

GENERAL MEETING.

RIDEAU RIFLE RANGES,

Ottawa, 17th Sept., 1879.

PRESENT:—The President, Lt.-Col. Gzowski.

Colonel Laurie.

Lieut.-Col. McEachern, C.M.G.

" Jackson, D.A.G.

" Fletcher, D.A.G.

" Worsley, Bd. Major.

" Bacon.

Capt. Tilton.

" Mason.

" Balfour.

Lt. Machnachtan.

Lt.-Col. Macpherson, *Treasurer*.Lt.-Col. Stuart, *Sec'y*.Moved by Capt. Mason, seconded by Lt.-Col. McEachern, C.M.G.,
and resolved:That the General Meeting be adjourned until the 12th instant at
1.45 p.m.

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Capt. Conklin.

and upwards of sixty of the competitors representing the several
Provinces.The question of the position in rifle shooting known as "The Back
Position" having been brought under discussion,It was suggested by Lt. Flynn, 10th Batt., and supported by Lt.
Machnachtan,That the "Back Position" be discountenanced at future meetings
of the Dominion Rifle Association and generally throughout the Dominion.The subject was freely discussed by several of the Competitors, and
notably by Captain Belcher, Victoria Rifles, who spoke strongly in
favor of allowing the position when desired.