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MONTREAL, SEPT. 15, 1894.

An Apology.

Our issue of Sept. 1st was delayed beyond all reason, owing to the editor having been laid up and unable to attend to business. Scores of the aggregate of the Ontario Rifle Association matches and all the scores of the Dominion Rifle Association matches were omitted, together with a good deal of the missing matter in this number, and to complete the record of the season will insert some more in our next and trust our subscribers will bear with us. New arrangements are being made, whereby local news

from the large military centres will be livelier than it has been, and we hope to show a great improvement in the course of the next few weeks.

The D. R. A. Matches.

The features of the D. R. A. matches was undoubtedly the protest against the use of 1894 ammunition, and the rejection from the aggregate by the executive, of the scores made in the "Macdougall" and "Hamilton Powder Co."

We presume the executive deliberated carefully over this matter before giving their decision but we think that we are voicing the opinion of the large majority of competitors in stating that such a measure should not have been decided upon, on the rather negative evidence of the use of 1893 ammunition by some of the competitors. Our opinion is that if there was not evidence enough to incriminate any of the competitors and prove conclusively that they had used the '93 ammunition, there was not enough to warrant such a step as was taken.

Moreover, we believe that this was the feeling expressed by a good proportion of the executive committee.

The Ranelagh Cups won by the team of the 12th at Bisley were on view in the tent of the council, and together with the St. George's Challenge Vase, won by Sgt. King at

Bisley, attracted much attention. Well done, Canada. The Queen's may come next.

The development of the social phase of the D. R. A. meeting is a most pleasant feature of the meeting and one which will tend in a great measure to assure its success and bring new shots to the matches. Many will be attracted by the prospects of a pleasant week to whom rifle shooting alone would not be an inducement to leave their homes.

The Vics' Maxim attracted much attention, and its signal victory in its trial with the Gatling, was the cause of much joy in this popular regiment's camp.

We again have to apologize for the incompleteness of this issue and trust our readers will bear with us. Next issue will, we hope, be on time and will need no apologies.

At Levis Camp.

Lieut. Col. d'Orsonnens was summoned to the Levis camp last week. It is reported that the commandant of St. Johns, who is also the deputy adjutant-general for this district, is to be transferred to Sherbrooke, where, it is said, the headquarters are to be established, and that Major Young will be placed in charge of the R. R. C. I. in St. Johns. The fact that Gen. Herbert objects to every company of this regiment having a colonel gives some color to the rumor.

News of the Service.

NOTE.—Our readers are respectfully requested to contribute to this department all items of Military News affecting their own corps, districts or friends, coming under their notice. Without we are assisted in this way we cannot make this department as complete as we would desire. Remember that all the doings of every corps are of general interest throughout the entire militia force. You can mail a large package of manuscript, so long as not enclosed in an envelope, for one cent. At any rate, forward copies of your local papers with all references to your corps and your comrades. Address,

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AT THE RANGES.

Three Annual Prize Meetings of Important Rifle Associations

Continued.

The Big D. R. A. Meeting.

This is how the *Empire* correspondent describes the opening day of the D. R. A. meeting Monday August, 27th:—Late this afternoon a tremendous storm passed over the D.R.A. camp on the banks of the Rideau. The like of it has never been previously seen in the history of the association. It was not caused by atmospheric condition; it was a storm of indignation; a storm in which there were many words expended, and cuss words at that. To-night on the camp ground, but especially in the Russell house rotunda, scores of competitors are discussing the situation, and the excitement is intense.

The origin of the trouble appears to be as follows: Both at the Montreal and Toronto rifle meetings there were complaints about the ammunition. It was of '94 make, and is generally conceded to be much inferior to that produced by the Government factory in 1893. In fact, expert shots say that last year's make could not be improved upon. Early this morning the executive of the association met and appointed the following gentlemen as the Match Committee to conduct the meeting: Major Mason, of the 13th Battalion, Hamilton, chairman; Major Sam Hughes, M.P., Lindsay; Major Weston, Halifax Rifles; Major Blacklock, Royal Scots, Montreal, and Capt. Hartt, St. John. At the same time a small committee of expert shots was chosen to report upon the quality of the '94 ammunition to be used to-day. Meanwhile the Deputy Minister of Militia was requested to supply a sufficient quantity of the make of 1893, in the event of the decision being reached to discard the '94 ammunition. Between 5 and 6 o'clock a formidable looking protest, signed by about 100 competitors, was lodged with the executive, asking that the Macdougall Challenge Cup match, the last of the day, be shot over again, on the ground that certain competitors had substituted the ammunition of '93 for that of '94, thereby giving them a great advantage over those

who had fired the cartridges furnished by the association. Now the rule under this head is specific; it says that "in all matches none but the ammunition issued by the D.R.A. shall be used or allowed." There is

NO LOOPHOLE OF ESCAPE.

A competitor must use the ammunition furnished to him by the association; if he contravenes the rule, he renders himself liable to expulsion from the matches. It is in regard to this protest that the present row prevails, and over which there is so much controversy to-night. Unquestionably the ammunition was bad, some of the best shots having made miserable scores at the 600 yards range, and in nearly every case where they paid 50 cents for challenging, the shot was found not to be in the target. It is singular, however, that proof of the substitution of 1893 ammunition for 1894 is not forthcoming in a single case, and the Executive Committee are, therefore, greatly puzzled what to do. Wrappers with the 1893 stamps upon them have been picked up on the range. But as the Metropolitan Association's matches were fired here a week ago, when 1893 ammunition was used, and there has been not a drop of rain since, the presence of 1893 ammunition wrappers is easily accounted for. The men who are asking for the match to be fired over again are the ones who made the poor scores at 600 yards, they having, as a rule, made good scores at 400. It is said by some competitors, who believe in the integrity of their fellows, that it evinces a very unsportsmanlike trait to raise this protest for the purpose of having another trial. "Why can't they take their medicine like little men, and stand the consequence of their bad shooting?" remarked a Toronto rifleman to *The Empire* to-night. "I made poor shooting in the Hamilton Powder Company's match, and yet I did not blame the ammunition, and ask for a second trial. If the Executive decide that the Macdougall match be shot over again, they establish a dangerous precedent; where it will end no one knows. In common fairness, if the match is to be refired, they ought to allow us to shoot all the matches over again."

The Executive had a meeting to-night to discuss the situation, but no decision was reached. It was agreed to sleep on it and meet for final decision at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning. As the scores now stand in this match Lieut. Hutcheson, of the 43rd Battalion, is cup winner.

The weather taken on the whole to-day has not been favorable; the sky was overcast all day and the light very trying. Some competitors say they had difficulty in distinguishing the barley-corn on their rifles, while the black and white of the targets would blur with the peculiar light.

The Nursery fell to Gunner Sharpe, of Montreal, while the top man in the Hamilton Powder Company match was Capt. R. J. Spearing, of Sherbrooke. He made a possible.

The following are the day's scores, the Macdougall list being withheld pending the Executive's decision:

NURSEY MATCH.

Open to members of the association who have not at any previous meeting of the D.R.A. won a prize of \$5 or upwards, exclusive of team or extra series prizes; five rounds at 500 yards.

\$20	Gunner T Sharp, M G A.....	23
	\$10 prizes.	
	H H Wooten, 42.....	23
	H Westmore, 63rd.....	22
	\$8 prizes.	
	M Blanchard, B C B G A.....	22
	F Hunt, R C A.....	22
	Sergt H M Knight, Liverpool R N...	22
	Pte J Moreland, 29th.....	22
	\$6 prizes.	
	Sergt D Garson, 13.....	22
	Gunner McRobbie, B C B G A.....	22
	Pte E Limpert, 29th.....	21
	Staff-Sergt A Rose, 48th.....	21
	Pte W Mills, 3rd Vics.....	21
	\$5 prizes.	
	Pte C Spencer, 13th.....	21
	J S Stevenson, O R C.....	21
	Lieut J C Scriver, 6th Cavalry.....	21
	Sergt J Davidson, 47th.....	20
	Lieut J E Astell, 54th.....	20
	Capt F Moore, P E I GA.....	20
	Pte E E McNutt, 78th.....	20
	Pte H B Heller, 29th.....	20
	Pte A T Pearson, 43rd.....	19
	Corp Armstrong, 10th R G.....	19
	\$4 prizes.	
	Pte L C Scaats, 29th.....	19
	Sergt Ferguson, 48th.....	19
	Pte J M Stobo, 8th.....	19
	Sergt-Major Morgans, 14th.....	19
	Capt J Suckling, 78th.....	19
	Bandmaster Hanson, 63rd.....	19
	Pte W Drysdale, 6th Fusiliers.....	19
	Pte J Shaw, 12th.....	19
	Sergt C C Roger, G G F G.....	18
	Gunner B B Bennet, M G A.....	18
	Sergt F Rainbault, R C A.....	18
	Pte F G Gray, G G F G.....	18
	Pte A S Black, 78th.....	18
	Pte E E English, 77th.....	18
	Corp Tyres, 10th R G.....	18
	\$3 prizes.	
	Staff-Sergt E Cleveland, 54th.....	18
	Pte G Foster, 45th.....	17
	Bandsman R Magness, 13th.....	17
	Sergt A Graham, 48th.....	17
	Sergt F Christie, 93rd.....	17
	Pte M D Campbell, 45th.....	17
	Capt J C Ponsford, R L.....	17
	Major W Henderson, 48th.....	17
	Petty Officer Beal, H M S Blake.....	17
	Lieut-Col G R Stark, 3rd Vics.....	17
	Corp C E Sleemans, 1st B F A.....	16
	Pte S Dawson, G G F G.....	16
	Lieut G B Hall, 5th Dragoons.....	16
	Capt A T Kirkpatrick, 14th.....	16
	Lieut-Col J J Tucker, 62nd.....	16
	Pte H Kerr, 48th.....	16
	Lieut J M McIntyre, 74th.....	16
	Lieut Shillinglow, B I Co.....	16
	Sergt J G Melvin, H G A.....	15
	Pte Taylor, 90th.....	15
	Pte M McElmer, 93rd.....	15
	Pte A W Mishaw, 48th.....	15
	Sergt W Davidson, 48th.....	15
	Lergt W McInnes, 50th.....	15
	Sergt J McClellenn, 3rd Vics.....	15
	One 15 counted out.	

HAMILTON POWDER COMPANY MATCH.

Open to members; seven rounds at 500 yards; possible 35 points. Last year there were four full scores made, and only one 30 came into the prize list.

\$20	Capt R J Spearing, 53rd.....	35
17	Bomb W Gould, 1st B F A.....	34
14	Lieut Forbes, 63rd.....	34
12	Corp McVitty, 10th R G.....	34
12	Corp Cox, King's Cavalry.....	34
12	Lieut T Mitchell, 12th.....	33
10	Sergt F Rainbault, R C A.....	33

10 Pte R Moodle, 43rd.....	33
10 Sergt J Crowe, 1st B F A.....	33
10 Capt W J B White, 14th.....	33
10 Staff-Sergt T Westman, Q O R	33
\$8 prizes.	
Sergt-Major S Grey, Charlottetown	
Engineers.....	33
Lieut Wilson, 63rd.....	33
Corp Norton, 5th Royal Scots.....	32
Bomb A Martin, B C B G A.....	32
Lieut S W Vermilyea, 15th.....	32
Sergt T S Bayles, 12th.....	32
\$6 prizes.	
Lieut D J C Munro, 44th.....	32
Sergt Ferguson, 1st P of W.....	32
Pte C Curtis, 57th.....	32
Capt C A Lecain, 69th.....	32
Pte A Thompson, 3rd Vics.....	32
Sergt-Major C Armstrong, 1st B F A.	32
Sergt J W Davidson, Charl Engineers	32
Lieut Dover, 78th.....	32
Pte K Matthews, 3rd Vics.....	32
\$5 prizes.	
Lieut Blanchard, B C B G A.....	32
Corp McNaughton, 51st.....	32
Quartermaster-Sergt J Ogg, 1st B F A	32
Gunner W Pugh, R C A.....	32
Sergt R Norton, 8th R Rifles.....	32
Bandsman Witty, 54th.....	32
Pte E E English, 77th.....	32
Major W G Macdonald, 48th.....	32
Corp O Baird, Charl Engineers.....	32
Lieut C L MacFarlane, 50th.....	32
Sergt W Short, G G F G.....	32
Sergt Daniels, 63rd.....	32
Pte G Lamb, 43rd.....	31
Lieut J Limpert, 39th.....	31
Sergt A Miller, 13th.....	31
Sergt C R Crowe, 1st B F A.....	31
Capt McRobbie, 8th Hussars.....	31
Pte Shunaman, B I Co.....	31
Color-Sergt G A Mailleuc, G G F G...	31
Pte J F Abbott, 59th.....	31
Lieut G W Runions, 59th.....	31
Major B A Weston, 66th.....	31
Sergt A Marris, 13th.....	31
Pte M McElmer, 93rd.....	31
\$4 prizes.	
Major T W Fox, 20th.....	31
Staff-Sergt Perkins, 43rd.....	31
J H Dewar, O R C.....	31
Lieut-Col Wright, 43rd.....	31
Pte T McJanet, 43rd.....	31
Lieut J D Weller, 59th.....	31
Pte Mackin, M Dragoons.....	31
Major W A Garrison, H G A.....	31
Sergt W Mowat, 12th.....	31
Capt C N Mitchell, 90th.....	31
Lieut E C Cribb, 78th.....	31
Pte C Spencer, 13th.....	31
Lieut C Pickard, 74th.....	31
Gunner J McEachern, H G A.....	31
Col E Pratt, 6th Fusiliers.....	31
Sergt C M Hall, 79th.....	31
Staff-Sergt D McCrae, 3rd Vics.....	31
Sergt W McKay, 90th.....	31
Major J A Longworth, P E I G A....	30
Staff-Sergt J H Simpson, 12th.....	30
Staff-Sergt J S Huntingdon, 56th....	30
Pte Burns, 63rd.....	30
Pte A Robertson, 13th.....	30
Sergt J Drysdale, 1st P of W.....	30
Bomb T Pugh, R C A.....	30
Sergt J P Nutting, G G F G.....	30
Color-Sergt J Riddle, 6th Fusiliers...	30
Pte W Hilton, 47th.....	30
Sergt H Blair, 78th.....	30
Pte C E Neil, 71st.....	30
Sergt A S Kimberly, 47th.....	30
Staff-Sergt W J Davidson, 12th.....	30
Lieut J S Crean, Q O R.....	30
Color-Sergt Currie, 5th R S.....	30
Pte R Tink, G G F G.....	30
Capt H H Gray, special list.....	30

Twenty-eight 30's counted out.

THE SECOND DAY.

The Match Committee of the D. R. A. did not take long Tuesday morning to reach a decision in reference to the competitors' protest made against the am-

munition. It was decreed that the scores made in the Macdougall match should stand, but that they should not count in the grand aggregate. In other words, the decision implied a condemnation of the ammunition, and a substitution by some competitors of '93 make in place of that served out by the association, although no proof of the latter was forthcoming. In the Dominion of Canada commenced the opening afternoon and finished the second morning, ammunition made in 1893 was used, and there was a noticeable improvement in the shooting. For instance this year there were two 97's out of the possible 105, while last year the first prize was taken with a score of 95. Last year 81's came in, while this year under precisely similar conditions, 18 86's were counted out. In this match there is a team prize to be awarded to the highest team of six from any battalion named after the match is concluded, the cup to become the property of the corps of the battalion whose team wins it three times in five years. Last year the cup was held by the 43rd Ottawa Battalion, with a total of 525 points. To-day it was won by the 3rd Victoria Rifles, of Montreal, with the magnificent score of 551, or an average of 91 5-6 points per man, the highest average made by a team of six men on the Rideau ranges.

The Caron Cup, in the Minister of Militia's match, held last year by the Victoria Rifles, of Montreal, fell this year to the Victoria Rifle Club, of Hamilton, while the first individual prize of \$50 was captured by Lieut. T. Mitchell, of Toronto, who, by the way, is up to-night to top man in the grand aggregate.

The weather was on the whole, favorable, the wind fairly steady, although the light changed. The sky was overcast and threatening, but no rain fell. During the afternoon there were many visitors on the range, chief among them being Major-General Herbert. Late in the afternoon a supply of Martini-Metfords was issued and many riflemen for the first time tested the new weapon.

In the morning a great misfortune befell Sergt. Grey, of Charlottetown. He put on a score of 91 in the Dominion of Canada match, but when his rifle came to be tested it was found that the minimum pull of the trigger was less than six pounds. The result was that Sergt. Grey's score was disallowed. He loses the prize of \$8, and what is more, with 91 points off the grand aggregate, he is effectually debarred from coming within the Governor's 100 and competing for Bisley.

THE MACDOUGALL CHALLENGE CUP MATCH.

The cup presented by Lady Macdougall, with a badge and \$530 added by the D. R. A. Open to efficient members of the active militia, members of the staff, and officers of the active force who have retired retaining rank; and to all officers, non commissioned officers and men of Her Majesty's regular army and navy stationed in Canada who are also members of the association. The cup to be

the property of the member winning it twice consecutively. An additional badge will be given to each competitor who makes the same number of points as the winner of the cup. Entrance fee, \$1. Ranges, 400 and 600 yards; 5 rounds at each range; position, any with head to target at 400 yards; and any at 600 yards.

N. B.—The cup to be held by the winner for about a year, and then to be returned to the treasurer of the D. R. A. on or before the 17th August, 1895.

Macdougall Cup, badge and \$25, Lt.	
J. E. Hutcheson, 43rd.....	46
\$20 and badge—Sgt J M Davidson,	
Charlottetown Engineers.....	46
\$15—Pte E H Brown, 59th.....	45
\$12—Pte T McJanet, 43rd.....	45
\$12—Sgt T Mitchell, 13th.....	45
\$12—Pte E E English, 77th.....	45
\$10—Capt Jameson, 43rd.....	45
\$10—Lt J B Miller, Q O R.....	45
\$10—Gr Beckwith, B C G A.....	45
\$10—Pte C Spencer, 13th.....	45
\$10—Pte H Graham, 13th.....	44
\$10—Sgt C C Rogers, G G F G.....	44
\$8 prizes—	
Pte W Mason, 43rd.....	44
Sgt Clark, 1st P of W.....	44
Pte T H Hayhurst, 13th.....	44
Sgt A Miller, 13th.....	44
Lt Pringle, 10th.....	43
Capt W Pope, 3rd Vics.....	43
Pte R J Taylor, 43rd.....	43
Sgt S Short, 43rd.....	43
\$6 prizes—	
Corp A E Swift, 8th.....	43
Capt M S Mercer, Q O R.....	43
Capt R J Spearing, 53rd.....	43
Pte C S Scott, 43rd.....	43
Sgt Munnford, 63rd.....	43
Sgt W Short, G G F G.....	43
Staff-Sgt Davidson, 12th.....	43
Gr McEachern, H G A.....	43
Sgt Bayles, 12th.....	43
Col-Sgt Henderson, 62nd.....	43
Sgt J Drysdale, 1st P of W.....	43
Staff-Sgt Mailleuc, G G F G.....	43
\$5 prizes—	
Bandsman Beatty, N B G A.....	43
Sgt J Ross, 77th.....	43
Maj Garrison, H G A.....	42
Sgt P Huntingdon, 56th.....	42
Sgt R McVittie, 10th.....	42
Capt W S Russell, 45th.....	42
Sgt W Gray, 66th.....	42
Lt A Elliott, 12th.....	42
Capt A Wilson, 33rd.....	42
Staff-Sergt Simpson, 12th.....	42
Sgt-Maj Huggins, 13th.....	42
Lt Forbes, 63rd.....	42
QM S Thorn, Q O R.....	42
Tpr H Edwards, 5th D A G.....	42
Pte Thompson, 3rd Vics.....	42
Pte N Morrison, G G F G.....	42
Maj Hart, 62nd.....	42
Capt Ross, 13th.....	42
Pte Campbell, 45th.....	42
Maj Sherwood, 43rd.....	42
Maj Macdonald, 48th.....	42
P Sgt Clarke, 5th Royal Scots.....	41
\$4 prizes—	
Lt R Carter, 93rd.....	41
Col-Sergt Pratt, 6th Fusiliers.....	41
Pte J F Hutchinson, 12th.....	41
Sgt Langley, B C G A.....	41
Pte A Blade, 57th.....	41
Lt Weller, 59th.....	41
Sgt D Mitchell, 13th.....	41
Sgt-Maj Huton, 4th Hussars.....	41
Lt Langsworth, R L.....	41
Lt A Pain, 13th.....	41
Gr John Sullivan, H M S Blake.....	41
Capt R Dillon, R L.....	41
Pte F Roderick, 62nd.....	41
Lt Munro, 44th.....	41
Lt Boville, 43rd.....	41
Capt McRobbie, 8th Hussars.....	41
Maj J G Mason, 13th.....	40
Pte J A Hill, 77th.....	40
Staff-Sgt Clark, 53rd.....	40

Capt Lecain, 69th.....	40
Sgt-Maj Bridgeford, R C A.....	40
Sgt J Crowe, 1st B F A.....	40
Pte P G Pilkie, 45th.....	40
Staff-Sgt Cawdron, G G F G.....	40
Sgt Longueuil, 63rd.....	40
Lt Bent, 93rd.....	40
Gr Campbell, H G A.....	40
Staff-Sgt Clarke, 13th.....	40
Maj G Hayes, 7th Fusiliers.....	40
Petty Officer Isaacs, H M S Blake...	40
Sgt Binmore, 3rd Vics.....	40
Sgt Hall, 79th.....	40

Eleven 40's counted out.

THE DOMINION OF CANADA MATCH.

A Challenge Cup presented by Messrs. Davis & Sons, of Montreal, and \$657 and a special badge added by the D. R. A. Open to all efficient members of the active militia, etc., as stipulated in the conditions of the Macdougall match. The Davis & Sons Cup will be awarded to that corps or battalion having six members competing for individual prizes whose scores shall collectively make the highest aggregate. The cup to become the property of the corps or battalion whose team wins it three times in five years. Entrance fee, \$1.75; teams, \$3. Ranges, 200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 rounds at each range; position, at 200 yards, standing or kneeling; at 500 yards, any, with head to target; at 600 yards, any.

Winners of S. Davis & Sons' Cup—Victoria Rifles.

	00	500	600	Total
Capt M ope.....	33	33	30	96
Lt C L MacAdam.	32	33	32	97
Pte A Thompson.	31	33	30	94
Stf-Sgt D McCrae.	29	31	30	90
Sgt P Binmore....	30	33	25	88
Pte K Matthews...	30	28	28	86

Total.....551

Average, 91 5-6.

Next in order—12th battalion, York Rangers' team, 544; 43rd Ottawa and Carleton Rifles, 537; British Columbia Garrison Artillery, 529; 13th Hamilton, 536; Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto, 523; Halifax Garrison Artillery, 520; 10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, 510; Sixth Fusiliers, Montreal, 509; 48th Highlanders, Toronto, 509; 57th Battalion, Peterboro', 498; Royal Scots, Montreal, 493; Prince of Wales Rifles, Montreal, 488.

INDIVIDUAL PRIZES.

Special badge and \$25—Major Bishop, 63rd battalion.....	97
\$20 Lt C R McCraker, V R C.....	97
18 Capt M Pope, V R C.....	96
18 Lt T Mitchell, 12th York.....	96
16 Capt W M Andrews, 66th Fusiliers.....	95
16 Capt W P Moore, 20th Batt.....	95
14 Col-Sgt Skedden, 13th Batt.....	95
14 Pte A Thompson, V R C.....	94
12 Capt E D Sutherland, 43rd Batt.	93
12 Stf-Sgt A Bell, 12th York.....	93
12 Col-Sgt Henderson, 62nd Batt..	93

\$10 prize winners—

Pte F Roderick, 62nd Batt.....	93
Gr W Pugh, R C A.....	92
Lt W H Davidson, 8th Rifles.....	92
Sgt N Mains, 13th Batt.....	92
Sgt Bridgeford, R C A.....	92
Capt Shearing, 53rd Batt.....	92

\$8 prize winners—

Sgt J Gordon, 22nd Batt.....	92
Stf-Sgt J H Simpson, 12th York.....	92
Sgt M Blair, 78th Batt.....	92
Sgt J M Davidson, Charlottetown E..	92
Lt M H Healy, 54th Batt.....	92
Lt D C Munro, 44th Batt.....	91
Pte R Tink, G G F G.....	91
Gr Grotty Beal, H M S Blake.....	91
Capt J Suckling, 78th Batt.....	91
Bomb A Martin, B C G A.....	91

\$6 prize winners—

Capt W A Johnson, 43d Batt.....	91
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P O C Isaacs, H M S. Blake.....	91
Capt D McNaughton, 51st Batt.....	91
Lt E C Cribb, 78th Batt.....	90
Capt E A Smith, St John Rifles.....	90
Sgt D J Melvin, H G A.....	90
Lt-Col J Wright, 43rd Batt.....	90
Lt Shilinglaw, Brandon, T Co.....	90
Stf-Sgt D McCrae, V R C.....	90
Stf-Sgt W A Shall, Q O R.....	90
Capt S M Rogers, 43rd Batt.....	90
Capt J Flowers, N G A.....	90
Capt W S Russell, 45th Batt.....	90
Pte T H Hayhurst, 13th Batt.....	90

\$5 prize winners—

Sgt G Milligan, 14th Batt.....	89
Lt-Col J Hood, P W R.....	89
Lt W R Pringle, 10th Royals.....	89
Lt Dover, 78th Batt.....	89
Corp J H Ellis, G G F G.....	89
Lt-Col W P Anderson, R L.....	89
Lt J P Miller, Q O R.....	89
Lt J Limpert, 29th Batt.....	89
Pte O Curtis, 57th Batt.....	89
Gr W C Chamberlin, B C G A.....	89
Sgt J Broadhurst, Royal Scots.....	89
Lt J A Longworth, P E I G A.....	89
Pte J F Hutcheson, 12th York.....	88
Pte O Spencer, 13th Batt.....	88
Lt St Vermilyea, 15th Batt.....	88
Stf-Sgt T Westman, Q O R.....	88
Capt J H McRobie, 8th Hussars.....	88
Pay-Sgt Newberry, B C G A.....	88
Stf-Sgt W J Davidson, 12th York.....	88
Gr J C Chamberlin, B C G A.....	88

\$4 prize winners—

Capt J T Hart, R L.....	88
Sgt J T Clarke, P W R.....	88
Lt A D Cartwright, 47 Batt.....	88
Sgt R Binmore, V R C.....	88
Lt H A Panet, H G A.....	87
Q M Sgt John Ogg, 1st B F A.....	87
Pte W Kerr, 48th Batt.....	87
Pte J P Rolston, 37th Batt.....	87
Major C Hayes, 7th, London.....	87
Col-Sgt Fowler, 10th R G.....	87
Capt W Horn, 14th.....	87
Capt W J B White, 14th.....	87
Lt E Stewart, P E I G A.....	87
Sgt A R Langley, B C G A.....	87
Corp Windatt, 10th R G.....	87
Lt J E Artell, 50th.....	87
Pte C E Neill, 71st.....	87
Sgt J R Wynne, 30th Rifles.....	87
Stf-Sgt W T Harris, H G A.....	87
Lt T C Boville, 43rd, Ottawa.....	87
Capt E Swift, 8th Royals.....	87
Sergt W Mowat, 12th York.....	87
Pte J Kemberly, Royal Scots.....	87
Sgt J Drysdale, P W R.....	87
Lt J T Waller, 59th.....	87
Stf-Sgt G A D Mailleue, G G F G.....	87
Gr J McEachren, H G A.....	87
Pte M McElmon, 93rd.....	87
Capt R Dennistoun, 57th.....	87
Col-Sgt J W Marks, 6th Fus.....	87
Gr J H Sharpe, B C G A.....	86
Sgt W Davidson, 48th.....	86
Major T W Fox, 20th.....	86
Capt A Wilson, 33rd.....	86
Sgt J Crowe, 1st B F A.....	86
Capt McMicking, 44th.....	86
Pte G Fitzgerald, 57th.....	86
Bandsman R Magness, 13th.....	86
Q M. S M Allan, 82nd.....	86

Eighteen 86's counted out.

THE MINISTER OF MILITIA'S MATCH.

For affiliated association teams, \$100; presented by the Hon. J. C. Patterson, Minister of Militia, with \$570 added by the D.R.A., together with the Challenge Cup, presented by the Hon. Sir A. P. Caron, ex-Minister of Militia. Open to all members and associate members of the association. The teams to be selected from the competitors entered as individuals, and composed of five previously named members of any affiliated association, whose name shall have been given, in writing, to the secretary D.R.A., by an accredited representative of the affiliated association, not later than 12 noon, Tuesday, 28th August, and vouched for

as having been members of such affiliated association, on or before 1st July, 1894. Only one team will be allowed to enter from each association. Entrance fee, for each individual, \$1; for teams, \$3. Ranges 500 and 600 yards; 7 rounds at each range; position, any with head to target at 500 yards; and any at 600 yards.

Winners of the Caron Challenge Cup and \$35—Victoria Rifle Club Hamilton.

Capt F B Ross.....	62
Major J J Moran.....	61
Lt A Pain.....	60
Col-Sergt Skedden.....	6
Sergt A Miller.....	57
Total.....	300

\$30—13th Batt., 296.

Pte Hayhurst.....	62
Sergt Mitchell.....	61
Pte Bertram.....	58
Sergt Harris.....	57
Pte Spencer.....	57
Total.....	296

\$25—12th Batt. 293.

Staff-Sergt Davidson.....	55
Lt T Mitchell.....	66
Staff-Sergt Simpson.....	55
Sergt Boyles.....	60
Sergt Thompson.....	57
Total.....	293

\$20 43rd Ottawa and Carleton Rifles	288
\$15 Queen's Own Rifles.....	287
\$12 57th Peterboro Rifles.....	285
\$10 British Columbia Rifle Ass'n...	283

Next in order—Manitoba Rifle Association, 283; Victoria Rifles, 281; 54th and Richmond Rifle Association, 281; 50th Battalion, 280; Governor-General's Foot Guards, 279; 63rd Rifles, Halifax, 278; Prince of Wales' Rifles, 277; Metropolitan Rifle Association, 275; Ottawa Rifle Club, 275; Halifax Garrison Artillery, 274; Royal Grenadiers, 273; 48th Highlanders, 273; and ten others with lower scores.

INDIVIDUAL SCORES.

\$50 Lt T Mitchell, 12th York.....	66
30 Lt A D Crooks, Q O R.....	65
20 Tpr Webster, King's Cav.....	65
12 Capt Jameson, 43d.....	64
12 Stf-Sgt J P Mitting, G G F B.....	63
12 Lt J D Taylor, B C G A.....	63
10 Pte J Rolston, 37th.....	63
10 Stf-Sgt R McVittie, 10th R G.....	63
10 Capt T Blackburn, 78th.....	63
10 Sgt J R Wynne, 90th.....	63
8 Capt F B Ross, 13th Batt.....	62
8 Col-Sgt R W Meadows, Q O R..	62
8 Lt J Limpert, 29th.....	62
8 Sgt-Major J Bridgeford, RCA...	62
6 Pte K Mathews, V R C.....	62
6 Bomb W Gould, 1st B F A.....	62
6 Pte T W Hayhurst, 13th.....	62
6 Pte T G Gray, G G F G.....	62

\$5 prize winners—

Sgt-Maj S Case, H G A.....	61
Staff-Sgt A Bell, 12th York.....	61
Gr P Doherty, P E I G A.....	61
Capt W J B White, 14th.....	61
Lt J A Williamson, 45th.....	61
Maj J J Mason, 13th.....	61
Sgt D Mitchell, 13th.....	61
Capt W P Moore, 20th.....	61
Staff-Sgt T Westman, Q O R.....	61
Capt S M Rogers, 43rd.....	61
Col-Sgt Marks, 6th Hussars.....	60
Lt-Col Wood, P W R.....	60
Capt W T Russell, 45th.....	60
Pte W Graham, 13th.....	60
Sgt T S Bayles, 12th.....	60
Corp Tyres, 10th.....	60
Lt A D Cartwright, 47th.....	60
Gr J Campbell, H G A.....	60
Lt G W Binsmour, 59th.....	60
Lt J B Miller, Q O R.....	60
Sgt J K Clarke, P W R.....	60

Capt O Baird Charlottetown Engi- neers.....	60
Lt A Pain, 13th.....	60
Lt J M Davison, Q O R.....	60
Pte Kemberry, Royal Scots.....	60
Col-Sergt Skedden, 13th.....	60
Sgt R J Davidson, 8th Royals.....	59
\$4 prize winners—	
Sgt A R Langley, B C G A.....	59
Pte R Moodie, 43rd.....	59
Pte A Thompson, V R C.....	59
Gr J Turnbull, B C G A.....	59
Corp Cox, King's Troop.....	59
Pte E E McNutt, 78th.....	59
Pte L S Schatry, 29th.....	59
Pte J Perret, 53rd.....	59
Capt T Kirkpatrick, 14th.....	59
Sgt R V Longworth, P E I G A.....	59
Sgt Daniels, 63rd.....	59
Pte E Limpert, 29th.....	59
Capt W H Orchard, 48th.....	59
Pte R Tink, G G F G.....	59
Maj L Thomas, 54th.....	59
Pte J B Pentland, 57th.....	59
Lt J H Crean, Q O R.....	59
Lt B R Bent, 93rd.....	59
Staff-Sgt Sylvester, 45th.....	59
Sgt-Maj Gorman, V R C.....	59
Sgt R Binmore, V R C.....	59
Sgt Mumford, 63rd.....	59
Sgt-Maj C Armstrong, 1st B F A.....	59
Gr J McRobie, B C C A.....	58
Capt J Suckling, 78th.....	58
Maj Macdonald, 48th.....	58
Lt W Langstroth, R L.....	58
Pte O Curtis, 57th.....	58
Pte G Fitzgerald, 57th.....	58
Capt Dennistsun, 57th.....	58
Gr W Pugh, R C A.....	58
Capt A Wilson, 33rd.....	58
Sgt C M Hall, 79th.....	58
Lt K Greyburn, R L.....	58
Capt H Gray, special list.....	58
Bandmaster Hanson, 63rd.....	58
Sgt T Mitchell, 13th.....	58
Pay-Sgt Huntington, 56th.....	58
Eleven 58's counted out.	

THE KICKERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the competitors was held Tuesday evening in the Drill Hall, Lieut.-Col. Tilton in the chair. Among the shots this little meeting is familiarly known as the kickers' meeting, and the name was applicable enough. Several minor grievances of the competitors were ventilated; then came the big kick of the day, that about the bad ammunition and the alleged frauds in connection with the Macdougall match.

Capt. Hood, of the P. W. R., started the ball rolling by enquiring why the executive had seen fit to use the 1894 ammunition, knowing it to be inferior to 1893.

Major Mason, of the 13th, Hamilton, a member of the executive and chairman of the Match Committee, explained that the 1894 ammunition had been ordered because the cartridge factory authorities had offered to put it up in more convenient packages. Major Provost, superintendent of the factory, had said that it was equal to 1893 make, the same powder being used. As soon as the inferiority of the ammunition was proven steps were taken to procure 1893 ammunition. As to the Macdougall match, fired before the 1894 ammunition was discarded, there was proof that competitors had used 1893 instead of that served out, and, as this was unfair to those who used the authorized ammunition, the match had been struck out of the aggregate.

Major Sam Hughes, also a member of the Match Committee, explained that he had personally investigated the matter, and found that 1893 ammunition was used, although the rules restricted the competitors to ammunition supplied by the association. There had been many cases of men calling themselves militiamen and marksmen running up and down ranges offering 40 cents a package for ammunition to give them an unfair advantage over other competitors. These men had confessed to him on his promise that he would not expose them that they had used 1893 ammunition.

Lieut. J. D. Taylor, of the British Columbia Garrison Artillery, created much amusement by solemnly reading a rule of the association to the effect that any member having knowledge of a breach of the regulations by any competitor and not at once reporting it to the executive should forfeit his prizes and entrance money.

Finally a resolution was passed on a division, requesting the committee to refer the question of the McDougall match and also the Hamilton Powder Company's match, with a view of deciding whether either of these matches, or both, should be struck out from the aggregate.

Lieut.-Col. Hood then drew attention to the fact that Major Ibbotson, the commandant, Capt. Kirkpatrick, adjutant, and most of the members of this year's Bisley team were present, and called for three rousing cheers for them, which were given with a will.

Major Ibbotson and Capt. Kirkpatrick fittingly responded, and the kickers' meeting for 1894 was over.

THE THIRD DAY.

The Executive Committee of the D. R. A., Wednesday reached the important decision to eliminate the scores made in the Hamilton Powder Company's match, as well as the Macdougall, from the grand aggregate, these being the two matches fired with bad ammunition.

The programme of the matches was confined to the Walker Battalion match, for teams of six, and the Henshaw match, one of the most trying matches of the series, consisting of seven shots of 200 yards standing, and ten shots at 600 yards, any position. The weather was all that could be desired. The temperature all the week had been acceptable and the competitors had very little cause for complaint.

The Walker Challenge Cup, the six badges and \$48, was captured by the Toronto Kilties, 48th, who deserve great credit for their splendid victory. A small cup, which becomes the absolute property of the highest individual scorer, was captured by Staff-Sergeant G. Brooks, of the Royal Grenadiers, with a score of 98 out of a possible 105. This is the best total made on the range this week at Queen's ranges. The high scoring made since the '93 ammunition was brought into the use is remarkable. Last year the Walker was

made up from the scores recorded in the Dominion of Canada match, which is at the same ranges, and was captured by the famous 12th Battalion, with 520 points, so that the shooting to-day shows a net increase of three points per man. This is largely due to the benefit of coaching, which was not allowed last year owing to it being an individual match. Last year the Henshaw was captured with a score of 73, and 62's came into the prize list. To-day Pte Murdoch, of the 13th, scored 75 points, while eight 65's counted out.

The following are the results of the day's scoring :

THE WALKER MATCH.

For battalion teams—A challenge cup; and a smaller cup to be won individually, presented by Hiram Walker & Sons, of Walkerville, Ont., with six badges and \$198 in cash added by the D.R.A. Open to teams of six members from any of the following: Cadets of the R. M. College; royal schools of cavalry, artillery or infantry; any regiment, squadron or troop of cavalry, field battery or brigade of field or garrison artillery; any corps of engineers, battalion or independent company of the active militia, or of the same denomination of the force of H. M. regular army or navy stationed in Canada, provided that all are members of the Dominion Rifle Association. The challenge cup to be held for the year by the corps winning it, a smaller cup or other article to be given annually, to become the property of the highest individual scorer in the match. Entrance fee, \$9.50 per team.

Ranges, 200, 500, and 600 yards; rounds 7 at each range; position, standing or kneeling at 200 yards, any with head to target at 500 yards, any at 600 yards.

N.B.—The cup to be held by the winning team for about a year, and then to be returned to the treasurer of the D. R. A., on or before 17th August 1895.

Winners, 48th Batt., Highlanders, Toronto; prize, the Walker Challenge Cup and a badge for each member of the team and \$48 team prize—

Major W C Macdonald.....	90
Capt W H Vichard.....	94
Staff-Sergt W West.....	88
Pte W P Milligan.....	91
Pte H Kerr.....	88
Pte W A Mishaw.....	88

Total.....	539
13th Batt., Hamilton, 1st team, prize \$42	
Major J J Mason.....	88
Lt A Pain.....	93
Sergt T Mitchell.....	94
Capt Ross.....	90
Col-Sergt E Skedden.....	88
Sergt A Miller.....	81

Total.....	534
93rd Batt, Cumberland, N.S., prize \$36	
Lt Bent.....	90
Lt Carter.....	93
Staff-Sergt Christie.....	92
Staff-Sergt Carter.....	85
Sergt Lockhart.....	87
Pte McElmon.....	83

Total.....	534
The Victoria Rifles, Montreal, prize \$30	
Lt C L McAdam.....	94
Pte A Thompson.....	90
Sergt R Binmore.....	88

Pte K Mathews.....	88
Capt M Pope.....	87
Lt E R Brown.....	87

Total.....	534
1st Brigade [Field] Artillery, Guelph, prize \$24—1	
Sergt Major C Armstrong.....	94
Bomb W Gould.....	89
Sergt C Crowe.....	96
Q.M.S. Ogg.....	90
Lt J W Gilchrist.....	83
Sergt J Crowe.....	79

Total.....	531
63rd Batt., Halifax, prize \$18.	
Major Bishop.....	91
Sergt Mumford.....	81
Lt Wilson.....	86
Sergt Daniels.....	92
Sergt Longueuil.....	90
Pte Burns.....	88

Total.....	528
Next in order :	
43rd, Ottawa and Carleton Rifles.....	527
13th, Hamilton second team.....	527
Royal Scots.....	526
British Columbia Carrison Artillery.....	525
Halifax Garrison Artillery.....	524
12th, York Rangers.....	520
43rd, Ottawa and Carleton Rifles, 2nd team.....	518
Governor-General's Foot Guards.....	518
78th Batt, Truro, N. S.....	518
Queen's Own Rifles.....	514
8th Royal Rifles, Quebec.....	511
Royal Grenadiers.....	503
90th Batt, Winnipeg.....	504
62nd, St John Fusilliers.....	502
Prince of Wales' Rifles.....	501
57th Batt, Peterboro.....	500
Royal Canadian Artillery, Quebec.....	493

Twenty-six teams were entered, but three did not hand in scores, as they were too low.

Winner of the individual Walker cup. Staff-Sgt G Brooks, Royal Grenadiers 98

Next in order :	
Pte J Kamberry, Royai Scots.....	96
Col-Sergt Henderson, 62nd.....	96
Sergt Crowe, 1st B.F.A.....	96

THE HENSHAW MATCH.

One hundred dollars given by Lt.-Col. Henshaw, chairman of the council, and \$460 added by the D.R.A. Open to all members and associate members of the association. Entrance fee, \$1. Ranges, 200 and 600 yards ; 7 rounds at 200 yards and 10 rounds at 600 yards ; position, at 200 yards, standing, as per clause C. Reg. XVI., at 600 yards, any.

\$20—Pte A Murdoch, 13th.....	78
\$18—Col-Sergt Henderson, 62nd.....	77
\$16—Col-Sergt Skedden, 13th.....	76
\$14—Lt J Dover, 78th.....	76
\$12—Capt Jamieson, 43rd.....	75
\$12—Lt McAdam, Vics.....	74
\$12—Pte J Rolston, 37th.....	74

\$10 prize winners—	
Q.M.S. J Ogg, 1st B.F.A.....	74
Lt A Elliott, 12th.....	73
Pte Hayhurst, 13th.....	73
Capt M S Mercer Q.O.R.....	72
Pte W B Helter, 29th.....	72
Capt M Pope, Vics.....	72

\$8 prize winners—	
Staff-Sergt W Harp, 48th.....	72
Sergt T S Bayles, 12th.....	72
Lt T Mitchell, 12th.....	72
Lt J W Gilchrist, 1st B.F.A.....	72
Capt Spearing, 53rd.....	71
Lt C Pickard, 74th.....	71
Lt A D Cartwright, 47th.....	71
Capt A Wilson, 33rd.....	71
Pte M Kerr, 21st.....	70

\$6 prize winners—	
Gun H C Chamberlin, B.C.G.A.....	70

Capt McMicking, 44th.....	70
Sergt W Short, G G F G.....	70
Staff-Sergt Nutting, G G F G.....	70
Lt-Col W P Anderson, ret list.....	70
Lt Bent, 93rd.....	69
Capt Flowers, H G A.....	69
Sergt Newberrie, B C G A.....	69
Sergt J Gordon, 22nd.....	69
Lt J Limpert, 28th.....	69
Capt Moore, 20th.....	69
Bamb W Gould, 1st B F A.....	69
Lt Hutcheson, 43rd.....	69
Col-Sergt J Riddle, 60th.....	69

\$5 prizes—	
Sergt Wynne, 90th.....	69
Lt A D Crooks, Q O R.....	69
Corp Baird, Charlottetown Engineers.....	69
Lt G S Matthews, 57th.....	68
Sergt D Mitchell, 13th.....	68
Pte W I Masson, 43rd.....	68
Pte C Spencer, 13th.....	68
Corp J R White, Q O R.....	68
Corp W H Russell, 45th.....	68
Pte J A Bertram, 13th.....	68
Gunner G Turnbull, B C G A.....	68
Gunner T Beal, H M S Blake.....	68
Sgt-Major C Armstrong, 1st B F A.....	68
Gunner P Doherty, P E I G A.....	67
Pte C S Scott, 43rd.....	67
Lt G L Macfarlane, 50th.....	67
Sergt Crowe, 1st B F A.....	67
Sergt A Miller, 13th.....	67
Surgeon J Ross, 77th.....	67
Major Weston, 66th.....	67

\$4 prizes—	
Staff-Sergt Davidson, 12th.....	67
Capt Orchard, 45th.....	67
Sergt J Broadhurst, Royal Scots.....	67
Capt Dennistoun, 57th.....	67
Gunner J Campbell, H G A.....	67
Major J A Longworth, P E I G A.....	67
Pte Cameron, 96th.....	67
Lt W H Davidson, 80th.....	67
Corpl E Hault, R C A.....	67
Staff-Sergt J H Simpson, 12th.....	67
Pte Shunaman, B I Co.....	66
Pte A Blade, 57th.....	66
Lt Crean, Q O R.....	66
Major F H Hartt, 62nd.....	66
Mr Robert Stewart, O R C.....	66
Sergt H C Blair, 78th.....	66
Lt T C Boville, 43rd.....	66
Sergt R Binmore, 3rd Vics.....	66
Capt J T Hartt, R L.....	66
Gun J McEachren, H G A.....	65
Corpl Ellis, G G F G.....	65
Pte W S Odell, 43rd.....	65
Major W Thompson, 55th.....	65
Lt Helmner, 43rd.....	65
Gun J H Sharpe, B C G A.....	65
Lt F B Moffat, 79th.....	65
Pte Morrison, G G F G.....	65
Gun T Sharpe, M G A.....	65
Corpl Young, 10th Royals.....	65
Sergt-Major Gibson, 66th.....	65
Sergt George Mulligan, 14th.....	65
Sergt W R Inman, 90th.....	65

Eight 65's counted out.

FOURTH DAY.

The ruling out of all the aggregates of the scores made in the Hamilton Powder Company and Macdougall matches has played sad havoc with some of the competitors. For instance, Capt. Spearing, of Sherbrooke, would have tied with Lieut. T Mitchell for first place in the grand aggregate had these scores been allowed. As it is, the Executive's decision dropped Capt. Spearing down several points. Last year the grand aggregate was taken by Staff-Sergt. Simpson, of the 12th. Color-Sergt. Skedden was 48th in the list then, while Lieut. Mitchell was 15th.

The weather was very pleasant for shooting. The light was good, and most of the time a steady wind blew from

left to right. Several possibles were made at 500 yards range, including Capt. Mercer, of the 20th. Mercer, however, went to pieces at the 600 yards range, only scoring 30. Chamberlain kept up his record and made an excellent 45, his total being 95.

Lieut. King, of the 45th, was in particularly hard luck, his score of 92 including one miss. Spectators who were watching this competitor say they saw the disputed shot hit the target. Lieut. King challenged the marker's decision, but it was given against him.

A test was made at 600 yards of the comparative merits of the Maxim gun and the Gatling, the result being an easy victory for the Maxim gun by 25 to 13. During the trials Sergt. Bridgeman, of the Royal Canadian Artillery, had one eye injured by the bursting of a cartridge.

KIRKPATRICK MATCH.

A challenge cup, presented for annual competition by Lieut.-Col. the Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, and the ex-president of the D. R. Association, and \$704 added by the association ; the individual prizes open to all members and associate members of the association ; the challenge cup and team prizes open to teams of five officers, non-coms. or men who are efficient members of the active militia, from each of the military districts of Canada, whose names shall have been given in writing to the secretary of the D. R. A. not later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday, the 29th August. Any number of teams from a district may enter, and need not necessarily be composed of members of the same corps, but may or may not be made up of members of different corps belonging to the same district ; entrance fees for each individual, \$1 ; for teams, \$3 ; ranges, 500 and 600 yards ; 10 rounds at each range ; position at 500 yards, any, with head to target ; at 600 yards, any.

TEAM PRIZES.

Winners of the Kirkpatrick Cup, \$40, E team, Military District No. 2.

Capt H B Ross, 13th.....	92
Major Macdonald, 45th.....	88
Lieut Elliott, 12th.....	85
Lieut A Pam, 13th.....	81
Major Massey, 13th.....	80

Total.....	426
A team of Military District No. 3 ; prize \$35.	

Lieut S W Vermilyea, 15th.....	76
Capt White, 14th.....	89
Sergt Milligan, 14th.....	87
Lieut Cartwright, 14th.....	92
Pte W Heller, 47th.....	81

Total.....	425
District No. 11, British Columbia G. A., prize \$30.....	42
District No. 4, Nova Scotia, prize \$25.....	42

Next in order :	
C team, District No. 5, Montreal.....	421
District No. 7, Quebec, (8th Royals).....	419
B team, Dist. No. 3, Peterboro'(57th).....	417
District No. 2, Toronto.....	416
District No. 10, Manitoba.....	415
District No. 4, Cornwall (59th).....	412
Team A, Dist. No. 4, Ottawa (43rd).....	412

And 20 others in low order.

INDIVIDUAL PRIZES.

\$20—Gunner J C Chamberlain, BCGA	95
15—Sergt W R Inman, 90th	94
15—Lieut T C Boville, 43rd	93
12—Lieut W G King, 45th	92
12—Pte T A Bertram, 13th	92
12—Capt F B Ross, 13th	92

\$10 prize winners.

Lieut A D Cartwright, 47th	92
Lieut V R Vent, 93rd	92
Capt R Dillon, R L	91
Sergt J Drysdale, P W R	91
Pte A S Black, 78th	90
Sergt R J Davidson, 8th Royals	90
Corp J Windatt, 10th Royals	90

\$8 prize winners.

Gunner J Campbell, H G A	89
Corp J H Ellis, G G F G	89
Pte A Robertson, 13th	89
Gunner P Doherty, P E I G A	89
Sergt J Broadhurst, Royal Scots	89
Corp McNab, Royal Scots	89
Lieut J F Gilchrist, 1st B F A	89
Staff-Sergt A A Smith, 50th	89
Pte F G Grey, G G F G	89
Capt W G Russell, 45th	89
Gunner J MacEachran, H G A	89
Capt W J White, 14th	89

\$6 prize winners.

Capt G A McMicking, 44th	88
Lieut J T McFarlane, 50th	88
Color-Sergt Skedden, 13th	88
Major W C Macdonald, 48th	88
Pte A Murdock, 13th	88
Pte G Fitzgerald, 57th	88
Capt R G Spearing, 53rd	88
Pte T H Hayhurst, 13th	88
Corp Armstrong, 10th Royals	88
Gunner G W Sharpe, M G A	88
Lieut W Langstroth, R L	88
Surg J Ross, 77th	87
Capt R Rennie, Q O R	87
Sergt G R Crowe, 1st B F A	87
Sergt Milligan, 14th	87
Capt S M Rogers, 43rd	87
Staff-Sergt Robinson, 56th	87
Sergt T Mitchell, 13th	87
Capt W T Moore, 20th	87
Pte A T Pearson, 43rd	86

\$5 prize winners.

Major L Thomas, 54th	86
Staff-Sergt W J Davidson, 12th	86
Pte W Kerr, 48th	86
Gen H C Chamberlain, B C G A	86
Q M-Sergt J O Thorne, Q O R	86
Pte K Mathews, V R C	86
Sergt H McNeilly, 13th	86
Lieut G W Runions, 59th	86
Gunner W Pugh, R C A	86
Lieut W S Champion, 8th Royals	86
Color-Sergt Henderson, 46th	86
Lieut C L McAdam, V R C	86
Staff-Sergt H C Clarke, 53rd	85
Pte W Cameron, 96th	85
Sergt Longworth, P E I G A	85
Lieut G Blanchard, B C G A	85
Lieut-Col Wood, P W R	85
Capt Jamieson, 43rd	85
Color-Sergt E Pratt, 6th Fusiliers	85
Pte Kamberry, Royal Scots	85

\$4 prize winners.

Sergt A R Langley, B C G A	85
Dr Geo Hutcheson, O R A	85
Staff-Sergt W M Goodwin, 7th	85
Major Geo Hayes, 7th London	85
Capt Dennistoun, 57th	85
Lieut A Elliott, 12th	85
Capt H H Grey, special list	85
Staff-Sergt J J Bell, M G A	85
Corp E Faulkner, R G A	85
Bomb Pugh, R C A	84
Staff-Sergt J H Simpson, 12th York	84
Pay-Sergt Huntingdon, 56th	84
Bomb A Martin, 42nd	84
Trooper Bowen, P L D G	84
Pte G E McNutt, 78th	84
Capt E D Sutherland, 43rd	84
Pte F W Mason, 43rd	84
Lieut J Dover, 78th	84
Lieut J C Artell, 54th	84
Sergt-Major C Armstrong, 1st B F A	84
Pte H B Heller, 29th	84

Sergt G Thompson, 12th	84
Sergt J Crowe, 1st B F A	84
Pte T Spencer, 13th	84
Capt O W Wetmore, 74th	84

Six 84's counted out.

NURSERY AGGREGATE.

Open only to competitors eligible to compete in the Nursery match, and awarded to those who have made the highest aggregate scores in the "Nursery," "Hamilton Powder Company," "Minister of Militia" and the "Kirkpatrick" matches.

\$12—Pte F S Gray, G G F G	169
10—Capt P Armstrong, 10th Royals	164
8—Lieut Blanchard, B C G A	163

\$6 prize winners.

Gunner P Doherty, P E I	163
Pte E E McNutt, 78th	163
Pte C Spencer, 13th	162
Pte E Limpert, 29th	162

\$5 prize winners.

Gunner J McRobbie, B C G A	160
Capt H Tyres, 10th Royals	158
Sergt D Garson, 15th	158
Pte A S Black, 78th	157
Sergt A Graham, 48th	157
Lieut J E Artell, 54th	157
Capt J Suckling, 78th	157
Pte Schaatry, 29th	156

\$4 prize winners.

Pte S Dawson, G G F G	155
Major W Henderson, 48th	155
Staff-Sergt H H Wooten, 43rd	155
Pte W Ross, 48th	154
Pte A F Pearson, 43rd	154
Sergt W Davidson, 48th	154
Corp W Drysdale, 6th Fusiliers	153
Pte W B Heller, 29th	151
Gunner Sharpe, H G A	151
Sergt F Christie, 93rd	151

THE BANKERS' PRIZE—GRAND AGGREGATE.

Value, \$600—To be awarded those competitors who have made the highest aggregate scores in the "Hamilton Powder Company," "Macdougall," "Dominion," "Minister of Militia," "Kirkpatrick" and the "Henshaw" matches; entrance fee, \$1.

Winner of N R R medal and badge and \$30.	
Color-Sergt T Skedden, 13th Batt	319
Winner D R A medal, badge and \$25,	
Lieut T Mitchell, 12th York	318
Badge and \$20—Capt W A Jamieson, 43rd	315
Badge and \$18—Pte T H Hayhurst, 13th Batt	313
Badge and \$16—Capt W P Moore, 20th	312
\$14—Lieut A D Cartwright, 47th	311
12—Capt R J Spearing, 53rd	309
12—Lieut C L McAdam, Vics	308
10—Capt W S Russell, 45th	307
10—Pte J Rolston, 37th	307
10—Color-Sergt M G B Henderson, 62nd	304
10—Lieut J Dover, 78th	304

\$8 prize winners.

Lieut B R Brent, 93rd	303
Pte A Murdock, 13th	302
Capt S M Rogers, 43rd	302
Capt M Pope, Vics	302
Gunner M Chamberlain, B C G A	301

\$6 prize winners.

Staff-Sergt J P Nutting, G G F G	301
Lieut T E E Boville, 43rd	300
Sergt Broadhurst, Royal Scots	300
Capt J H Ellis, G G F G	300
Capt G A McMicking, 44th	300
Gunner W Pugh, R C A	300
Sergt T S Bayles, 12th York	300
Major W Bishop, 63rd	300

Staff-Sergt A Bell, 12th York	300
Capt W J B White, 14th	299
Sergt J Milligan, 14th	299
Lieut D J C Munro, 44th	299

\$5 prize winners.

Lieut J Limpert, 29th	299
Lieut A E D Elliott, 12th	298
Staff-Sergt H Simpson, 12th	298
Lieut-Col W R Anderson, R L	298
Sergt J R Wynne, 90th	298
Staff-Sergt Bridgeport, R C A	298
Gunner J C Chamberlain, B C G A	297
Sergt W R Inman, 90th	297
Capt F B Ross, 13th	297
Gunner J McEachren, H C A	297
Capt R M Dennistoun, 57th	297
Pte C Spencer, 13th	297
Capt B Paired, Charlottetown Engrs	297

\$4 prize winners.

Lieut A D Crooks, Q O R	297
Staff-Sergt W J Davidson, 12th York	296
Capt A Wilson, 33rd	296
Pte R Tink, G G F G	296
Q M-Sergt J Ogg, 1st B F A	296
Gunner J Campbell, H G A	295
Surgeon J Ross, 77th	295
Lieut W H Davidson, 8th Royals	295
Sergt H Marris, 13th	295
Capt H Flowers, H G A	295
Staff-Sergt W Westman, Queen's Own	295
Capt M S Mercer, Queen's Own	295
Capt H H Grey, special list	294
Lieut-Col Hood, P W R	294
Color-Sergt W H Meadows, Q O R	294
Trooper W E Webster, King's Cavalry	294
Pte F Gray, G G F G	293
Lieut G L McFarlane, 50th	293
Color-Sergt J W Marks, 6th Fusiliers	293
Sergt-Major Armstrong, 1st B F A	292
Sergt J Gordon, 22nd	292
Lieut J W Gilchrist, 1st B F A	291
Gunner G P Doherty, P E I G A	291
Pte K Mathews, Vics	291
Sergt A R Langley, B C G A	291
Major J A Longworth, P E I G A	291
Lieut W Langstroth, R L	290
Lieut J T Weller, 59th	290
Capt J H McRobie, 8th Hussars	290
Sergt H C Blair, 78th Batt	290
Sergt W Mowat, 12th York	290
Sergt G Mitchell, 13th Batt	290
Pte J Kamberry, Royal Scots	289
Bombardier A Martin, B C G A	289
Lieut J E Hutcheson, 43rd	289
Lieut J D Taylor, B C G A	289
Lieut E C Cribb, 78th	289
Pte A Thompson, Vics	289
Capt E A Smith, St John Rifles	289
Sergt R Binmore, Vics	289
Pte G E McNutt, 78th	288
Sergt Daniels, 63rd Batt	288
Sergt A Miller, 13th	288
Pte F W Roderick, 62nd	288
Lieut M Healey, 54th	288
Capt R Dillon, R L	287
Pte Fitzgerald, 57th	287
Pte H B Heller, 29th	287
Pay-Sergt J S Huntingdon, 56th	287
Capt C N Mitchell, 90th	287
Lieut-Col J Wright, 43rd	287

The following seven ties will shoot off to-morrow for last six places in the grand aggregate :

Lieut Artell, 54th	286
Staff-Sergt J J Bell, M G A	286
Lieut M G Blanchard, B C G A	286
Sergt A Graham, 48th	286
Capt J T Hart, retired colonel	286
Pte W T Mason, 43rd	286
Pte C E Neill, 74th	286

The Lansdowne Aggregate.

The Lansdowne aggregate is the great team one of the meeting, and for which there is always a hard contest from the beginning to the end of the meeting. It is for a challenge cup presented by the Marquis of Lansdowne, late Governor.

General, with \$200, divided into eight team prizes, added by the association. Generally it is the aggregate scores of six previously named men of any regiment or rifle association—the Hamilton Powder Company, Minister of Militia, Kirkpatrick and Henshaw matches. As the Match Committee had, however, cut out the first matches from the aggregate, this reduced the totals considerably and no comparisons can be made, as the 12th York Rangers win the cup, whose team lead the 13th Hamilton team by three points; but the only Montreal team in the prize list is that of the Victorias, who are last. Below are the teams and their scores:

Winners of the Lansdowne Cup, \$40; 12th Batt. York Rangers team.

Lieut. T Mitchell, aggregate..... 222
Staff-Sgt W J Davidson, aggregate. 208
Staff-Sgt J H Simpson, aggregate... 206
Sergt T S Bayles, aggregate..... 215
Sergt George Thompson, aggregate 196

Total.....1047
13th Batt Hamilton; prize \$35.

Pte T H Hayhurst..... 223
Pte T A Bertram..... 218
Pte T P Mitchell..... 209
Sergt H Marris..... 205
Sergt-Major Huggins..... 191

Total.....1044
Guelph Rifle Ass'n; prize \$30.

J W Gilchrist 208
J Ogg..... 209
C Armstrong..... 211
J Crowe..... 199
C R Crowes..... 204

Total.....1031

43rd Ottawa and Carleton Rifles,
prize \$25; total, deducting 145
points for Hamilton Powder Co.
match..... * 1031

Vict Rifle Club, Hamilton; p. \$22

Capt Ross..... 215
Pte Spencer..... 209
Sergt Millar..... 205
Major Mason..... 203
Lieut A Pain..... 197

Total.....1929

* With the score in the Powder Co.
match counted the grand total would
have been 1,176, and would have won
the cup.

Province of N. S., R. A., \$18, total. 1022

Metropolitan Rifle Association, Ot-
tawa, prize \$16, total..... 1021

Victoria Rifles, Montreal, prize \$14,
Total..... 1019

Next in order:

Queen's Own Rifles..... 1016
Manitoba Rifle Association..... 1015
British Columbia Rifle Ass'n..... 1014
G G F G..... 1012

GZOWSKI MILITARY MATCH.

A challenge cup presented by Col. Sir Casimir Gzowski, A. D. C., with \$245 added by the D. R. A. Open to one team of five efficient men (N. C. officers and rank and file, either or both) from any one regiment or troop of cavalry, battery or brigade of artillery, battalion or independent company of the active militia of Canada, royal schools of cavalry, artillery and infantry and cadets of the Royal Military College, Kingston. Entrance fee, \$7.50 per team. The cup

to be held for the year by winning corps under such conditions as the Executive Committee may determine, and must be returned to the treasurer of the E. R. A. on or before 17th August. 1895.

Cup and \$50—Governor-General's
Foot Guards, Ottawa..... 488
\$45—43rd, Ottawa and Carleton R.. 469
40—10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto 451
35—Royal Canadian Artillery..... 449
30—48th Highlanders, Toronto... 433
25—16th Batt. Hamilton..... 411
20—British Columbia Garrison Ar-
tillery..... 407

Next in order:

Prince of Wales' Rifles 402
57th Batt. Peterboro..... 399
Royal Scots, Montreal..... 397
12th York Rangers..... 380
Montreal Garrison Artillery..... 377
63 Batt. Halifax..... 361
Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto..... 364

THE BRITISH CHALLENGE SHIELD MILITARY MATCH.

Shield and \$40—Governor-General's
Foot Guards, Ottawa..... 263
\$32—43rd Ottawa & Carleton Rifles 249
28—57th Batt. Peterboro..... 237
23.50—10th R Grenadiers, Toronto 235
23.50—48th Highlanders, Toronto. 235
20—13th Batt. Hamilton..... 219
18—British Columbia Garrison Ar-
tillery 218

Next in order—Prize \$18;

Queen's Own Rifles..... 217
Prince of Wales Rifles..... 214
13th Batt. Hamilton, second team.. 211
63rd, Halifax..... 199
12th York Rangers..... 198
Royal Canadian Artillery..... 194
Royal Scots..... 191
Governor-General's Foot Guards,
second team..... 183
Montreal Garrison Artillery..... 178
43rd, Ottawa, and Carleton Rifles.. 172

PATTERSON SHARPSHOOTER'S TROPHY.

Presented by the Hon. J. C. Patterson, Minister of Militia and Defence. This trophy is open only to those belonging to a battalion or association which has had a team or teams entered in the league of 1894, and is to be competed for at the Dominion Rifle Ass'n. matches, 1894, under conditions to be named before matches commence. Entrance fee, 50 cents, to go towards making a series of prizes for this match, the first of which will be the trophy.

Cup—Lieut T Mitchell, 12th Batt
\$7—Pte T H Hayhurst, 13th.
5—Col.-Sergt Skedden, 13th.
4—Pte Ralston, 37th.
4—Capt Russell, 45th.
4—Sergt Bayles, 12th.
4—Capt Jamieson, 43rd.
3—Capt Ross, 13th.
3—Sergt Nutting, G G F G.
3—Capt Moore, 20th.
3—Lieut Boyle, 43rd.
3—Capt McMicking, 44th.
2—Lieut McAdam, 3rd Vics.
2—G'r H C Chamberlain, B C G A.
2—Lieut Elliott, 12th.
2—Lieut Monro, 44th.

THE PRESIDENT'S PRIZE.

Presented by Lt.-Col. W. P. Anderson, president of the league. Open to teams of ten men from any battalion or association having teams entered in the league, 1894. To be won by the aggregate score of the highest ten men from any

battalion or association in same matches last year.

President's prize, 13th Batt. score.. 2392

THE CLOSING DAY.

The Dominion rifle matches for 1894 are concluded, and Friday night the city of tents on the banks of the Rideau was deserted. The shooting of the day was the most interesting as well as exciting of the whole week. The morning match was for the Governor-General's prize, valued at \$500 divided into three prizes of \$250, \$150 and \$100. The competitors were the first hundred in the grand aggregate, but before they got to work, seven ties for the last six places in the 100 had to be shot off. Of the seven men Lieut. Blanchard, of British Columbia, was the unlucky one, those coming into the 100 being: Staff-Sergt. Bell, Montreal Garrison Artillery, 24; Private Mason, 43rd, 21; Capt. J. T. Hart, retired list, New Brunswick, 20; Sergt. Graham, 48th, 16; Lieut. Astell, 54th, 15, and Private Neill, 71st, 15. Blanchard made 14.

In the Governor-General's match coming back to the 500 yards range there were some excellent scores. The best was that of Lieut. Davidson, of the 8th Royal Rifles of Quebec, who had 68. Private Heller, of the 29th Waterloo, and Sergt. Marris, of the 13th Battalion, had 65 each. Hayhurst, of the 13th, had 66. Naturally the chief interest at the 600 yards range centred in the doings of these men. Hayhurst was 92 and had a shot to go. It was possible for him to win the plum of the meeting, the first prize. He made an outer, which gave him a total of 94 and lost him any of the money prizes. Marris finished next. He was firing on target 17, about the centre of the butts. He had made 90 and had one shot to fire. When it was noticed he had scored a bullseye there was a loud applause. Then over on the right of the line there was some cheering. Heller, of Waterloo, had also finished with 95. A crowd now gathered round the butt on which Davidson was lying. He had commenced a little later than the other competitors and made a bad start. His first two shots were magpies; then he found the inner, next he made a bull, then an inner and then a bull. On his last shot depended the \$250. If he made an inner he would beat either Marris or Heller. Everyone was on the tiptoe of expectancy. Doubtless Davidson felt the strain. The wind, which had been blowing steadily from the right, now became gusty. Twice Davidson laid down his rifle for a rest. Once more he brought it to his shoulder and fired. It was a magpie. Thus, for the three money prizes of the meeting, three men, Heller, Marris and Davidson, had

Tied with 95 Each.

About half an hour later, with 300 or 400 people behind them, these competitors laid down on the 600 yards butt to shoot off the ties. For their sighters Davidson and Heller found the bullseye, while Marris scored an inner. Their five shots on score were as follows:

Davidson..... 4 4 5 3 5—21
Heller..... 4 4 5 3 2—18
Marris..... 3 5 3 2 3—16

Each shot was closely scrutinized by the spectators and scores of glasses were levelled at the target. At the third shot Heller and Davidson were absolute ties the same at the fourth shot, while Marris was three points behind them. At the last round the silence around the butts was intense and every eye was strained on the target. Heller was the first to fire. What would it be? The situation was a most trying one. Heller is quite a young man, and to his credit be it said he never fired a military rifle before this spring. The trigger was pulled and the target lowered. Then there was a perfect "Oh!" from the crowd. The marker had signalled on outer, making Heller's total 18. Every eye was now concentrated upon Marris. If he made a bullseye he could tie Heller, but this he failed to do. He scored a magpie, giving him a total of 16 and putting him below the Waterloo boy. Now for the last shot. Davidson only required a magpie to capture the first prize. His sight was good, his aim sure and his nerves steady. His last shot was a bullseye, and when it was signalled a great cheer went up. The Quebec men were greatly rejoiced thereat. They seized their man, bounced him, and then gave him three hearty cheers. Then some one called for three cheers for Heller, the plucky Waterloo shot, who had demonstrated what a young man is capable of; and last, but not least, that steady old shot, Marris, of Hamilton, was given a rouser. Apropos of Heller's success, and as an indication of what any man may be capable of if he only tries, it may be stated that another competitor, Pte. Spencer, of the 13th, took to rifle shooting for the first time this year, and has carried off many prizes at this meeting. He was not very successful this morning, otherwise he would have stood well up for the Bisley.

With the Governor-General's match concluded, the statistical department was able to make out the Bisley team for 1895, the positions being determined by the total of the scores in the grand aggregate match added to those made in the match for the Governor-General's prize.

It will be observed that the 13th Battalion, Hamilton, will have four representatives to send over; the Governor-General's Foot Guards and 43rd Battalion three each. The fighting "12th," which had such a splendid representation at Bisley this year, is down for two men for next year.

The Ontario team again captured the London Merchants' Cup with a very good score. The British Columbia boys, who have shot remarkably well throughout the whole meeting, took second money.

A noteworthy performance of the week was the great shooting of Capt. Wilson, of the 33rd Huron Battalion, in the extra series. Out of a possible 120 he put 116—25 at 500, 24 at 600, 34 at 800 and 33 at 900. Staff-Sergt. Simpson, of the 12th, ran him closely with 115—25, 24, 33 and 33.

All the returns were made up at 6 o'clock. The newspaper representatives, who have been treated with the greatest consideration, held a meeting and unani-

mously voted thanks to Major Walsh, chief statistical officer, and his staff for their courtesy and assistance to the correspondents, and for the prompt manner in which the returns were made up.

The Governor-General's Prize—Value \$500, presented by His Excellency the Governor-General, and ten badges presented by the D. R. Association. To be competed for by the prize winners in the grand aggregate match. Entrance fee, \$1.75. Ranges, 200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 rounds at each ranges; position at 200 yards, standing or kneeling, at 500 yards, any, with head to target, and any at 600 yards.

Lt. H. B. Davidson, 8th Royal Rifles, winner of special badge and \$250	95
Pte. H. B. Heller, 20th, winner of special badge and \$150	95
Sergt. H. Marris, 13th Batt., winner of special badge and \$100	95
Pte. Hayhurst, 13th	4
Sergt. Major J. Armstrong, 1st N.B.A.	93
Lt. M. P. Healy, 14th	92
Lt. J. E. Hutcheson, 43rd Batt.	92
Lt. T. C. Boville, 43rd	92
Pte. F. W. Roderick, 62nd	91
Lt. A. D. Cartwright, 47th	90

The last seven are also winners of special badges.

The Bisley Candidates.

In connection with the Governor-General's match from the first 20 are selected the Bisley team, and as some always drop out below, will be seen the list of the first 45.

Pte. T. H. Hayhurst, 13th Hamilton ..	407
Lt. T. Mitchell, 12th York Rangers ..	406
Lt. A. D. Cartwright, 37th Frontenac ..	401
Col.-Sergt. E. Skedden, 13th Batt.	399
Capt. W. P. Moore, 20th, Halton	398
Capt. W. A. Jamieson, 43rd, Ottawa	398
Lt. B. R. Bent, 93rd, Cumberland, N.S.	393
Pte. J. Rolston, 37th Haldimand Rifles ..	393
Lt. T. C. Boville, 43rd	392
Capt. R. J. Spearing, 53rd Sherbrooke ..	392
Lt. W. H. Davidson, 8th Royal Rifles, Quebec ..	390
Sergt. H. Marris, 13th Batt	390
Capt. S. M. Rogers, 43rd, Ottawa	390
Capt. W. S. Russell, 45th, Bowmanville ..	390
Lt. C. L. McAdam, Victoria Rifles, Montreal ..	390
Corp. J. H. Ellis, G.G.F.G.	389
Sergt. J. P. Nutting, G.G.F.G.	389
Pte. T. A. Bertram, 13th Batt	389
Capt. W. J. B. White, 14th, Kingston	388
Staff-Sergt. A. Bell, 12th Batt.	388
Lit.-Col. W. P. Anderson, retired list, Ottawa ..	387
Sergt. T. Broadhurst, Royal Scots	387
Pte. R. Tink, G.G.F.G.	386
Gun. J. C. Chamberlain, B.C.G.A.	386
Staff-Sergt. J. H. Simpson, 12th	386
Sergt.-Major C. Armstrong, 1st B.F.A., Guelph ..	385
Surg. J. Ross, 77th, Wentworth	385
Capt. M. S. Mercer, Queen's Own Rifles	384
Capt. A. Wilson, 33rd, Huron	384
Sergt. J. R. Wynne, 90th, Winnipeg	384
Col.-Sergt. M. Henderson, 62nd, St. John Fusiliers	384
Gun. J. Campbell, Halifax Garrison Artillery ..	383
Sergt. W. R. Inman, 60th	383
Sergt. G. Milligan, 14th	383
Major W. Bishop, 63rd	383
Capt. M. Pope, Victoria Rifles	382
Pte. H. B. Heller, 29 h Waterloo Batt.	382
Lt.-Col. J. Hood, Prince of Wales' Rifles	382
Pte. A. Murdock, 13th	382
Lt. J. Dover, 78th	382
Lt. J. E. Hutcheson, 43rd	381
Major J. J. A. Longworth, P.E.I.G.A.	381
Col.-Sergt. J. A. Marks, 6th Fusiliers, Montreal ..	381
Pte. C. Spencer, 13th, Hamilton	381

The London Merchants' Cup.

The challenge cup presented by the merchants of London with \$180 added by the D. R. Association; open to teams of eight members of any affiliated provincial association; entrance fee, \$16

each team; ranges, 200, 500 and 600 yards: rounds, 7 at each range: position, at 200 yards, standing or kneeling; at 500 yards, any, with head to target, and at 600 yards, any.

Province of Ontario team; cup and \$100.

	200	500	600	Total
Lieut. T. Mitchell, 12th Batt	34	34	28	96
Capt. Moore, 70th Batt	29	30	23	92
Pte. T. Hayhurst, 13th Batt	31	31	28	99
Capt. Rogers, 43rd Batt	31	29	28	88
Lieut. Cartwright, 47th Batt	27	29	32	88
Capt. Jamieson, 43rd Batt	27	31	28	86
Capt. Russell, 45th Batt	29	30	26	85
Color-Sergt. Skedd'n, 13th Batt.	27	33	22	82
Grand total				707
British Columbia team; second prize \$80.				
Grand total				692
Next in order:				
Province of Nova Scotia				687
Province of Manitoba				678
Province of New Brunswick				640
Province of Quebec				607
Province of Prince Edward Island				605

Extra Series A—500 Yards.

Winners of \$6 50 each: 24 possibles.

Corp. P. Armstrong, 10th Royals	25
Gunner J. Peckwith, B.C.G.A.	25
Pte. T. C. Burns, 63rd	25
Pte. A. S. Black, 78th	25
Lieut. A. D. Cartwright, 47th	25
Lieut. E. Cribb, 78th Batt	25
Color-Sergt. Henderson, 62nd Batt	25
Major G. Hayes, R.L.	25
Sergt. A. S. Kimmerly, 47th Batt	25
Staff-Sergt G. Lavers, 6th Batt	25
Pte. R. Moodie, 6th Batt	25
Lieut. MacFarlane, 50th	25
Corp. McNaughton, 51st Batt	25
Capt. McRobie, 8th Fusiliers	25
Pte. D. McMartin, 43rd	25
Capt. R. Rennie, Queen's Own	25
Pte. Schattz, 69th	25
Capt. Spearing, 53rd Batt	25
Staff-Sergt. J. H. Simpson, 12th Batt	25
Color-Sergt. Skedden, 13th Batt	25
Lieut.-Col. Tucker, 62nd Batt	25
Major Thomas, 54th Batt	25
Capt. Wilson, 33rd Batt	25
Capt. Wetmore, 74th Batt	25

Next nine, ties absolute; \$4 prize winners; 24 points each: Sergt. J. Drysdale, P.W.R. Lieut. A. Elliott, 12th York; Capt. H. Flowers, H.G.A.; Sergt. J. K. Fairbairn, 12th York; Sergt. A. R. Langley, B.C.G.A.; Capt. C. N. Mitchell, 90th Batt.; Pte. A. Murdock, 13th Hamilton; Pte. C. S. Scott, 43rd, Batt.; Lieut. J. A. Williamson, 45th Batt.

Winners of 61 cents, all of whom also made 24 points: Pte. Abbott, 59th Batt.; Lieut. Bent, 93rd Batt.; Gunner J. Campbell, H.G.A.; Pte. Heller, 29th Batt.; Lieut. Heller, 43rd; Pte. W. P. Milligan, 48th; Lieut. J. R. Miller, Q.O.R.; Corp. McNab, Royal Scots; Capt. McMicking, 44th; Staff-Sergt. McVittie, 10th Batt.; Staff-Sergt. Newberry, B.C.C.A.; Staff-Sergt. Rose, 48th Batt.; Pte. J. Rolston, 37th Batt.

Extra Series B—600 Yards.

Winners of \$11.

Pte. M. D. Campbell, 45th	25
Corp. T. Carroll, G.G.F.G.	25
Staff-Sergt. W. J. Davidson, 12th York	25
Pte. Hayhurst, 13th Batt	25
Lieut. J. Limpert, 29th Batt	25
Pte. W. P. Milligan, 48th Batt	25
Gunner G. W. Sharpe, M.G.A.	25

Winners of \$5; ties absolute; 24 points each: Sergt. T. Knight, Liverpool Reg.; Pte. R. Moodie, 43rd Batt.; Lieut. D. J. C. Munro, 44th; Sergt. J. H. Simpson, 12th; Capt. A. Wilson, 33; Pte. E. E. English, 77th; Gunner A. R. Langley, B. C. G. A.; Capt. Smith, St. John's Rifles, Pte. R. J. Taylor, 43rd Batt.

Winners of \$4.66 each; ties absolute; also 24 points each; Sergt. Drysdale, P. W. R.; Pte. Hilton, 47th Batt.; Pte. W. T. Mason, 43rd.

Winners of \$4 each.

Sergt.-T. Crowe, 1st B. F. A.....	24
Lieut. J. B. Miller, Q. O. R.....	24
Lieut. Wetmore, 62nd.....	24
Pte A. S. Black, 78th.....	24
Capt. W. Jamieson, 43rd.....	24
Capt. R. Bennie, Queen's Own.....	24
Pte T. C. Schatzfz, 29th.....	24
Sergt. S. Short, 43rd.....	24
Lieut J. L. Weller, 24th Batt.....	24
Major G. Hayes, 7th Batt.....	23
Staff-Sergt. Perkins, 42rd Batt.....	23
Gunner J. H. Sharpe, B. C. G. A.....	23
Corp. J. H. Ellis, G. G. F. G.....	23
Pte. Cunningham, 14th Batt.....	23
Capt. McMicking, 44th.....	23
\$2 prize winners.	
Mjor Bishop, 63rd.....	23
Sergt-Major Huggins, 13th.....	23

Extra Series C—800 Yards.

\$20—Pte. Campbell, 45th.....	34
15—Capt. Wilson, 33rd.....	34
12—Pte. Scott, 43rd.....	33
10—Staff-Sergt. Simpson, 12th.....	33
8—Pte. Rolston, 57th.....	33
6—Sergt.-Major Case, H. G. A.....	33
6—Staff-Sergt. McVittie, 10th.....	33
\$5 prizes.	
Lieut. Cartwright, 47th.....	33
Capt. Spearing, 53rd.....	33
Sergt. Blair, 78th.....	33
Pte. Kamberry, 5th R. S.....	32
Capt. McRobbie, 8th.....	32
Gunner Turnbull, B. C. G. A.....	32
Lieut. T. Mitchell, 12th.....	32
Pte, Burns, 63rd.....	32
Major Hayes, 7th.....	32
Pte. Hilton, 47th.....	32
Corp. Suckling, 78th.....	32
\$4 prizes.	
Pte R. G. Taylor, 43rd.....	32
Capt. Moore, P. E. I. G. A.....	32
Q. M. Ogg, 1st R. F. A.....	32
Capt. Russell, 45th.....	31
Pte. McElmon, 93rd.....	31
Corp. Ellis, G. G. F. G.....	31
Lieut. Stewart, P. E. I. G. A.....	31
Surgeon Ross, 77th.....	31
Sergt. Langley, B. C. G. A.....	31
Gunner Beckwith, B. C. G. A.....	31
Lieut. J. L. Weller, 59th.....	31
Lieut. E. Cribb, 78th.....	31
Major Bishop, 63rd.....	31
Lieut. J. H. Davidson, 8 Royals.....	31
Lieut. Limpert, 29th.....	31
Lieut. Helmer, 43rd.....	31
Staff-Sergt. W. J. Davidson, 12th.....	31

Extra Series D—900 Yards

\$20—Capt. A. Wilson, 33rd Batt.....	33
15—Staff-Sergt. J. H. Simpson, 12th York.....	33
12—Lieut. A. Pain, 13th Batt.....	31
10—Lieut. T. Mitchell, 12th.....	31
8—Pte. M. D. Campbell, 45th.....	31
6—Capt. McMicking, 44th.....	51
6—Color-Sergt. J. Riddle, 6th Fusilliers.....	31
\$5 prize winners.	
Capt. Spearing, 53rd.....	31
Sergt. T. S. Bayles, 12th.....	31
Pte. R. Moodie, 43rd.....	31
Pte. H. J. Taylor, 43rd.....	30
Pte Fox, 20th Batt.....	30
Sergt. J Drysdale, P. W. R.....	30
Staff-Sergt. W. J. Davidson, 12th.....	30
Gunner Beckwirk, B. C. G. A.....	30
Staff-Sergt. Goodwin, 7th Batt.....	30
Color-Sergt. Skedden, 13th.....	30
Color-Sergt. M. G. B. Henderson, 63rd Batt.....	30
\$4 prize winners.	
Sergt. Blair, 78th Batt.....	29
Trooper J. Moodie, P. L. D. G.....	29
Capt. Ellis, G. G. F. C.....	29
Staff-Sergt. McVittie, 10th.....	29
Pte McElmon, 93rd.....	29
Major G. Hayes, 7th.....	29
Pte. C. S. Scott, 43rd Batt.....	29
Lieut. H. M. Healy, 54th Batt.....	29
Pte. Macklin, 90th.....	29
Surgeon J. Ross, 77th.....	29
Capt. Smith, St. John Rites.....	29
Sergt. W. A. R. Langluy, B. C. G. A.....	29
Gunner J. McRobbie, B. C. G. A.....	29
Capt. R. Rennie, Q. O. R.....	29
Pte. Hilton, 47th Batt.....	28
Lieut. G. R. Hall, 5th Dragoons.....	28
Gunner T. Sharpe, M. G. A.....	28

Extra Series Aggregate.

A clock presented by J. H. Steward, optician, to the N. R. A. and D. R. A. only one score in each match to count. Winner, Capt. A. Wilson, 33rd Huron infantry, with a score of 116 points out of a possible 120. Staff Sergt. Simpson, 12th..... 115

Montreal.

During the past fortnight the ranges have not been as busy as they have been but a good many matches have been fired. We give a few of the principal events.

SATURDAY, Sept. 1st.—Annual shooting match of F company, 5th Royal Scots of Canada. The prizes were :—A silver cup, presented by Capt. G. W. Cameron; a silver cup, presented by Lieut. Carson, and five other prizes. Ranges 200, 400 and 500 yards, 7 shots at each.

Pte Goldsack.....	83
Color-Sergt Munn.....	68
Corp Rae.....	55
Pte Wallace.....	55
Pte McLean.....	49
Sergt Sterling.....	44
Corp Pope.....	34
Pte Clark.....	34
Pte Foster.....	32
Pte Lawson.....	27
Pte Norris.....	25
Pte McIntosh.....	23
Pte Marchbanks.....	23
Corp Reddie.....	22
Pte Prendergast.....	14

SEPT. 8th.—Annual matches of the 5th Royal Scots.

THE MAIDEN STAKES.

Ranges 200 and 400 yards, 7 shots at each, prizes in kind, possible 70—

Sergt Poland.....	59
Pte Goldsack.....	54
Pte Elliot.....	54
Pte D M Morrison.....	52
Lieut Burns.....	45
Sergt Grey.....	45
Pte R Todd.....	44
Pte J Kent.....	44
Bugler Brown.....	42
Bugler Lark.....	41
Pte Warbrick.....	39
Pte W Morrison.....	32
Capt Ibbotson.....	29
Pte Wright.....	26

SECOND MATCH—BATTALION.

Ranges, 200, 400 and 500 yards ; 7 shots at each ; possible 105. Prizes in kind presented by officers of regiment—

	200 yds.	400 yds.	500 yds.	Tl.
Sgt D Currie.....	29	34	30	93
Pte J Kamberry.....	31	33	29	93
Sgt Poland.....	29	30	31	90
Sgt W Brown.....	31	33	24	88
Corp Norton.....	26	30	28	84
Pipe-Sgt Clark.....	28	31	25	84
Pte W Smith.....	23	32	28	83
Corp McNabb.....	28	32	22	82
Corp T Gardner.....	27	22	32	81
Pte C McCowan.....	24	32	24	80
Capt Cameron.....	28	23	28	79
Sgt-Major Niven.....	26	31	22	79
Col-Sgt Currie.....	26	21	31	78
Pte D M Morrison.....	26	26	26	78
Pte Birley.....	27	25	26	78
Sgt Gardner.....	29	25	24	78
Sergt Bethune.....	27	30	21	78

THIRD MATCH—EXTRA SERIES.

Five shots at 500 yards, possible 25 points ; prizes in kind.

Corp McNabb.....	25
Bugler Lark.....	25
Pipe-Sgt Clark.....	24
Pte J Kamberry.....	24
Sgt D Bethune.....	23
Pte D Smith.....	23
Pte W Smith.....	23
Sgt-Major Niven.....	23
Major Ibbotson.....	22
Col-Sgt Currie.....	21
Pte C McCowan.....	21
Pte Parley.....	19
Pte Wilson.....	19
Pte D M Morrison.....	18
Sgt Broadhurst.....	18
Pte J Elliot.....	18
Capt Cameron.....	17
Corp Norton.....	17
Corp Gardner.....	17

FOURTH MATCH—ASSOCIATION.

Ranges 500 and 600 yards, 7 shots each range and prizes in kind.

	500 yds	600 yds	Ttl
Pte J Kamberry.....	34	28	62
Pte W A Smith.....	29	32	61
Sgt Broadhurst.....	30	29	59
Corp McNabb.....	27	31	58
Sgt Bethune.....	30	26	56
Corp Norton.....	35	17	52
Sgt D Currie.....	28	24	52
Pte D Smith.....	32	20	52
Major Ibbotson.....	27	23	50
Corp T Gardner.....	30	17	47
Pte Wilson.....	28	18	46
Capt Cameron.....	27	18	45
Pte J Elliot.....	23	21	44
Col-Sgt Currie.....	25	19	44
Sgt Clark.....	23	20	43
Sgt-Major Niven.....	17	25	42
Sgt W Gardner.....	18	24	42
Pte C McCowan.....	27	14	41

OPEN MATCH—INDIVIDUALS.

Ranges, 200, 500, 600 yards ; 7 shots at each—

	200 yds	500 yds	600 yds	Ttl
\$10, Col-Sgt Marks, 6th Fusiliers.....	33	34	30	97
\$8, Lt McAvity, M R A.....	29	32	31	92
\$6, Sgt Broadhurst, R S.....	30	28	32	90
\$5, J Farrar, G T R.....	26	32	31	89
\$4, Sgt R Binmore, VRC.....	28	34	26	88
\$3, J J Bell, M G A.....	32	31	25	88
\$3, Pte K Mathews, V R C.....	32	32	24	88
\$3, Pte J Kamberry, R Scots.....	29	27	31	87
\$3, Sergt J Drysdale, P W R.....	28	32	27	87
\$2, Staff-Sergt Lavers, 6th Fusiliers.....	30	32	25	87
\$2, Staff-Sergt McCrae, V R C.....	27	28	30	85
\$2, Lt-Col Hood, P W R.....	28	31	26	85
\$2, Lt McAdam, V R C.....	29	30	26	85
\$2, Sgt C Morris, 6th.....	29	32	24	85

\$1 prize winners—

Capt Pope, V R C.....	32	20	24	85
Pte A Thompson, VRC.....	29	31	24	84
Lt E H Burns, V R C.....	29	30	24	83
Sgt A Ferguson, P W R.....	27	26	29	82

OPEN MATCH—TEAM.

First team Victoria Rifles; prize, \$15—

Capt M Pope.....	85
Lt McAdam.....	85
Sgt Binmore.....	88
Pte K Mathews.....	88
Pte A Thompson.....	84
Total.....	430

First team Sixth Fusiliers; prize, \$10—

Col-Sgt Marks.....	97
Col. Sergt Lavers.....	87
Capt Andrews.....	80
Sergt Riddle.....	80
Col-Sergt Pratt.....	72
Total.....	416

First team, Royal Scots; prize \$5—

Sergt Broadhurst.....	90
Pte Kambery.....	87
Corp McNabb.....	80
Sergt D Currie.....	76
Pte D Smith.....	77
Total.....	410

Next in order—

Prince of Wales Rifles.....	403
Montreal Rifle Association.....	402
Montreal Garrison Artillery.....	402
Second team Victoria Rifles.....	389
Second team Royal Scots.....	376

The following are the second-class aggregates, but those of the first-class have not yet been declared :—

Highest aggregates in 2, 4 and 5 :—

	200 yds.	500 yds.	600 yds.	T'l.
1, Pte J Kambery....	93	62	86	242
2, Pte W A Smith....	83	61	81	225
3, Sgt D Currie.....	93	52	76	221
4, Corp S D MacNab.	82	58	80	220

SECOND-CLASS AGGREGATES.

For highest score in matches 1, 2 and 4
Sergt Poland, 188—winner of Lieut.-Col. Caverhill's medal.
Pte. J. Elliot, 173—prize in kind.

MONTREAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The September monthly resulted as follows, and the only matches of this association yet to be shot are those for the G. H. Matthews cup on Saturday next and the Saturday following with 800 and 930 yards :—

	200 yds.	500 yds.	600 yds.	T'l.
J W Marks.....	33	34	30	97
J McAvery.....	29	32	31	92
J Brodhurst.....	30	28	32	90
R Binnmore.....	28	34	26	88
J J Bell.....	32	31	25	88
K Mathews.....	32	32	24	88
J Drysdale.....	28	32	27	87
G Lavers.....	30	32	25	87
D McCrae.....	27	28	30	85
John Hood.....	28	31	26	85
C L McAdam.....	29	30	26	85
M Pope.....	32	29	24	85
A Thompson.....	29	31	24	84
E H Brown.....	29	30	24	83
A Ferguson.....	27	26	29	82
D Bethune.....	24	30	27	81
H J Norton.....	32	25	24	81
G W Sharpe.....	28	31	22	81
S D McNab.....	24	29	27	80
J Riddle.....	21	34	25	80
W M Andrews.....	32	28	20	80
J Y Clarke.....	29	30	20	79
T Sharpe.....	28	27	23	78
E Pratt.....	24	27	21	72
W A Collins.....	26	28	17	70

Sept. 15th.—2nd competition of the Montreal Rifle Association for the G. H. Matthews cup.

	800 yds.	900 yds.	T'l Pze.
Gunner G W Sharpe,			
M G A.....	32	26	58 \$5
Lt-Col. Hood, P W R....	27	25	52 4

Pte A Thompson, V R C.	27	25	52	3
Sergt J Y Clarke, P W R.	27	25	52	2
Col-Sergt J Riddle, 6th Fusiliers.....	26	25	51	2
Col-Sergt J W Marks....	27	23	50	1
Col-Sergt E Pratt, 6th Fusiliers.....	27	23	50	1
Sergt J Drysdale, P W R	20	26	46	1
J Ward, G T R A.....	19	26	45	1

Aggregate of the first two matches :

	First match.	Second match.	T'l.
J Y Clarke.....	62	55	114
J Riddle.....	51	51	112
John Hood.....	57	52	109
E Pratt.....	54	50	104
J J Bell.....	55	44	99
W M Andrews.....	54	43	97

NO. 3 COMPANY M. G. A. MATCH.

Martini series—

	200 yds.	400 yds.	500 yds.	T'l.
Staff-Sgt J J Bell.....	28	32	33	93
Gr B Bennett.....	31	31	28	90
Staff-Sgt W E Wilson.	32	28	19	79
C S M N Finlayson....	19	25	27	71
Sgt L A Winter.....	19	25	25	69

NO. 3 COMPANY MATCH—M. G. A.

Snider series—

	200 yds.	400 yds.	500 yds.	T'l.
Gr A Noble.....	28	25	21	74
Br C Hillier.....	21	23	20	64
Corp C Kermode.....	25	25	11	61
Gr R Powney.....	15	27	18	60
Sgt Morrison.....	21	20	18	59
Gr O Stevens.....	22	22	9	53
Gr A Watt.....	17	18	17	52
Gr W Ford.....	23	18	8	49
Gr E Outhet... ..	24	5	14	43
Gr J Moore.....	18	20	5	43
Sgt C E Ward.....	10	7	17	34
Corp. E Tilley.....	22	6	2	30
Br W Alliston.....	7	13	8	28
Gr W Sansum.....	2	14	6	22
Gr J King.....	7	6	6	19
Gr Porteous.....	4	0	6	10

We clip the following from the Montreal Gazette :

At the Brigade office on Saturday, Sept. 15th, a meeting was held from which it is expected will come a good deal of good for the forces of this city in the near future. It was a gathering of all the commanding officers of the city, the only absentees being Lieut.-Col. Strathy, who was out of town. Lieut.-Col. Houghton was in the chair, and no time was lost in discussing the different subjects for which the meeting had been called. Lieut.-Col. Houghton at the opening stated to the assembled officers, Lieut.-Cols. Starke, Butler, Cole, McArthur, Aubry and Prevost, Majors Macaulay, Hon. J. S. Hall and Roy, that the meeting was called at the request of the Hon. Minister of Militia, who would be in the city on Monday (to-day) to discuss with them some of the improvements that have been asked for and which were needed. The first question that came up was the drill hall floor. At first opinion was divided between asphalt and wood

blocks, but when the points were explained all voted in favor of rectangular wooden blocks with a rider that they were opposed to any other kind of pavement. The question of telephone next came up and also an electric service of call bells with the different armories, and it was decided to ask the minister to have a 'phone placed in the Brigade office. The last question discussed was the Cote St. Luc ranges, which all agreed were not large enough and were short of the necessary number of targets, besides not having any place where the caretaker could stay and look after government property.

A motion was passed requesting the minister to see that ten new targets be placed on the present ranges, as well as a caretaker's house, but if this could not be done, then that new property should be acquired. Two or three good sites were mentioned for new ranges and a committee was appointed to look these over and report to-day. It was also decided to ask the department to refund the amounts paid out by the different regiments for transportation for the men to put in government practice at Cote St. Luc ranges and then the meeting adjourned until eight in the evening at the Military institute, when the only subject discussed was the Martini-Metford rifle, but no resolution was passed as some of those present wanted to gain more information about the weapons first. The officers will dine with the minister to-day, when the different questions will be put before him. Another matter that came up, but on which no definite action was taken, was of closing up the rear gallery in the drill hall and turning it into a large hall which could be used for meetings and as a gymnasium. All were in favor of the idea, but preferred to wait until they had seen the head of the Militia department.

GENERAL NOTES.

At the Drill hall on the evening of the 7th there was a very pleasant entertainment in the Sixth Fusiliers' armory, which was enjoyed by all present, and is a good start for the fall affairs. Among those who took part were : Captain Chambers, Miss Ada Reid, Miss L. Palmer, "Bill Adams," Mr. Greenwood and Mr. James Armstrong, who gave a very interesting and instructive illustrated lecture on the Afghan and Egyptian wars.

Sergeant-Instructor Arthur Hawker, of

the Duke of Connaught Royal Canadian Hussars, has started a fencing class among the members of the local forces and altogether has a dozen pupils.

Thursday evening, Sept. 6th, the officers of the Eighty-Fifth held their regular monthly meeting in the armory, and, although there was much disappointment at the regiment not being able to go to camp this summer, still hopes were expressed that it would be all right next year, and in case there is the work of recruiting will commence at once with the city companies.

Lieut.-Col. Wilson, commanding the Royal Canadian Artillery, was in the city the other day after having been out in the country inspecting the Shefford Field Battery. He will be down here again on the 12th instant, to take charge of the Artillery camp at Laprairie, which opens on the following day, when the officers and non-commissioned officers of thirteen batteries will go into camp and spend some time at gun practice, the farmers and land owners of that place having come to terms with the department.

Lieut.-Col. Butler of the Prince of Wales Rifles has, it appears, handed in a protest to the Brigade office in regard to the target returns. This is in connection with the award of the Sir Donald Smith cup. We have not seen its terms but hope that there is no suspicion of "cooked" scores. Should unfortunately, any reports of such have come to Col. Butler's ears, we trust that the matter will be investigated to the end and the offenders brought to book.

The field battery camp is well started at Laprairie, and is under the command of Lieut.-Col. Wilson, Royal Canadian Artillery, who has as his staff Capt. Pelletier, adjutant; Major Drury, supervisor of unnerly ractice with assistants Capt. Ogilvie and Lieut. Burstall; Veterinary Surgeon Massey and Surgeon-Major Campbell. The camp is situated near the old quarters, while the gunnery practice will be done up country, planks being used for targets. The camp is composed of 66 men and 33 horses from A Battery at Kingston, but the guns to be used for the practice are those of the Montreal Field Battery, whose detachment will open the firing on Monday next. On Tuesday the Quebec and Sherbrooke Field batteries will do theirs; Wednesday the London and Welland; Thursday, the first brigade from Guelph; and Friday the Ottawa and Durham. The following Monday the Kingston and Gananoque put in their practice, and the two following days the Hamilton and Toronto batteries. Yesterday was a miserable one in camp, but still the work of preparing for the practice next week was actively pushed, and the result will

be that everything will be in first class order by Monday morning, when, on the 7 o'clock boat, the Montrealers will go over for their trial. The target practice returns of the different detachments will be awaited with interest, as it will tend to show the efficiency at this work of the different batteries. Artillerymen hope that this camp will be a yearly one.—
Gazette.

The Feather Bonnet Question.

At the quarterly meeting of D company, Royal Scots, held in non-coms. mess room, among the many items of interest to the company was the feather bonnet question. The men of this company think it a great hardship to be compelled to wear a head dress that virtually does not belong to a Highland battalion. They naturally contrast their position with that of the 48th Highlanders in Toronto, who had the feather bonnets presented to them by the inhabitants of that city before they donned the Highland costume. So many Scottish societies being in this city it is strange that some influential Scotchman does not take the matter up and boom the Scotchmen of this city on the subject. The company also propose to have a dinner early in December. Paymaster-Sergeant James Kelley having had the honor of being the president of this fine company for the past five years, the company having heard that Sergeant Kelley got the post of honor of representing Clan MacLennan, of the Order of Scottish Clans, at the late Royal convention in New York, they determined by a unanimous vote to make him a present of a new patrol jacket. The company is in a good state financially.

Ontario Rifle Ass'n Matches.

In our report of these matches, we find that the aggregate prize list was omitted. We append it below.

The Mulock Aggregate Match.

1ST—THE ELKINGTON CUP, N. R. A. SILVER MEDAL AND \$15.	
Major Macdonald, 48th Highlanders	293
2ND—GOVERNOR - GENERAL'S MEDAL AND \$15.	
Capt. Rogers, 43rd.....	293
3RD—GOVERNOR - GENERAL'S BRONZE MEDAL AND \$12.	
Lieut. Pringle, R. G.....	292
4TH—D. R. A. SILVER MEDAL AND \$10.	
Lieut T. Mitchell, 12th.....	291
5TH—D. R. A. BRONZE MEDAL AND \$10.	
Lt. R. A. Helmer, 43rd.....	291
6TH—D. R. A. BRONZE MEDAL AND \$6.	
Lieut Boville, 43rd.....	290
\$10—Capt. McMicking, 44th.....	289
\$5—Lieut. J. E. Hutcheson, 43rd..	288
5—Pte. Bertram, 13th.....	288
5—Pte. Heller, 29th.....	288
5—Lieut. Graburn, R. L.....	287
5—Staff-Sergt. Harp, 48th.....	286
5—Sergt. H. Marris, 13th.....	285
5—Pte. Fitzgerald, 57th.....	285
5—Pte. R. J. Taylor, 43rd.....	284

5—Col.-Sergt. Fowler, R. G.....	283
5—Lieut. W. E. King, 45th.....	283
5—Sergt. C. R. Crowe, I. B. F. A.	283
5—Lieut. J. B. Miller, Q. O. R....	283
5—Sergt. G. Thompson, 12th.....	283
5—Pte. Rolston, 37th.....	285
5—Major Hughes, M. P., 45th....	281
5—Lieut. Conboy, 30th.....	281
5—Pte. Spencer, 13th.....	281
5—Lieut. Cartwright, 47th.....	281

The War in the Orient.

During the course of the next few months a highly important chapter will be added to the history of the two great nations of the Orient, and the developments are bound to have results that will be both far-reaching and beneficial to one if not both of the belligerents. It has already been noted that a close analogy is found to exist between the general conditions of the China-Japanese war and the Peninsular operations ninety years ago. Corea is separated from China, as is Spain from France, by a difficult natural frontier, most easily traversible at its flanks. The main route from Peking to Seoul, like that from Paris to Madrid, passes within a short distance of the sea, and the land contest is being fought out on the territory of a decayed monarchy that is now in a state of poverty and general stagnation. The historians tell us that if disaster had befallen the British fleet Wellington's position during the early part of the Peninsular war would have been hopeless, and so it seems may Yamagata's become if communication with the Japanese warships is cut off. The poverty of Corea is so great that provisions for the army during a prolonged military operation could not be found. The naval engagement off Yalu was indecisive, and it is hardly probable that another will be attempted until the scattered Chinese squadrons have been united. Regarding the reinforcements that Li Hung Chang is sending to check the advance of the Japanese, it is difficult to learn much. A fourth of the army is said to have escaped from Ping Yang, numbering probably about 5,000. Port Arthur, which is situated at the opposite side of the entrance to the Gulf of Pechili from Ping Yang, is, however, a strategic outpost from which troops have been despatched in large numbers ever since the outbreak of the war, and it is probable that the Japanese force of 75,000 men in Corea is now about equalled by the Chinese. But in the matter of arms, drill, discipline, organization, and leadership there is not a doubt that the Japanese forces are far superior, and it does not seem probable that the Chinese will be able for some time to come to offer any effectual resistance to the occupation of the peninsula. Japan, through her achievements thus far, has won the applause of Europe and the civilized world, and has joined the sisterhood of nations. She has a united national spirit, a richly-endowed territory, 40,000,000 of loyal people, possessing intellectual resources of the highest order, while China is disintegrated by warring tribes and factions, and weakened by the prevalence of a spirit of opposition to the reigning dynasty.

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