

that the surrender of the American Detachment is to be attributed. I beg leave to recommend this officer to your *Excellency's protection*."

Number and Description of Prisoners.

1 Lieutenant Colonel	1 Surgeon
1 Major	25 Sergeants
6 Captains	464 Rank and File
13 Lieutenants	30 Mounted Militia
1 Cornet	

One Stand of Colours of the 14th United States Regiment.

Ordnance captured:—one 12-pounder, one 6-pounder, two cars.

In consequence of the preceding Report the following appeared in General Orders.

Extract of a General Order, issued by his Excellency Sir George Prevost, dated Kingston, June 28th, 1813:—

"The Commander of the Forces has great satisfaction in announcing to the Army that a Report has been received from Brigadier-General Vincent of a most judicious and spirited exploit, achieved on the 24th instant, by a small Detachment of the 49th Regiment, amounting to 46 rank and file, under Lieutenant Fitz Gibbon, and a band of Indian Warriors, which terminated in the defeat and entire capture of a considerable Detachment of the American Regular Army, under the command of Colonel Boerstler, of the 14th United States Regiment, after sustaining considerable loss."

For this enterprise, evincing no less intelligence than gallantry, Lieutenant Fitz Gibbon received a Company.

Passing over intermediate years and their services, I will proceed at once to the events of 1837.

All the regular troops which composed the garrisons of Upper Canada having been *willingly* despatched by Sir Francis Head to the Lower Province, the rebel Mackenzie, assisted by sympathising vagabonds from the United States, congregated a force, formidable from its numbers, at a tavern on the High Road called Yonge Street, some miles north of Toronto, with the ultimate