subscriptions for the Maritime Trophy, reported that the sum of \$91 had been collected, and that the share of the cost paid by this Association was \$89.22. It was ordered that the small balance be carried forward towards the cost of the Maritime Badges.

The Secretary was directed to procure insurance on the Maritime Trophy for one year for \$300.

The President informed the meeting of the circumstances under which Pte. Bent had competed at the Annual Matches as a member of the 74th Batt.

After consideration it was agreed to leave the full discussion of the case to the annual meeting, with a view of having the facts made known and the proper steps taken to fully investigate them. The opinion of the members present was that the Secretary should write to Bent and demand a full explanation of his conduct.

A draft of a report was then read and adopted as the annual report for the year.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

J. TWINING HARTT, Captain, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Wednesday, Oct. 3rd, 1888.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Provincial Rifle Association was held on the evening of Wednesday, October, the 3rd, at the office of the Parks' Cotton Factory, the President, Major J. H. Parks in the chair.

There were present: Lieut.-Col. J. R. Armstrong, Vice-President; Major F. H. Hartt, Mr. P. A. Melville, Lieuts. S. B. Lordly, J. F. McMillan, E. A. Smith, J. Manning, Mr. James Hunter, Staff-Sergt. W. A. Lordly, Col.-Sergts M. B. Henderson, W. H. Adams, Sergts. C. Henderson, J. A. Ewing, Corp. J. L. McAvity, W. Humphrey, C. T. Burns, and Capt. J. T. Hartt, Secretary.

The minutes of the annual meeting of 1887 were read and confirmed.

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