

Archives, C. 1171, p. 205.

GENERAL ORDER.

Quebec 9th March 1814—

It being essential that the Commissary General should often be absent from Quebec to enable him to carry on the Service of his Department, which might produce inconvenience to the Public as the faith of Government is pledged to give Bills of Exchange on the Treasury of England on demand for Army Bills cancelled, His Excellency The Commander of the Forces is pleased to direct, that Th^s. Bennett Ass^t. Com^y. Gen^l. shall draw Bills upon the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury upon Account of William Henry Robinson Esq^r., whenever the nature of the Case Requires it, under such Instructions and Regulations as the Commissary General may give to him for that purpose.—

His Excellency is pleased further to direct that during the absence of the Commissary General, and whenever he may require it, all the Public Departments in the Canadas shall draw their Bills of Exchange upon their respective Boards or Heads of Departments in England, in favor of the said Thomas Bennet Ass^t. Com^y. Gen^l., in order to prevent the inconvenience, delay, and Risk of transmitting those Bills for the Commissary General's endorsement.—

The Head Quarters of the Army in the North American Provinces will be transferred to Montreal on the 25th Instant—

(Signed) EDWARD BAYNES

Adjutant Gen^l

North America—

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Adjutant General's Office

Quebec 16th March 1814

His Excellency The Commander of the Forces approves of Lieut^t. Lamont of the 49th Regiment being appointed a temporary Assistant Eng^r. in the Montreal District.—