

COMMAND AND STAFF—*contd.*

shall be paid at the rate of two thousand six hundred dollars per annum. 49 Vic., chap. 41, sec. 39.

7. The Governor in Council shall, from time to time, make such orders as are necessary respecting the duties to be performed by the Officer commanding the Militia, by the Adjutant-General, by the Quartermaster General, and by the Officers of the Militia generally. 49 Vic., chap. 41, sec. 40.

[District Staff.

8. In and for each of the twelve Military Districts herein before mentioned, there shall be appointed one Deputy Adjutant-General of Militia, who shall have the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and who shall command the Militia in his District; and he shall be paid at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum.

(2.) There shall also be appointed in each of the Military Districts aforesaid, such Staff Officers and such other Officers as are necessary; and the salaries of such Staff Officers shall be fixed by the Governor in Council.

(3.) If any two or more Districts are amalgamated for administrative purposes, only one Deputy Adjutant-General shall be appointed for the Districts so amalgamated.

(4.) Her Majesty may, whenever it is considered expedient, change the designation or name of office of the Officer who commands the Militia in any District. 49 Vic., chap. 41, sec. 41.

9. No appointment to the District Staff of Militia shall be tenable for a longer period than five years, and during that time any such appointment must be subject to the powers of the Governor General in Council, and to the exigencies of the service, and no such appointment shall be held by an officer above the age of sixty-three years. Para. 10, R. & O., '83.