

unconnected with the Indian Department.

The Engineers Report on your buildings near Fort George, which I have in contemplation to purchase for lodgings for Officers - has not been made to me yet - I am consequently prevented from deciding on that object at present.

I find that Lord Dorchester in April 1796, paid Lieutenant Bouchette Seven pounds one shilling and nine pence, for Twenty one Fatigue men employed nine days in saving the Onondago, and Two pounds for a proportion of Rum issued to them - If any thing had been due the Adjutant of the Queen's Rangers on the same Account, he ought to have applied to Lord Dorchester for payment - I can have nothing to do with it, nor with any of the other particulars stated in his Memorial, that Officer not acting under any appointment from me.

Permission has lately been given the Officer in Command at St. Josephs to grant Lots of certain
dimensions