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- 2^d. This day arrived from Halifax
Capt. Straubenzee & Capt. DeLaney
of the 17th Reg^t. of Light Dragoons to
seek for Quarters for the Reg^t. by then
I rec^d. letters from my Father informing
that he was appointed Barrack
Master at Fort Edward & that I should
do the business upon a good day & that
I must seek for Quarters for those
Horse & fit the same up directly
which I accordingly set about
 - 3^d. Went with those gentlemen & Lieut. Gov^r.
to seek for Quarters as above &
joined together at Lieut. Governor's
 - 4th. The weather thick & rainy
Rained hard all this day
 - 5th. The weather freezing & very
cold with squalls of snow & hail, &
this morning the 2 Capt^s. above & the
Lieut. Governor set out for Halifax
& went no further than St. Croix Bridge
which they found gone away by the
great freshet occasioned by the great
rain yesterday, which obliged them to
return, & immediately sent Mr. Kelly
to repair it.
 - 6th. The weather good & the above gent^l. set out