REPORT OF THE COUNCIL

OF THE

DOMINION OF CANADA RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The Council of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association have the honor to submit the Thirteenth Annual Report of the proceedings of the Association.

- 1. The Council desire to record their acknowledgment of the support and encouragement given to the Dominion and Provincial Associations, by the continuance during the year of the several grants made by the Government, and also for the assistance given to County and other local Associations through the Department of Militia and Defence.
- 2. The Annual Prize Meeting commenced on the 6th September, and, as far as related to all open competitions, was concluded by mid-day Friday the 10th. Competitors from the distant Provinces were thereby enabled to return to their homes without any undue delay, a result due to the provision of additional Target accommodation, and the introduction of a methodical system of detail for firing.

The Council feel bound to acknowledge that the success of the Meeting was in a great measure due to the competitors themselves, who by their ready compliance with the rule for making entries by the 1st September, and by their punctual observance of all instructions rendered the work of the Executive Staff a comparatively easy duty.

- 3. The general meeting of the Association, provided for by Clause 19 of the Constitution, was held at the Rideau Range. Its proceedings will be found in the Appendix.
- 4. Places in the Team for Wimbledon in 1881, were competed for. The names of those eligible for selection will be found in the Appendix.