

Chamberland, whose resignation is hereby accepted.

No. 5 Company, St. Anaclet.

To be Lieutenant:

H. Armel Michaud, Gentleman, M.S.

The Provisional Battalion of Portneuf.

No. 2 Company, St. Raymond.

To be Ensign:

Abraham Frederick Beavor, Gentleman, M.S., vice R. G. Patton, deceased.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

62nd "St. John" Battalion of Infantry.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Horsey Derby Pickman, Gentleman, vice Crane, resigned.

73rd "Northumberland, N.B.," Battalion of Infantry.

To be Surgeon, to date from 14th April last:

William Pallon Bishop, Esq., M.D.

No. 2 Company, Chatham.

To be Captain, provisionally and specially:

Ensign James Patterson, Junior, vice Shirreff, promoted.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

William Fenton, Gentleman, vice Gray, appointed Quartermaster.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Peter Loggie, Gentleman, vice Patterson promoted.

74th Battalion of Infantry.

The formation of the following corps as a Battalion of Infantry, to be styled the "74th Battalion of Infantry," with head quarters at Sassex, in King's County, is hereby authorized, viz:

No. 1 Co.—"Kingston," King's County.

" 2 " "Elgin," Albert County.

" 3 " "Sussex," King's County.

" 4 " "Shemogue," Westmorland County.

" 5 " "Sackville," do

" 6 " "Bay Verte," do

To be Lieutenant-Colonel, provisionally and specially:

Major Edwin B. Beer, from New Brunswick Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

No. 2 Company, Elgin.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Fletcher C. Colpitts, Gentleman, vice R. A. Colpitts, resigned.

No. 6 Company, Bay Verte.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

Charles F. Oulton, Gentleman.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Bedford Harper, Gentleman.

Petit Saull Infantry Company.

To be Lieutenant:

Ensign Maxime LeBel, M.S., vice P.

Michaud, whose resignation is hereby accepted.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Alexander Marquis, Gentleman, vice LeBel, promoted.

Grand Falls Infantry Company.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Sergt. William McCluskey, vice J. Hianvern, whose resignation is hereby accepted,

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

63rd "Halifax" Battalion of Rifles.

To be Paymaster:

Captain and Quarter-Master Patrick Hayden.

To be Quarter-Master:

Quarter-Master Sergeant S. Scott Mitchell, vice Hayden, appointed Paymaster.

66th "Halifax" Battalion of Infantry.

To be Ensigns, provisionally:

William M. Cameron, Gentleman.

L. G. Hunt, Gentleman.

75th "Lunenburg" Battalion of Infantry.

The formation of the following corps as a Battalion of Infantry, to be styled the "75th Lunenburg Battalion of Infantry," with Head Quarters at the town of Lunenburg, is hereby authorized, viz:

No. 1 Company, "1st Lunenburg."

" 2 " "2nd do "

" 3 " "3rd do "

" 4 " "Mahone Bay."

" 5 " "Martin's River."

" 6 " "4th Lunenburg."

To be Lieut.-Colonel:

Capt. Robert McLellan, M.S., from No. 1 Company.

To be Major, provisionally:

Jessie Randolph, Esquire, M.S., (2nd.)

To be Paymaster:

Stephen Finck, Esquire.

To be Quarter-Master:

Christian Burns, Gentleman.

To be Surgeon:

Charles Aikens, Esquire.

No. 2.

CERTIFICATES, SCHOOLS OF MILITARY INSTRUCTION.

The following Candidates for Commissions in the Active Militia, have received Certificates from the Commandants of the Schools of Military Instruction.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

SECOND CLASS CERTIFICATES.

Regimental Divisions. Names.

Chicoutimi. —Jean Felix Langlais, Gentleman.

Dorchester —Jean Baptiste Remillard, Gentleman.

Montmorency —Louis Letourneau Gentleman.

Beauca —Benoni Dupuis, Gentleman.

Portneuf —Thomas Renaud, Gentleman.

Champlain —Z. S. Emilo de Lottinville, Gentleman.

Quebec East —Henry C. Webster, Gentleman.

Quebec County —Joseph Octave Bourret, Gentleman.

Quebec Centre —John Greig, Gentleman.

Beauce —Ensign, George Bignell, Gentleman.

Quebec Centre —Fleetwood Churchill Cairns, Gentleman.

Champlain —Jeffry Le Bland, Gentleman.

Portneuf —Joseph Dennis Gentleman.

Montmagny —Wilfred Blouin, Gentleman.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

SECOND CLASS CERTIFICATES.

Regimental Divisions. Names.

Second St. John —Edmund W. H. Fairweather, Gentleman.

do. do. —Howard Boyer, Gentleman.

Kings —James Hamelin Crauford, Gentleman.

PROVINCE OF NOVA-SCOTIA.

SECOND CLASS CERTIFICATES.

Regimental Divisions. Names.

Halifax City —Captain, James Shand, do. —Frederick W. Pineo, Gentleman.

By Command of His Excellency the Governor General.

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

A telegram from Amsterdam confirms the report of an engagement at Saarbuck, but calls it a "coup de theatre" to act on Paris, and not a military success. The Prussians regarded Saarbuck as a position without military value and entrusted it to only two companies.



NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tenders for Grenville Canal Works," will be received at this office until the evening of Wednesday, the 31st August, instant, for the enlargement of about FIVE MILES of the GRENVILLE CANAL, and the construction of THREE LOCKS.

The work may be let either as a whole, or divided into THREE different sections, each embracing one lock.

Plans and specifications can be seen at this office, or at the Land Office Canal Office, and at Grenville, on and after Thursday, the 19th instant, where printed forms of tender and other information can also be obtained.

The names of two solvent and responsible persons, willing to become sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract, must be attached to each tender.

The Department will not, however, be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, } Ottawa, 10th Aug., 1870. } 33-3 In.