

# CHAPTER VIII

## THE WORK OF THE MARKSMEN



**HISTORY** of the Thirteenth would be incomplete without a reference, however brief, to the individual shooting of the men who have made the battalion famous for its marksmanship. Thirty-seven years have elapsed since its formation, and it is possible that in our reference to individual marksmen, some may be omitted.

The fathers of the shooting element of the battalion were undoubtedly Capt. Henery, then Adjutant, and Privates Geo. Murison, Donald Nicholson, James Adam, Thomas Freeborn, Joseph Mason and F. Schwartz. For nearly two generations and assisted the younger shots, and the proud position that the battalion occupies to-day may be traced back to the efforts of

these early pioneers in rifle shooting. Through their encouragement and assistance, teams were sent to the first meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association at Laprairie in 1868, and of the Ontario Rifle Association at Toronto in 1869.

These teams included Corp. John Brass, who won Major General Stisted's cup at Toronto, and Corp. J. McArthur, Lieut. J. J. Mason, Privates Wyatt, Rice and Gilkison, as well as Lieuts. Herbert Marsh, John Little (battalion champion 1867) and the Hilton brothers.

The Victoria Rifle Club, of Hamilton, which had its organization about the same time as the Thirteenth, and which was the forerunner of all the rifle clubs in the province, materially encouraged the battalion in its rifle practice.

For many years, Pte. Geo. Murison occupied a prominent place in shooting circles: He won the championship at Laprairie in 1868, and the small-bore championship at Toronto in 1870, and from that time up to his retirement from the battalion his name appears frequently in prominent positions in the prize lists, both of the Dominion and the Ontario Rifle Associations.

Private Jos. Mason had a long and brilliant career as a small-bore shot, year after year either winning the championship or coming within reasonable distance of it. He won the battalion championship in 1879, and, with Private Schwartz, was on the International teams of 1880 and 1882.

Pte. (afterwards Captain) Adam's name also appears with practically equal prominence in the prize lists, in 1868 at Laprairie, and in 1869 at Toronto, while in 1873 he won the small-bore championship in the latter corn-

petition. He was also champion shot of the Thirteenth in 1869, 1875 and 1877, and won the small-bore championship at Creedmoor, New York. For many years his name appears in the prize lists at the D. R. A. and O. R. A. matches.

In 1869 and 1870 the famous Mitchell brothers first appeared upon the scene, John, David and William, and, subsequently, Thomas, Coulson and George. The latter, though hardly able to hold a rifle, won the Turner Cup when a bugler in No. 1 Company. David Mitchell won the battalion championship in 1872, 1874, 1880, 1884, 1886 and 1891, a record not equalled by any other member of the battalion. In addition to this, he has been on the Wimbledon and Bisley teams many times, won the Macdougall Cup at the D. R. A. matches in 1875, has won the Grand Aggregate at Ottawa on more than one occasion, was on the International team of 1882, and in all the prize lists, both at Ottawa and Toronto, has been well to the front.

This may also be said of his brothers, and though, as to three of them, other battalions have now the benefit of their skill—Lieut. Mitchell being with the Thirty-second, Captain T. Mitchell with the Twelfth, and Capt. Coulson Mitchell with the Ninetieth—yet it is a matter of pride that the shooting qualities of this famous band of brothers originated in the Thirteenth. All have shot brilliantly at tints, having won the Governor-General's prize on more than one occasion, but David Mitchell may probably be looked upon as at all times the most reliable member of the sextette, this honor being possibly shared by his brother Thomas. They have always been on the Battalion, Association and Company teams. Lieut. W. Mitchell won the Prince of Wales' prize in 1882, and was on the International team of 1880; John won the battalion championship as late as 1894, and Thomas in 1873 and 1876.

Another family of brothers appeared as members of the battalion somewhere about 1868 or 1869—Gilbert, Robert and James Omand and they for many years helped materially in keeping up the shooting record of the battalion besides winning numerous prizes at the meetings of the several rifle associations.

In 1872 the Seventy-seventh Battalion was formed, and the Thirteenth lost such good shots as Ashbury, English, (battalion champion 1868) and Easterbrook, who had done well as members of No. 8 Company of the Thirteenth.

In 1872 two well known names, amongst others, represented the Thirteenth in the battalion matches at Toronto Colonel Gibson and Lieut. Pain. Colonel Gibson had practised regularly and assiduously, and, in that year commenced a career that was almost phenomenal, both with respect to military as well as small-bore rifle shooting. For fifteen years his name appears as a member of the battalion team, and in the meantime he won many first prizes, including the Prince of Wales' prize, at Wimbledon, in 1879, with a record score for the Snider rifle. He, on more than one occasion, won the small-bore championship at Toronto, and he was also a member of the International Team of 1880.

Lieut. Pain, the present efficient Musketry Instructor of the battalion, has also distinguished himself at home and abroad, both with the military and match rifle. He has been on the teams of the Thirteenth for many years, won the battalion championship in 1878, and was a member of both International teams. His services to the battalion, and to the Canadian Military Rifle League, of which he is 'Secretary, have been invaluable.

Major Mason, who has been Secretary of the Thirteenth Battalion Rifle Association from its organization up to the present time, and who was present at the first meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association at Laprairie, and the Ontario Rifle Association at Toronto, has also contributed to the success of the Thirteenth teams, both by his own shooting and by assistance rendered by him to other members of the battalion. In 1870 he won the battalion championship, and in 1872 the small-bore championship at Toronto, and for about twenty years was a member of the battalion teams, both at Toronto and Ottawa. He, with Lt.-Col. Gibson, Capt. Adam and Sgt. D. Mitchell, was for three years a member of the team which, after a keen contest, finally won the London Merchants' Cup at Toronto in 1880, it having to be won three times consecutively before becoming permanent property.

In 1877 Sergt. Henry Marris commenced a brilliant career by winning two first prizes at Toronto. In 1882 he won the three aggregates at Toronto, a feat which, like that of Surgeon-Lieut. Bertram at Bisley, has perhaps never been equalled. He won the battalion championship in 1888 and 1892 ; in 1891 he won the Carrington Cup at Wimbledon, and on several occasions at Ottawa he occupied high places both in the Governor-General's Match and the Grand Aggregate. He has been many times on the Wimbledon and Bisley teams, and has helped more than once to win the Kolapore Cup.

Lieut. Geo. Margetts came to the front in 1879 and maintained a position on the battalion team until his transfer to the Twenty-fifth Battalion, Elgin. He was on the International team in 1882, was a reliable shot and always ready to assist his brother riflemen in their competitions.

In 1881 Major F. B. Ross first distinguished himself by winning the battalion championship, a feat which he repeated in 1883 and 1890.

About this time Sgt. W. M. Goodwin joined the battalion, and was prominently connected with all the teams, both battalion and company, up to the time of his transfer to the Seventh Fusiliers of London. He was a member of the team that assisted in defeating that from the United States in 1882, and was on the Kolapore Cup Team in 1884. In 1887 he won the Elkington Cup at Toronto. He was equally at home with both the match rifle and military weapon.

Two other members of the battalion were of great assistance during this period, Sergt. Oliver Hancock, a well known member of No. 2 Company, and Staff-Sergt. W. H. Clarke, previously a member of the Queen's Own Rifles.

In 1884 Pte. Harry Graham, an enthusiastic rifleman, won the battalion championship, and attended all the prize meetings for some years.

In 1885 the Murdoch brothers—George and Andrew—became proficient shots, and on many an occasion assisted the Thirteenth in winning a victory.

In 1887 the battalioni championship was won by Pte. J. R. Adam, a son of Capt. Adam, who gave promise of becoming a brilliant shot, and whose retirement from the battalion, after a short service, was greatly regretted.

In 1889 Major Zealand won the battalion championship, and his name runs concurrently with that of Major Ross through all the prize lists of the D. R. A. for many years.

Of later years one of the most prominent shots of the Thirteenth has been Color-Sergt. Skedden, who has had a marvellous career since his first appearance in 1890, having won numerous prizes at Toronto, Ottawa, Wimbledon and Bisley. He holds the record for tie shooting at Bisley, having had to make eighteen consecutive bulls-eyes in order to win the Daily Graphic Cup ; won the Governor-General's gold medal at Ottawa this year (1899); holds battalion championship, and is probably the best all-round shot now in the battalion.

Did space permit, we could give the names of a host of others who, both in the past and in recent years, have by their skill contributed to the successful career of the Thirteenth as a shooting regiment. Amongst them are Col.-Sgt. Thomas Mitchell (battalion championship 1893 and 1898); Sergt. D. Garson (battalion championship 1896); Staff-Sergt. T. H. Hayhurst, G. M., winner of the Prince of Wales' Prize in 1889 and the Queen's in 1897, and was battalion champion in the same year ; Sergt. Major Huggins (battalion championship 1896) ; Lieut. W. L. Ross, who made such a gallant fight for the Queen's Prize in 1897 ; Sergts. F. S. Morison, C. W. Spencer, W. Will, H. McNeilly, E. R. Marshall and A. Miller, Lieut. R. A. Robertson and Capt. J. H. Herring. Lieut. A. Robertson, now of the Seventy-seventh, was for some years a popular and valuable member of the Thirteenth teams.

We must not omit a special reference to Surgeon-Lieut. Bertram, of the Seventy-seventh, whose career at Bisley this year was of a marvellous character, and who most justly won the admiration of all shooting men for his wonderful shooting there. He was originally a member of the Thirteenth, with which battalion he was prominently identified until his transfer to the Seventy-seventh. No man in Canada has won greater honors or carried them more modestly than Surgeon-Lieut. Bertram. He was champion shot of the Thirteenth in 1895.

Such a record as this can scarcely be excelled, and will be undeniably hard to maintain. But whatever emergency the coming years may bring, we may rest assured that with an officer of such recognized ability and energy as Lieut.-Colonel McLaren in command, supported by the present efficient body of officers and non-commissioned officers, it will find the Thirteenth true to its motto " SEMPER PARATUS."

# LIST OF OFFICERS

WHO HAVE SERVED IN THE THIRTEENTH BATTALION OF INFANTRY,  
AND THE DATES OF THE OFFICIAL GAZETTES  
CONCERNING THEM.

- The Hon. Isaac Buchanan, Lieut.-Col. Nov. 28th, 1862. Retired Dec. 30th, 1864.
- t Alfred Booker, Lieut.-Col. Hamilton Field Battery, April 23rd, 1857. Lieut.-Colonel 13th Batt., Jan. 27th, 1865. Retired from command of 13th Batt. Aug. 10th, 1866. Retired, retaining rank as commandant of Hamilton, June 14th, 1867.
- t James A. Skinner, joined Highland Co. in 1855, and was Capt. when 13th was organized. Major Dec. 26th, 1862. Lieut.-Col. Aug. 10th, 1866. R. R. R. Aug. 27th, 1886.
- J. Edwin O'Reilly, Major Dec. 26th, 1862. R. R. R. Feb. 10th, 1865.
- t Stephen T. Cattley, Lieut. July 17th, 1861. Major Feb. 24th, 1865. Brevet Lieut.-Col. March 15th, 1867. Left limits July 5th, 1867.
- t Henry Erskine Irving, Ensign April 10th, 1863. Lieut. May 12th, 1864. Major July 5th, 1867. Brevet Lieut.-Col. July 5th, 1872. R. R. R. Tan. 12th, 1883.
- t Alexander H. Askin, Ensign Dec. 5, 1862. Lieut. March 5th, 1863. Captain Dec. 30th, 1864. Major (Pro.) Oct 22nd, 1869. R. R. R. of Captain Sept. 28th, 1877.
- t Isaac Ryall, M. B., Surgeon April 4th, 1866. Surgeon-Major April 6th, 1886. R. R. R. May 3rd, 1889.
- John Brown, Captain Nov. 28th, 1862. R. R. R. Sept. 14th. 1866.
- John Octavious Macrae, Lieut. Nov. 28th, 1862. Resigned May 12th, 1864.
- Peter Toronto Buchanan, Ensign Nov. 28th, 1862. Lieut. July 29th, 1864. Left limits March 2nd, 1866.
- George Herve Mingaye, Captain Dec. 5th, 1862. Left limits Dec. 30th, 1864.
- John A. Ward, Lieut. Dec. 5th, 1862. Resigned March 5th, 1863.
- Donald McInnes, Captain Dec. 5th, 1862. Resigned May 12th, 1864.
- George H. Gillespie, Lieut. Dec. 5th, 1862. Capt. March 18th, 1863. Retired Dec. 15th, 1865.
- Thomas Bell, Lieut. Dec. 11th, 1862. Resigned April 28th, 1865.
- W. F. Biggar, Lieut. Dec. 11th, 1862. Captain April 28th, 1865. Resigned Nov. 10th, 1865.
- A. Jamieson, Ensign Dec. 11th, 1862. Lieut. April 28th, 1865. Resigned May 1st, 1866.
- John McKeown, Captain Dec. 19th, 1862. Resigned July 10th, 1863.
- Maurice O'Connor, Lieut. Dec. 19th, 1862. Resigned July 10th, 1863.
- Martin Fitzpatrick, Ensign Dec. 19th, 1862. Resigned July 10th, 1863.
- Robert N. Law, Captain Jan. 9th, 1863. R. R. R. Sept. 14th 1866.
- A. S. Wink, Lieut. Jan. 9th, 1863. Resigned April 23rd, 1865.
- Wm. Inkson, Ensign Jan. 9th, 1863. Resigned Dec. 29th, 1865.
- C. J. Lloyd, Captain and Adjutant, March 5th, 1863. Resigned Dec. 2nd, 1864.
- John Stewart Henderson, Captain March 5th, 1863. R. R. R. March 2nd, 1866.
- Alexander Turner, Lieut. March 5th, 1863. Resigned July 10th, 1863.
- Robert Park, Ensign March 5th, 1863. Lieut. April 28th, 1865. Left limits Dec. 22nd, 1865.
- C. Feeley, Ensign March 5th, 1863, Resigned April 10th, 1865.
- Maitland Young, Lieut. March 18th, 1863. Resigned 1863.
- John Young (Jr.), Ensign March 18th, 1863. Lieut. Dec. 30th, 1864. Resigned Oct. 31st, 1867.
- t Frederick Ewing Ritchie, Ensign April 10th, 1863. Lieut. Dec. 30th, 1864. Captain Oct. 26th, 1866. R. R. R. Dec. 3rd, 1869.
- Edward Hilton, Lieut. April 10th, 1863. Resigned May 12th, 1864.
- t John H. Watson, Ensign Jan. 31st, 1863. Lieut. July 15th, 1864. Capt. May 17th, 1865. Died 1869.
- F. M. Atkinson, Lieut. Aug. 12th, 1864. Left limits Dec. 30th, 1864.
- George S. Papps, Lieut. Jan. 31st, 1863. Resigned 1865.
- t Percy Gore Routh, Ensign Feb. 24th, 1865. Lieut. March 2nd, 1866. Captain Sept. 14th, 1866. R. R. R. Oct. 26th, 1866.
- t Joshua John Hebdon, Ensign April 28th, 1865. Lieut. Oct. 26th, 1866. Captain Oct. 22nd, 1869. Drill Instructor March 17th, 1870. Acting Adjutant, July 24th, 1870. Died Sept. 1st, 1872.

- f Robert Grant, Ensign April 28th, 1865. Lieut. Dec. 22nd, 1865. Captain March 2nd, 1866. Paymaster Oct. 26th, 1866. Hon. Major Oct. 26th, 1871. Died June 29th, 1877.
- John Billings, Lieut. April 22nd, 1865. Resigned Dec. 22nd, 1865.
- t Charles Randolph Montgomery Sewell, Ensign April 28th, 1865. Lieut. Dec. 22nd, 1865. R. R. R. Sept. 24th, 1866.
- t J. W. Ferguson, Lieut. April 28th, 1865. Capt. Sept. 14th, 1866. Resigned Dec. 28th, 1866.
- t Alexander William Roy, Ensign May 19th, 1865. Lieut. Oct. 31st, 1867. Captain Nov. 5th, 1869. R. R. R. March 10th, 1877.
- t John Henery, Captain and Adjutant Aug. 18th, 1865. R. R. R. Aug. 26th, 1870.
- t The Hon. John Morison Gibson, Ensign Dec. 22nd, 1865. Lieut. March 2nd, 1866. Capt. Oct. 26th, 1866. Brevet-Major Oct. 26th, 1870. Lt. Lieut.-Col. Oct. 26th, 1876. Regt. Major Jan. 28th, 1881. Regt. Lieut.-Col. Aug. 27th, 1886. Hon. Lieut.-Col. Nov. 9th, 1895. A. D. C. to H. E. the Gov.-Gen. March 2nd, 1894. Re-appointed A. D. C. March 3rd, 1899.
- t Charles Armstrong, Ensign Dec. 29th, 1865. Lieut. Sept. 14th, 1866. Capt. Dec. 28th, 1866. Hon. Major and Paymaster June 14th, 1878. R. R. R. Aug. 30th, 1897.
- t Hugh C. Baker, Ensign May 1st, 1866. Resigned March 25th, 1870.
- t Joseph M. McKenzie, Ensign June 28th, 1866. Left limits July 24th, 1868.
- t John B. Young, Ensign June 22nd, 1866. Lieut. March 10th, 1867. Captain Dec. 3rd, 1869. R. R. R. April 9th, 1875.
- t John J. Mason, Quarter Master and Ensign June 22nd, 1866. Lieut. May 3rd, 1867. Hon. Capt. June 22nd, 1871. Hon. Major, June 22nd, 1881. Paymaster Aug. 30th, 1897.
- t Alexander Huggins Moore, Pro. Ensign June 8, 1866. Ensign Sept. 14, 1866. Lieutenant Dec. 28th, 1866. Captain Jan. 10th, 1870. Drill Instructor July 3rd, 1873. Acting Adjutant Feb. 5th, 1874. Brevet Major Jan. 10th, 1875. Adjutant Jan. 13th, 1882. Regt. Major Sep. 28th, 1883. Lt. Lieut.-Col. Jan. 12, 1893. Regt. Lt.-Col. Dec. 21st, 1895. R. O. Lt. Nov. 1897.
- James John Larkin Boice, Lieut. March 8th, 1867. Captain Sep. 1st, 1872. R. R. R. July 21, 1876.
- t Allan Napier McNab Stewart, Ensign Jan. 31st, 1868. Lieut. Oct. 22nd, 1869. Died Feb. 23rd, 1872.
- t Charles D. Cory, Ensign Jan. 31st, 1868. Left limits March 25th, 1870.
- George Hope, Ensign Jan. 31, 1868. Resigned Dec. 17, 1869.
- t John Little, Ensign Jan. 31st, 1868. Pro. Lieut. March 25th, 1870. Lieut. May 23rd, 1872. Resigned July 10th, 1874.
- Thomas Herbert Marsh, Ensign July 24th, 1868. Lieut. March 25th, 1870. Resigned Feb. 23rd, 1872.
- Charles O'Reilly, M.D., Asst. Surgeon Aug. 21st, 1868. Resigned May 13th, 1870.
- Edward Francis Caddy, Ensign Nov. 10th, 1869. Lieut. March 22nd, 1872. Capt. July 21st, 1876. R. R. R. Jan. 28th, 1881.
- Henry McLaren, Ensign March 4th, 1869. Lieut. Dec. 3rd, 1869. Capt. April 9th, 1875. Brevet Major April 9th, 1885. Regt. Major Aug. 27th, 1886. Lieut.-Col. Dec. 13th, 1897.
- Robert Knight Hope, Ensign (pro). Dec. 17th, 1869. Ensign May 9th, 1872. Lieut. June 12th, 1872. R. R. R. Dec. 10th, 1876.
- t Peter Benjamin Barnard, Ensign March 25th, 1870. Lieut. March 22nd, 1872. Captain March 10th, 1877. Brevet Major March 9th, 1887. R. R. R. July 11th, 1890.
- Charles Hyla Holden, Ensign March 25th, 1870. Resigned June 7th, 1872.
- Charles G. Dyett, Ensign (Pro.) May 13th, 1870. Ensign June 19th, 1871. Resigned Oct. 10th, 1873.
- Joseph Macready, Ensign, Adjutant and Drill Instructor June 2nd, 1871. Lieut. March 22nd, 1872. Capt. July 21st, 1876. R. R. R. Dec. 8th, 1881.
- Gilbert Wakefield Griffin, Ensign March 22nd, 1872. Lieut. Nov. 22nd, 1873. R. R. R. Sep. 28th, 1877.
- James Adam, Ensign March 22nd, 1872. Lieut. July 21st, 1876. Captain Jan. 28th, 1881. R. R. R. May 9th, 1890. Musketry Instructor Oct. 31st, 1890.
- Edward Cartwright Kerr, Ensign June 7th, 1872. Lieut. July 21st, 1876. Resigned Dec. 16th, 1876.
- Henry Strange, M. D., Asst. Surgeon June 7th, 1872. Resigned Nov. 22nd, 1873.
- Daniel Sullivan Murphy, Ensign June 12th, 1872. Lieut. July 10th, 1874. Resigned July 21st, 1876.
- t Robert Crockett, Ensign Nov. 22nd, 1873. Lieut. April 22nd, 1875. Capt. June 14th, 1878. R. R. R. June 27th, 1884. Major 33rd Huron Battalion May 22nd, 1891.
- t John Stoneman, Ensign March 13th, 1874. Lieut. Sep. 14th, 1877. Captain Jan. 28th, 1881. Brevet Major Jan. 28th, 1891. Regt. Major Jan. 24th, 1896.
- Edmund Graves Kittson, M. D., Asst. Surgeon June 19th, 1874. Res. Dec. 26th, 1876.
- Angus Peter Siiohn, Ensign (pro.) May 14th, 1875. Res. Jan. 28th, 1876.
- t Alfred Mackeand, Ensign May 28th, 1875. Acting Adjutant Jan. 22nd, 1876. Lieut. Jan. 14th, 1877. R. R. R. Jan. 28th, 1881. Capt. Winnipeg Infantry Co. Lieut. Col. 90th Batt. Rifles, Winnipeg, May 29th, 1885.
- Thomas Kilner Mackeand, Ensign July 21st, 1876. Lieut. March 9th, 1877. R. R. R. Jan. 28th, 1881. Capt. No. 4 Co., Chatham, 24th Kent Batt. March 21st, 1890.
- Archibald Willard Fergusson, Ensign (Pro). March 9th, 1877. Res. Sep. 28th, 1877.
- Joseph Francis Brien, Ensign (Pro). April 6th, 1877. Left limits July 27th, 1877.
- John Boulton, Ensign (Pro). July 27th, 1877. Ensign Nov. 26, 1890. Transferred to 7th Battalion, London.

John Franklin Monck, Ensign (Pro). July 27th, 1877. Res. Oct. 30th, 1879.

John Jacques Stuart, Ensign Sep. 28th, 1877. Lieut. May 31st, 1878. Capt. Jan. 13th, 1882. Actg. Adjt. Sep. 14th, 1883. Adjt. April 18th, 1884. Brevet Major Jan. 13th, 1892. Transferred to R. O. Feb. 1st, 1898.

Horace Reginald Ridout, Ensign (Pro). Dec. 22nd, 1877. Res. June 4th, 1880.

Victor Alexander Robertson, Ensign (Pro). May 31st, 1878. Res. Jan. 16th, 1880.

Herbert Spohn Griffin, M. D.. Asst. Surgeon Oct. 30th, 1879. Captain Oct. 30th, 1884. Surgeon Major May 3rd, 1889.

Charles Sumner Scott, 2nd Lieut. (Pro). April 9th, 1880. 2nd Lieut. Nov. 26th, 1880. Lieut. Aug. 5th, 1881. Res. June 28th, 1882.

Frederick John Gibson, 2nd Lieut. (Pro). Sept. 3rd, 1880. 2nd Lieut. Nov. 26th, 1880. Lieut. Aug. 5th, 1881. Res. Aug. 31st, 1883.

Robert Bryson Osborne, 2nd Lieut. (Pro). Oct. 8th, 1880. 2nd Lieut. Nov. 26th, 1880. Lieut. Aug. 5th, 1881. Res. Feb. 3rd, 1882. Re-appointed Lieut. Nov. 9th, 1883. R. R. R. June 17th, 1887.

Duncan J. Campbell, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug. 5th, 1881. Res. June 28th, 1882.

Wm. Gilzen Reid, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug. 5th, 1881. 2nd Lieut. Oct. 3rd, 1882. Lieut. Dec. 1st, 1882. Capt. April 18th, 1884. R. R. R. April 24th, 1891.

Edward Gibson Zealand, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) May 12th, 1882. 2nd Lieut. Oct. 3rd, 1882. Lieut. Dec. 1st, 1882. Captain June 27th, 1884. Brevet Major Aug. 15th, 1895. Regimental Major Feb. 15th, 1898.

Wm. John Coulson, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) May 12th, 1882. 2nd Lieut. Oct. 3rd, 1882. Lieut. Dec. 1st, 1882, R. R. R. June 18th, 1886.

George McLaren Brown, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) May 12th, 1882. 2nd Lieut. Oct. 3rd, 1882. Lieut. Dec. 1st, 1882. Captain Aug. 27th, 1886. R. R. R. Aug. 29th, 1888.

Edmund Evelyn Wentworth Moore 2nd Lieut. (pro.) July 31st, 1882. 2nd Lieut. Oct. 3rd, 1882. Lieut. Dec. 1st, 1882. Capt. Aug. 27th, 1886. Brevet Major Aug. 27th., 1896.

John Cowan Gillespie, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Sept. 1 th, 1883. 2nd Lieut. Dec. 22nd, 1882. Lieut. April 18th, 1884. Captain June 17th, 1887. R. R. R. of Lieut. April 10th, 1888. •

Sidney Chilton Mewburn, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug., 31st, 1883. 2nd Lieut. Sept. rah, 1883. Lieut. June 27th, 1884. Capt. April 20th, 1888. Brevet Major May 9th, 1898.

John Bradley Patterson, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug. 31st, 1883. Res. June 27th, 1884.

James Wm. Gordon Watson, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) April 18th 1884. 2nd Lieut. Jan. 8th, 1886. Lieut. March 5th, 1886. Capt. Aug. 29th, 1888. R. R. R. of Lieut. March 1st, 1889.

Henry Gardner Marquis, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) June 27th, 1884. Res. March 5th, 1886..

James Walker Hendrie, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Feb. 6th, 1885. Res. Dec. 23rd, 1887..

Robert Hobson, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) April 10th, 1885. Res. April 29th, 1887.

Frederick Blythe Ross, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Feb. 6th, 1885. 2nd Lieut. March 31st, 1886. Lieut. June 18th, 1886. Capt. March 1st, 1889. Brevet Major March 1st, 1899.

William Orlando Tidswell, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) April 10th, 1885. 2nd Lieut. March 21st, 1887. Lieut. April 29th, 1887. Capt. May 9th, 1890. Adjutant Feb. 7th, 1898.

Alexander David Stewart, Captain (pro.) April 24th, 1885. Res. Nov 19th, 1886.

Richard John Duggan, Captain (pro.) April 24th, 1885. Res. Aug 27th, 1886.

George Thomas Tuckett, Lieut. (pro.) April 24th, 1885. Res. Feb. 4th, 1887.

Charles Albert Chapman, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) April 24th, 1885. 2nd Lieut. March 30th, 1888. Lieut. May 9th, 1888. Res. July 6th, 1888.

Alexander Duncan Cameron, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) May 15th, 1885. Res. May 3rd, 1889.

John Wm. Bowman, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) June 18th, 1886. 2nd Lieut. Aug. 13th, 1887. Lieut. Oct. 21st, 1887. Capt. July 11th, 1890. R. R. R. of Lieut. Jan. 30th, 1891.

Percy Domville, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) April 7th, 1887. 2nd Lieut. March 30th, 1888. Lieut. May 9th, 1888. Capt. Jan. 30th, 1891. R. R. R. Jan. 12th, 1895. Re-appointed 2nd Lieut. Sept. 29th, 1898.

Albert Edward Carpenter, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) June 17th, 1887. 2nd Lieut. June 30th, 1888. Lieut. Jan. 4th, 1889. Appointed to Infantry School Corps Sept. 16th, 1889.

Wm. Woodburn Osborne, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Oct. 21st, 1887. 2nd Lieut. Aug. 15th, 1888. Lieut. Jan. 4th, 1889. Capt April 24th, 1891. R. R. R. Oct. 23rd, 1896.

Albert Pain, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) July 6th, 1888. Supernumerary 2nd Lieut. May 20th, 1899.

Henry Blois Witton, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) July 6th, 1888. 2nd Lieut. Nov. 30th, 1889. Lieut. Jan. 31st, 1890. R. R. R. Jan. 24th, 1896.

Thomas Hobson, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) July 6th, 1888. Ret. May 22nd, 1891.

Alexander Bryson Osborne, M D., Asst. Surgeon June 14th, 1889. Transferred to Hamilton Field Battery as Surgeon May 22nd, 1891.

George Douglas Fearman, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug. 2nd, 1889. 2nd Lieut. Aug. 15th, 1890. Lieut. Oct. 31st, 1890. Capt. Feb. 7th, 1898.

John Dickson Laidlaw, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug. 2nd, 1889. 2nd Lieut. March 31st, 1891. Lieut. May 22nd, 1891.

John Henry Herring, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug. 2nd, 1889. 2nd Lieut. June 10th, 1890. Lieut. July 11th, 1890. Capt. Jan. 24th, 1896.

Charles Alfred Peterson Powis, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug. 2nd, 1899. 2nd Lieut. June 30th, 1890. Lieut. Sept. 5th, 1890. Capt. Oct. 23rd, 1896.

Walter Hamilton Bruce, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Aug. 2nd, 1889. 2nd Lieut. Sept. 15th, 1890. Lieut. Oct. 31st, 1890. Capt. Feb. 15th, 1898.

f Robert Hodgetts Labatt, 2nd Lieut. May 1st, 1890. Lieut. May 30th, 1890. Captain Jan. 12th, 1895.

Thomas George Margetts, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Jan. 31st, 1890. Res. Nov. 3rd, 1893.

Peter T. Robertson, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) July nth, 1890. Left limits Jan. 12th, 1895.

Wm. Alexander Logie, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Dec. 31st, 1890. znd Lieut. Nov. 30th, 1893. Lieut. Jan. 24th, 1896.

James Harvey, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Dec. 31st, 1890. znd Lieut. June 30th, 1891. Lieut. July 16th, 1891. Res May 13th, 1892. Re-appointed 2nd Lieut. Sept. 30th, 1892. Res. Oct. 13th, 1893,

George Septimus Rennie, M. D., C. M., Asst. Surgeon July 16th, 1891. Hon. Surgeon Capt. Sept. 10th, 1896:

Thomas W. Lester, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Nov. zoth, 1891. 2nd Lieut. June 30th, 1892. Lieut. Aug. 19th, '892. Hon. Capt. and Quarter Master Sept. 29th, 1898.

Walter Gibb Townsend, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Nov. zoth, 1891. Res. May 13th, 1892.

Frank Russell Waddell, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Nov. zoth, 189 t. znd Lieut. June 30th, 1892. Lieut. Jan. 12th, 1895.

Ralph King, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) May 13th, 1892. 2nd Lieut. Aug. rzth, 1894. Lieut. Feb. 8th, 1896.

Charles Garton Barker, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) June 2nd, 1893. znd Lieut. Aug. 12th, 1894. Lieut. Oct. 23rd, 1896. Acting Adjutant May 14th, 1897.

Wm. Leaper Ross, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Nov. 3rd, 1893. 2nd Lieut. June 3rd, 1898.

John Billings, Tr , 2nd Lieut (pro.) June 1st, 1895. Res. Oct' 3rd, 1898.

Wm. Renwick Marshall, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Oct. 13th, 1893. 2nd Lieut. Aug. 6th, 1895. Lieut. Feb. 7th 1898. Transferred to Second (special service) Battalion Royal Regiment Canadian Infantry for service in South Africa, Oct. 24th, 1899.

Frederick Parsons, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) June 15th, 1895. 2nd Lieut. June 30th, 1896. Lieut. Feb. 15th, 1898. Res. Oct. 18th, 1898 •

John Willis Ambrey, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) F eb. 8th, 1896. znd Lieut. Aug. 13th, 1898. Res. May 12th, 1899.

Robert Alexander Robertson, znd Lieut. (pro.) Feb. 8th, 1896. 2nd Lieut. June 30th, 1896. Lieut. Sept. 29th, 1898.

The Rev. Geo. A. Forneret, Hon. Chaplain, Oct. 17th, 1896.

0 Robert Rowley. 2nd Lieut. Oct. 23rd, 1896. Transferred from 77th Batt. Res. Oct. 18th, 1898.

Archibald Kerr McLaren, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Feb. 7th, 1898. znd Lieut. March 31st, 1898. Lieut. Oct. 18th, 1898.

Alexander Franklin Zimmerman, znd Lieu • (pro.) Feb. 7th, 1898. 2nd Lieut. Aug. 13th, 1898.

Arthur Edward Mason, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) Feb. 15th, 1898. 2nd Lieut. Aug. 13th, 1898.

Gordon John Henderson, znd Lieut. Oct. 10th, 1898. Previous service, Capt. 6th Fusiliers, Montreal, May 11th, 1895. Transferred to 13th Batt. Oct. 18th, 1898.

John Alexander Turner, 2nd Lieut. (pro)) Oct. 10th, 1898.

Edward Vaughan Wright, 2nd Lieut. (pro.) May 12th, 1899.

I Officers who have seen war services.

Abbreviations-

Bt.—Brevet.  
 Hon.—Honorary.  
 R. It R.—Retired retaining rank.  
 Res.—Resigned.  
 Ret.—Retired.  
 R. 0 —Reserve of Officers.  
 Pro.—Provisional.

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# RECORD OF RIFLE SHOOTING

BY 13TH BATTALION OF INFANTRY, FROM 1863 TO 1899 INCLUSIVE

COMPILED BY CAPTAIN J. H. HERRING.

Feeling that the collection of our records of rifle shooting, covering as it does a period of over thirty years, into some convenient and compact form would not only be useful to those who take an interest in rifle shooting to-day, but interesting reading to those who have helped to make those records what they are, is my apology for arranging the following pages. If they only act as some slight incentive to others in maintaining the high standard of efficiency which these records show I shall indeed be gratified. I must express my sincere thanks to Major J. J. Mason and Lieut. Albert Pain for invaluable assistance given me in compiling the various competitions to completion, as, without the aid of their ancient secretarial minutes of meetings of the Victoria Rifle Club and Thirteenth Battalion Rifle Association, some of the competitions herein would have been incomplete.

J. HENRY HERRING, CAPTAIN,  
13TH BATT. INFANTRY.

## RECORD OF WINNER 13TH INFANTRY FIRST BATTALION PRIZE AND MEDAL.

o fi Z	NAME.	50 Z	100 Z	NAME.	75 Z	100 Z
1867	Sgt. Little, No. 6 ...	1884	124	Pte. D. Mitchell ...	55	75
*1868	Pte. D. English, No. 6	x885	150	Pte. H. Graham	56	75
1869	Pte. James Adam ...	x886		Pte. D. Mitchell	48	75
1870	Lt. J. Mason ...	1887		Pte. J. R. Adam ...	57	75
1871	Col. Sgt Omand, No. 2 ...			Corp. H. Marris	8x	105
1872	Pte. D. Mitchell	65	1889	Capt. E. Zealand ...	87	105
1873	70 Pte. T. Mitchell ...		1890	Capt. F. B. Ross ...	82	105
1874	62 Pte. D. Mitchell	69	1891	S. Sgt. D. Mitchell ...	89	105
1875	70 Ensign Jas. Adam ...	45	1892	Sgt. H. Marris	92	105
1876	96 Sgt. r'hos. Mitchell	64	1893	Pte. Thos. Mitchell, ...	9x	105
1877	90 Lt. J. Adam	54	1894	Corp. John Mitchell ...	91	105
1878	80 Sgt. A. Pain ...	56	1895	Pte. Thomas A. Bertram ...	94	105
*879	80 Pte. Jos. Mason ...	55	x896	Sgt. D. Garson	87	105
1880	96 Sgt. D. Mitchell	62	1897	S. Sgt. T. H. Hayhurst, G. M. ...	98	105
1881	70 Pte. F. B. Ross ...	56	x898	Sgt. Thos. Mitchell ...	99	105
0382	86 Corp. W. L. Goodwin	59	1899	Col. Sgt. E. Skedden	93	105
1883	leo S. Sgt. F. B. Ross ...	6x	1900			

## JUNIORS WHO HAVE BECOME SENIORS EACH YEAR BY WINNING \$5.00 OR MORE.

\*1868—First 0. R. Matches were held this year.  
§1869—13th Batt. Infantry affiliated with 0. R. Ass., 24th April, x869.

1870—Lt. Mason; Sgts. Omand and Brass; Corpls. Dunnett and Sache; Ptes. Arnold, Crocker, Mooney, V. Mitchell.

1871—Ptes. Jas. Adam, T. Willis, shearer, Creig and Hamilton.

1872—Corp. Lamg; Ptes. James Omand, Jos. Mason, Leitch, G. Muri-son, Perkiss.

1873—Major Gibson; Ptes. J. Mitchell, Dow, C. Mitchell, Finlay, W. Street.

1874—Sgt. Hancock; Pte. Stone.

1875—Not any new seniors this year.

x876—Ptes. Etherington and J. McDonald.

1877—Pte. Geo. Margetts.

1878—Ptes. Miller and Kitto.

i879—Not any new seniors this year.

1880—Sgt. F. Lumsden; Ptes. Crawford and A. H. Young.

1881—Sgt. Geo. Murdoch; Ptes. W. M. Goodwin, James Omand.

1882—Sgt. H. Harvey; Corp. Madgett; Pte. H. Marris.

1883—S. Sgt. W. H. Clarke; Corpls. Woodward and Belau; Ptes. J. Peebles, D. Garson, Lipki, McRae, J. Harris, McArthur, McLeod, Forbes, Buglers Bull and Brown.

1884—Capt. W. G. Reid; Sgt. A. Bismarck; Ptes. Furmidee, Pecover, Kelk, A. Parkhill, J. Lawrence, F. Heath, Burniston, Keefer, Murray, Webb.

1885—Major McLaren; Lt. Tidswell; Col. Sgt. Miller; Ptes. A. Ray, Geo. Stiff, C. H. Smith, Lambert, P. Robertson, Th. Lawrence, Ely, Betties, D. A. Walsh, Gilmer.

1886—Capt. E. Zealand; Col. Sgt. Harris; Corpls. T. Battram, Mead-ows; Pres. smith, Hopper, Athawes, Best, Wigmore, G. Diamond, Chanter, Wilson, D. Henderson, A. Murdoch

1887—Col. Sgt. Stannard; Corp. Waddell; Pres. C. Madgett, W. Wil-son, J. Baker, Silk, T. Johns, A. Stewart, B. Clark, J. Clark, Ray.

1888—Col. Sgt. Grant; Sgts. C. Hamilton, E. Skedden; Corp. Martin; Ptes. M. Goodwin, Wilde, Dixon, Robinson, Mephram, Reid, W. Southam, R. G. Freeborn, F. Rogers, W. Zimmerman, W. Haines, H. Richmond.

1889—Lt. Herring; Corp. Cline; Ptes. H. E. Beckett, R. Hooper, M. Skedden, E. B. Thomson, C. Zimmerman, E. J. Harris, Bugler W. McAndrew, Band'n T. H. King.

/890—Col. Sgt. J. Harvey; Corpls. S. A. Moore, Hopkins; Ptes. H. Barker, Addison, A. Stewart, Hampson, Gillespie, Lawson, Bugler W. W. Stewart, Band'n J. R. Burns.

1891—No record this year.

7892—Capt. Domville; Ptes. G. Ellicott, McGill, McKindsey, Pook, Turnbull, R. Miller, E. Reinholt, C. Dempster, Bugler A. Berry- man, Band'n J. Divine.

0393—Capt. Moore; Sgt. Upsdell; Ptes. R. C. Allan, D. Gardner, Ogil- vie, Jolley, C. N. Stewart, Band'n R. Magness, Bugler Heath.

r894—Sgt. A. Scott Ptes. J. R. Bates, G. Curran, T. LeMessusier, W. S. Millichamp, J. R. Miller, H. Bowstead, W. A. Willis, Bands'n R. Magness, Jr., Jas. Weedon.

0895—Sgt. J. A. Gibson; Ptes. C. McNab, D. Lambe, Bradshaw, W. Chiswell, F. Skedden, J. W. Ambrey, J. Kilgour, Band'n W. Rob- inson.

0396—Col. Sgt. Woodcroft; Ptes. E. D. Marshall, C. Cripps, H. Strick- land, F. Blair, H. Walker, F. C. Chittenden, Dawe, Bugler Mc- Intosh, Bandsman Rolls.

0:197—Ptes. A. Potter, I. Rodgers, E. Fitzgerald, A. E. Cropper, N. Nudd, F. R. Findlay, J. Connon, Band'n W. Campbell, Bugler A. Hebner.

1898—Ptes. G. Bowman, F. F. Donohue, Adams, W. Dreyer, H. Stewart, Storms, L. Henning, F. W. Provost, W. Crawford, Bugler Spauls.

RECORD OF DISTRICT CHALLENGE CUP.

CONDITIONS.-To be competed for by three marksmen from any Volunteer Company in the Third Brigade Division, to be held in trust for the Association by Company making highest aggregate score.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	1 Ranges 300, 400, 600 Yards.	COMPANY Won by	4 13 11 8	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	1 Ranges 300, 400, 600 Yards.	COMPANY Won by	4 13 11 8
1863		300, 400, 600	Oakville. ... ..	54	Sep 80, 13et 8 81	S. Enrld	300, 400, 600	No. 2 Company t3th Bat.	131
64		"	No. 4, i3th ... ..	45	Oct. 5, 6, 82	"	"	No. x, ... ..	131
65		"	" 3, r9th. ... ..	64	" 17, 18, 83	"	"	" A " " " "	103
66		"	" 3, 19th. ... ..		" 20, 21, 84	"	"	" A " " " "	103
67	Spencer	"	" 2, 19th. ... ..	80	" 19, 20, 85	"	"	" E " " " "	104
68	S. Enf ld	"	" x, 13th. ... ..	78	Nov. 24, 25 86	"	"	" E " " " "	110
69	"	"	No. 8, 13th. Waterdown	77	" 7, 8, 87	"	"	" C " " " "	93
70	"	"	" x, 13 h. ... ..	86	Oct. 29, 30 88	"	"	" C " " " "	109
71	"	"	" 2, 13th. ... ..	85	" 21, 22, 89	"	"	" A " " " "	107
72	"	"	" 2, 13th. ... ..	135	" 9, 10, 90	"	"	" E " " " "	105
73	"	"	" 2, 13th. ... ..	88	" x, 2, 90	"	"	" C " " " "	108
74	"	"	" 4, 13th. ... ..	79	" 17, 18, 92	"	"	" B " " " "	107
75	"	"	" 4, 13th. ... ..	79	Sept. 23, 29 93	"	"	" C " " " "	102
76	"	"	" 4, 13th. ... ..	106	Oct. 20, 94	"	"	" C " " " "	112
77	"	"	" 1, 13th. ... ..	94	Nov. 22, 95	"	"	" A " " " "	84
78	"	"	" 2 13th. ... ..	105	" 96	"	"	" A " " " "	113
79	"	"	" 4, r3th. ... ..	96	Nov. 97	L. E.	"	" A " 77th "	123
80	"	"	No. 4, i3th. ... ..	135	Nov. 5, 98	"	"	" D " 13th "	117

REMARKS.- 870-At Grimsby 26 h July to 26th August.  
0887-6 Learns competed. Called Mrs. Gibson's Cup this year.  
1888-8 teams completed.  
0891-5 teams completed.  
1892-6 teams completed.

1893-6 teams compe ed.  
1894-5 teams competed.  
1896-No competition owing to darkness.  
1897-Record score, shot at Dundas, (No 600 yards at V.R.C. ranges)  
1898-7 teams completed.

RECORD OF " OFFICERS' " CUP 13TH BATTALION INFANTRY.

CONDITIONS.- To be competed for annually by 12 men from each Company ; to be won three times in succession for permanent possession by Company.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	0 Ranges 300 Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	0 to 8	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	ii Ranges 300, 400, 500 Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	to 8 24
1867	Spencer	5		324	Oct. 20, 21 84	Spider	5 200. 500	No. E ... ..	373
68	S. Enf.	5		344	" 19, 20 85	"	"	" C ... ..	364
69	"	5		372	Nov. 24, 25 86	"	"	" A ... ..	395
70	S. Ent'	5	No competition.		" 7, 8, 87	"	"	" ... ..	600
71	"	5	Waterdown Co. No. 8 ...	293	Oct. 29, 30 88	"	"	" ... ..	600
72	L Snid'r	5	"	329	" 21, 22 89	"	"	" E ... ..	462
73	"	5	"	350	" 9, 1, 90	"	"	" ... ..	436
74	"	5	"	326	" x, 2, 91	"	"	" ... ..	600
75	"	5	"	334	" 17, 78 92	"	"	" E ... ..	419
76	"	5	"	434	Sept 23, 29 93	"	5 200 4@ 500	" E ... ..	417
77	"	5	" 4	417	Oct. 20, 94	"	"	" ... ..	672
78	Snider	5	"	426	Nov. 22, 95	"	"	" A ... ..	586
79	"	5	"	367	" 96	"	"	" A ... ..	569
80	"	5	"	422	" 97	L. En.	"	" ... ..	
81	"	5	"	433	Nov. 5, 98	"	"	" ... ..	
82	"	5	" A	358	" 99	"	"	" ... ..	
83	"	5	"	386	" 1900	"	"	" ... ..	

REMARKS.-1867, r868, 7869 - For this period of three years conditions were : 5 shots at 300 400, 500 yards.  
0869 - Won permanently by No. r Company.

0870 - No competition this year.  
1880 - Won permanently by No. 2 Company.  
x898 - Won permanently by A Company. 10 men only.

RECORD OF N. C. O. CUP. 13TH BATTALION INFANTRY.

CONDITIONS.-To be competed for annually by 6 men from each Company ; to be won four times in succession for permanent possession.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	g Ranges 750, 600 Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	7 8 7 8	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	0 Ranges 750, 600 Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	4 7 4
Oct. 17, 18 79	Snider	7 500, 600	No. a ... ..	271	Oct. 9, 10 90	Snider	7 500, 600	No. C ... ..	297
19, 20 80	"	7 "	" a ... ..	271	" 1, 2, 91	"	7 "	" C ... ..	277
Sep 30 Oct 8 81	"	7 "	" t 2 ... ..	290	" 17, 18 92	"	7 "	" ... ..	
Oct. 5, 6, 82	"	7 I.	" x ... ..	301	Sept. 23 29 93	"	7 "	" C ... ..	
" 17, 18 83	"	7 "	"	260	Oct. 20, 94	"	7 "	" E ... ..	332
" 20, 21 84	"	7 "	"	270	Nov. 22, 95	"	7 "	" ... ..	496
" 19, 20 85	"	7 "	" A ... ..	239	" 1896	"	7 "	" ... ..	257
Nov. 24, 86	"	7 "	"	420	" 1897	L. E.	7 200 500	" E ... ..	346
" 7, 8, 87	"	7 "	" C ... ..	222	Nov. 5, 98	"	7 "	" A ... ..	327
Oct. 29, 30 88	"	7 "	" C ... ..	420	" 1899	"	7 "	" ... ..	
" 21, 22 89	"	7 "	" C ... ..	302	" 0900	"	7 "	" ... ..	

REMARKS.-1889-Won permanently by C Company.

1893 - Won permanently by C Company.

RECORD OF MERIDEN BRITANNIA CUP OR " JUNIOR CUP " 13TH BATTALION INFANTRY.

CONDITIONS. -Teams of four Junior Shots from each Company ; to be won twice in succession for permanent possession by one Company.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	0 E Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	0 E Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100
Oct. 20,21 84	Snider	5 200, 400	No. E ... ..	121 200	Sep. 23,29 93	Snider	5 200400 500	No. A ...			
19, 20 85	"	5 "	"	129 200	Oct. 20, 94	"	5 "	"	221		
Nov. 24, 86	"	5 "	" A ... ..	183 200	Nov. 22, 95	"	5 "	"			
" 7, 8, 87	"	5 "	"	x17 Zoo	" 96	"	5 "	" A ... ..			
Oct. 29,30 88	"	6 "	" F ... ..	25x 600	" 97	L. E.	5 "	" A ... ..	235		
" 21, 22 89	"	5 "	" F ... ..	242 400	Nov. 5, 98	"	5 "	" ... ..	230		
" 9, 10, 99	"	5 "	" E ... ..	no record	1899				250		
" 1, 2, 91	"	5 "			1899						
" 17, 18 92	"	5 "			1899						

REMARKS - 1886 - This year 9 men, 20 rounds ; 5 each at 200, 300, 400 yards. Won permanently by A Company.  
x889 - Won permanently by F Company.

1891 - Won permanently by E Company.  
1892 - 4 men, 10 shots each, 2001 400, 500 yards.  
1895 - Won permanently by E Company.  
1897 - Won permanently by A Company.

13TH BATTALION RECORD AT DOMINION RIFLE ASSOCIATION MATCHES, OTTAWA, UP TO AND INCLUDING 1899.

The MacDougall, won by Pte. D. Mitchell 1873 ; Sergt. D. Mitchell 1875; Sergt. T. Mitchell 1876; Col.-Sergt. E. Skedden 1896.  
Caron, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1894 and 1897.  
British Challenge Shield, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1885.  
Lansdowne Challenge Cup, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1889, 1891 and 1897.  
Walker Cup, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1896 and 1897.

Patterson Cup, won by Col.-Sergt. E. Skedden x896  
Davis & Sons' Cup, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1896 (Record Score) and 1897.  
Gillespie Challenge Cup, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1897.  
Governor General's Gold Medal, (first time) won by Col.-Sergt. E. Skedden /899.

13TH BATTALION RECORD AT ONTARIO RIFLE ASSOCIATION MATCHES, TORONTO, UP TO AND INCLUDING 1899.

N. R. Association Medals, won by Corp. T. Mitchell 1876 ; Sergt. D. Mitchell 1877 ; Lieut.-Col. Gibson 1879 ; S. Sergt. Geo. Margetts 1883 and 1884; Sergt. H. Mends 1890; Lieut. W. L. Ross 1897.  
D. R. A. Medals, won by Sergt. D. Mitchell, silver, 1877 ; Sergt. D. Mitchell, silver, /893 ; Pte. T. H. Hayhurst, G. M., bronze, 1895 ; Corp. C. W. Spencer, bronze, 1896.  
Gov. General's Medals, won by Sergt. D. Mitchell, silver, 1876 ; Pte. J. Mitchell, bronze, 1876 ; Pte. W. Mitchell, silver, 1879; Sergt. D. Mitchell, bronze, 1880 ; Pte. H. Marris, silver, 1882 ; Capt. E. Zealand, bronze, 1886 ; Sergt. H. Marris, bronze, 1891 ; Sergt. D. Mitchell, silver, 1893 ; Lieut. A. Pain, bronze, 1893 ; Sergt. D. Mitchell, silver, 1896.  
Ladies Challenge Cup, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry .873, 1877, 1880 and 1882.  
Tait Cup, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1876, 1878, 1879, 1880, /886, 1893, 1897 and 1899.

Brassey Company Cup, won in 1874 by No. 1 Co'y Thirteenth Infantry ; in 1876 by No. 2 Co'y ; in 1877 by No. Co'y ; in 1880 by No. Co'y ; in 1883 by No. A Co'y ; in 1893 by No C Co'y.  
Merchants' Cup, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1872, 1874, 1876, 1878, 1879 and 1880. Won permanently by Thirteenth Battalion in 1880.  
Growski (Skirmishing) Cup, won by Thirteenth Battalion Infantry 1895.  
Canadian Club Jubilee Challenge Trophy, won by 13th Battalion Infantry 1898 and x899.  
O. R. Ass'n Aggregate Cup, won by Major J. M. Gibson 1873 and 1874. (The Dartnell Cup for Snider Aggregate).  
Elkington Cup, for the highest individual aggregate score, 1876, Sergt. D. Mitchell; 1882, Pte. H. Marris ; 1887, Corp. H. Marris ; 1889, Sergt. W. M. Goodwin ; 1893, S. Sergt. D. Mitchell ; 1897, Lieut. W. L. Ross.

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 13TH BATTALION INFANTRY ON WIMBLEDON AND BISLEY TEAMS.

1871, Ontario Team-Col. Skinner, Thirteenth Battalion, Commandant. Members, Col.-Sergt. Robt. Omand, Sergt. F. Sache, Lieut. J. Little, Pte. Jos Mason, Pte. Geo. Munson.  
1872, Dominion Teams-Capt. James Adam, Col.-Sergt. Robert Omand.  
1873, \* Col.-Sergt. Robt. Omand, Pte. John Mitchell.  
1874, Major J. M. Gibson, Capt. J. J. Mason, Col -Beret. Robert Omand, C. rp. A. Pain, \*Pte. T. Mitchell.  
1875, Major J. M. Gibson.  
1876, \*Sergt. D. Mitchell, \*Sergt. Mitchell.  
1877, \*Sergt. D. Mitchell, Sergt. John Mitchell, \*Sergt. Thos. Mitchell.  
1878, None.  
1879, \*Lieut.-Col. Gibson, Capt. Jas. Adam, Pte. H. Marris, Pte. John Mitchell, Pte. Thos. Mitchell.  
1880, None.  
1881, Sergt. A. Pain, Col.-Sergt. O. Hancock, Sergt. D. Mitchell, \*Pte. H. Marris, Pte. Jos. Mason, Lieut.-Col. J. M. Gibson, Commandant.  
1882, None.  
1883, Staff Sergt. F. B. Ross.  
1884, Staff-Sergt. Geo. T. Margetts, \*Pte. John Mitchell, Corp. W. M. Goodwin.  
1885, \*Pte. H. Harris.  
1886, Capt. James Adam.

1887, \*Corp. H. Marris, Pte. H. Graham.  
1888, Capt. E. G. Zealand.  
1889, None.  
1890, First year at Risley.  
1890, Cant. E. G. Zealand, Capt. F. B. Ross, \*Sergt. H. Marris.  
1891, Sergt. H. Marris.  
1892, \*Sergt. H. Marris, \*Staff-Sergt. D. Mitchell.  
1893, None.  
1894, Staff-Sergt. D. Mitchell, Pte. T. H. Hayhurst, Lieut. W. L. Ross.  
1895, Col.-Sergt. E. Skedden, Sergt. H. Marris, \*Pte. T. H. Hayhurst.  
1896, \*Lt. W. L. Ross, \*Staff-Sgt. T. H. Hayhurst, G. NE., Sgt. Major S. J. Huggins, Sgt. T. Mitchell.  
1897, Major J. J. Mason, Commandant ; \*Lt. W. L. Ross, Col.-Sgt. E. Skedden, Sgt. D. Garson.  
1898, Lieut. A. Pain, Lieut. W. L. Ross, Staff-Sgt. T. H. Hayhurst, Sgt. C. W. Spencer.  
1899, Major F. B. Ross, Lieut. R. A. Robertson, Sergt.-Maj J. S. J. Huggins.  
None. - I hose marked \* members of Kolapore Eight.  
§ 1879 Col. Gibson won Prince of Wales Prize, 94 out of 105, Snider B. L., record score ; 1895 Col.-Sgt. Skedden won Daily Graphic Cup after record for tie shooting ; 0895 Pte. T. H. Hayhurst won Queen's Prize after tie shooting.

RECORD OF "LAWYERS" CUP.

CONDITIONS.-1 Officer, r Sergeant, x Corporal and 5 Privates from any one Company to compose the team ; the first Company winning it three times to own it.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Possible.
2867 Sept. 2, 68 Aug. 4, 69 25-26, 70 1871 Sept. 8-10 72 Aug. 26-27 73 Oct. 9, 22 74	S. E. L. Sni.	200, 400, 600 " "	" 8, Waterdown	192 277 324 283 307 342 393 339	320 480 480 480 480 480 600 480	Nov. 23, 1875 17, 76 Sept. 6-7, 77 Oct. 24-15 78 27-28 79 " 19-20 Bo Sept. 30 and Oct. 3, 8x	L. Sni. Snider " "	No. x ... " 4 " 2	324 406 443 437 402 422 43 <sup>8</sup>	480 600 600 600 600 600 600

REMARKS.—x867—On y 200 and 400 yards this year. 2870 2872, 1872—Won permanently by No. 2 Company. 1873-20 men from each Company. 2874-8 men from each Company. 145-8 men from each Company. 2876-20 men from each Company and won permanently by No. 2.

RECORD OF "IRISH PROTESTANT BENEVOLENT SOCIETY" CUP.

CONDITIONS.—Teams of 5 men from each Company ; to be won twice in succession for permanent possession.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Possible.
Aug. 25, 26 70 2872	S. E. "	300, 500 "	No. 2 "	140 138	200 200	Sept. 9, 20 72	S. E. "	300, 500 "	140 138	200 200

REMARKS.—2872—Won permanently by No. 2 Company.

RECORD OF "PIERCE" CUP.

CONDITIONS.—Teams of 5 men from each Company ; to be won three times for permanent possession.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Possible.
Oct. 9, 12, 74 Nov. 23, 75	L. Sni. "	5300, 500 "	No. 2 "	253 200	200 200	Nov. 27, 76 Sept 6, 7, 77	L. Sni. "	5300, 500 " " I	288 250 176 250	

Rommucs.4-2877—Won permanently by No. 2 Company.

RECORD OF "LIEUT. ADAMS" CUP.

CONDITIONS —Teams of 6 men.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Possible.
Oct. 17, 18 4. - 9, 20, ac.	Snider	200, 500, 600	No. 2	275 450	Sept. 30 and Oct. 3, 81	Snider	200, 500, 600	No. 2	269 450	

REMARKS.—1880—No match for this cup this year.

RECORD OF "MRS. J. M. GIBSON'S " CUP.

Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Date of Match.	Rifle used.	Ranges Yards.	COMPANY Won by.	Score	Possible.
Oct. 5, 6, 82 17, 18 83	Snider	200, 500, 600	No. A ...	274 450 303 450	Oct. 20, 22, 84	Snider	200, 500, 600	No. E E	300 450 287 450	