feet apart. As soon as 15 yards clear, then:

- Halt. Action rear.
- Load with second drill cartridge and fire one round.
- Front limber up. Form the order of march. Halt.

Cartridges to be taken separately from the limber box by No. 7. Ammunition not to be carried. For striking any of the pickets 5 sec. to be added to total time. For any faults or mistakes in drill as judged by umpire 2 sec. to be added for each. Umpire's decision to be final. No appeal.

Ontario Artillery Association Prize List.

(These prizes are to be competed for under the D. A. A. Rules.)

	Field.	Garrison.
Firing Competition—Aggregate score—1st .....	\$75	\$25
2nd .....	50	.....
Individual scores—1st .....	15	10
2nd .....	10	5
3rd .....	5	.....
General Efficiency—Highest total points—1st .....	50	35
2nd .....	25	.....
Voluntary Drills—Highest average obtained—1st .....	20	15
2nd .....	10	.....
Drivers, \$ to each Field Battery.....	50	.....
	310	90