

Rifles must be of Government issue or of Government pattern, with a minimum pull of trigger of 6 pounds. No two competitors shall shoot in any competition with the same rifle. Martini-Henry ammunition may be obtained on the range, and none but Government issue may be used.

POSITION. Any with head to the target at all ranges, except 200 yards, where the position shall be either standing or kneeling, or as specified for any particular match.

DRESS. Competitors entered as militiamen must wear proper uniform; but belts need not be worn, and for other headwear havelocks may be substituted.

ENTRIES. Entries for the Nursery Match and for all individual matches included in the Grand Aggregate should be sent to the Treasurer of the Association, Captain Dorman, P.O. Box 26, Victoria, on or before Tuesday, 28th July. All entries made after that date for such matches will be subject to an additional charge of 20 per cent. of the entry fee. The Treasurer will issue entry forms to intending competitors on application. Entries for Team Matches and for the Aggregates, may be made either previous to the commencement of the meeting or on the range. Entries for the Aggregates must be made before one p.m. on the first day of the meeting. In team competitions, unless otherwise specified, names of members must be handed in before firing commences.

EFFICIENCY. Certificates of efficiency, signed by their commanding officers, must be produced when required, by competitors entering as militiamen.

"Efficiency" shall mean, in the case of a commissioned officer, one in good standing in his corps; in the case of a N. C. O. or private, one who has attended and performed at least twelve (12) regular parades of his corps since the 1st January, 1896, or not less than fifty per cent. of drills ordered.