

No. 6 company—Capt. Renton, Lieut. Rutherford and 40 non-coms. and men.

No. 7 company—Capt. Bayley, Lieut. Martin and 35 non-coms. and men.

No. 8 company—Not out.

The Welland Battalion—

44th, or "Welland" Battalion—Lieut. Col. Morin, Major Raymond; paymaster, Major Bender, Adjutant, Lieut. Hill; quartermaster Major Clark; Surgeon Oliver.

No. 1 company—Capt. Vandersluys and 16 non-coms. and men.

No. 2 company—Not out.

No. 3 company—Capt. Greenwood, Lieut. Pickard and 16 non-coms. and men.

No. 4 company—Capt. Cruikshank and 30 non-coms. and men.

No. 5 company—Capt. Cohoe and 25 non-coms. and men.

No. 6 company—Capt. McMicking, Lieut. D. J. C. Munro and 30 non-coms. and men.

No. 7 company—Capt. Edgeworth and 29 non-coms. and men.

No. 8 company—Capt. Barwell and 11 non-coms. and men.

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Calvary.—

2nd Dragoons—Lieut. Col. Buchner; paymaster, Major Currie; adjutant, Capt. Baldwin; quartermaster, Capt. Sheppard; Surgeon Warren, Veterinary Surgeon Elliott.

A troop—Capt. Gregory, Lieuts. Stull and Lampman; 42 non-coms. officers and men and 35 horses.

B troop—Capt. and Brevet Major Burch, Lieuts. Burch and Patterson; 42 non-coms. officers and men and 35 horses.

C troop—Capt. Jones, Lieuts. Muir and Fraser; 40 non-coms. officers and men and 37 horses.

D troop—Capt. Servos, Lieuts. Lampman and Johnson; 41 non-coms. and men and 35 horses.

E troop—Capt. Ferguson, Lieuts. Palmer and Denison.

Governor-General's Body Guard—40 non-coms. and men and 35 horses.

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Artillery.—

Toronto Field Battery—Major Mead, Capt. Irving, Lieut. Myles, Second Lieut. Armstrong, Surgeon Elliott, Veterinary Surgeon Smith, 74 non-coms. and men, 4 guns and 29 horses.

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Hamilton Field Battery—Lieut.-Col. Van Wagner, Capt. Hendrie, Lieut. Dufferin, Surgeon Osborne, 74 non-coms. and men 4 guns and 29 horses.

Niagara, June 20th.—In contrast to the regulars of No 2 company, R.C.R.I., the men of the volunteer battalions continue to succumb to the heat, and accidents, not of a serious nature, are still not infrequent among them. The brigade hospital is much overcrowded this afternoon, 25 new patients having been brought in yesterday and to-day.

The officers of the 19th Battalion have invited the officers of the 65th Regiment of National Guards of the state of New York, located at Buffalo, and Lieut.-Col. Otter and Lieut.-Col. Gray, of the brigade staff, to mess dinner to-morrow night. The Americans have accepted the invitation, but it is just possible that the

trouble at Tonawanda may interfere with their visit.

At the October camp, 1891, the 31st Battalion of Infantry won the Gzowski Cup, and the officers of the corps are quite confident that their regiment will be successful in this year's contest. Certainly, the corps is a fine one. It is the largest on the field numerically, and the men generally are of good physique. No. 5 company is known as "The Chatworth Stalwarts." The average height of the men of the company is 6 feet 1 inch, only four privates being under five feet 10 inches. Capt. McDonald, who is not out this year, stands 6 feet 4 inches, and Lieut. Bennett, in command, and Lieuts. Smith and Mackenzie are all big men.

A number of battalion officers are endeavoring to arrange a rifle match with the officers of the United States troops now encamped to the vicinity of Fort Niagara across the river. Considering that there are on the field such crack shots as Major Manley, Royal Grenadiers; Capt. McMicking, 44th; Capt. Pantou, 20th, Lieut. Grigg, 31st, and many other expert riflemen, there is very little doubt that the Canadians will win if the match comes off.

Several of the corps on the field are much below regulation strength, and there is a general feeling among the officers in camp that this defect can only be remedied in future years by increasing the men's pay. At present an infantry private gets 50 cents a day, and at this or any other time of the year it is difficult to find men who will leave their regular employment for such a meagre pitance. The law allows a county or a municipality to subsidize local battalions, and in this provision largely lies the hope of strengthening and rendering more efficient the militia of Canada. The truth of this statement is borne out by the fact that the 31st, of Grey, every company of which is over strength, is subsidized by the local County Council to the extent of \$1,000. Let the county councilmen all over Canada take pattern.

Eleven members of the Queen's Own bicycle corps wheeled in from Hamilton at the rate of 15 miles an hour, and on arriving at headquarters, Capt. Bennett in command, was entertained.

THE SIXTH DISTRICT CAMP.

The Sixth District Camp at St. John's was not a complete success, only one corps of the old district, the 8th Battalion, St. Hyacinthe, being present, and then only a poor muster for five companies, not over 160. The other corps present is the 55th Battalion, Megantic Light Infantry, formerly of the Fifth District, who are up to strength, and although the greater number do not know much about drill, still as far as physique is concerned they made a good showing. The camp is a divided one. The 84th are stationed on the north side of the barracks and the 55th and the St. John's men on the south side, while the staff tents are just above. The roster is as follows:—

Commandant—Lieut. Colonel d'Orsonnens, D.A.G., M.D. No. 6,

Brigade Major—Lieut. A. O. Fages, R. C. R.I.

Principal medical officer—Surgeon-Major Campbell, R.C.R.I.

Supply officer—Lieut.-Col. F. M. Pope, B.M., No. 6 M.D.

Quartermaster—Captain L. E. Frenette, R.C.R.I.

Musketry instructor—Capt. W. R. Fraser, 53rd Battalion,

Attached to R.S., of I.—Lieut. J. B. McCrae, P.W.R.; Lieut. J. P. Landry, 61st; Lieut. A. Gilbert, 89th Battalion.

55th Battalion, Megantic—Lieut.-Col. W. J. Ward; Major, Wm. Thompson; Major Oswald Hunter; paymaster, Captain G. A. McKenzie; adjutant, Captain Thos. McKenzie; surgeon, Wm. Thompson; quartermaster, Captain T. A. Porter,

No. 1 Company—Captain E. Lipsey, Lieut. James Lipsey.

No. 2 Company—Lieut. F. L. C. Austin.

No. 3 Company—Captain Wm. J. Briggs, Lieut. C. W. Lyster.

No. 4 Company—Captain James Watkins.

No. 5 Company—Captain A. P. Pelletier, Lieut. G. N. Sampson, Second Lieut. H. Gravel.

No. 6 Company—Capt. F. Carrol, Lieut. A. Beattie.

84th Battalion, St. Hyacinthe—Lieut.-Col. A. Denis; Major, M. McDonald; paymaster, E. Morin; Adj.-Capt. G. d'Orsonnens (80th Battalion, attached), Surgeon F. Despars, Quartermaster D. Beauvais.

No. 1 Company—Capt. Cote, Lieut. Morin,

No. 2 Company—Capt. L. M. Morin, Lieut. C. Waitney.

No. 3 Company—Capt. A. Brosseau, Lt. J. A. P. Gendron.

No. 4 Company—Capt. Capt. A. Johnson, Lieut. M. Gervais, Second Lieut. F. X. A. Paradis.

No. 5 Company—Capt. N. A. Maranda, Lieut. Berthiaume.

Non-commissioned brigade staff—Acting brigade sergeant-major, Sergt. Roberts; acting brigade hospital sergeant, Sergt. Cotton; supply sergeant, Sergt. Lamontagne; acting quartermaster-sergeant, Pte. Guerin of B company R.C.R.I. The men of the same company also do police duty.

D. R. A. PRIZE LIST.

A Good Many Changes Made—The Martini Only to be Used.

The prize list for the annual competition of the Dominion Rifle association, which opens at the Rideau ranges Ottawa on Monday, 28th has been completed and will be printed and distributed in the course of radical changes from former years. In the first place the Snider rifle disappears altogether, the Martini alone being used. Entrance fees will not include ammunition, as they did last year, and competitors will have to purchase on the range at 15 cents per package the ammunition (English 1885) provided by the association. The number and value of prizes on the Nursery have been reduced to be in keeping with the number of entries. In the Hamilton Powder company match the