

Extract from General Orders, dated Montreal, 6th Nov., 1844.

"The Commander of the Forces will take the earliest opportunity of bringing the Governor General's approbation of **THEIR** CONDUCT under the notice of *His Grace the Duke of Wellington*, and although the conduct of the *Provincial Cavalry* is comprehended in the spirit and terms of this letter and order, the Commander of the Forces cannot omit this opportunity of expressing his high opinion of it, on former occasions, and indeed *throughout their whole course of service*.

[Signed,]

G. A. WETHERALL.

Col. D. A. G.

Extract from Letter dated Horse Guards, 3rd December, 1844, published in General Orders, dated Montreal, 27th Dec., 1854.

"No. 3. The Duke of Wellington has considered it his duty to lay your letter and its enclosure before the Secretary of State for the Colonies, and he has availed himself of the opportunity to draw Lord Stanley's attention to your report of *the efficiency and uniform good conduct* of the three Troops of Provincial Cavalry.

[Signed,]

FITZROY SOMERSET.

To Lieut. General

SIR RICHARD JACKSON, K. C. B., &c. }
Commandant of Forces.

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MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

SOREL, 3rd September, 1847.

"With His Excellency's sanction, therefore, the Commander of the Forces proposes to renew their present engagement for a further period of two years, namely from the 1st May, 1848, to the 30th April, 1850: and he *strongly and earnestly* recommends the *continued* services of *these Troops*, especially of the Cavalry, fully concurring in all that has been urged by *his predecessors* as to their great *value and importance*, and rendered now more *necessary* than before, by the recent reduction of the Regular Forces in Canada.

[Signed,]

J. A. VESEY KIRKLAND,

M. Secretary.

The Civil Secretary, &c., &c.

No. 8 Memorandum.—Extract.

SOREL, 23rd February

"I have had under my consideration the application of Captain