

possession on the scale of five miles to the inch. The map of Granby, and features of the ground are taken from a rough survey I made previously; the woods were indicated and the map corrected along the road from personal observation. The details on each place are rather incomplete, but I could not gather any more in the time allowed me when marching with my battery.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
T. AMYRAULD, Major.
Com. Shefford Field Battery.
Lieut. Colonel Strange,
Inspector of Artillery,
Quebec.

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[Forwarded to the Deputy Adjutant General
Headquarters' 9th, January, 1875.
T. B. Strange, Lieut. Colonel, I. of A.]

ST. HELEN'S ISLAND,
December 7th, 1874.

Sir,—I have the honor to enclose diary of the training of the Engineer Company under my command.

The twelve drills for which they draw pay have been performed, and they are now drilling voluntary twice a week until a course of twelve more shall be completed.

The company musters forty one of all ranks, and the conduct of the men while going through their training has been steady and attentive.

The want of a more suitable room for both drill and lecture purposes is greatly felt, as the one room in use answers the purpose very poorly in every respect.

This matter was represented at the completion of last year's training, and permission requested to return to the drillshed Craig Street, where the room formerly occupied is better and more central.

The target practice for this year will be carried out as soon as practicable.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
JAS. A. DEVINE, Lieutenant,
Com. 1st Company M. V. E.

To Lieut. Col. T. B. Strange,
Inspector of Art'y and Engineers,
Citadel, Quebec.

(To be Continued.)

The *Cologne Gazette*, in its military intelligence, states that the equipment of the German Field Artillery with the new guns will be fully completed by April 1. The force designated "Field Artillery" corresponds to what was formerly called "Foot Artillery." What was formerly Garrison Artillery is now to be termed "Foot Artillery." The new guns are of two different calibres, one an eight centimetre, and the other a nine centimetre barrel. The former are intended only for the Horse Artillery, the latter for the Field Artillery. "The new weapon," says the *Cologne Gazette*, "has been practically proved the most perfect gun in existence, the possession of which places the superiority of the German Artillery above the forces of other Powers beyond question. The German War Office has, moreover, reason to be proud of the promptness and expedition with which the new guns have been manufactured and served out. The new infantry weapon, commonly called the Mauser rifle, is thoroughly worthy of ranking beside the new cannon. Both represent the most perfect mechanism of their respective kinds."

DOMINION OF CANADA.



MILITIA GENERAL ORDERS.

HEAD QUARTERS,

OTTAWA, 21st May, 1875.

GENERAL ORDERS (12).

No. 1.

ACTIVE MILITIA.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

4th Provisional Regiment of Cavalry.

To be Paymaster:

Maxwell William Strange, Esquire.

To be Veterinary Surgeon:

Veterinary Surgeon Daniel MacIntosh,
from Frontenac Squadron.

To be Riding Master:

Troop Sergeant Major Thomas Todd, C.S.,
from No. 1 Troop.

1st Battalion Governor General's Foot Guards.

To be Captains:

Lieutenant George Morrison Patrick, M. S., vice Walsh, appointed Adjutant.
Lieutenant Alfred Hamlyn Todd, M. S., vice R. J. Wicksteed, retired.

15th Battalion or "Argyle Light Infantry."

To be Paymaster:

Morgan Jellett, Esquire, vice James Clement Holden, having the relative rank of Captain, is hereby permitted to retire with Honorary Rank of Captain.

No. 1 Company, Belleville.

To be Lieutenant:

Ensign Samuel Shelly Wallbridge, M.S., vice George Edward James Hanwell, who his hereby permitted to retire retaining rank.

No. 2 Company, Belleville.

To be Captain:

Ensign James D. Clarke, V.B., vice Frederic L. Bogart, deceased.

No. 5 Company, Belleville.

Captain and Brevet Major L.N. Fitzroy Crozier, is hereby permitted to retire retaining the ranks of Captain.

19th "Lincoln" Battalion of Infantry."

No. 2 Company, St. Catherines.

To be Captain, provisionally:

James Ferguson, Esquire, vice R. S. Ness.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Sergeant William H. Day, vice Archie Storrs, whose resignation is hereby accepted.

No. 5 Company, St. Catherines.

To be Captain:

Lieutenant Michael Brennan, V. B., vice Jacob Upper, deceased.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

Bugler Andrew Jukes, vice Brennan promoted.

25th "Elgin" Battalion of Infantry.

The formation of a Company of Infantry, to be No. 6 Company, 25th Battalion, is hereby authorized at Fingal, in place of the Troop of Cavalry formerly at Stratford, removed from the List of Active Militia Corps as non effective.

To be Lieutenant Colonel:

Captain and Adjutant Charles Anthony O'Malley M. S., from 26th Battalion.
Major John B. Tweedale, V. B. is hereby permitted to retire retaining rank.

No. 6 Company, Fingal.

To be Captain provisionally:

George Elliot Casey, Esquire.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

Thomas A. Parish, Gentleman.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

A. McKay, Gentleman.

29th "Waterloo" Battalion of Infantry.

No. 6 Company, Berlin.

The re enrolment of the former Infantry Company at Berlin, as No. 6 Company of the 29th Battalion is hereby authorized.

39th "Norfolk" Battalion of Rifles.

To be Quarter Master:

Quarter Master Sergeant William Ryeson Griffin, vice John Killmaster whose resignation is hereby accepted.

No. 1 Company, Simcoe.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

William Frederick Scarth, Gentleman, vice Archibald F. Campbell left limits.
Ensign James Brian having left limits his name is hereby removed from the list of Officers of the Active Militia.

No. 4 Company, Walsingham.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

Duncan John D'Urbain Campbell, Gentleman, vice George Wittat left limits.

No. 5 Company, Waterford.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

Private George Henry McMichael vice John Deal left limits.

41st "Brockville" Battalion of Rifles.

To be Adjutant:

Captain William Robert Bell, V. B. from