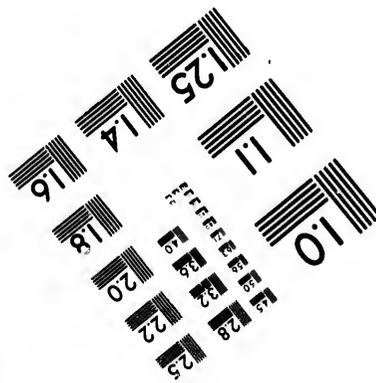
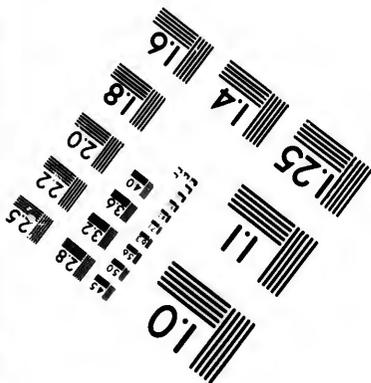
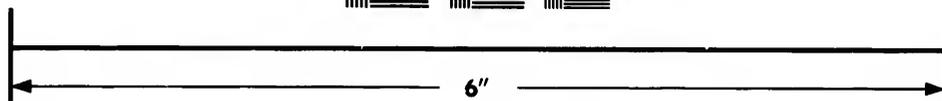
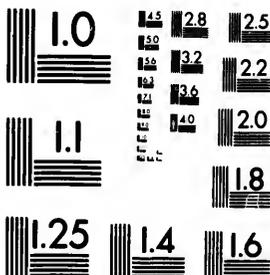


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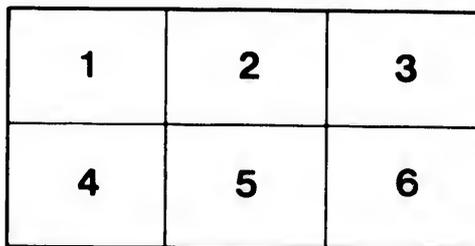
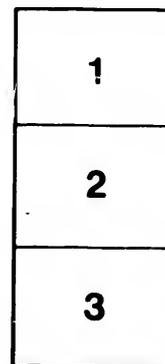
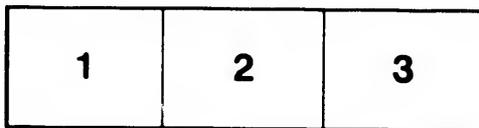
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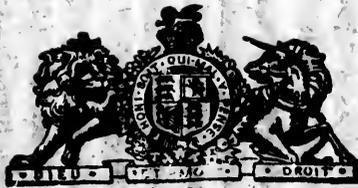
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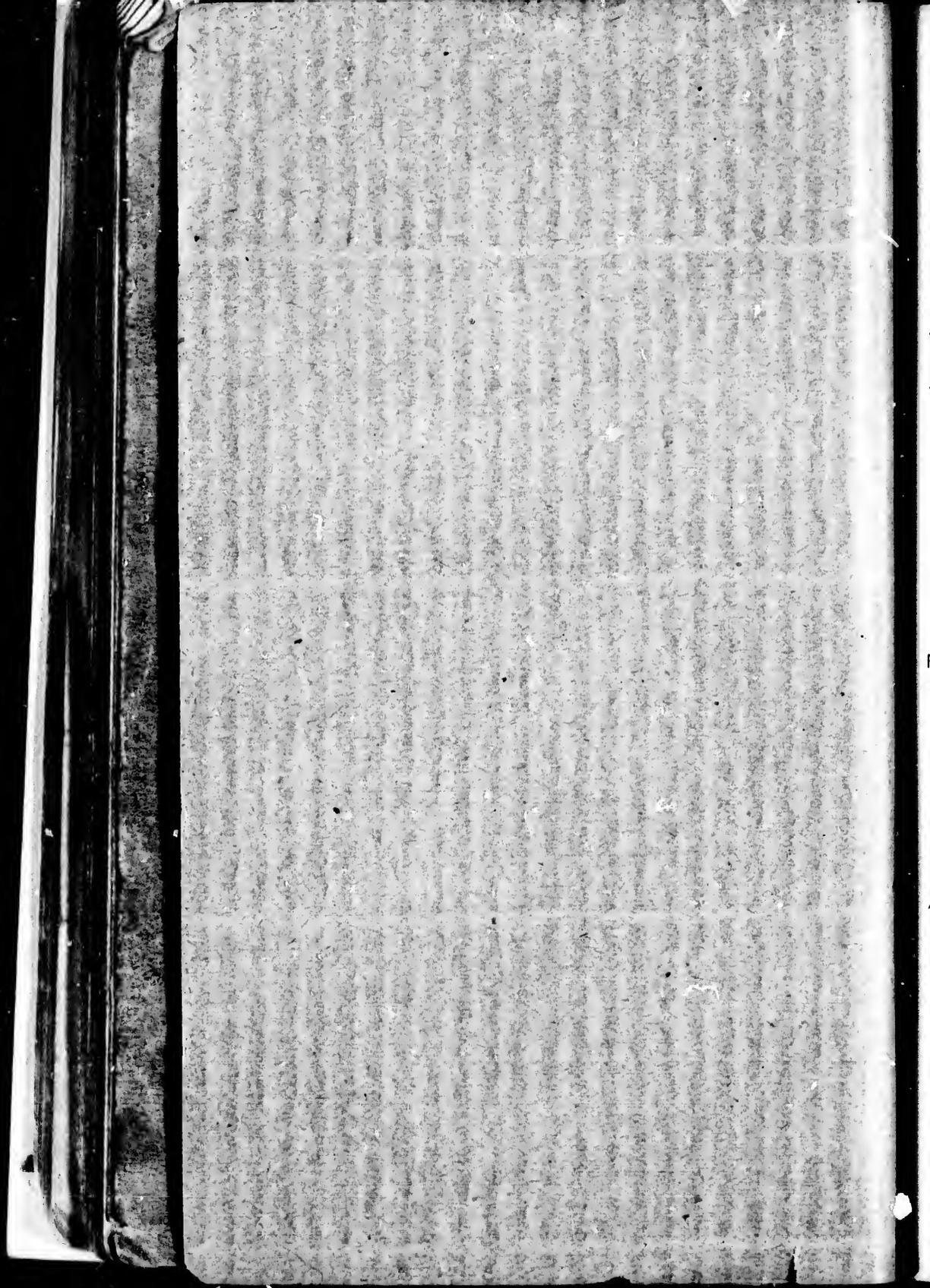


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TIME TABLE B. C. R. A. MATCHES

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THURSDAY, JULY 30TH.

9:30 to 10:00 a.m. . . . Extra Series. 200 yards
 10:00 to 10:30 a.m. . . . Extra Series. 500 yards
 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. . . . Nursery 500 yards
 11:30 to 12:00 m. . . . Extra Series 600 yards
 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. . . . Luncheon.
 1:00 to 5:30 p.m. . . . Helmcken Match. . . . 200, 500, 600 yards
 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. . . . Extra Series 500 yards

FRIDAY, JULY 31ST.

8:30 to 9:00 a.m. . . . Extra Series. 200 yards
 9:00 to 12:00 m. . . . Nanaimo Match. . . . 200 and 500 yards
 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. . . . Luncheon.
 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. . . . Victoria Corp'n Match. . . . 400, 600 yds
 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. . . . Lieut.-Governor's Match. . . . 500 yards

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1ST.

8:30 to 1:00 p.m. . . . Walker Match. . . . 200, 500, 600 yards
 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. . . . Luncheon.
 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. . . . Vancouver Corp'n Match. . . . 600 yards
 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. . . . Extra Series 600 yards
 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. . . . Ottawa Team Match.

Throughout the meeting, Extra Series will be fired simultaneously with the regular matches, as targets become available.

No. 1. M. P. P. STAKES—NURSERY.

(For prizes presented by members of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia.)

Restricted to competitors who have not at any previous meeting of the B. C. R. A. won a prize of \$3.00 or more, exclusive of Extra Series prizes 500 yards; 7 shots. Entrance fee, 50 cents.

1st Prize.....		\$ 5 00
2nd "		4 00
3rd "		3 00
Two Prizes of \$2.50.....		5 00
Three " 2.00		6 00
Seven " 1 00.....		7 00

Fifteen Prizes, value.....\$30 00

No. 2. HELMCKEN MATCH.

200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range. Entrance fee, 50 cents.

1st Prize.....	*Dorothy Medal, Cup and	\$ 10 00
2nd "		10 00
3rd "		8 00
4th "		7 00
Two Prizes of \$6.00.		12 00
Two " 5.00.....		10 00
Three " 4.00.....		12 00
Five " 3 00.....		15 00
Eight " 2.00.....		16 00

Twenty-four Cash Prizes, value ...\$100 00

* Medal presented annually by Mr. H. Dallas Helmcken, Q. C., M. P. P. The Cup, presented by Hon. C. F. Cornwall, when Lieutenant-Governor, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice in succession. Winner in 1895, Mr. W. W. B. McInnes, Nanaimo.

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No. 3. NANAIMO MATCH.

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1st Prize	*Cup and \$	8 00
2nd "		7 00
3rd "		6 00
4th "		5 00
Two Prizes of \$4.00.		8 00
Four " 3.00.		12 00
Four " 2.50.		10 00
Seven " 2.00.		14 00

Twenty-one Cash Prizes, value. . . \$70 00

* The Cup, presented by the Mayor and Council of Nanaimo, to be won twice in succession before becoming the property of any competitor. Winner in 1895, Gunner J. H. Sharpe, New Westminster, with 60 points.

No. 4. VICTORIA CORPORATION MATCH

400 and 600 yards; seven shots at each range. Entrance fee, 50 cents.

1st Prize	*Cup and \$	8 00
2nd "		8 00
3rd "		6 00
4th "		5 00
Three Prizes of \$4.00		12 00
Four " 3.00.		12 00
Six " 2.50.		15 00
Five " 2.00.		10 00

Twenty-two Cash Prizes, value. . . . \$76 00

* The Cup, presented by the Corporation of Victoria in 1893, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice. Winner in 1893, Lieut. J. C. Chamberlin, R. L.; in 1894, Gunner R. J. Butler, 5th Regt. C. A.; in 1895, Gr. W. J. Sloan, 5th Regt. C. A.

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No. 5. LIEUT.-GOVERNOR'S MATCH.

500 yards; 10 shots. Entrance fee, 50 cents.

1st Prize.....	*Nelson Cup and	\$ 8 00
2nd "		7 00
3rd "		6 00
4th "		5 00
Two Prizes of \$4.00.....		8 00
Four " 3.00.....		12 00
Four " 2.50.....		10 00
Seven " 2.00.....		14 00

Twenty-one Cash Prizes, value.....\$70 00

* The Cup, presented by Mrs. Nelson, wife of the former Lieutenant-Governor, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice in succession. Winner in 1895, Gr. J. H. Sharpe, with 47 points.

THE WALKER MATCH.

For Cups worth \$275 presented by Hiram Walker & Sons, Limited, of Walkerville, Ont., and \$150 in cash added by the British Columbia Rifle Association. 200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range; any British service rifle.

No. 6. TEAM PRIZES.

Open to teams of six previously named members representing any Company, Association or Club,

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or Her Majesty's Regular Forces. Any number of teams may enter from the same organization. Entrance fee per team, \$3.00.

1st Prize.....	*Walker Trophy and	\$18 00
2nd "		15 00
3rd "		12 00
4th "		5 00
Four Cash Prizes, value.....		\$50 00

* The Trophy (value \$250) presented in 1896, to be the property of the organization winning it oftenest in five years; or in the event of a tie at the end of five years, the organizations tying to fire a deciding match at the next ensuing prize meeting of this association.

NO. 7. INDIVIDUAL PRIZES.

Open to all comers. Entrance fee, \$1.

1st Prize.....	*Walker Prize and	\$ 12 00
2nd "		10 00
3rd "		8 00
4th "		7 00
5th "		6 00
Two Prizes of \$5.00.....		10 00
Two " 4.00.....		8 00
Four " 3.00.....		12 00
Six " 2.50.....		15 00
Six " 2.00.....		12 00

Twenty-five Cash Prizes, value....\$100 00

* A Prize (value \$25) presented annually by Hiram Walker & Sons., Limited, of Walkerville, Ont., to be the property of the highest scorer in this match who is a member of one of the competing teams.

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No. 8. VANCOUVER CORPORATION MATCH.

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3rd	“	6 00
4th	“	5 00
Two Prizes of \$4.00.	8 00
Four	“ 3.00.....	12 00
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Six	“ 2.00.....	12 00

Twenty-two Cash Prizes, value.....\$74 00

* The Cup, presented by the Corporation of Vancouver in 1896, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice.

No. 9. MILITIA AGGREGATE.

Restricted to “efficient” members of the Active Militia of No. 11 District. For the aggregate of scores of the 500 and 600 yards ranges of the matches included in the Grand Aggregate. Entrance fee, 50 cents.

1st Prize D. R. A. Silver Medal and	\$3 00
2nd	“	3 00
3rd	“	3 00
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Six Cash Prizes, value.....\$15 50

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GRAND AGGREGATE.

For the aggregate of scores of Matches Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8. Entrance fee, \$1.00; for persons entered in the Nursery, 50c. Senior and Junior Series.

NO. 10. SENIOR SERIES.

1st Prize B. C. R. A. Gold Badge and	\$ 4 00
2nd	“ “ Silver “	4 00
3rd	“	4 00
4th	“	3 00
Five Prizes of \$2.00	10 00

Nine Cash Prizes, value \$25 00

NO. 11. JUNIOR SERIES.

Restricted to competitors who have not won a prize in the Senior Series, and who have never won a place on a Provincial team for Ottawa.

1st Prize	\$ 5 00
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No. 12. LAURIE BUGLE MATCH.

Open to one or more teams of five members from any Company of the Active Militia of No. 11 District. For the aggregate of scores in Matches included in the Grand Aggregate. Entrance fee, per team, \$2.50. Entries must be made before the commencement of firing in March 2.

The names of members constituting the teams must be handed in before 1.30 p.m. of the second day of the prize meeting.

One Prize.....*The Laurie Bugle

* The Bugle, presented by Lieutenant-General Laurie, formerly D. A. G. of this District, to be held by the winning team for the year ensuing.

No. 13. TEAM AGGREGATE.

Open to one or more teams of five previously named members, representing any Company, Association or Club, or Her Majesty's Regular Forces. For the aggregate of scores in the Matches included in the Grand Aggregate. Entrance fee, per team, \$2.50.

1st Prize.....	\$ 15 00
2nd ".....	10 00
3rd ".....	5 00
Three Prizes, value	<u>\$30 00</u>

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No. 14. OTTAWA TEAM MATCH.

Restricted to the twenty competitors being (1) "efficient" members of the Active Militia of No. 11 District, or (2) civilians resident in Nanaimo, whose scores in the Grand Aggregate Match shall be the highest. 600, 500 and 200 yards; 7 shots. Entrance fee, \$1.00.

The team to represent the Province of British Columbia at Ottawa at the prize meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association for 1896, will be selected by the Council from the above described Twenty, who will be called upon in the order of the aggregates of their scores in the Grand Aggregate and in the Ottawa Team Match combined. Not more than two civilians qualifying as above to be selected.

The medal of the National Rifle Association for 1896, to be awarded to the competitor standing highest in the last named combined aggregate, who first goes to a prize meeting at Bisley.

EXTRA SERIES.

No. 15, 200 yards; No. 16, 500 yards; No. 17, 600 yards. Five shots; no sighting shot. Entrance fee in each series, 50 cents.

Prize list for each series to consist of the following percentages of entry fees:

1st Prize	20	per cent
2nd	"	15	"
3rd	"	12½	"
4th	"	10	"
Two Prizes of 7½ per cent	15	"
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This meeting of the Association will be conducted under the direction of an Executive Committee to be named by the Council.

Competitors must make themselves fully acquainted with the Regulations, as also with the conditions of any Match for which they may have entered, as in no case will the plea of ignorance be entertained.

They must refer to the Notice Board Morning and Afternoon, to ascertain whether orders have been issued altering the original detail of the shooting, or affecting them in any way.

REGULATIONS.

MEMBERSHIP. All competitions included in the Grand Aggregate, except the Walker, No 7, (which is open to all comers) are restricted to Members of the British Columbia Rifle Association who have paid the membership fee of \$2.00 for 1896; and to persons eligible for the Nursery Match who have paid the sum of \$1.00, which will be accepted from them in lieu of membership fee. The full amount of \$2.00 must be paid to secure the right to vote. Extra Series matches are open to all comers.

RIFLES. The rifles used in these competitions shall be Martini-Henry, except in the Walker Match, in which the use of any British service rifle will be permitted.

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POSITION. Any with head to the target at all ranges, except 200 yards, where the position shall be either standing or kneeling, or as specified for any particular match.

DRESS. Competitors entered as militiamen must wear proper uniform; but belts need not be worn, and for other headwear havelocks may be substituted.

ENTRIES. Entries for the Nursery Match and for all individual matches included in the Grand Aggregate should be sent to the Treasurer of the Association, Captain Dorman, P.O. Box 26, Victoria, on or before Tuesday, 28th July. All entries made after that date for such matches will be subject to an additional charge of 20 per cent. of the entry fee. The Treasurer will issue entry forms to intending competitors on application. Entries for Team Matches and for the Aggregates, may be made either previous to the commencement of the meeting or on the range. Entries for the Aggregates must be made before one p.m. on the first day of the meeting. In team competitions, unless otherwise specified, names of members must be handed in before firing commences.

EFFICIENCY. Certificates of efficiency, signed by their commanding officers, must be produced when required, by competitors entering as militiamen.

“Efficiency” shall mean, in the case of a commissioned officer, one in good standing in his corps; in the case of a N. C. O. or private, one who has attended and performed at least twelve (12) regular parades of his corps since the 1st January, 1896, or not less than fifty per cent. of drills ordered.

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SIGHTING SHOTS. One sighting shot will be allowed at each range; tickets ten cents each.

CHALLENGES. Any competitor challenging a shot must deposit the sum of fifty cents with the Range Officer, which shall be forfeited if, after examination, no shot is found on the target.

In cases not provided for as above, the D. R. A. Rules for 1895 shall be followed.

The Council reserve the right to make any changes in the published Prize List or Regulations that may be considered advisable, but due notice of any change will be posted on the notice board.

Tents and blankets will be provided on the range for the use of competitors.

E. H. FLETCHER, CAPT.,
Hon. Secretary.

N. B.—The Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Association will be held on the second day of the Prize Meeting, at such time and place as may be notified by the Secretary.

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