

nished in Britain with the necessary funds. Another paper gives the regulations for the colony, the corps to consist of major, commandant, two captains, two lieutenants, four sub-lieutenants, one adjutant. All to have been field officers previous to 1798; one Q. M., one chaplain, one surgeon, one surgeon's mate, six sergeants, eight corporals, one hundred privates; the term of service to be three years. Two days' work for the officers in the colony, four days for each individual, one day for religious and military duty. The grant of lands specified for each, also for relatives, as father, mother, wife, child, sister, niece, nephew. The government to furnish tools, clothing, rations. Those who had served in the Royalist army to be chosen first. One object to be aimed at was to keep the settlement separate from any other body of French.

In a letter from Russell to the Duke of Portland, York, November 3rd, 1798: "Have this day received a letter from M. Puisaye, telling of his arrival in Quebec on 7th ult., with some general, field, and subaltern officers, a few soldiers, and two ladies, in all forty persons; have despatched a letter to meet him in Kingston, warning him of the impossibility of providing accommodation in this town for so large a number of respectable personages, requesting him to stop at Kingston, or send part to Newark, which, being older settlements, may lodge them better. I shall be happy to meet him here for consultation." In a letter from President Russell to the Duke of Portland, 21st November, 1798: "Have selected the vacant land, with de Puisaye's approbation, between this town and Lake Simcoe, as a situation equally distant from Lower Canada and the French settlements at the Detroit river. Have directed the Surveyor-General to lay out four townships north of Markham, Pickering and 'Whitby.'" This region, a continuation of Yonge street, was called Oak Ridges.

In the Archives is given:

A list of the Royalists gone from London with Count Joseph de Puisaye for Canada: Lt.-Gen. Joseph de Puisaye; Count de Chalus, Major-General; D'Allegre, Col.; Marquis de Beauport, Col.; Viscount de Chalus, Col.; Coster de St. Victor, Col.; De Marseuil, Lt.-Col.; Bouton, Capt.; De Farcy, Capt.; De Poret, Capt.; Guy de Beauport, Lieut.; Lambert de la Richerie, Lieut.; Hippolyte de Beauport, Lieut.; Champagne, Nathaniel Thompson, John Thompson, John Ficerel (lost in Montreal), Thomas Jones (lost in Quebec), Joseph Donovan,