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No. 16, of 27th September, 1889.

Topics of the Week.

Capt. G. Douglas Young, of D Company, Infantry School Corps, London, Ont., authorizes the MILITIA GAZETTE to state that that company accepts the telegraphic match challenge of Major Peters, C Battery, R.C.A., published last week.

We hope to be in a position to publish the scores made by the different batteries in the Field Artillery competition at an early date. The Secretary is waiting the report of the Woodstock field battery, on receipt of which the result of the competition will be published in detail.

To commemorate the great telegraphic match to be fired on Saturday of this week, and for which teams from all parts of Canada have entered, it is intended to present a badge to each member of the winning team. A Montreal artist is now at work preparing a design for these badges.

A Montreal correspondent submits a new scheme for comment by readers of the MILITIA GAZETTE: "It is proposed," he says, "to get up a Canadian Military Rifle League for next summer's shooting, the conditions to be something like this: A certain number of matches to be fired throughout the season, on Saturday afternoons, by the clubs in the league, and the club winning the most matches to be considered the champions; and receive either badges or a cup in token of their victory." Such a scheme, he points out, would have to be arranged before spring, in order that the clubs participating might frame their season's programmes to suit; and an expression of opinion from shooting men is invited.

The latest appointment to the permanent force is that of Lieut. A. E. Carpenter, of the 13th Battalion, Hamilton, to a lieutenancy in the Infantry School Corps. In the General Orders, it is stated that his appointment is for five years only. Why a limit has been prescribed is not stated, but the notice is understood to signify an intention to make future appointments for periods likewise limited. The change is in our opinion not a commendable one; for it will certainly not increase the interest nor improve the efficiency of the officers to feel that at the end of five years service they are apt to be superseded by others having greater political influence. Not only will they have little or no incentive to study the higher branches of the military art, but they will have to divert their attention sufficiently from military matters to keep up with the progress of the age in whatever walk in civil life they formerly pursued, and would have to re-enter upon quitting the military service.

Since the subject was brought up at the Dominion Rifle Association competitors' meeting there has been not a little discussion concerning the proposed change in the distribution of the Government grants to rifle associations. It was represented to the meeting that the Government contemplated discontinuing the grants to the smaller local rifle associations, and entrusting the money instead to the district associations, and a resolution was passed adverse to such a change, and favouring even a greater subdivision of the grants. It turns out that this is exactly the change proposed, the member who raised the discussion not having an accurate idea of the contents of the circular sent by the Militia Department to the commanding officers throughout the country. This circular asked for expressions of opinion on a suggestion to discontinue the grants to the district associations and confine them to the regimental and others strictly military in character. The opinion of the Department is that the money given to other than military associations is not always spent in the manner best calculated to promote the development of rifle shooting either in the force or country generally. But there are some associations under civilian control performing really useful work, and we would suggest that in place of cutting off the grant from all alike the Department should scan the last annual reports presented by these associations, and base its action on the result.

The *Admiralty and Horse Guards Gazette* is displeased at the imputation of selfishness on the part of the English riflemen, made by some of the Massachusetts marksmen. Says that paper: "The Massachusetts Militia team which competed at Wimbledon this year of course received a hearty welcome on arriving at New York. We can only take their word for it that they enjoyed themselves over here, and fully appreciated whatever hospitality was shown to them. Brother Jonathan is probably an adept at saying pretty things with no meaning, but we were hardly prepared for the utterances which the *Boston Record* puts into the mouth of Major Frost. It is stated that the members of the team are not bragging over their successes, but the gallant Major is reported to have said that 'the English marksman is supremely selfish, and always works for his own score, not trying to support his companions on the team. The Americans could put the whole team on the target after a single shot by the man who led, and this was the secret of the quick rally in the first matches, although but two sight shots were allowed each man. The Americans were truly a team, the Englishmen an aggregation of individual sharpshooters. That is the sum of it. It is a pretty lesson in national harmony.' There may be some truth in the remarks, and we are, and always have been, willing to take hints from over the water, but it can hardly be said that it was a pretty speech to make, if it ever was made." It is just possible that Major Frost may have been deceived by appearances. The English rifleman, if apparently selfish, is perhaps not so intentionally. It may be that the art of team shooting is not sufficiently practised. In Canada it has scarce yet been discovered, and thus our team contests lose a great deal of their interest.

Regimental and Other News.

The Hamilton *Herald* reports a speech of Col. Gibson to the men of the 13th after a battalion parade last week. The Colonel, "after complimenting the men on their appearance in the parade of military day, carnival week, announced that he wanted full company drill every Friday night until after inspection. He said it was possible that on Thanksgiving Day the battalion would go to Toronto and there be inspected along with the Queen's Own, the Grenadiers and the Dufferin Rifles by Col. Otter." Col. Gibson seemed, to be pretty confident that the inspection would come off in that way, for he mentioned the funding of drill pay by the corps in Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto for the purpose of taking away the battalion once or twice a year to various parts of the country, and said the Dufferin Rifles had recently adopted this system. He then proposed that the system be adopted in the 13th, and went into the terms of the unanimous agreement of the officers upon it. He said if there were any men in the battalion drilling for the pay they were not wanted, and finished his remarks in the following explicit sentence: "Any men who do not wish to continue under this arrangement are invited to report to us, hand in their uniforms and make room for others who will."

A notable feature in the Aldershot Camp this year is the Springhill band, attached for this drill to the 93rd Battalion. This is essentially a miners' band. They are clean-shaved and particularly well set up young men, with that sharpness, and one might say delicacy, of feature which usually go with a tendency to culture; their uniforms fit them well, and their accoutrements are bright and clean. In fact there is nothing about them that savours of mining except their unmistakable muscularity. But prepossessing as the first glance may be, it is only when they begin to play that you realize the culture to be more than superficial. Then you begin to find that they possess that desideratum so often looked for in vain in very good bands—subdued playing. They never blare, and their perfect time and quick precision in rapid passages equal the refinement of taste which prevents their making a mere row. Their cornets, moreover, and even some of their larger instruments, are silver, which partially accounts for the softness of their playing; and altogether they are a credit to themselves, to the district from which they hail, and to the regiment to which they are attached—*Halifax Critic*.

THE BAND OF A COMPANY I. S. C.

While on the staff of the late brigade camp at Aldershot, N.S., Major Gordon, I.S.C., enlisted three of the bandsmen of the Cumberland Battalion for the band of the school corps in this garrison. These men are now under Bandmaster Hayes, who says they will be a valuable acquisition to his band. During the summer months the playing of this fine band on Sunday mornings on the parade ground in the barracks is one of the glories of this city. While the corps is being paraded for church, it is the custom for the band to play Mendelssohn's "Morning Prayer." As the harmonies of this magnificent composition are wafted over the city by the soft summer breeze, the enraptured listener cannot help thinking that this is truly a "celestial" city, and that this is heavenly music. A clarinet player—an excellent one—has lately been added to the band. This is a great improvement, as this instrument tones down the brass, and increases the effectiveness of the melody. We trust that more reed instruments will soon be added. The performance of the band last Thursday afternoon in the square reminded one of the playing of the imperial army regimental bands in the same square years ago. The programme consisted almost entirely of operatic selections, which were rendered with a delicacy of expression and confidence characteristic of first-class professional bands. Bandmaster Hayes is to be congratulated on his success, and the city on having such a really fine band.—*Fredericton Capital*.

THE VICTORIOUS P. E. ISLAND ARTILLERYMEN.

The programme for the reception of the successful artillery team last evening was carried out as advertised, excepting that a slight but annoying change was made in the route of the procession. The militia met at the drill hall shortly after seven o'clock, but owing to the late arrival of the train they did not leave there for the station until nearly an hour afterwards. After some preliminary movements at the shed, they marched to the city hall, where they met the artillery band, and headed by which they proceeded to the station, followed by the firemen preceded by the Citizens' Coloured Band. On arrival at the station they were formed into line and awaited the arrival of the train. After some time had elapsed the whistle of the train was heard in the distance. Almost simultaneously with the whistle was heard the booming of a gun, which was placed near the entrance to the station, and from which several charges were fired at half minute intervals. As the train neared the depot, the bang, bang of torpedoes was followed by a volley of rockets from the roof of the station, and the blowing of both railway and steam-boat whistles. As the team emerged from the depot, Col. Dogherty

gave the command, "Three cheers for the victorious team," which was well followed out by the men, with the addition of a rousing tiger of their own accord. After the team had been seated in the barouches awaiting, the line of march was taken up. A line of firemen marched on either side of the barouches, which came in the rear of the militia. The line of march was along Water street to Great George, up Great George to Richmond, along Richmond to Queen, up Queen to Grafton, down Grafton to Prince, along Prince to Richmond, and up Richmond to Queen Square gates. They formed up immediately in front of the Provincial Building, which was tastefully decorated with lanterns and flags, where they were welcomed and complimented by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor and Colonel Irving. Capt. Davison replied in a brief speech, Col. Moore being absent, the command of the team falling upon him. After the address of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, three cheers and a tiger were given His Honour. The militia then came to close order, and, after forming into fours, marched to the drill shed, where, after a congratulatory address from Colonel Dogherty, they were dismissed.

THE ST. JOHN CORPS.

The turnout of the 62nd Fusiliers and the St. John Rifles, at the inspection held on the barrack square by Deputy Adjutant General Maunsell, last week, was a most creditable one in every way and deserving of the words of praise passed by the inspecting officer. The review exercises were witnessed by a large crowd of people, among whom was a fair sprinkling of ladies.

The following are the officers of the 62nd at present in the corps: Lieut.-Colonel—A. Blaine. Majors—Jos. J. Tucker, H. H. McLean. No. 1 (B) company—Major E. T. Sturdee, Lieut. J. P. Vroom, 2nd Lieut. Dr. G. A. Hetherington. No. 2 (E) company—Captain M. B. Edwards, Lieut. D. Churchill, 2nd Lieut. J. L. McAvity. No. 3 (A) company—Captain J. F. Fraser, 2nd Lieut. W. C. Sterling. No. 4 (C) company—Captain H. H. Godard, Lieut. J. Manning, 2nd Lieut. Wm. Parks. No. 5 (F) company—Captain G. F. Thompson, Lieut. G. M. Cleveland, 2nd Lieut. H. P. Wetmore. No. 6 (D) company—Captain W. C. Magee, Lieut. S. B. Lordly, 2nd Lieut. J. H. Kaye. Adjutant—Major F. H. Hartt. Surgeon—Thos. Walker, M.D.; Asst. Surgeon, Murray MacLaren, M.D. Quartermaster—Major J. S. Hall. Paymaster—Dr. M. F. Bruce.

The officers of the Rifle company are:—Capt. J. T. Hartt, Lieut. E. A. Smith, 2nd Lieut. Leonard Tilley.

The colours of the 62nd were carried by Lieuts. J. L. McAvity and H. P. Wetmore. All the officers were present at the inspection, excepting Capt. Edwards and Lieuts. Lordly and Hetherington.

About 2.30 o'clock the men formed in line to receive Deputy Adjutant General Maunsell, who was accompanied by Major Gordon, I.S.C., Lieut.-Col. MacShane, B.M., of Halifax, and Lieut. Tilley, N.B.B.G.A. The inspecting officer was received with a general salute, the band playing a march. Quarter column was then formed and the men wheeled to the left and marched past in column to the tune of the British Grenadiers. Ranks were changed and the men again marched past in quarter column to the strains of Young May Moon. Then ranks were again changed and they marched past at the double, the band playing Money Musk, and afterwards wheeled to the left and formed line on the rear company. Major Tucker then put the battalion through manual and firing exercise. Major McLean was called out and formed quarter column and several other movements. Major Sturdee was next called to the front. He formed column to the left and reformed line and advanced in column from the left, executing the different movements with precision. Major Hartt, adjutant, took command and advanced in echelon and reformed line. Capt. Magee was examined next. He formed a quarter column on No. 3 and deployed. Capt. Hartt, of the Rifles, took command, retired in echelon, and reformed line, executing several other movements also. Col. Blaine then resumed command and extended the battalion for skirmishing, Nos. 1 and 2 extending, and the remainder supports and reserves. They advanced firing blank ammunition, and after reinforcing concluded with a charge.

The Deputy Adjutant General then examined each company and all the company officers, testing their knowledge of drill, etc. He addressed the battalion, saying that this was the first inspection under the new drill. He had expected to find many errors, as it was harder to unlearn the old drill than to learn the new, but he had found all ranks well up in their duties, and he congratulated the Colonel upon passing a first rate inspection. He then referred to the successful target practice, and congratulated the Fusiliers on winning the first prize in the Dominion of Canada match at Ottawa.

The 62nd, headed by the battalion band, then marched through the principal streets of the city, and the Rifles having been given leave to dismiss, retired. The inspection altogether was one of the most severe that has been held here for some years. Many old officers on the ground expressed the opinion that they had never seen the men steadier,

especially the Rifles, and No. 1 company, whose skirmishing and extending was highly commended. After the inspection the officers adjourned to the 62nd club room and spent an hour or two in a social way.

Toronto.

Mr. E. J. Cashmore, one of the inventors of the Cooper-Cashmore rifle, has recently returned from a trip to the old country, during which he visited the principal small arm factories. He took the opportunity of bringing his own rifle (some time ago described in the MILITIA GAZETTE), into the notice of the British Government. Mr. Cashmore, it may be stated, was formerly with Mr. W. M. Cooper, the well known dealer in rifle goods in Toronto.

THE QUEEN'S OWN RIFLES.

The Queen's Own Rifles paraded last Thursday evening to the number of 456. Lieut.-Col. Hamilton was in command and requested Major Delamere to take charge of the parade. The regimental orders were as follows:—B Company, to be sergeant, Corpl. J. G. Langton, vice Hurst discharged; to be corporals, Pte. H. S. Denroche, vice Watts discharged, and Pte. A. Brooker, vice Langton promoted. F Company, to be corporal, Pte. B. Saunders, vice Wyatt promoted. H Company, to be sergeant, Corporal W. T. H. Boyd, vice Mingay discharged. I Company, to be sergeants, Corporal C. McHenry, vice Henderson discharged, and Corporal C. Matthews, vice Donaldson relieved from duty; to be acting corporals, Pte. E. S. Evans, vice McHenry promoted, and F. Gray, vice Matthew promoted. A class for the instruction of men who desire to qualify as non-commissioned officers will be formed on Friday evening, October 4th, at 8 p.m. The class will be limited to four men from each company, who must be recommended by the officer commanding the company, their names and addresses to be given to the adjutant not later than Wednesday evening, October 2nd.

THE GRENADIERS.

At the parade of this corps on Thursday last, 26th ult., the strength was close on 300 men, under the command of Lt.-Col. Dawson. They marched to Moss Park rink, but the electric lights went out and they returned by way of Shuter, Yonge and Wellington streets, without going through their regular manoeuvres. "A" Company turned out well, having 17 file.

After the parade was dismissed entries were received by Staff-Sergts. Curzon, Mitchell, and Dent, for the annual rifle match to be held on Saturday, 27th. Sergt. Mowat of "A" Co. was absent on account of an accident to himself, while trying to board a moving train. It will likely prevent him shooting in the match, but he may be thankful he was not killed "entirely."

A great improvement is noticeable in the band.

The fifes and drums played one of the Adjutant's favourites, "Are you there Moriarity."

Capt. Michie's company feels his absence.

About twenty recruits were sworn in; which makes enough to make up a third class.

Regimental orders: Sergt. John Nolan, "F" Company, having served in her Majesty's Imperial Army, and also performed the duties of sergeant during the campaign in the North West, the commanding officer has been pleased to confirm his promotion as sergeant from 10th September, 1887. The decision of the regimental board, which assembled on the 3rd and 5th instants, for the examination of non-commissioned officers and privates as to their qualifications for promotion, is published for information:—Passed for the rank of sergeant—Ptes. D. McCulloch and J. Patterson, A Company; Lance-Sergt. G. Parkinson and Pte. N. McDonald, B Company; Lance-Sergt. H. Dye, Corpl. W. Carter, and Pte. F. Gilbert, C Company; Sergt. T. G. Blake and Corpl. O. Freemantle D Company; Lance Corpl. W. Bennett, E Company; Corpl. E. Jeffries, F Company; Corpl. H. Hyder and Pte. L. Dent, G Company; Corpl. C. Coe and Pte. L. Gurofsky, H Company. Passed for the rank of corporal—Corpl. J. Coulter, Pte. W. Farley, and D. McClinton, B Company; Lance-Corpl. G. Brooks and Pte. A. Robb, E Company; Corpl. H. Atkinson, F. Company; Corpl. F. Cooper and Lance-Corpl. W. Guiney, G Company. The annual regimental rifle match will take place on the Garrison common on Saturday, the 28th inst., commencing at 9 a.m. A full attendance of officers and men is desired. The regiment will assemble for Sunday church parade on the 6th of October.

WHAT THE "GRENS" SAID.

An express train does not bother a Scotchman a little bit—Sergt. Mowat.

I get first in Drummers' match anyhow—Drum Sergt. Bewley.

I can work even if I do not get to the top—Staff-Sergt. Curran.

I cannot always take first—Staff-Sergt. Mitchell.

If I had only not had the lumbago—Capt. Bruce.

This is only our debut—The whole of "E" Co.

We can't all take prizes—The man that never hit the target.

My name is Fluker—Drummer F,

The Rifle.

The Tenth Royal Grenadiers.

The annual rifle match of the Royal Grenadiers took place on Saturday, 28th September, commencing at 9 a.m. About 150 men took part. The weather was fine, with a stiff and variable wind from the right. The latter caused some weak scores. At noon the competitors were supplied by the regiment with a good dinner at Mrs. Curran's hotel, and the excellent cheer was thoroughly appreciated. Capt. Bruce, the energetic president of the rifle committee, was kept at home by a sudden attack of rheumatism. His place was taken by Capt. Manley, who was ably assisted by Staff-Sergts. Mitchell, Dent and Curran, Col. Dawson, Major Mason, Capts. Harston, Eliot, Howard, and McLean and Kemp. Surg. King and Ryerson, and Lieut. McKay were on the grounds during the day. The volley firing was a successful feature of the match. The volleys were splendid and "A" Co. won, beating "G" Co. by only three points. The firing was concluded by 5 o'clock. The following is a list of the prize winners:

REGIMENTAL MATCH.

Ranges 200, 400 and 500 yards, 5 shots.

\$15 Sergt. Mowat, A.....	64	\$2 Staff-Sergt. Curran, A.....	48
12 Pte. Davis, A.....	62	2 Pte. M. L. Miller, Amb.....	48
10 Capt. Towers, A.....	62	2 Pte. Shand, A.....	48
10 Staff-Sergt. Mitchell, A.....	62	2 L. C. Curtis, D.....	47
9 Capt. Macdonald, A.....	61	2 Staff-Sergt. Hutchinson, A.....	46
8 Sergt. Jack, G.....	60	2 Pte. Farley, B.....	46
8 Staff-Sergt. Dent, F.....	60	2 Corpl. Wilmev, H.....	46
8 Sergt. Black, D.....	58	2 Corpl. Waterhouse, A.....	46
8 Pte. Dunbar, H.....	57	2 Pte. McIntosh, F.....	46
8 Col.-Sergt. Fowler, G.....	56	2 Sergt. Tew, G.....	45
6 Staff-Sergt. McVittie, A.....	56	2 Col.-Sergt. Cusack, A.....	45
6 Corpl. Brookes, E.....	55	1 Pte. L. A. Dent, G.....	45
6 Pte. Harris, Amb.....	54	1 Corpl. Cooper, G.....	45
6 Pte. Cooper, G.....	54	1 Pte. N. Braybon, E.....	44
6 Staff-Sergt. Curzon, G.....	54	1 Col.-Sergt. Johnson, F.....	44
5 Pte. Urquhart, A.....	53	1 Drummer Allen, G.....	44
5 Corpl. Slemmin, A.....	52	1 Corpl. Taylor, B.....	44
5 Sergt. Spence, E.....	52	1 Corpl. Bowman, B.....	43
5 B. S. Bewley, H.....	52	1 Pte. T. Bennett, E.....	43
5 Pte. Hart, H.....	50	1 Pte. Irving, E.....	41
5 Sergt. Cochrane, G.....	50	1 Sergt. Cox, A.....	41
3 Sergt. Dyas, C.....	50	1 Corpl. Robb, E.....	41
3 Lance-Corpl. A. Marsh, A.....	49	1 Pte. Darcey, A.....	40
3 Corpl. Doole, A.....	49	1 Sergt. H. Lee, B.....	40
2 Pte. Maddox, D.....	49	1 Pte. J. Foy, A.....	40

NURSERY MATCH.

Non-commissioned officers and men who have never won a prize at any rifle match. Ranges 200 and 400 yards.

\$12 Pte. I. Maddox, D.....	41	\$3 Drummer Allen, G.....	32
10 Pte. W. D. McIntosh, F.....	40	2 Pte. C. H. Martin, Amb.....	32
8 Pte. Dunbar, H.....	39	2 Pte. Irving, E.....	32
6 Pte. M. L. Miller, Amb.....	38	2 Pte. T. Bennett, E.....	31
5 Sergt. Spence, E.....	37	2 Pte. G. Bennett, G.....	31
5 Pte. Harris, Amb.....	37	2 Corpl. Bowman, B.....	30
5 L. C. Robb, E.....	36	1 Bandsman Rose.....	30
5 L. C. Curtis, D.....	36	1 Pte. Kirby, D.....	30
5 Pte. L. A. Dent, D.....	35	1 Pte. M. Bralybon, E.....	28
3 Pte. Hart, D.....	34	1 Pte. F. Gilbert, C.....	27
3 Pte. Farley, D.....	34	1 Pte. Irvine, H.....	27
3 Drummer Tyers.....	33	1 L. C. Brown, H.....	27
3 Col.-Sergt. White, E.....	32		

AGGREGATE MATCH.

Ranges, 200, 400, 500 and 600 yards:

\$12 D. R. A. Silver Medal, Pte. Davis, A.....	80	\$5 Pte. Harris, Amb.....	68
10 O. R. A. Silver Medal, Sergt. Mowat, A.....	75	5 Corp. Brookes, E.....	66
9 D. R. A. Bronze Medal, Sergt. Dent, E.....	75	5 Staff-Sergt. McVittie, A.....	66
8 Staff-Sergt. Mitchell, A.....	74	5 Pte. Urquhart, A.....	65
8 Pte. Dunbar, H.....	73	5 Sergt. Blake, D.....	64
7 Corp. Macdonald, H.....	73	4 Pte. L. A. Dent, G.....	62
7 Sergt. Jack, G.....	72	4 Pte. Shand, A.....	61
6 Staff-Sergt. Curzon, G.....	71	4 B. S. Benley.....	61
6 Pte. Cooper, G.....	70	4 L. C. Marsh, A.....	61
6 Col.-Sergt. Fowler, G.....	69	4 Staff-Sergt. Curran, A.....	59
6 Corp. Towers, A.....	69	3 Corp. Slemmin, A.....	59
		3 Sergt. Spence, E.....	59
		3 L. C. Curtis, D.....	58
		3 Corp. Doole, A.....	58

AGGREGATE CUP MATCH.

Ranges 200, 400, 500 and 600 yards. Prize, silver cup, value \$30. To be won by the same member of the regiment twice before becoming the absolute property of the winner.

Pte. Davis, A Co.....80 Points.

Won, 1885, Staff-Sergt. Mitchell; 1886, Capt. Manley; 1887, Pte. Jack, G Co.; 1888, Pte. McVittie, A Co.

THE OTHER MATCHES.

A Co. won the non-commissioned officer's challenge cup (value \$60, to be held by the sergeants' mess) with a score of 292 points; also the Toronto Silver Plate Company's \$50 cup, to be won three times, with a score of 134.

The "staff team" won the officer's team match for the Cosgrove cup. Capt. Manley holds the cup.

In the company team match these were the results: 1st prize, Sedwell cup, value \$300. A Co., 552 points; 2nd, Exhibition Association cup, G Co., 481; 3rd, S. Davis & Son cup, E. Co., 435.

THE DRUM CORPS MATCHES.

The annual rifle matches of the Grenadiers' Drum Corps were held at the same time as the regimental contests. These are the results:

Ranges, 200, 400 and 500 yards; 5 shots at each range.

\$15.00	Sergt. Bewley	56	\$4.50	Drummer F. Fluker	44
10.00	Corpl. Waterhouse	52	4.00	Roome	43
8.00	Drummer Allen	50	4.00	Casey	42
7.00	Bowman	48	3.50	Wilkinson	30
6.50	Tyers	47	3.00	Doughty	38
6.00	Drum Major Tilley	47	3.00	G. Fluker	38
5.50	Drummer Law	45	2.50	Thrush	35
5.00	Cuthbert	44	2.00	Henderson	31

RANGE PRIZES.

200 yards—1st, \$4, Drummer Tyers, 22; 2nd, \$3, Sergt. Bewley, 21; 3rd, \$2, Corp. Waterhouse, 19.

400 yards—1st, \$5, Sergt. Bewley, 22; 2nd, \$4, Corp. Waterhouse, 19; 3rd, \$3, Drummer Allen, 19.

500 yards—1st, \$5, Drummer Bowman, 17; 2nd, \$4, Sergt. Bewley, 17; 3rd, \$3, Drummer Allen, 16.

The Forty-Third Battalion.

These scores of the annual prize meeting of the 43rd Battalion, held on the 20th and 21st September, were crowded out of last issue:

Maiden match—Open to members who have never won a cash prize at any battalion or larger meeting. 400 yards, 5 shots Snider rifle: Pte. J. Donaldson, 20; Pte. T. Gillen, 13; Sergt. W. Lambkin, 11; Pte. H. Graburn, 10; Pte. J. Delaney, 8; Pte. Lawless, 8; Staff-Sergt. Helmer, 7; Pte. J. T. Cuthbertson, 6; Pte. H. Pittaway, 5; Pte. T. Shepherd, 4; Pte. C. Thicke, 3.

Nursery Match—Open to members who have never won a money prize of \$4 or upwards at any meeting. 500 yards, 5 shots, Snider rifle: Corpl. J. Dowler, 24; Pte. J. Donaldson, 22; Sergt. C. Elkie, 19; Sergt. R. J. Taylor, 18; Corp. J. Battison, 18; Sergt. G. Walker, 16; Pte. H. Pittaway, 16; Pte. J. Clarke, 16; Bandsman G. Lamb, 15; Corp. H. Quinney, 15; Pte. J. T. Cuthbertson, 14; Pte. J. Delaney, 13; Pte. H. Graburn, 13; Pte. Smallwood, 13; Pte. Blatch, 12; Pte. C. Thicke, 11; Pte. T. Shepherd, 9; Sergt. P. J. Clarke, 8.

Wright match—Open to members, 400 and 500 yards, five shots at each range: Col.-Sergt. Fairbairn, 47; Pte. J. D. Taylor, 45; Staff-Sgt. A. Pink, 43; Lt.-Col. Anderson, 42; Lieut. E. D. Sutherland, 42; Lieut. Jamieson, 41; Major J. Wright, 41; Pte. R. Moodie, 41; Pte. C. S. Scott, 40; Col.-Sergt. Boville, 39; Pte. J. H. Ellis, 39; Capt. S. M. Rogers, 38. One 38 counted out.

Second Series—Restricted to members eligible to enter the Nursery: Corp. J. Dowler, 40; Sergt. P. J. Clarke, 38; Corp. H. Quinney, 35; Sergt. R. J. Taylor, 34; Pte. H. Graburn, 32; Sergt. G. Walker, 32. One 32 counted out.

Nursery Team match—Aggregate scores in Nursery and Wright matches of three previously named members of the staff, band or any one company: No. 4 Company—Sergt. C. Elkie, 47; Corp. Dowler, 64; Pte. Graham, 45; total, 156. No. 1 Company (first team)—Sergt. P. J. Clarke, 46; Sergt. R. J. Taylor, 52; Corp. H. Quinney, 50; total, 148. No. 2 Company (first team)—Sergt. Walker, 48; Corp. Battison, 47; Pte. Delaney, 40; total, 135.

Gilmour match—Seven shots at 200 yards, standing, and seven at 500 yards: Major Sherwood, 61; Lieut. Sutherland, 58; Col.-Sergt. Fairbairn, 57; Capt. Rogers, 57; Col.-Sergt. Boville, 57; Lt.-Col. Anderson, 55; Major Wright, 55; Sergt. Heron, 54; Pte. Perkins, 54; Lieut. O'Grady, 54; Lieut. Jamieson, 53; Staff-Sergt. Pink, 53; Pte. Ellis, 53. Second series—Restricted to those eligible to enter in Match No. 2: Corp. J. Dowler, 52; Sergt. Clarke, 52; Sergt. R. J. Taylor, 52; Pte. Donaldson, 39; Sergt. Walker, 38; Pte. Shepherd, 37. Team prizes—Staff team—Lieut.-Col. Anderson, 55; Major Wright, 55; Major Sherwood, 61; Staff-Sergt. Pink, 53; total, 224. No. 1 Co.—Capt. Rogers, 57; Lieut. O'Grady, 54; Lieut. Sutherland, 58; Pte. Ellis, 53; total, 222.

Skirmishing match—Five shots advancing and five retiring at distances between 400 and 100 yards: Sergt. Dial, 33; Col.-Sergt. Fairbairn, 33; Pte. C. S. Scott, 32; Staff-Sergt. Pink, 26; Col.-Sergt. Boville, 26; Pte. L. Perkins, 23; Pte. R. Moodie, 22; Corp. J. Dowler, 21; Corp. H. A. Quinney, 18; Pte. J. Clarke, 18.

ALL COMERS' MATCH—200, 500 AND 900 YARDS, 7 SHOTS.

\$10	Major J. Wright, 43rd	90	\$2	Pte. J. A. Armstrong, Guards	82
8	Sergt. W. Short, Guards	87	1	Lieut. W. A. Jamieson, 43rd	82
6	Pte. C. S. Scott, 43rd	87	1	Capt. B. Bell, 43rd	82
5	Pte. J. Mullen, Guards	87	1	Lt.-Col. W. P. Anderson, 43rd	82
4	Pte. J. H. Ellis, 43rd	86	1	Col.-Sergt. T. C. Boville, 43rd	81
3	Capt. S. M. Rogers, 43rd	86	1	Pte. T. McJanet, 43rd	81
3	Major A. P. Sherwood, 43rd	84	1	Staff-Sergt. A. Pink, 43rd	80
2	Dr. G. Hutchison	83			

The prizes offered for teams of five men each were thus taken: 1st, 43rd Battalion, 1st team, 402; 2nd, Stanley Rifle Association, 400; 3rd, 43rd Battalion, 2nd team, 397. The Stanley Association is an organization of No. 2 company of the Guards.

THE AGGREGATES.

These included the three matches open to the whole battalion, and the prizes in the first series were thus taken:

N.R.A. medal, Major J. Wright	185	\$2	Pte. C. S. Scott	177
D.R.A. silver medal, Maj. Sherwood	182	1	Col.-Sergt. T. C. Boville	177
D.R.A. bronze medal, Capt. Rogers	181	1	Lieut. W. A. Jamieson	176
\$3	Lt.-Col. W. P. Anderson	179		

The second series was open only to those having never before won in a 43rd Battalion aggregate match, and the winners were:

\$3	Pte. J. H. Ellis	178	\$1	Sergt. M. Heron	168
2	Pte. J. D. Taylor	171	1	Sergt. R. J. Taylor	155

The P.Q.R.A. badge and the O. R. A. medal, open respectively to those only who attended the Quebec or Toronto meeting, were won by Major Wright, the scores in the grand aggregate determining the winner.

THE EXTRA SERIES.

500 yards, 5 shots Snider:

Corpl. T. Carroll, Guards	25
Col.-Sergt. J. Fairbairn, 43rd	25
Corpl. D. R. Brown, Guards	24
Pte. J. P. Nutting, Guards	24
Lieut.-Col. W. P. Anderson, 43rd	24
Capt. S. M. Rogers, 43rd	24
Major A. P. Sherwood, 43rd	23
Col.-Sergt. T. C. Boville, 43rd	23
Sergt. W. Short, Guards	23
Lieut. E. D. Sutherland, 43rd	23
Pte. R. Moodie, 43rd	23
Pte. J. D. Taylor, 43rd	23
Pte. J. A. Armstrong, Guards	23
Capt. B. Bell, 43rd	23
Pte. N. Morrison, Guards	23
Staff-Sergt. A. Pink, 43rd	22
Lieut. W. A. Jamieson, 43rd	22
R. N. Slater	22

600 yards, 5 shots Snider or Martini

Lieut. W. A. Jamieson, 43rd	2
Capt. S. M. Rogers, 43rd	24
Staff-Sergt. W. T. Mason, 43rd	23
Lieut.-Col. W. P. Anderson, 43rd	23
Pte. J. P. Nutting, Guards	22
Pte. J. D. Taylor, 43rd	22
Pte. J. H. Ellis, 43rd	22
R. N. Slater	22
Major Sherwood, 43rd	21
W. H. Middleton	21
Pte. C. S. Scott, 43rd	21
D. McMartin	20
Pte. J. E. Hutchison, 43rd	20
Pte. J. A. Armstrong, Guards	20
Tpr. W. E. Cooke, P.L.D.G.	20
Col.-Sergt. Mailleue, Guards	20
Capt. B. Bell, 43rd	20

A pewter mug, offered for the highest aggregate in the two extra series matches, was taken by Capt. Rogers, with 48 points out of 50. Taking everything into consideration the matches passed off very satisfactorily, and financially were quite a success. The working man of the committee in charge was Col.-Sergt. T. C. Boville, who proved himself a model secretary-treasurer.

York County Association.

The annual matches of the York County, N.B., Rifle Association were held on Thursday last, 26th September. It was after four o'clock when the first match for the P.R.A. medal and money prizes was completed, and in order to finish the second before the darkness set in, it was decided to fire only one range, at 400, instead of at 400 and 500 as intended. The wind grew worse as the shooting progressed, shifting from right to left with puzzling irregularity, and on this account the scores are considerably lower than they would otherwise have been.

First Match—P.R.A. medal and money prizes. Ranges, 200, 500 and 600 yards, seven shots at each range.

\$5 and P.R.A. Medal, Capt. Loggie	87	\$2	Sgt. Kearney, I.S.C.	68	
5	Lt. Pinder	83	2	Pte. Burns, I.S.C.	66
4	Lt. McFarlane	80	2	D. Lee Babbitt	66
4	W. L. McFarlane	74	2	Sergt. Walker, I.S.C.	64
3	Lt. Perkins	72	2	Sergt. Long, I.S.C.	62
3	J. M. Chappell	71	1	T. Hollins	62
3	G. W. Hoegg	71	1	Sergt. McDonald, I.S.C.	57
3	Sergt. Fowlie, I.S.C.	71	1	Corpl. Gibbs, I.S.C.	56
3	Lt. Miller	69	1	Lieut. Doherty, I.S.C.	56
2	Lt. Gregory	68	1	Lieut. Richards, R.M.	55

The second match was for the Y.C.R.A. cup, money prizes, and articles contributed by the friends of the association. As stated above only one range was fired—400 yards.

Lt. Gregory, (cup)	33	G. W. Currie	26
Capt. Loggie	30	Pte. Hollins	26
Lt. Pinder	30	Pte. Johnson	26
Maj. Lipsett	30	E. A. Morris	25
Pte. Burns	29	Lt. Doherty	25
B. Lemont	28	J. M. Chappell	25
Lt. Johnson	28	Pte. Colwell	24
Sgt. Fowlie	28	W. L. McFarlane	24
Lt. McFarlane	26	Pte. Gibb	24
Sgt. Walker	26	Lt. Perkins	24

The above match was also a team match, the competitors being from the 71st Battalion, the Royal School of Infantry and the Reserve Militia. For this the first prize, presented by Lieut. Gregory, was won by the 71st Battalion team with 133 points; and the second, presented by Lieut. McFarlane, by the R.S.I. team with 127 points.

In the grand aggregate the winners were:—

Capt. Loggie, D.R.A. Silver Medal. 117	Maunsell..... 106
Lt. Pinder, D.R.A. Bronze Medal.. 113	Lt. Gregory, prize by Capt. Loggie.. 101
Lt. McFarlane, prize by Lt.-Col.	Sgt. Fowlie, prize by Lt. Perkins... 98

The York county challenge cup was won again by the team from the 74th Batt., this time by default, as no other competitors appeared. However, the 74th team shot over the range and made the excellent average of 83 per man.

Ottawa Rifle Club.

Regular spoon competition held on Rideau range, 14th September. Martini rifles, 200, 500 and 600 yards, 7 shots.

T. C. Boville (sp 1st cls.) 31 31 28 90	J. H. Ellis..... 32 33 20 85
Lieut. W. A. Jamieson.. 29 32 28 89	W. G. Dial..... 30 31 22 83
Lt. J. W. de C. O'Grady 31 30 28 89	W. E. Cooke..... 26 29 27 82
Lieut. E. D. Sutherland. 32 26 28 86	J. P. Nutting..... 28 29 25 82
G. A. Mailleue(sp 2 cls.) 29 30 26 85	Lt.-Col. W. P. Anderson 30 28 24 82

Competition held on 21st September, Snider rifle:

Maj. J. Wright (sp. 1st cls.) 32 25 32 89	T. McJanet..... 31 27 23 81
C. S. Scott, (sp. 2nd cls.).. 32 29 26 87	A. Pink..... 30 28 22 80
J. H. Ellis..... 29 30 27 86	G. A. Mailleue..... 28 24 27 79
Capt. S. M. Rogers..... 31 30 25 86	J. E. Hutcheson..... 30 28 21 79
Maj. A. P. Sherwood..... 30 31 23 84	Lieut. J. W. de C. O'Grady. 30 28 21 79
Dr. G. Hutchison..... 29 27 27 83	J. D. Taylor..... 27 29 22 78
Lieut. W. A. Jamieson.... 29 28 25 82	T. Carroll..... 30 27 21 78
Lt.-Col. W. P. Anderson.. 28 30 24 82	J. P. Nutting..... 26 28 23 77
T. C. Boville..... 30 28 23 81	Horace Pratt, (sp. 3rd cls.) 26 25 25 76

Competition held on 28th September, Martini rifle:

Geo. A. Mailleue (spoon 2nd class)..... 28 32 31 91	Lieut. E. D. Sutherland. 30 32 24 86
J. H. Ellis (sp. 1st cls.) . 26 32 32 90	Major J. Wright..... 34 28 23 85
Capt. S. M. Rogers..... 31 29 28 88	Lt.-Col. W. P. Anderson 31 25 27 83
Major A. P. Sherwood.. 30 29 28 87	F. W. Smith..... 32 28 22 82
Major H. F. Perley..... 28 26 32 86	C. S. Scott..... 28 27 26 81
Lieut. W. A. Jamieson.. 27 29 30 86	W. G. Dial (sp 3rd cls.) . 28 29 24 81
	W. McKay (sp. 3rd cls.) . 29 28 23 80

The winners of the aggregate prizes, for the four best Martini scores, the five best Snider, and the grand aggregate of these two, were:

Snider—1st class, J. E. Hutcheson, 433 (Capt. Rogers' prize); 2nd class, J. H. Ellis, 395 (club dessert spoon); 3rd class, C. S. Scott, 395 (club dessert spoon).

Martini—1st class, Capt. S. M. Rogers, 351 (Major Perley's prize); 2nd class, J. H. Ellis, 348 (Major Sherwood's prize); 3rd class, C. S. Scott, 317 (Dr. Hutchison's prize).

Grand Aggregate—1st class, Major J. Wright, 765; 2nd class, J. H. Ellis, 743; 3rd class, C. S. Scott, 712. These have choice, in order given, of the D.R.A. silver and bronze medals and the O.R.A. medal.

The competition of the 28th September was the last on the club's regular programme for the season, but an extra match has been arranged for Saturday, 5th October.

THE FOOT GUARDS.

Capt. Bate's company, No. 4, of the Governor-General's Foot Guards, held their class firing last week at the Rideau rifle range. The company voted \$65 out of the funds for prizes. Capt. Bate gave \$10 and a silver mounted horn cup, and Lieut. Lambe and Lieut. Jarvis gave \$5 each. Staff Sergt. H. Cawdron, Sergt. R. Reardon and Corpl. T. Carroll were handicapped 10 per cent, and Sergt. W. Church and Lance-Corpl. Royer 5 per cent. Following are the scores:

\$8 and "Bate" cup, Colour-Sergt. H. Cairns..... 68	\$2 Pte. Long..... 30
6 and Beaker cup. L.-Cpl. S. Cairns 63	2 Pte. Hurtibus..... 27
5 and medal, Sergt. D. Behan 59	1 Corpl. McCullough..... 26
5 Pte. J. Walker..... 59	1 Pte. R. Fragan..... 23
5 Sergt. R. Reardon..... 63	1 Pte. Romhilt..... 22
4 Lance-Corpl. Boyer..... 59	1 Pte. Wotty..... 22
4 Sergt. H. Cawdron..... 63	1 Pte. McCracken..... 21
3 Corpl. T. Carroll..... 62	1 Pte. Boese..... 19
3 Sergt. W. Church..... 55	1 Pte. McNeil..... 19
3 Corpl. May..... 45	1 Pte. S. Walker..... 18
2 Pte. Ingram..... 44	1 Pte. Peters..... 15
2 Lance-Corpl. Brown..... 41	1 Pte. Stork..... 15
2 Quartermaster Sergt. Greenfield . 34	1 Pte. Desloges..... 13
2 Pte. F. Fragan..... 34	1 Pte. Watts..... 13
2 Pte. R. Ring..... 32	1 Pte. Derenzy..... 11
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The D. R. A. Team Matches.

Owing to lack of space in the issue containing the prize lists of the Dominion rifle meeting the interesting details of the scores of the several team competitions had to be omitted. As shooting men will be interested in the composition of the teams, the individual scores and range totals, they are given now:—

Minister of Militia Match.

With the first cash prize in this match, which is for association teams of three, there goes the challenge cup presented by Sir A. P. Caron, Minister of Militia. This cup has been competed for annually since 1884, and hitherto has always been captured by an Ontario team.

1. 6th Fusiliers—Cup and \$45.	500 600 T'1	2. Sherbrooke Rifle Association—\$36	500 600 T'1
Sgt. Riddle..... 31 23 54		Lt. Spearing..... 33 22 55	
Sgt. Lavers..... 26 27 53		Maj. Thomas..... 23 29 52	
Pte. Waters..... 27 25 52		S.-Sgt. Clarke..... 29 21 50	
Total..... 84 75 159		Total..... 85 72 157	
3. 10th Royal Grenadiers—\$30.		4. 13th Battalion—\$24.	
Pte. Simpson..... 26 34 60		Sgt. Goodwin..... 28 27 55	
S.-Sgt. T. Mitchell..... 26 23 49		Corpl. Marris..... 31 21 52	
S.-Sgt. McVittie..... 26 20 46		Lt. Margetts..... 22 22 44	
Total..... 78 77 155		Total..... 81 70 151	
5. 43rd Battalion—\$18		6. 12th Battalion—\$12.	
Maj. Wright..... 26 26 52		S.-Sgt. Bell..... 28 26 54	
Col.-Sgt. Fairbairn..... 23 26 49		S. Sgt. Ronan..... 27 24 51	
Lt.-Col. Anderson..... 32 17 49		Pte. Thompson..... 19 25 44	
Total..... 81 69 150		Total..... 74 75 149	

Next in order.

Nova Scotia Prov Assn..... 81 64 145	3rd Vics..... 75 65 140
Hamilton Snider Assn..... 73 71 144	Prince Edward Island..... 69 69 138
63rd Bn..... 78 66 144	Queen's Own Rifles..... 71 65 136
Victoria Rifle Club, Hamilton. 78 65 143	Halifax Gar. Art..... 73 62 135
59th Bn..... 74 68 142	Allan Rifle Assn., Toronto. . 74 57 131
45th Bn..... 81 61 142	No. 1 Co. 43rd Bn..... 73 55 128
Bowmanville Rifle Assn..... 77 64 141	Metropolitan Rifle Assn..... 69 56 125
Ottawa Rifle Club..... 73 68 141	1st P. W. R..... 76 49 125

DOMINION OF CANADA MATCH.

In this match, in which the teams consist of five members of any corps, each member of the first team receives a badge as well as participating in the cash prize won:

1. 62nd Fusiliers—Badges and \$60.	2. 71st Battalion—\$50.
Col.-Sgt. Henderson... 32 29 25 86	Sgt. Miner..... 29 26 29 84
Lt. Manning..... 33 29 22 84	Lt. Gregory..... 28 31 24 83
Pte. A. Langstroth..... 29 29 25 83	Lt. Perkins..... 29 22 26 77
Capt. Thompson..... 25 27 20 72	Lt. Miller..... 29 28 19 76
Lt. S. B. Lordly..... 29 28 12 69	Lt. McFarlane..... 29 25 19 73
Total..... 148 142 104 394	Total..... 144 132 117 393
3. Queen's Own Rifles—\$40.	4. 13th Battalion—\$30.
Capt. Macdonald..... 32 32 22 86	Corpl. Marris..... 33 28 26 87
Pte. McNeill..... 31 31 20 82	Sgt. Goodwin..... 30 24 25 79
Sgt. Crooks..... 27 22 27 76	Capt. Zealand..... 31 21 26 78
Corpl. Duncan..... 30 25 20 75	Capt. Ross..... 28 24 20 72
Sgt. Kennedy..... 29 23 20 72	Lieut. Margetts..... 31 18 18 67
Total..... 149 133 109 391	Total..... 153 115 115 383
5. 10th Royal Grenadiers—\$20.	Sgt. Jack..... 30 24 18 72
S.-Sgt. Mitchell..... 30 29 28 87	Capt. Bruce..... 26 26 12 64
S.-Sgt. McVittie..... 29 28 26 83	
Pte. Simpson..... 32 31 10 73	Total..... 147 138 94 379

Next in order.

43rd Batt..... 150 132 96 378	45th Batt..... 148 131 93 372
6th Fus..... 145 127 105 377	82nd Batt..... 141 126 103 370
Halifax Gar. Art..... 143 124 108 375	G.G.F.G..... 136 116 116 368
56th Batt..... 148 125 102 375	63rd Bn..... 139 112 112 363
3rd Vics..... 145 117 112 374	47th Batt..... 148 106 108 362
Charlottetown Eng's.. 137 126 111 374	96th Batt..... 139 96 92 327
5th Royal Scots..... 148 117 108 373	59th Batt..... 121 89 97 307
12th Batt..... 145 113 114 372	

The Lansdowne Challenge Cup.

This is a match instituted in 1888, and is for the aggregate of scores of teams of five men in those matches in the grand aggregate not restricted to the military. It consisted of 7 shots at 200 yards standing; 14 at 500 yards, and 7 at 600 yards with the Snider; and 14 shots at 600 yards with the Martini. The cup was taken in 1888 by the New Brunswick Provincial team with a total of 798, and the fifth prize was taken with 769 points. Then the seven shots per man, or thirty-five per team, fired with the Snider this year at 600 yards, were fired at 400, so that the scoring is really better this year, though the totals are less. An entirely new set of teams figure in the prize list this year, except that the Sherbrooke Rifle Association figures on both occasions, having taken second place last year. Below will be found details of the scores of all the teams whose cards were returned to the statistical office:

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To act as 2nd Lieutenant, E. Snowdon.

No. 4 Drill Co.—To act as Captain, J. C. Beers.

To act as Lieutenant, Joon Shaw.

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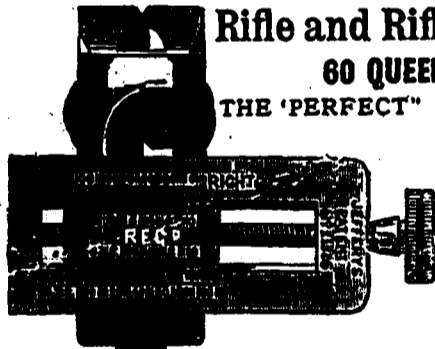
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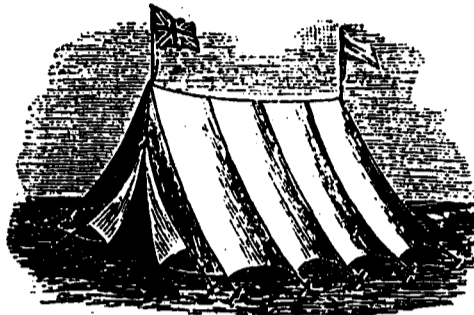
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