

No. 3 Company, Ashburnham

To be Captain :

Lieutenant John Burnham, V. B., vice Rogers appointed Adjutant.

To be Lieutenant :

Ensign Charles Sheriff Dudman, M. S., vice Burnham, promoted.

59th "Stormont and Glengarry" Battalion of Infantry.

To be Quarter Master :

Corydon H. Wood, Gentleman, vice Annable, appointed Lieutenant Cornwall Troop.

No. 2 Company, Civil Service Rifles, Ottawa.

To be Lieutenant :

Sergeant Charles Edward Lumann, V. B., vice Charles Drinkwater, whose resignation is hereby accepted.

To be Ensign :

Corporal George Morrison Patrick, M. S., vice Sydney Smith Junior, whose resignation is hereby accepted.

BRIEF.

To be Majors :

Captain James Zacchous Rogers, V. B., No. 3 Company 57th Battalion, from 4th May, 1871.

Captain Arthur Bligh, M. S., Adjutant 35th Battalion, from 17th May, 1872.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Leave of absence is hereby granted to Captain Joseph Marshall, for six months from 14th instant.

CONFIRMATION OF RANK.

The following officers holding certificates of qualification are hereby confirmed, in their respective ranks,

Lt.-Colonel John Brown, M. S., 77th Batt. from 23rd May, 1872.

Major Herbert Charles Gwyn, V. B., 77th Battalion, from 23rd May, 1872.

Captain William Ryan, V. B., No. 5 Company, 37th Battalion, from 1st May 1872.

Captain Edward J. Steele, M. S., No. 6 Company, 37th Battalion, from 29th February, 1872.

Lieutenant John Little, V. B., 13th Battalion, from 23rd May, 1872.

Lieutenant George Kingsbury Brown, M. S., No. 4 Company, 22nd Battalion, from 20th February, 1872.

Ensign Robert Knight Hope, V. B., 13th Battalion, from 1st May, 1872.

Ensign James B. Ingersoll, M. S., from No. 6 Company, 2nd Battalion, 20th Feb 1872.

Ensign William Allan Ingraham, M. S., No. 3 Company, 22nd Battalion, from 8th March, 1872.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

*Quebec Squadron of Cavalry.**No. 3 Troop.*

The formation of a Troop of Cavalry is hereby authorized at Quebec, to be No. 3 Troop of the Quebec Squadron. Arms and the necessary equipment will be furnished when the Department of Militia and Defence is in a position to do so.

To be Lieutenant :

Cornet John Brown, C. C., from No. 1 Troop.

To be Cornet :

William Kent, Gentleman, C. C.

Quebec Field Battery of Artillery.

To be Captain :

1st Lieutenant Michael W. Baby, M. S., G. S., vice Lamontagne who holds the Staff appointment of Brigade Major.

1st Montreal Company of Engineers.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally.

James Alfred Devine, Gentleman, M. S., vice Hutchison, resigned.

*51st Battalion of Infantry, or "Hemmingford Rangers."**No. 4 Company, Hemmingford.*

To be Lieutenant :

Ensign Donald McFee, M. S., G. S., vice A. McKelvey, left limits.

To be Ensign :

Sergeant George James McKoy, M. S., vice McFee, promoted.

52nd Battalion of Infantry.

The designation of this Battalion is changed to 52nd "Bromo" Battalion of Light Infantry instead of 52nd "Bedford" Battalion.

61th Battalion of Infantry or "Voltigeurs de Beauharnois."

To be Major :

Captain Lucius Poitras, M. S., from No. 5 Company, vice P. A. Rodier, appointed to command 76th Battalion.

No. 1 Company, Beauharnois.

To be Lieutenant :

Ensign Joseph Narcisse Camyré, V. B., vice Baker, promoted.

To be Ensign, provisionally :

Sergeant Narcisse Deslorier, vice Camyré, promoted.

No. 5 Company, Beauharnois.

To be Captain :

Ensign Saul Martin, M. S., vice Poitras, promoted.

To be Lieutenant :

Sergeant Wilfred Siméon Davis, M. S., vice J. B. C. St. Amour, left limits.

To be Ensign, provisionally :

Sergeant George Peterkin, vice Martin, promoted.

MEMO.—Major Jean Mario Prud'homme, M. S., becomes senior Major in consequence of the appointment of Major P. A. Rodier to be Lieutenant-Colonel of 76th Battalion.

76th Battalion of Infantry or "Voltigeurs Chateauguay."

To be Surgeon :

Philemon Laberge, Esquire.

MEMO.—Adverting to G. O. (7) 22nd March, 1872, the Company therein authorized to be formed as "No. 2 Company of Ste. Martine," and is in the same G. O. attached to this Battalion as "No. 3 Company" is the Company at Ste. Martine, which then existed as an Independent Company. The officers of No. 3 Company being Capt. Joseph Beaudreau, M. S., and the Lieut. provisionally, Ensign Francis Xavier Roy.

79th "Shefford" Battalion of Infantry.

The formation of a Battalion of Infantry to be composed of eight Companies, is hereby authorized in the County of Shefford to be known as 79th "Shefford" Battalion of Infantry, and, as a special request, with the additional designation of "Highlanders," and permitted to wear Glengarry caps. The Service Rolls to be forwarded to Head Quarters as soon as possible.

CONFIRMATION OF RANK

Ensign Elzebert Courtois, No. 5 Company 23rd Battalion, is confirmed in his rank from date of appointment: 8th January 1869, he holding a Military School certificate at that time.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK

8th Regiment of Cavalry.

The designation of the "New Brunswick Regiment of Cavalry" is hereby changed to the "8th Regiment of Cavalry."

*New Brunswick Brigade of Garrison Artillery.**No. 1 Battery, St. John.*

To be 1st Lieutenant :

2nd Lieutenant John E. Bell, G. C., vice Kane promoted.

To be 2nd Lieutenant provisionally :

Andrew Armstrong, Gentleman, vice Bel promoted.

No. 3 Battery, Portland.

To be Captain :

1st Lieutenant and Captain William Cunard, V. B., vice Brevet Major and Captain Richard Farmer, who is hereby permitted to retire retaining his Brevet rank.

MEMO.—Adverting to G. O. (4) 23rd Feb. last, the date from which Captain William Cunard takes rank as Captain in the Active Militia of the Dominion, is 27th February, 1871.

CONFIRMATION OF RANK.

2nd Lieutenant John E. Bell, No. 1 Battery N. B. Brigade G. A. having obtained a 2nd Class Gunnery Certificate from a Board of Examining officers, his rank is hereby confirmed from 22nd instant:

By Command of His Excellency the Governor-General.

P. ROBERTSON-ROSS, Colonel,
Adjutant-General of Militia,
Canada.