

Range Prizes—200 yards, Pte. Hulme, 19; 400 yards, Pte. Dee, 21; 400 yards, Sergt. Small, 20; 500 yards, Pte. R. F. Argles, 18; 500 yards, Corp. Bromley, 15.

WHAT THE QUEEN'S OWN ARE SAYING:

Look out for the "boys."—The two Westmans.  
 I am a "tall" shot.—Col.-Sergt. Crooks.  
 And I am a broad one.—Staff-Sergt. Ashall.  
 They might have made a sandwich out of me anyhow.—Pte. E. P. McNeil.  
 Not bad for a young shot.—Major Delamere.  
 I was nearly in the soup.—Sergt. Ham.  
 No bouquets.—Pte. Rose.  
 Ah, my departed glory!—Ex-Staff-Sergt. Walker.

The Fifteenth Battalion.

The annual rifle matches of the Fifteenth Battalion, Belleville, were held on Wednesday and Thursday, the 9th and 10th inst., thus resulting:

1. BATTALION MATCH.—200, 400 and 500 yds. 7 shots.

Lieut. Vermilyea, No. 5	77	Sergt. MacFarlane, No. 2	51
Bandmaster Riggs, No. 1	74	Pte. Thomas, No. 6	48
Capt. W. N. Ponton, No. 1	68	Capt. Merrill, No. 3	48
Col.-Sergt. Russell, No. 4	60	Pte. Landon, No. 3	41
Sergt. Clarke, No. 1	54	Col.-Sergt. McRae, No. 1	33

No. 2. ASSOCIATION MATCH.—400, 500 and 600 yds. 7 shots.

Lieut. Vermilyea, No. 5	72	Sergt. Clark, No. 1	51
Capt. W. N. Ponton, No. 1	71	Sergt. MacFarlane, No. 2	49
Bandmaster Riggs, No. 1	70	Pte. Landon, No. 3	43
Pte. Thomas, No. 6	59	Lieut. Robertson, No. 5	28
Sergt. Russell, No. 4	55	Pte. Bently, No. 3	27

3. MERCHANTS' MATCH.—For highest aggregate in 200 and 400 yards ranges of 1st match, and 400 and 500 yards of 2nd.

Lieut. Vermilyea, No. 5	109	Pte. Thomas, No. 6	80
Capt. Ponton, No. 1	105	Sergt. Russell, No. 4	79
Bandmaster Riggs, No. 1	101	Sergt. MacFarlane, No. 2	76
Sergt. Clark, No. 1	84		

4. AGGREGATE OF MATCHES 1 AND 2.

Lieut. Vermilyea	149	Sergt. Russell	115
Bandmaster Riggs	144	Pte. Thomas	107
Capt. Ponton	139		

Greatest number of bulls eyes in matches 1 and 2, Lieut. Vermilyea, 12  
 Greatest number of inners, Capt. Ponton and Bandmaster Riggs, 16, a tie.  
 Greatest number of outers, Pte. Thomas, 20.

Company Team Match.—No. 1 Co. Team.—Capt. Ponton, 139; Bandmaster Riggs, 144; Sergt. Clarke, 105; total 388. No. 3 Co. Team—Lieut. Merrill, 70; Pte. Landon, 84; Pte. Bentley, 47; total 201. No. 5 Co. Team.—Lieut. Robertson, 57; Lieut. Vermilyea, 149; Pte. Donnelly, 35; total 241.

5. MARTINI HENRY MATCH.—400 and 500 yds.—Lieut. Vermilyea, Bandmaster Riggs, Capt. Ponton, Pte. Thomas.  
 They having the highest aggregate in matches 1, 2 and 5, a case of Corby's IXL is to be divided between Lieut. Vermilyea, Capt. Ponton and Bandmaster Riggs—for medicinal purposes only, of course.

The Ottawa Club.

An extra spoon competition of the Ottawa Rifle Club was held on Saturday last with Snider rifles, at 200, 500 and 600 yards, 7 shots. The principal scores were:

T. Carroll	29	31	26	86	N. Macfarlane	27	26	25	78
C. S. Scott	28	27	30	85	T. C. Boville	30	24	24	78
J. D. Taylor	30	28	27	85	Major A. P. Sherwood	29	27	20	76
Major H. F. Perley	26	30	23	79	J. H. Ellis	27	25	23	75

The spoon in the first class was taken by T. Carroll. There were not sufficient entries for a second class spoon. That for the third class was won by W. H. Timbers, with 63 points.

No. 1 Co. 43rd Battalion.

A match between eight officers and non-coms. of No. 1 Co., 43rd Battalion, on one side, and eight Privates of the same Co. on the other, was fired on Rideau range on Saturday last, with Snider rifles, at 200, 400 and 500 yards, seven shots. The Privates won, their totals by ranges being 210, 199, 144-603; against 198, 215, 173-586, for their opponents.

The individual totals were:

Privates—J. D. Taylor 88, C. S. Scott, 83, L. Perkins 81, J. H. Ellis 79, R. Moeckie 79, J. Lambe 75, Garrow 70, J. Clarke 48. Total 603.

Officers and non-coms.—Lieut. E. D. Sutherland 83, Col.-Sgt. T. C. Boville 83, Capt. S. M. Rogers 79, Corpl. H. A. Quinney 77, Sergt. P. J. Clarke 74, Sgt. R. J. Taylor 73, Corpl. J. McEwan 70, Stf.-Sergt. E. A. Grant 47. Total 586.

Two spoons offered in the first class went to Ptes. Taylor and Scott, and three in the second class to Pte. Perkins, Corpl. Quinney and Pte. Lambe.

The Assiniboia Rifle Association.

The first annual meeting of the Assiniboia Provincial Rifle Association was one of the most popular events of the season in Regina. Lasting three days—Friday, Saturday and Monday, the 4th, 5th and 7th October—it drew to the town a large number of visitors, and attracted general interest. To carry a rifle over the shoulder on those days was quite the popular thing. There were sixty participants in the matches, quite a number being present from outside points—Moose Jaw and Moosomin being well represented. The competitors from surrounding associations expressed highly pleased with the way the first meeting was conducted throughout. The success of the meeting is largely due to the indefatigable efforts of Mr. J. W. Jowett, the painstaking secretary of the association.

His Excellency the Governor-General fired the first shot at nine o'clock on Friday morning making a bull's-eye, for which he was heartily cheered. A photograph was taken of the twenty who made the highest score in the great telegraph match on Saturday, to appear in the Dominion Illustrated. The gale blowing on Saturday made the score in this match much lower than it would otherwise have been.

The last shots of the meeting it was arranged should be fired on Saturday, 12th, commencing at 2 o'clock, in a contest for a rifle, presented by Mr. J. A. Kerr, which unfortunately arrived too late to be put in the annual prize list.

The following is a complete list of the prize winners and scores:

FIRST DAY.

Weather fine, west wind.

Ladies' Match—Snider, 7 shots, 400 yards, any position, head to target; 54 entries.

Mrs. Jowett	by Major Bell	32	Miss Herchmer	by Sergt. Bailey	28
Mrs. Bell	by Major Bell	31	Mrs. Steel	by S. Varder	27
Miss Williamson	by W. Williamson	31	Mrs. Varder	by R. J. Steel	27
Mrs. Harris	by Capt. Harris	29	Mrs. Mowat	by Major D. Mowat	27
Miss Dodd	by Sergt. Gordon	29	Miss Sweet	by R. Sweet	27

Nurse's Match—Sniders, 7 shots, 200 yards, any position, head to target; 23 entries.

N. F. Davin's silver medal, Capt. T. C. Johnstone	30	\$2 A. J. Frazer	27
\$5 W. M. Williamson	20	1 Const. St. Dennis, F. Troop	27
4 Const. Hall, Prince Albert	29	1 Corp. Bird, F. Troop	27
3 H. Carter, Moose Jaw	29	1 J. W. Jowett	27
3 J. S. McDonald, Wood Mountn.	28	1 Dr. Willoughby	26
2 Wm. Bruce, Moosomin	27	1 T. H. R. James, Winnipeg	25

Several twenty-fives counted out.

President Mowat's Match—Sniders, 7 shots, 200, 500 and 600 yards, any position, head to target; 42 entries.

Silver water pitcher and cup, H. A. Carruthers	29	34	20	83	2 Major Bell	27	26	19	72
\$6 Corpl. St. Dennis	29	24	24	77	2 Const. Hall	30	19	22	71
4 Wm. Bruce	26	26	22	74	1 Corpl. Fleming	28	24	19	71
3 R. Sweet	27	25	22	74	1 Sergt. Bird	29	26	16	71
3 Sergt. Gordon	31	26	17	74	1 Major Gagnon	28	19	23	70
					1 F. Nash	29	23	18	70
					1 R. Steel	31	24	15	70

SECOND DAY.

Gale of wind blowing.

Lieut.-Governor's Match—Sniders, 7 shots, 400 yards, any position, head to target; 43 entries.

\$5 and Silver cup, L. Abbey, Moose Jaw	31	2 Sergt. Gordon, F Troop	30
6 Major Bell	30	1 Const. Connor	29
4 R. Sweet	30	1 R. J. Steel	28
3 H. A. Carruthers	30	1 Major Stewart	27
3 Corpl. Fleming	30	1 Corpl. St. George	27
2 Capt. Harris, Moosomin	30	1 Dr. Willoughby	26

Three twenty-sixes counted out.

Bell Match—Sniders, 7 shots, 200, 500 and 600 yards, any position, head to target; 45 entries.

\$12 Sergt. Gordon	28	27	25	80	\$2 Wm. Bruce	26	25	13	64
7 Major Bell	28	22	20	70	1 J. T. Stemshorn	28	15	19	62
5 E. H. Griffith	26	21	21	68	1 Const. Hall	29	15	18	62
4 Major Stewart	23	26	18	67	1 L. Abbey	26	20	16	62
3 Sergt. Montgomery	29	22	16	67	1 H. A. Carruthers	27	22	13	62
2 Corp. St. George	25	26	13	64	1 Const. Drake	29	17	14	60

THIRD DAY.

Weather fine and light wind.

Vice-President Reed's Match.—Snider, 7 shots, 500 and 600 yards, any position, head to target; 46 entries.

Marble clock, \$25, Sergt. Gordon	29	27	56	\$2 Sergt. Bailey	27	18	45
\$6 R. J. Steel	29	22	61	1 Corp. Service	27	18	45
4 E. A. Griffith	25	24	49	1 Major Bell	28	17	45
3 Sergt. Montgomery	27	22	49	1 Capt. Harris	26	17	43
3 Major Stewart	28	20	48	1 Const. Connor	20	21	41
2 Const. St. Dennis	24	22	46	1 H. Carter	29	12	41